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## Reagan is firm against compromise on budget

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republican congressional leaders are trying to make sure President Reagan "understands the realities" of the growing Capitol Hill resentment of his deficit-ridden 1983 budget proposal.

But Reagan made it clear he was in no mood to compromise prior to a White House meeting today with Senate Majority Leader Howard H. Baker Jr., House Republican leader Robert H. Michel and Sen. Paul Laxalt, the president's closest friend in the Senate.

The object of their concern: Reagan's \$757.6 billion 1983 spending plan and its projected \$91.5 billion deficit.

Meanwhile, Federal Reserve Chairman Paul Volcker said the Fed won't try to "buy the economy out of recession" by releasing a flood of new money to finance a recovery. Such a recovery, he told the House Banking Committee Wednesday, would be short-lived, choked off by new surges in inflation and interest rates.

Volcker said the Fed would not back off its tentative decision to aim for relatively slow growth in the basic money supply of cash and checking deposits at a 2½-to-5½ percent growth

rate this year. However, he did say the board would be willing to accept growth in the upper part of that range, a policy generally in line with recent requests from the Reagan administration.

Baker and the Senate's No. 2 Republican, Sen. Ted Stevens of Alaska, both said Wednesday that they found merit in a Democratic senator's alternative plan that calls for a virtual freeze on Pentagon spending while trimming by half the administration's three-year tax cut.

But Treasury Secretary Donald T. Regan dismissed the Democratic plan as "absolutely ridiculous" and the president himself declared he will stick by his plans for big increases in military spending and deep cuts in outlays for social programs.

Mike Johnson, an aide to Illinois' Rep. Michel, said that although the White House arranged today's meeting Michel intended "once more to make sure the president understands the realities down here (in Congress)."

Baker, of Tennessee, and Laxalt, of Nevada, were expected to deliver a similar message.

Meanwhile, Senate Democratic

leader Robert C. Byrd of West Virginia sent Reagan a letter asking him to withdraw the administration's proposed budget.

"I am looking for a document we in Congress can work with; one based on realistic assumptions; one which shows a much clearer trend toward a balanced budget," Byrd wrote.

Byrd urged the president to take a "courageous step" like the one President Carter took in 1980 when he withdrew his original budget and submitted a new one.

House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., D-Mass., also kept up his harsh criticism of the president Wednesday, saying it was Reagan who should "put up or shut up."

"The product of the Reagan economic sales pitch has been a disaster and all the roadshows in the world are not going to change that fact," O'Neill said.

O'Neill referred to a two-day trip to the Midwest earlier this week in which the president challenged his budget critics to "put up or shut up."

Reagan stood his ground Wednesday, telling a group of women appointed to administration jobs: "We come to government at a time of economic crisis, and we've only begun to sort out the mess that had been building for 40 years. But the difficulties that we face today only prove the failure of the programs that came before."

Baker, in his first major detour from Reagan's strategy, has said that a proposal by Sen. Ernest F. Hollings of South Carolina is "interesting and worthwhile." Stevens agreed that "it merits a lot of consideration."

Hollings, ranking Democrat on the Senate Budget Committee, said his alternative could cut Reagan's projected deficit of \$91.5 billion for 1983 to \$42 billion and produce a surplus in 1985 — the year Reagan forecasts a deficit of \$82 billion.

The Hollings plan calls for a one-year freeze on defense spending at current levels, elimination of one year's cost-of-living increases for Social Security and government pension recipients and major reductions in the three-year tax cut plan Congress approved last summer.



GAS PRICE DROPS! Just like the good old days. This Fina Station is selling regular gasoline for 99.9 cents a gallon. The station manager said he did not know why

company officials, who were unavailable for comment, lowered the price. Oh, by the way, the station with the low price is located on the Amarillo Highway.

(Staff Photo by John Wolfe)

## Rex Allen is 'back in the saddle again'

WILCOX, Ariz. (AP) — Rex Allen's stolen \$30,000 saddle is home again, thanks to two Willcox police officers who used it as a pillow all across Texas to insure its safe keeping.

"It's not going to get stolen the second time, I'll tell you that," said police investigator Ron Hazlewood.

He and Police Chief Bill Morales spent the past four days in Texas, where the silver-plated and gold-inlaid saddle was discovered about a month after it was stolen from the Cochise Visitor's Center Dec. 27.

From Temple, Texas, where the saddle was found in a motel lounge, to Austin, to Giddings, to Wichita Falls, to Odessa, the two lawmen hauled the saddle with them as they traced the route of a man accused in the theft.

"I really felt like an old-time sheriff tracking," Morales said. "Just like the Rex Allen movies."

Leon Crosley was arrested over the

weekend, after riding into Willcox on a motorcycle and telling authorities he had seen the saddle in the employee lounge of a Temple motel.

The saddle was found at a motel, but the Willcox lawmen were unsuccessful in trying to find Allen's silverspurs and nickel-plated pearl-handle .45-caliber 6-shooter, which were stolen along with the saddle.

Joyous town officials were poised to give Crosley a \$500 reward for letting them know where the saddle could be found, but Morales said discrepancies in Crosley's story convinced authorities to put him up in a jail cell rather than a motel suite.

"It's a great pleasure to get that saddle back," Hazlewood said.

"You don't tug on Superman's cape," Morales added. "You don't spit in the wind, and you don't steal Rex Allen's saddle."

## Outlook bright for reopening of TEC office here

BY JEFF LANGLEY  
Staff Writer

The Pampa office of the Texas Employment Commission (TEC) will probably be reopened due to a supplemental funding bill passed by Congress Wednesday.

The joint resolution provides nearly \$2.3 billion in additional money for both direct employment benefits and for state employment services.

Out of that total funding package, \$343 million will be sent to states to pay for job services personnel and state employment offices, according to aides to Congressman Jack Hightower.

The remainder of the funds, \$1.95 billion, will be paid as direct benefits to people out of work. The bill is now awaiting the signature of President Reagan, who favors the measure.

The No. 2 man at the TEC in Austin, associate administrator Pat Joiner, said Texas will probably receive \$10 to \$15 million in job service office funding. The agency has already closed 60 state TEC offices, including the Pampa, Borger and Dumas branches, and another 12 offices were scheduled for the chopping block. The recent closings also resulted in the loss of 390 TEC jobs statewide, in addition to 500 already phased out in 1981 through attrition, (retirements, resignations, etc.).

Another 500 TEC employees, including workers in Pampa, were told they were out of a job effective Jan. 31, but Joiner said the last 500 of the total 1,300 workers have not been dismissed.

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### Weather

The forecast calls for a 50 percent chance of snow today with accumulations remaining under two inches. The high for today will be in the low 30s and will reach the mid 40s for Friday.

Still, the last batch of TEC workers scheduled for termination were forced to relocate when their local offices closed.

Caught in that trap were some workers at the Pampa office, who have a total of more than 60 years seniority with the state agency. One, manager of the Pampa TEC office, Bill Ragsdale, 1709 Coffee, decided to retire rather than relocate. Another, Charles Vance, 617 N. Frost, found a job at Security Federal Savings and Loan Association here.

Now the office will probably reopen less than one month after it closed its doors, and Ragsdale and Vance may get the agency's cold shoulder if they want their old jobs back.

Joiner said people who quit or retired from a closed TEC office will not be automatically rehired. "We will look at each individual on a case by case basis. If someone resigns, we really don't have any ties with them. We have to assume they were aware of the full circumstances. Although the office closings may have affected their decisions, they (the employees who

found other work) do not have the same rights as those who stayed and took their chances," Joiner said. He added that some TEC workers who quit when local offices closed might be called back, but employees who transferred to another agency will be given first crack at jobs in reopened offices.

Asked if he would want his old job back if the Pampa office reopens, Vance said, "I don't know. I have taken a new job. This is all pretty wild."

Ragsdale said he would consider coming out of retirement if the office reopens. "We had a good staff here."

State Representative Foster Whaley of Pampa said "great," when he reacted to word of the new funds for the state employment offices. Whaley organized a previous meeting between Congressman Jack Hightower, Joiner, TEC District Manager Bill King of Amarillo, the Pampa Chamber of Commerce, County Judge Carl Kennedy, Pampa Mayor H.R. Thompson and the Pampa business community, which was called to discuss problems caused by closing the Pampa office.

"The unfortunate thing is we lost people like Bill Ragsdale and Charles Vance. They should be reinstated. They have to make a living and can't wait on Congress and the TEC," Whaley said.

He said employees who quit after their announced termination or relocated to new positions should be offered their old jobs back. "It's not fair," he said.

Whaley also fired off a letter to all Texas U.S. Congressmen, protesting cutbacks at the TEC. He said Texas employers were paying more into the unemployment fund than the state was receiving back from the feds.

Joiner credits Whaley's efforts with the state TEC's desire to reopen the Pampa office. The agency manager would not state flatly that the office would reopen with the new funds, but said "it is a high priority" and "we will do everything we can."

Joiner said the agency would reopen "at least 50" of the closed TEC offices. However, there is uncertainty about how much it will cost to reopen a closed branch.

## Approval of city bills follows long review process

BY JEFF LANGLEY  
Staff Writer

It takes a bundle of money to run a city the size of Pampa, and each month the city commission must review hundreds of bills that must be paid from the city treasury.

The money to pay the bills comes from this fiscal year's city budget, a lump sum which has already been approved by the city commission.

But even though the bill money is already in the city cookie jar, commissioners still review each individual payment.

Bills for services and materials charged to the city each month are broken down on a computer printout sheet and mailed to each commissioner before a regular meeting of the city government.

The printout lists the firm to be paid, what materials or services created the debt and the amount of the bill. Discussion of the bills, or accounts

payable, is then placed on the agenda for a meeting.

At the meeting, commissioners review and discuss the requests for payment, and City Manager Mack Wofford explains in detail any charges that commissioners question.

Commissioners then approve, delay or refuse payment for the bills listed on the accounts payable sheet. In most cases, the city fathers routinely approve all bills listed on the sheet.

Tuesday, the panel approved all bills, a total of \$167,086, for the period Jan. 9 through Feb. 9.

To insure that the bills are accurate and that goods are received and properly used, the city uses what Wofford calls, "an excellent system of controls."

"We go through miles of paperwork.

Any purchase of more than \$3,000 must be advertised for bids," he said.

Concerning purchases of less than \$3,000, Wofford added, "When a department head wants to buy

something, he must fill out a requisition order and give it to the purchasing agent Viona Champion. The agent will find a competitive price on the item from a list of approved vendors. When a bucket of nails is delivered, it must be signed for, and the person who uses the bucket of nails must also complete his forms."

The City Manager said the strict control procedure is followed before commissioners receive the bills included in the bills approved Tuesday were payment for two new police patrol cars, insurance premiums and radio and vehicle repairs.

Also approved with the amount and party to be paid were: \$210 to the International City Manager's Association for "information service"; \$296 to Max Long for "glass cleaner - spray"; \$234 to Patrick's for "prisoner's breakfast - prisoner's dinners"; and \$31 to Sargent - Sowell Inc. for "dog repellent."

But those particular computer entries and others on the present

accounts payable list might be a little misleading.

"Information service" is not a tip at Santa Anita — "\$296, glass cleaner" is not a swimming pool load of Windex — "prisoner's dinners" at Patrick's is not a jailbird jaunt to a chic supper club — and "dog repellent" is not a new spray coating for fire hydrants.

Instead, those short computer entries mark city bills which were explained by Wofford.

He said the money paid for "information service" was actually for a monthly publication of "source material."

"It is a valuable study of municipal operations and management. For example, one volume contains short subjects on solid wastes, including Methane Recovery and Refuse Composting. Another volume lists 'Practice Management of Animals.' We have been taking the publication for about 20 years," Wofford said.

The computer sheet listed only "glass cleaner," but the payment was actually

for many janitorial supplies that will be used in all city buildings, according to Wofford.

The bill to Patrick's is payment for all prisoners' meals at the city jail. The city manager said the prisoners receive only two meals daily, which is supplied by Patrick's, a local restaurant. Wofford said the yearly contract for jail food is awarded to the lowest bidder.

He remarked, "I have no idea what 'dog repellent' is, but I think it is something for animal control."

Local animal control officials said the substance bought by the commissioners Tuesday is a type of mace. They sometimes use it to thwart attacks from hostile animals. Said one control officer, "It's a type of tear gas."

Wofford was quick to explain in detail the various city expenses which were given only short descriptions on Tuesday's computer sheet.

The bills listed on the bi-monthly computer sheets are paid from this fiscal year's operating budget of \$8.4 million, and they are available for public inspection at the Finance Office in City Hall, according to Wofford.

## Hicks degree is non-accredited

For weeks now, the president of Frank Phillips College in Borger Andy Hicks has identified himself in news releases and official information as "Dr." Andy Hicks.

The president also issued a news release last month which stated that Hicks had received a Doctor of Education degree from Western Colorado University with the fall graduations.

However, the news release failed to mention that the school was a non-accredited institution, located in Grand Junction. Hicks also failed to mention during open meetings of the College Board of Regents that his degree was non-accredited. However, while that detail was not mentioned, the subject of Hicks' degree was mentioned at an open session last month.

Regents Chairman Bob Knight joked, "Someone believes you have your degree." In the interim, the board also

has granted Hicks a pay raise to \$43,000 per year.

A man who said he was on the school's faculty Michael Hensley said, "The school is not accredited, and there are no residency requirements. You need to check with your personnel director to see if this (a non-accredited degree) meets your employment needs."

Hensley said a Doctorate of Education degree would take about one year's work for someone with a master's degree, "depending on how much experience we can give you for life experience." He said the price tag for the doctorate would be about \$3,000.

An employee with an accredited Colorado state school's division of education, Marilyn Gillette, said Western Colorado University is not listed in the Colorado Education Directory, a list of all accredited state colleges, published by the Colorado

Department of Education. She said, "Western Colorado is not accredited - it's a diploma mill."

The Pampa News has obtained a copy of the school's catalogue. Hicks's doctoral dissertation was entitled "The Economic Impact of Frank Phillips College on Hutchinson County."

Hicks said he had been working on the doctoral degree for about four years and that he completed its requirements last November. He has been with the college, an accredited institution, since 1973. He has served as an instructor, vocational dean, dean of instruction, and he was named president this past July.

Since Hicks has been president, the school has attempted to build a \$4 million Borger Community Activities Center, but following lengthy appeals to the community for funds, the project was shelved this week.

# daily record

## services tomorrow

There were no services for Friday reported to The Pampa News.

## obituaries

### INFANT BRANDON DEAN FRANKS

Brandon Dean Franks, two-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Franks of Floydada died Tuesday in Lubbock General Hospital.

Graveside services were to be conducted today at 2 p.m. in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Survivors include one step-sister, Shana Franks, and one stepbrother, D.J. Franks, both of Pampa; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Franks of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Matlock of Pampa and Mrs. Maxa Price of Dumas; his great-grandparents, Mrs. Mary McGahan of Elk City, Okla., Mrs. Violet Mooneyham of Medicine Park, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Matlock of Pampa, and Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Stansell of Amarillo.

## city briefs

**SPANISH CLASS**  
Sponsored by Pampa Fine Arts, Grades 4-6, Saturdays, February 13, 20, 27 and March 6, 11 a.m. - 12 noon. First Christian Church, 1633 N. Nelson. Enrollment limited. Call Mrs. David Holt, 665-5284. Fee.

**URETHANE FOAM**  
containing no formaldehyde available from Crawford Roofing and Insulation. Call 665-3513 or 665-3943.

**TUNA SANDWICH** and soup \$2.49 lunch special

Thursday and Friday. Health Aids, 305 W. Foster. Adv.

**AKC KEESHONDS**, Champion Bloodline, Chocolate poodle and Schauzers. The Pet Shop, Highway 60 W. 665-6991. Adv.

**DAV AUXILIARY** will have meeting Friday, 7:30 p.m., Union Hall.

**WWI AUXILIARY** will cancel meeting for Friday.

**SPRING IS** arriving. Burpee seeds are here; onion plants and packaged roses. Pete's Greenhouse and Garden Center, 2125 N. Hobart. Adv.

## fire report

There were no fires reported during the 24-hour period ending at 8 a.m. today.

## minor accidents

**WEDNESDAY, Feb. 10**  
11:45 a.m. - A 1973 Subaru driven by a 16-year-old female juvenile collided with a 1980 Ford pickup driven by a 16-year-old male juvenile in the 1200 block of Christine. The female was cited for unsafe change of direction of travel.  
11:55 a.m. - A 1979 Chevrolet driven by Wanda Fern Wright, 2312 Cherokee, collided with a 1979 Mercury, improperly parked, driven by Nannie Mae Graves, 1101 Varmon Drive. The accident occurred in the 1100 block of Varmon Drive. Wright was cited for improper backing, and Graves was cited for improper parking.  
8:35 p.m. - A 1980 Chevrolet pickup driven by Ray Madrid Estrada, 1045 S. Hobart, collided with a 1978 Ford pickup driven by Raymond Franklin Cox, 1112 S. Sumner, in the 900 block of Wilks. Estrada was cited for following too closely.

## senior citizens menu

**FRIDAY**  
Chicken pot pie or fried cod fish, french fries, cabbage, baked peas, tarts or jello salad, apricot or pineapple upside down cake

## school menu

**FRIDAY**  
Stew, cheese or peanut butter sandwich, carrot and celery stick, apricot burrito, milk

## hospital notes

**CORONADO COMMUNITY**  
**Admissions**  
Alma Wade, Pampa  
Sharon Nunn, Pampa  
Nancy Farris, Pampa  
Gloria Matte, Pampa  
Lois Williams, Pampa  
Graced Geuther, Panhandle  
Richard Wilson, Lefors  
Clara Graham, Pampa  
Ronald Strong, Pampa  
Carolynne Howe, Lefors  
Guy Blakemore, Pampa  
Jeanne Greenhouse, Miami  
Charley West, Groom  
Wendy Conrad, Pampa  
Jerry Richard, Pampa  
**Dismissals**  
Jessie Cox, Pampa  
Buster Day, McLean  
Steven Dobbs, Pampa  
Caroly Eggleston, Pampa  
George Eller, Panhandle  
Mae Green, Pampa  
Peggy Hathaway, McLean  
Robert Hogan, Mobeetie  
Lillian May, White Deer  
Louise Neugin, Pampa  
William Peoples, Pampa  
Rhonda Rains, Pampa  
Baby Boy Rains

**Carolina Sanchez**, Pampa  
Eura Saul, Miami  
Kimberly Smith, Pampa  
**Births**  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Brown are the parents of twin boys.

**SHAMROCK HOSPITAL**  
Betty Stewart, Shamrock  
Vernon Hall, Allison  
Isaac Griffin, Wheeler  
J. C. Masterson, Texhoma  
Artie Dunn, Shamrock  
Ora Holloway, McLean  
Armella Miller, Eric, Okla.  
Margaret Goodwin, Wheeler

**Dismissals**  
Donna Galmor, Shamrock  
Baby Girl Galmor, Shamrock  
Digna Russell, Shamrock  
Shirley Tindol, Briscoe  
Tom Flowers, Shamrock  
Clifton Harbour, Shamrock  
Heath Hill, Shamrock  
Dewey Dabbery, Shamrock  
Kenneth King, Twitty

## animal shelter report

These animals are currently being boarded at the Pampa Animal Shelter located in the Hobart Street Park.

The shelter is open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday. On Saturday, the shelter is open from 11 a.m. to noon and from 4 to 5 p.m. For more information call 669-6149 or 669-7407.

**Male dogs:** black and white cowdog; black and silver shepherd; sable and white collie mix; black and brown dachshund mix; tan and white sheltie mix; black poodle.

**Male puppies:** four brown and tan shepherd mix puppies; one tri-color cowdog mix; one tri-color collie mix; one black and white pit bull mix.

**Female dogs:** apricot poodle; brown chihuahua; gray and white collie mix; silver and black shepherd; blond cocker mix.

**Female puppies:** two brown and tan shepherd mix; two tri-colored cowdog mixes; two black and brown shepherd mixes.

## police report

Officers of the Pampa police department responded to 23 calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Gregory Earl Powers was arrested for driving while intoxicated at the intersection of Barnes and Frederic.

Deborah M. Chambers, 817 W. Kingsmill, reported that someone removed \$150 from her purse while she was at work.

Brenda Fay Banks, 708 N. Nelson, reported that her house was burglarized, but nothing was reported taken.

Dr. Pepper Bottling Company, 834 S. Hobart, reported someone entered the building and removed \$20.

## stock market

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler - Evans of Pampa		DIA	23%
Wheat	3.65	Dorchester	18%
Mile	4.20	Getty	31%
Corn	4.55	Halliburton	41%
Soybeans	5.804	HCA	32%
The following quotations show the range within which these securities could have been traded at the time of compilation		Ingersoll-Rand	35%
Ky. Cent. Life	17 1/4 - 17 3/4	InferNorth	35%
Serico	13 1/4 - 14	Kerr-McGee	33%
Southern Financial	18 - 18 1/4	Mobil	29%
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. stock market quotations are furnished by Schneider Bernat Hickman, Inc. of Amarillo		Penny's	22%
Beatrice Foods	17 1/4	Phillips	34%
Cabot	23	PWA	23%
Celanese	33 1/4	SJ	49%
Cities Service	22	Southwestern Pub.	17%
		Standard Oil	46%
		Tenneco	29
		Texaco	30%
		Zales	21 1/4 close
		London Gold	378.83
		Silver 9.98	

## Weinberger trying to convince Hussein to buy American missiles instead of Russian

AMMAN, Jordan (AP) — Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger met with King Hussein and top Jordanian military officers today and later headed to an air show.

Weinberger, on a tour of moderate Arab states, visited Saudi Arabia and Oman before traveling to Jordan where American defense officials said he hopes to persuade Hussein not to buy weapons from the Soviet Union.

The secretary attended a military briefing this morning conducted by Jordan's chief of staff, Gen. Fathi Abu Taleb, and the commander-in-chief of the armed forces, Gen. Zeid Bin Shaker.

The air display, in which Jordanian pilots were to show off their handling of American-made F-5 fighter-bombers, was scheduled at a base near Mafraq, about 60 miles north of Amman.

Weinberger has established a joint military committee with the leaders of Saudi Arabia and finalized the sale of the American AWACS reconnaissance planes that Congress approved last year.

The committee will deal with military matters involving the two countries, according to Weinberger and the Saudi defense minister, Prince Sultan Bin Abdul Aziz.

Weinberger said soon after arriving in Jordan that he was willing to ask Congress to approve the sale of a mobile air defense system if Hussein would scrap plans to buy an anti-aircraft system from the Soviet Union.

Jordan's military is equipped almost entirely with Western arms.

The Israelis have said they don't want Jordan to have a mobile missile system because the Jordanians could then roll the batteries into the Jordan Valley and knock down Israeli spy planes.

Weinberger, who is on a tour of pro-Western Arab states to rally support against Soviet influence in the Middle East, said Wednesday he was ready to go before Congress and argue for a mobile Hawk system for Jordan.

"We expect to discuss with the Jordanians their need for improvements in their air defense systems," Weinberger told reporters.

"We expect that they will be interested in a mobile air defense missile. If appropriate, I would be willing to go to Congress to discuss such a sale."

The Pampa Police Officers Association has announced the names of their recently elected officers for 1982.

Officer Steve Chance was elected president of the association. Chance has been with the police department for one year.

Detective Ken Neal was elected vice president. Neal has been with the police department for 18 months and is a 10-year veteran of law enforcement.

Officer Kenneth Hopson, a two-year veteran of the police force, was elected to serve as treasurer.

Mrs. Dutchie Burns, police clerk, will serve as secretary.

The Pampa Police Officers Association was founded in January of 1961 to benefit the police department. All funds raised by the association are used for community and police projects.

The original association listed ten members. The current membership has grown to include 28 police personnel. All phases of the Pampa police department are represented in the association.

The main fund raising event of the police association is the Ozark Country Jubilee which has attracted a standing room only crowd for each of the performances during the past two years. This year's Jubilee was expected to raise an estimated \$3,000 for the police association.

Lt. Glen Cardin, former president of the association, has expressed his thanks to the community for their support of the association during his time as president.

"We hope for the continuation of their support under the direction of the new president," Cardin said.

## Chance heads police group



3-D GLASSES. Emmett J. Mayer Sr. and Lois Pitts were among 340,000 New Orleans-area residents who got 3-D eyeglasses that enabled them to see "Revenge of the Creature," the first commercial TV showing of a 3-D movie in the United States. A spokesman for 127 area Time Saver convenience stores, the only place where the glasses were available, said the promotion was a mixed bag because thousands of angry people couldn't get the glasses. (AP Laserphoto)

## More nuclear warheads due for missiles; MX plan changed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Air Force is adding 100 nuclear warheads to its current land-based missile force, officials say, as the effort to develop a permanent basing system for the new MX missile continues.

The increase in the number of warheads on existing intercontinental ballistic missiles, Wednesday's Air Force announcement said, "demonstrates our resolve to redress the imbalance in U.S. and Soviet nuclear capabilities."

To achieve the increase, the Air Force will replace 50 single-warhead Minuteman II missiles with an equal number of triple-warhead Minuteman IIIs.

When the replacement is completed, officials said, the Air Force will have 600 Minuteman III missiles carrying

1,800 warheads in firing positions, and 400 Minuteman IIs. The Air Force did not say where the 50 replacements will be installed, nor when, although it indicated the action will come either this year or next.

Regarding the MX situation, Air Force officials said Wednesday night that the first 40 of the giant new missiles will not go in "superhardened" silos as planned because Congress prohibited use of funds for that purpose.

Missile silos are called "hardened" if they are reinforced against nuclear blasts. "Superhardening" refers to a strengthening to the point where the structure can withstand a blast pressure of 5,000 pounds per square inch, believed about double the present strength.

The officials, who requested

anonymity, said the prohibition against "superhardening" the silos was a little-noticed provision of the 1982 defense appropriations bill approved late last year.

The Air Force has said it plans to place the first 40 of the new missiles — each of which can carry 10 nuclear warheads — on one of six bases in the West now housing Minuteman missiles in hardened silos.

This is an interim step pending a decision by the Reagan administration on a permanent basing plan for the MX.

Meanwhile Wednesday, Air Force officials said the projected number of air-launched cruise missiles planned for eventual deployment is being raised by about 600 to a total of more than 4,000.

## Shuttle demand exceeds capability

WASHINGTON (AP) — The space shuttle cargo manifest is getting so crowded the planned fleet of four orbiters eventually will need to be increased, NASA officials are telling Congress.

"The future demand for the space shuttle right now exceeds our capability," Dr. Stanley I. Weiss told a

House space subcommittee Wednesday.

During hearings on the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's proposed fiscal 1983 budget, Weiss unveiled a shuttle launch schedule of 70 flights planned through September, 1987, and reported that by 1988 the launch rate will increase to 24 a

year.

Maj. Gen. James A. Abrahamson, head of NASA's space transportation systems office, said: "Four orbiters, possibly could provide that launch rate."

But the practical way to run such a program is to have excess capacity."

## Fifth grade band splits school board

School board members are split on the question of choir and band activities in the fifth grade, but voted to continue the activities for another year until further study can be made.

Ken Fields, chairman of the long-range planning committee, suggested Tuesday the continuation of fifth grade band choir for one more year, over the protests of elementary school principals.

Fields said the principals felt the activities took too much of the student's time.

Fields said at first the committee agreed with principals that band consumed too much time but later learned the students would not gain any "instruction" time from the change.

"But we had not taken action on it or made a recommendation to the board about it," Fields said.

Lyle said he opposed the band program in the lower grade "because you are asking children at that age to get involved in a program that takes a lot of time and involves a lot of money. The family spends so much money, and the children are pressured to stay in this thing. It's almost like if we offer fifth grade football and fifth grade basketball. I think it's a form of recruitment — you're getting your hand into the ladder."

"The reason behind this recommendation is that we feel an excessive amount of time is being consumed in fund raising. The trips being made are a wonderful benefit and we want to see that they continue to make them, but we want to decrease the necessity for so much fund raising being made on annual basis," Fields said.

The board also voted to give high-school department heads the job title of department coordinator and broaden their job descriptions to include coordination of all teaching within the department. Fields said this move is designed to improve the quality, uniformity, control and standardization of instruction.

The board also approved a request, from the Gray County Tax Appraisal District to begin work on a contract for the planned operations of the appraisal office. The request includes a proposed budget, staffing, mapping system, equipment and other costs involved as well as a method of determining costs and prorating those costs to the taxing entities.

Phillips said Wednesday the school system does not plan construction of a new building for the appraisal office.

"We're looking at the Clarendon College Annex, the old cafeteria. We could increase our space there and at a very minor expense. Maybe the city could help us out with the paving for parking. That's what we're thinking about right now. I would not favor construction of a new building," Phillips said.

## War continues at Hama, Syria

DAMASCUS, Syria (AP) — Government tanks, planes and artillery are pounding the ancient city of Hama, and hundreds have been killed in eight days of fighting between President Hafez Assad's army and Sunni Moslem rebels opposed to his Alawite minority sect, Western diplomatic sources report.

The diplomats said Syria's fifth largest city, with a population of 200,000, was besieged by 6,000 to 8,000 troops, and the dead were estimated in the "high hundreds."

About 100 tanks, artillery pieces and air force planes were attacking the city continuously, the sources said.

Travelers who escaped the government blockade said Hama's Hadhir district was "razed," and other sections were destroyed. They reported wounded were left untended in the streets.

Diplomatic sources said at least 360 government troops were killed in a two-day period. Diplomats in Amman, Jordan, said hospitals in Damascus, 120 miles south of Hama, and those in Aleppo to the north and Latakia to the west were filled with casualties.

Sources said the battle for Hama represented one of the sharpest challenges yet to Assad's 12-year-old government.

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# Former McAllen officers found innocent

BROWNSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Months of anguish vanished in a burst of tears as Tom Carter heard jurors pronounce him innocent of police brutality charges.

The heavy-set, baby-faced former McAllen police investigator sobbed as U.S. Magistrate William Mallet told him and two other former officers Wednesday they were free to go.

"It's been hell for all of my family," Carter said afterward. His mother and pregnant wife broke into tears at the verdict.

After Carter, Jaime Contreras and Alfredo Saldana thanked jurors with handshakes, nods and words, the former colleagues on the late night shift huddled together like a winning team.

They had won acquittal in what many thought was the strongest of the government's police brutality cases against five former McAllen officers. Two others indicted in separate incidents have pleaded guilty.

In the misdemeanor case, Special Prosecutor Ross Connealy argued the three violated Pedro Dennett's civil rights when they slapped, kicked and punched the drunk prisoner at the police station on Oct. 23, 1978.

Evidence included a nationally aired videotape of the incident, recorded on police monitoring cameras installed over the booking desk.

Defense lawyers contended the policemen were faced with a potentially violent situation and had to

subdue the unruly and uncooperative prisoner.

"I'm convinced that this was nothing but a scuffle and if we are going to indict officers every time there's a scuffle with a drunk, we have problems," Juan Hinojosa, lawyer for Contreras, said in closing arguments.

Jurors agreed after 1½ hours of deliberations. "There was no willful intent (to violate Dennett's rights)," said one juror who asked not to be identified. "We went through the whole thing."

Mallet told jurors that prosecutors had to prove the men intentionally violated the man's rights by using excessive force.

"Whatever the jury made of that tape is what this case boiled down to," Connealy said after the acquittal. "I don't know why the jury decided like they did. It was a fair trial."

He said he did not know whether the verdict ended the Justice Department investigation of the McAllen police department, which began last spring.

"There are some unresolved questions," he said. Dennett, who testified at the three-day trial, was not present for the verdict and could not be located for comment. He has collected a \$17,000 settlement in a civil suit filed over the beating.

All three defendants had resigned the McAllen force before they were indicted Nov. 4, 1981.

After leaving McAllen, Carter became police chief in Bishop. He was forced to resign that

position when the Dennett tape and others were shown on national television.

The tapes had been used as evidence in an American Civil Liberties Union suit against the department. After viewing the tapes, a federal judge ordered changes in police training and internal review practices.

Jim Harrington, the ACLU lawyer for the suits, said he was disappointed in the verdict but felt there was little left to do.

"It's very difficult to convict officers. People don't like to believe officers are going to do something wrong," he said. "There's not much left to do. Mr. Dennett received a settlement of about \$17,000 in a civil suit against Carter, Contreras and Saldana. We've done everything we can do. It's an unfortunate situation," he added.

The defendants said they were anxious to resume normal lives.

"I'll never be a policeman again. The rewards are too cheap," said Carter, a businessman in George West. "I feel like I've been tried and convicted by the news media all over the United States without due process."

Saldana said he has been unemployed since the indictment.

"Ever since the indictment, it's been pretty terrible for me and my entire family. Now maybe I can get a job," he said.



TWO PRESIDENTS. President Reagan shares a laugh with Vivian Vahlberg after her swearing in as the first female president of the National Press Club Wednesday evening in Washington. Vahlberg is a Washington writer for the Daily Oklahoman of Oklahoma City. (AP Laserphoto)

## Republicans look at Dallas and like what they see

DALLAS (AP) — The Grand Old Party's quadrennial extravaganza that could bring 25,000 people and \$30 million to the host city will be here in 1984 if Republican Party officials keep dancing to President Reagan's tune.

Reagan, writing to Texas' Republican Gov. Bill Clements last December, said Dallas was his preference for the national convention slated to begin Aug. 20, 1984.

Assuming "financial, logistical and legal arrangements" were satisfactory, he wrote, final selection would come after the site committee had reviewed the presentations of other cities.

But on Wednesday, party Chairman Richard Richards went the president one better when, after a tour of Dallas' convention facilities, he said the committee wouldn't even visit the other bidders unless the Dallas deal falls through.

"Our purpose, frankly, is to honor the president's request and go to Dallas if we can," said Richards, who called the city's facilities "impressive" and said he was "pleased with what Dallas has done."

Richards said he saw "no problems yet" in bringing the convention to Dallas, and added that he had already written other cities that were interested in hosting the huge meeting, telling them of Reagan's preference.

"We're looking at Dallas first, and frankly, we won't visit any of them" if Dallas is satisfactory, he said, adding that from what he had seen the city could "put on the convention more expeditiously than our last few conventions."

He said the site committee will come to Dallas in "a couple of weeks" to see if the city has the facilities to house the meeting — which will bring 4,000 full and alternate delegates and about 21,000 other people to town.

Richards declined to say which cities were bidding on the convention, but he sent the letters to officials in Detroit, Kansas City and St. Louis, Mo., and Atlanta.

City officials have estimated the convention will cost about \$5.4 million dollars, but Mayor Jack Evans said it was "certainly a good business deal" because it would generate about \$30 million.

The Dallas city council has unanimously invited the GOP to meet in Dallas in 1984, and pledged that city funds will not be spent to entice the party to Dallas.

The money to host the meeting would come from private sources, Evans said, and Dallas County Republican Chairman Fred Meyer added that his group was "volunteering" its "time, effort and money" to secure the convention.

## Inmate recounts struggle with warden

GALVESTON, Texas (AP)

— An inmate on trial for the capital murder of Prison Warden Wallace Pack cried on the stand as he recounted a fierce struggle with the warden, whom he contended had a reputation for brutality with prisoners.

"I begged with him and I pleaded with him, but he kept on wanting to fight," Eroy Brown said Wednesday, recalling Ellis Unit Warden Pack's death. He then burst

into tears.

"I just laid on him, laid on him. I don't know how long I laid on him," he said.

Brown, 31, is accused of drowning Pack in a prison farm drainage ditch April 4, 1981. He also is accused of killing prison farm manager Billy Max Moore. Prosecutors have said they may also try him for Moore's death.

Brown's trial was to resume today after lawyers

for both sides questioned

several Texas Department of Corrections inmates in U.S. District Judge Henry Dalehite's chamber Wednesday.

Brown, who is serving a 10-year sentence for aggravated robbery committed in Tarrant County, testified that after a disturbance in a prison farm shed, Moore handcuffed him while Pack pointed a gun at the inmate's head and cocked

it.

"He believed in brutality. I knew that," Brown said of Moore. Moore had taken several prisoners to an area known as "the bottoms" and returned "with blood on the back of his truck that he made me clean up," Brown said.

Pack, who had been at the maximum security Ellis Unit for about two weeks when he was killed, "liked to put handcuffs on people ... he liked to torture people," Brown said. "I heard he liked to point pistols at people."

Brown said he broke away from Moore, knocked the gun from Pack's hand, grabbed it

and fired two shots. One bullet went astray and the other struck Brown in the foot, the inmate said.

Brown said both men lunged at him and that two shots were fired, both of which struck Moore. The inmate said he thought Pack had fled the scene, but that the warden had actually sneaked up behind him.

The two men struggled and rolled into a drainage ditch, Brown testified. Pack held Brown's head under water, but the inmate said he flipped him over and immersed Pack's head for about "half a minute."

## Homicide detective confused with television soap star

HOUSTON (AP) —

Homicide Detective John Donovan admits he's had some tough cases to solve, but anonymous tips from callers across the country about the deaths of Bo Baker and Alex Wheeler had him stumped.

Donovan received a long-distance call from a frantic woman who said "The body's in the trunk behind the barn at the chicken coop. Go get it."

At first Donovan says he thought the woman was referring to a lounge in the Montrose neighborhood. But when he checked the records, he could find no reports of foul play.

It finally dawned on a fellow detective that the woman had been watching the NBC television soap opera, "Texas," and that his partner actually had been mistaken for a fictitious detective by the same name.

The real Donovan says last week's call was not the first. In the past five months, Donovan says he has received a dozen calls from viewers in California, Oklahoma, Alabama and Georgia giving tips on murders that have occurred in the day-time drama.

"The first time we got the call it took us two hours to check the records to see if someone had been killed and finally a detective snapped and said, 'That's the soap opera.'"

The production is set in Houston and the storyline centers on an often bloody fight for control of an Indian puzzle cube which has mysterious powers.

New York producers reacted with surprise when told of the strange calls. "I'm amused and delighted," said Gail Kobe, executive producer of the hour-long show. "It means

people are watching."

Ms. Kobe also says she thinks it's a little strange because the fictitious Donovan, played by Geoffrey Pierson, hasn't appeared on the show in five months.

But that hasn't stopped viewers calling to tip the real detective that "The guy that suffocated someone is now in Georgia," or "The killers are behind a barn outside of the ranch."

Meredith Brown, a writer for the New York-based Soap Opera Digest, said the tips apparently referred to the TV deaths a month ago of character Bo Baker, played by Robert Burton, whose body was dumped in a rural area side Houston, or Alex Wheeler, played by Bert Kramer, who was suffocated.

In any case, the real Donovan says, he doesn't know what the callers are talking about because he's never seen "Texas."

## Large budget deficit unacceptable to Bentsen

WASHINGTON (AP) — A projected \$91.5 billion national deficit is "just absolutely unacceptable," and next year's scheduled tax cut probably should be scuttled or delayed to trim the deficit down to size, Sen. Lloyd Bentsen says.

Delaying the 10 percent tax cut, scheduled to go into effect on July 1, 1983, would go a long way toward improving the deficit, said Bentsen, who previously had feared toward keeping the president's three-year, 25 percent tax cut intact.

"I do not agree we should repeal the 1982 tax cut, because we're in a recession right now ... and one of the best ways to come out of a recession is with that kind of stimulus," Bentsen said Wednesday.

The Texas Democrat, during a monthly news conference with Texas reporters, also recommended a ban on the sale of tax credits from one corporation to another.

"You shouldn't get in a situation where the major corporations pay no tax in this country," said Bentsen, noting his amendment to that effect was defeated last year.

"At that time, people didn't recognize its significance," he said.

"We're going to have to do some things in addition to what's been proposed so far," said Bentsen. He labeled as "insufficient" the budget offered last weekend by President Reagan.

Things need to be addressed. When he talks about us coming up with additional proposals, I think that we ought to do that," Bentsen said.

"And I don't think it's a question of a Democratic economy or a Republican economy. It's an American economy and we ought to be working on a bipartisan level to try to bring this deficit down."

A combination of delaying the 1983 tax cut and doing away with the sale of tax credits by corporations should provide "some major changes in numbers" in the deficit, Bentsen said, "and I hope would instill confidence in the financial community where those rates would come down and people could afford to buy homes again."

Bentsen added, "If we're going to get interest rates down, we're going to have to get that deficit down. We're going to have to do some things in addition to what's been proposed thus far."

Asked to elaborate on areas of the budget he considers unfair, Bentsen said he disagrees with further cuts in school lunches at a time when corporations are selling tax credits to each other.

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Cinema III advertisement for Willie Nelson and Gary Busey performing "BARBAROSA".

VENOM movie advertisement featuring a large image of the character and a \$1 price tag.

PAUL SALLY NEWMAN FIELD advertisement for "ABSENCE OF MALICE" movie.

Advertisement for "TONIGHT ONLY All Seats \$1 Showtime 7:30".

SOGGY BOTTOM USA advertisement featuring a cartoon illustration and a \$1 price tag.

COUPON advertisement for \$1 admission to a show.

## Bush challenge accepted, 'voodoo economics' found

HOUSTON (AP) — A network news program Wednesday took up the gauntlet Vice President George Bush threw down in a speech here, finding a film clip in which Bush referred to President Reagan's financial plans as "voodoo economics."

NBC Nightly News showed the April 10, 1980, clip after Bush denied ever making the remark in a news conference here Tuesday.

"I didn't say it ... I didn't find that out until recently," The Houston Post quoted Bush as saying. Bush also said none of the television networks had the phrase on tape and challenged anyone to find it.

"Challenge accepted," NBC's Ken Bode said Wednesday in introducing the tape of a campaign speech at Pittsburgh's Carnegie Mellon University.

Advertisement for TOM GIBSON illustration & design, listing various services like logo design and brochure creation.

Pizza Inn advertisement for the "Sicilian Topper" pizza, featuring a large image of the pizza and promotional text.



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This newspaper is dedicated to furnishing information to our readers so that they can better promote and preserve their own freedom and encourage others to see its blessing. For only when man understands freedom and is free to control himself and all he possesses can he develop to his utmost capabilities.

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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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## Reagan message: more local control?

Sen. Howard Baker had a preview of President Reagan's state-of-the-union message and said it was going to be a "humdinger." The word was out that the president would lay before Congress a plan to give states and local governments responsibility for a variety of programs now under federal control, along with a new source of tax revenue to finance them.

What may have impressed Baker is the depth of Reagan's commitment to a "new federalism." That term is not original with the Reagan administration, but other presidents have wound up tilting at windmills in their efforts to reduce the pervasive influence of Washington over the affairs of the states and cities. It is Reagan's intention to point the federal system in a direction that is really new.

For all the agony that went into the budget cuts engineered by the administration last year, the surgery was being performed only at the extremities of the mammoth federal establishment. As Reagan pointed out at his news conference a week ago, these were cuts in budgets, not in spending. More is being spent on the various federal programs this year than last. All Congress and the administration did was limit the growth in spending, usually by changing the terms of eligibility for a program to remove beneficiaries who would suffer least by losing a federal grant.

The 1981 exercise in budget-cutting, then, did little to change the formidable size and shape of federal programs or to make the Washington bureaucracy any less of a factor in the affairs of the states and local communities. Such trimming around the edges is not a "new" federalism, but an austerity forced upon the old by economic circumstances.

We must let Reagan speak for

himself, but the inevitable leaks suggest that his budgets for 1983 and 1984 will be built on fundamental changes in the relationship between Washington and the states. Expanded concepts of block grants and revenue sharing would funnel billions of federal tax dollars to state and local governments, while the federal government sheds itself of responsibility for many programs in the fields of welfare, education, a transportation now administered from Washington.

The net result will be a return to states, counties, and cities of the decision-making power, a choice of priorities in what they want to achieve and a choice of how they will pursue their goals. Inasmuch as there also would be a net reduction in the amount of money available, it would be up to state and local governments to administer programs more efficiently and to develop concepts of need that match the resources at hand.

Reagan did not win the presidency on simple promises to cut federal spending. He built his conservative following on a challenge of the arrogance of federal power, on public discontent with how a distant government was subverting the state and local political institutions that once determined the course of affairs in their communities. It is the fulfillment of that promise that infuses the Reagan concept of a "new federalism."

The president fought for his tax and budget cuts last year in the name of economic policy, attempting to create conditions for productive economic growth. What should emerge in 1982 is an effort by Reagan to define a federalism bringing the states out of the long shadow cast by Washington and giving Americans a firmer hold on the reins of their own government.

## Letters to the editor

Dear Editor,

May I please use your newspaper once again to send a big thank you to the people of Pampa, Lefors and White Deer for the tremendous response to the request for help when the Jim Thompson family lost their personal belongings to fire less than one month after moving to Pampa.

You make me proud to be able to say I live in Pampa. You sure know to make people welcome and cared for.

Thank you again,  
Betty Osbin  
Pampa

Dear Editor,

This letter is about a young couple living in your community that we think are very special people.

I'm not a writer but would appreciate being able to have at least part of this story printed.

On the 25th of January at about 8 p.m. my mother and I had an accident on Highway 15 between Enid and Woodward due to icy roads. The car crossed a deep ditch and rolled, knocking me unconscious. My mother was injured but crawled to the highway for help. Three cars passed by without stopping, two others stopped briefly and left. The sixth car was T.W. and Barbara Struck and their two young children.

T.W. and Barbara called for an ambulance and highway patrol then helped us to their car to wait. While we were waiting for the ambulance, they collected our luggage and everything from the wreck.

We were taken to Enid and treated in the Emergency Room. The Strucks waited there with us until 2 a.m. when the doctor released us with multiple injuries and no place to go until our family could come from Woodward.

T.W. and Barbara invited us to stay at her mother's house with them and cared for us until our family arrived.

We are deeply grateful and feel that T.W. and Barbara are very special

people. They gave far more than basic assistance when today's average person doesn't even give the basics. All they would accept in return for their kindness is that "some day we could help someone else in need," that would be their reward.

The people of Pampa are fortunate to have such a nice young family in their community.

Our thanks and appreciation to T.W. and Barbara.

Sincerely,  
Nancy J. Graham  
Colleen Taylor  
Woodward, Okla.

Dear Editor,

In the "Shop Pampa" section containing the city map which has been published several times lately in the Pampa News, I notice that East Fisher Street is not named.

I do not know how old your map is, but do know 900 and 1000 blocks are located between Twiford and Jordan Streets and has been since the 'thirties' with approximately 36 residences, all occupied.

It was then, and still is a good neighborhood. My three children, Bob, Bill and Terry were born while I lived on East Fisher, (1015), during the 1940s. I feel those good people who now reside there would like to be "on the map."

Thank you,  
A Subscriber  
Mrs. G. B. Hogan  
Pampa

(Editor's Note: We have referred this letter to our advertising department, who tell us they used the only black and white map they could find for this shopper cover. The Chamber of Commerce's color map, while up to date and accurate, is unsuitable because the colors on the map when shot for reproduction will turn grey, covering street names. The advertising staff assures me that when all covers already printed are used up, they will get East Fisher on the map.)

By ROBERT LEFEVRE

One of the principal benefits which has emerged as a result of the libertarian philosophy is a new blending of political theory.

Using the pre-libertarian terminology it was customary to find conservatives speaking up in favor of private property, individual management of business and enterprise, and in general seeking less rather than more taxation. However, conservatives constantly rattled the sabre, favored billions of dollars in military expenditures, often carried a chip on their collective shoulders and were ready to shoot anything red from roses to revolutionaries.

To be a conservative meant a basic contradiction. While favoring fewer taxes and fewer regulations, one had also to favor larger and larger military buildups and a scale of priorities which placed war or the threat of war at the apex of practical solutions to problems.

On the other hand, the liberal took a position almost squarely in opposition. (Perhaps I should note here that the term "liberal" originally meant a person who believed in liberty. I am using the term in its corrupted sense as it emerged in American politics.) The liberal distrusted anyone and everyone with money (excepting himself, of course), and constantly called for laws which were aimed at transferring wealth from those who had it into the hands of those who didn't. The most practical method for achieving this shift was to cause the government to enlarge. Thus, with the passing of time, whenever a problem emerged, the liberal political reaction was "pass a law"; "create a new agency"; "take

from those who have and give to those who have not."

But the liberal was as inconsistent as the conservative. While he groaned and intoned against the successful, the wealthy, and most particularly against "big business," thus expanding the government, the liberal did not take a stance favorable to military ascendancy. He wanted the power of the state aimed within America at the effective, the successful and the thrifty. His idol was the ne'er-do-well, the impoverished, and various minorities at home and abroad.

In the liberal camp, the ultimate solution to problems was money, preferably that of the taxpayers.

The heroes of the conservative camp were George Washington, General Patton and General Motors. The heroes of the liberal vovouac were George Meany, Eugene V. Debs and Karl Marx. Often, specific members of each establishment didn't know who was being eulogized.

A distant observer might have reasoned that this particular political mix would serve to checkmate itself. With masses of people on both sides of the fence, a stalemate would appear to be inevitable.

The difficulty was that the conservative and the liberal actually weren't on different sides of the fence. The line of demarcation cut across both political amalgams. The conservatives wanted a bigger, more powerful government with larger taxes, provided the money was spent for military and police powers. The liberal wanted a bigger, more powerful government with increased taxes, provided the money was given to those who didn't have it, at home or abroad.

Thus, pressure for enlarged government, both in terms of welfare and warfare, was not effectively checked. Both sides agreed on grand theft. The only argument related to the direction of expenditures. Looting was the fundamental point. The taxpayers were to be despoiled and exploited by the state.

The great contribution to America's future emerged when the libertarians created a consistent position. This contribution was made when libertarians glimpsed the fact that government was entirely willing to adopt any policy for spending, so long as there was plenty of money and power on hand to manage the outflow. This means that the libertarian position constantly favors liberty for the individual, whether he be rich or poor, skillful or unskilled, large or small.

Those opposed favor centralized intervention in the lives of others, either by the draft, by business regulation or by war itself.

The result of the emerging governmental tyranny was at last seen as the power and the ability to impose centralized judgment on the decisions of private persons, regardless of what the direction of the tyrant may be at the moment. Thus, the actual policies of government are and have been ambivalent. On the one hand, government power has been used to aid and abet various commercial enterprises, by uses of a tariff, actual cash outlays, government-guaranteed loans, and restrictions placed against competition. Conversely, the government has also imposed staggering restrictions, impositions, inspections and taxation upon businesses of all kinds.

Meanwhile, in international affairs,

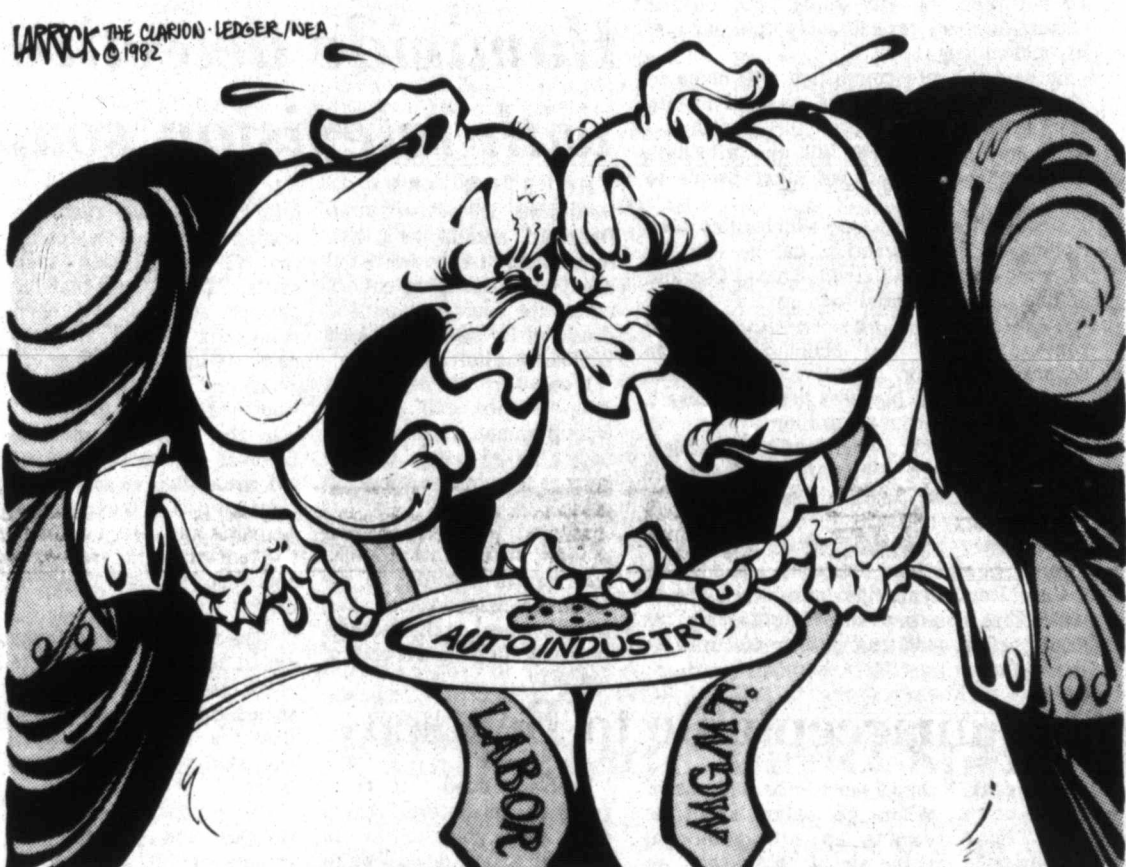
the government has loved the Russians, forced the people of Poland to live within the Russian sphere of influence (Yalta) and bailed out the tottering economic affairs of the Kremlin again and again. It has, in addition, mounted SAC bombers carrying atomic warheads, launched bomb carrying submarines and encircled Russia with a military ring of NATO "defense" partners.

The government of the United States has denounced dictatorship and sided with dictators. It has proclaimed the right of the people anywhere to whatever kind of folly they wish in the form of government, but has clandestinely (more or less) aided/in toppling various regimes, a procedure it decries when others do it. At the same time, it claims that it favors human rights as the term may be interpreted at the moment and seeks to cause others to accept that view or suffer the consequences in economic or military intervention.

When force (reliance on military usage or threat) or bribery (the giving of economic favors in exchange for votes or expressions of trust and love) are used, people who are well informed discover in time not to place trust in such an agency.

The entire world is now suffering from an illness that could prove fatal. It could be called *politicus maximus*. Neither conservative nor liberal lip service can bring a cure. What is desperately sought is an intellectual awakening slowly dawning, that for any policy to be worthy of the name it must first be a consistent policy. We should either admit to tyranny or we should renounce it and reassert the fundamental point: Each individual must first be free.

(Robert LeFevre is a Libertarian columnist who lives in Orange, Calif.)



ARGUING OVER THE LAST COOKIE



By PAUL HARVEY

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The administration, sending more military hardware to El Salvador and asking Congress to triple military assistance, is repeating a familiar argument:

"If El Salvador falls to communism, all Central America may fall..."

You've heard that domino theory before.

But Vietnam fell without "tumbling the dominoes all the way to the Philippines."

Indeed, Soviet Communism is having quite enough trouble seeking dominion right next door in Poland and Afghanistan.

Moscow is debilitated, not strengthened, by such involvements.

As we can be.

President Reagan is sending \$55 million to try to rescue the military government of El Salvador. The President has special authority to do so when he believes "United States national security is threatened."

I don't know how we get suckered by the same salt again and again.

Any pipsqueak principality can get anything it wants from us just by hollering, "Help — send money — or we'll go communist!"

If Latin America is so menaced by communism, why don't El Salvador's neighbor nations send help? The question answers itself: There is little difference anymore between one kind of military dictatorship and another kind of military dictatorship — so little that frequently Uncle Sam ends up helping the wrong side!

### BARBS

Phil Pastoret

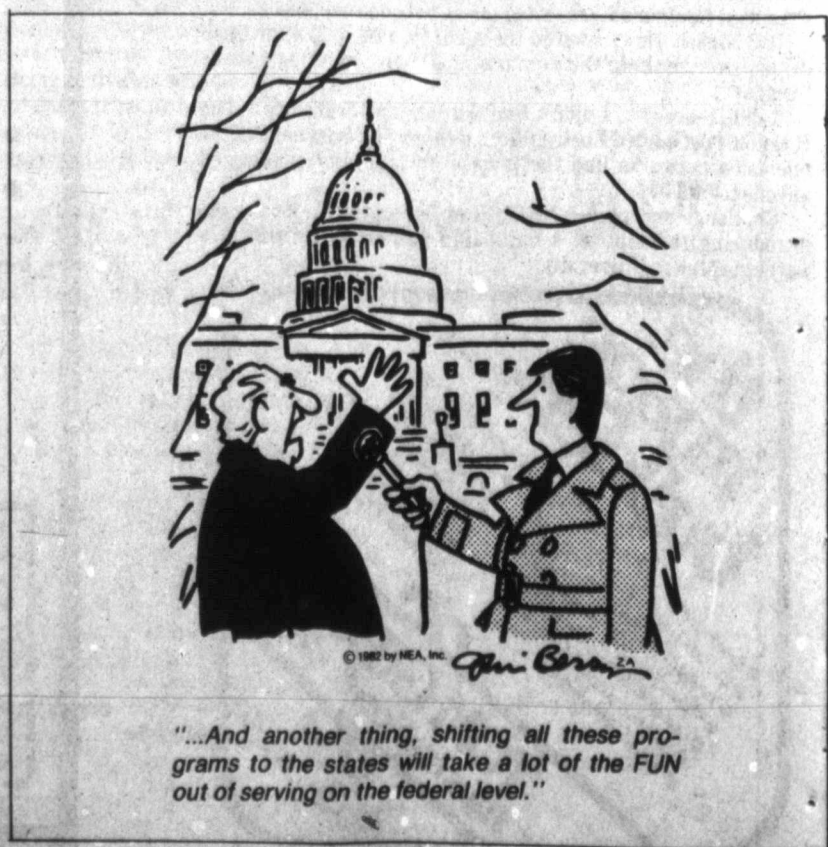
No, Gwendolyn, if you open an IRA account you won't be bankrolling one side in the ongoing strife in Ireland.

Of course money won't buy friendship, but it will help a great deal to raise the tolerance of others toward you.



How come they never find the leaky rivets until the new year is launched?

## Berry's World



"...And another thing, shifting all these programs to the states will take a lot of the FUN out of serving on the federal level."

### The World Almanac



- Which of the following are reputed to be the oldest living trees in the world? (a) Pacific bayberry (b) bristlecone pine (c) common hackberry
- Which of these is not one of the 15 languages of the Constitution of India? (a) Tamil (b) Urdu (c) Bee Gee
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## Senate interest grows in alternate budget

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan remains opposed to an alternative to his 1983 spending plan proposed by one of the Senate's leading Democratic budget experts, despite GOP senators' interest in the idea, a White House spokesman says.

Stevens said on Wednesday that the proposal by Sen. Ernest Hollings, D-S.C., "merits a lot of consideration."

Senate Democratic leader Robert Byrd of West Virginia, meanwhile, said Hollings' ideas "will be looked at with all other proposals." And he called on Reagan to take the

"courageous step" of withdrawing his budget and submitting a new one.

Hollings, ranking Democrat on the Senate Budget Committee, said his alternative could cut Reagan's projected deficit of \$91.5 billion for 1983 to \$42 billion, and produce a surplus in 1985.

But word from the White House was that Reagan is flatly opposed to Hollings' proposal.

Reagan's proposed budget calls for a \$33 billion increase in defense spending, \$27 billion in additional cuts in domestic programs and no major tax increases.

In other congressional business Wednesday: —Federal Reserve Chairman Paul Volcker told the House Banking Committee the Fed won't try to "buy the economy out of recession" by releasing a

flood of new money to finance a recovery. Such a recovery, he said, would be short-lived, choked off by new surges in inflation and interest rates.

—The Senate unanimously gave final approval to the president's request for \$2.3 billion in jobless pay and services to combat the recession's effects. The bill was sent to the White House for Reagan's signature.

—Both houses approved and sent to the president a bill adding \$123 million to the more than \$1.75 billion.

## White House aide resigns

WASHINGTON (AP) — Joseph Canzeri, the White House's Mr. Fixit, says he quit his job rather than risk embarrassing President Reagan with questions about submitting double bills for two trips and accepting low-interest loans to buy a house.

Reagan accepted Canzeri's surprise resignation Wednesday night with "deepest personal regret," and said he and Mrs. Reagan hoped Canzeri would "honor us with your presence in our house many times in the years ahead."

matters had been referred to the Justice Department for review, out of "an abundance of caution."

Canzeri, a long-time aide to the late Vice President Nelson A. Rockefeller, was known in the White House for his quick humor and ability to get things done. As a \$60,000-a-year assistant to the president, Canzeri had an office only steps from the Oval Office, but kept well out of the public eye.

To insiders, he was the man everyone counted on to take care of details for White House ceremonies and presidential travel — the man who kept the planes running on time.

In an unusually warm letter accepting Canzeri's resignation, Reagan said, "From early morning until late in the evening, both on the road and here in the White House, there was one man I could always call upon for help and know that within minutes I would hear that familiar answer: 'Done.'"

Reagan said Canzeri had "served not just me but our nation with distinction, honor and a personal energy that knows few parallels."

Details of Canzeri's loan arrangement were published in the New York Times on Wednesday.

Canzeri told associates he did not want to become "another Allen." That was a reference to former national security adviser Richard V. Allen, who unsuccessfully fought to keep his job and was forced to resign after weeks of controversy over his acceptance of gifts and money from Japanese journalists and an associate.

Canzeri acknowledged the Times' report that he borrowed \$200,000 from Laurence Rockefeller at an interest rate of 9 percent, under terms that do not require him to make any payments now.

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## New money available for loans to farmers

WASHINGTON (AP) — New money for farm ownership and operation loans in Texas and other states has been opened up by an Agriculture Department decision to tap a \$600 million emergency loan program, The Associated Press has learned.

The decision by Agriculture Secretary John Block greatly reduces the fear of thousands of farmers that the Farmers Home Administration would foreclose on them because they had fallen behind on existing loans.

The money also will be available for new loans to farmers unable to borrow from conventional private sources.

Under Secretary Frank Naylor and FmHA administrator Charles Shuman came under repeated assault in the past week from congressmen on an agriculture subcommittee who couldn't fathom why funds from the emergency program hadn't been made available.

Naylor told of Block's decision during a meeting Wednesday morning with Reps. Charlie Stenholm, Kent Hance and Jack Hightower — Democrats who represent farming districts in western Texas.

Aides to Sen. John Tower, R-Texas, and Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, also attended the meeting in Naylor's office.

A third straight year of low commodity prices left farmers across the nation unable to make payments on FmHA loans, which was set up as a lender of last resort.

"If there ever was an emergency, this is it," Bentsen said Wednesday morning.

"I don't think it's fully understood how serious the problem is with the farmers. They're in the worst shape they've been in since the great depression. The rest of the country is having a recession; they're having a real depression," said Bentsen.

Naylor said Block has asked him and Shuman to brief him on how the funds should be released.

"The regulations probably will be on the secretary's desk by the middle of next week as to who will be eligible to receive the funds, and the details probably will be released within two weeks," the AP was told.

One of the participants said Block wants to make sure none of the loans go "to any millionaire farmers." The Reagan administration has been criticized frequently for favoring the rich at the expense of the poor.

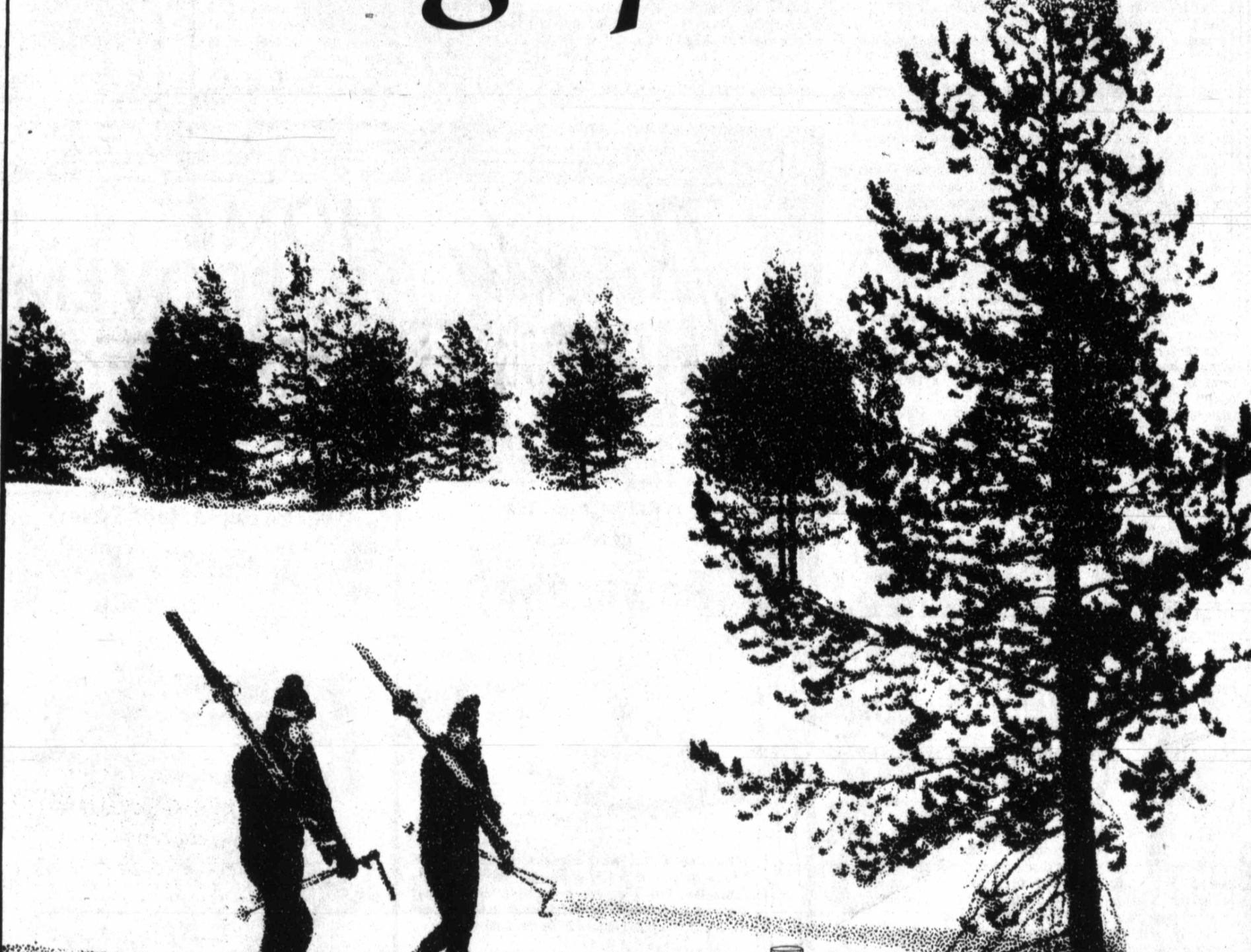
Block has also decided to rescind termination notices sent in late January to emergency personnel who were helping process applications by farmers trying to renew their FmHA loans.

Naylor said the department believes it can keep most of the personnel until all applications have been processed.

The emergency employees, including 69 in Texas, were to have been laid off at the end of February.

Of 16,000 farmers in Texas who have obtained farm ownership and operating loans, the FmHA had declared about 5,500 delinquent and had written 1,250 that they would no longer be financed. Similar figures apply in other states, Bentsen said.

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**FORMALLY CHARGED.** Uniformed Salvadoran national guardsmen stand watch over four of the six guardsmen formally charged Wednesday in a San Salvador court with the Dec. 1, 1980, murders of three

American nuns and a female American missionary in El Salvador. Luis Antonio Colindres Aleman, wearing hat, is the only defendant identified. (AP Laserphoto)

## Judge examines murder evidence

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador (AP) — A civilian judge has until this weekend to decide whether six members of El Salvador's national guard will be brought to trial for the murder of four American women missionaries in 1980.

The U.S.-supported junta submitted a 57-page indictment Wednesday to Judge Bernardo Rauda Murcia charging the six soldiers with murder. The judge read it and took statements from each of the six in private.

Legal experts said if he decides there is sufficient evidence to warrant a trial, the case will go to another court, and the judicial process could take up to a year. If convicted of premeditated murder, the guardsmen could be condemned to death or imprisoned for 30 years.

The six accused men are Sgt. Luis Antonio Colindres Aleman, who President Jose Napoleon Duarte said shot the four women; Cpl. Jose Roberto Moreno Canjura, and Pvt. Carlos Joaquin Contreras Palacios, Daniel Canales Ramirez, Francisco Orlando Contreras and Salvador Rivera Franco.

Military sources reported earlier that one of the six had confessed, but they did not know which one.

They are accused of killing three Roman Catholic nuns — Maryknoll Sisters Ita Ford, 40, and Maura Clarke, 46, of New York, and Ursuline Sister Dorothy Kazel, 40, of Cleveland — Jean Donovan, 27, also of Cleveland.

Duarte in a televised speech Wednesday night said Colindres Aleman ordered the women stopped after they drove away from El Salvador's international airport on Dec. 2, 1980, because two guards at the airport suspected they were carrying arms in their Toyota van.

He gave the following account: The sergeant and one of his men searched the van, then escorted the women past Rosario de la Paz to an "unpopulated place" on a side road where Colindres Aleman "ordered his comrades to sexually abuse some of the women...and shot them with the rifle of another guardsman" after his own gun malfunctioned, the president said.

The women's bodies were found the next day, buried in a common grave beside a highway 24 miles from San Salvador. Duarte said Colindres Aleman and his men took their van

## Cardinal retiring amidst probe

CHICAGO (AP) — Cardinal John Cody, whose stewardship of the nation's largest Roman Catholic diocese is being investigated by a federal grand jury, is expected to retire 10 months from now, a local church official says.

Cardinals usually retire at age 75 and Cody celebrates that birthday Christmas Eve. It is expected that he will not spurn the custom, spokesman Peter Foote said Wednesday. Cody long has suffered diabetes and he has an irregular heartbeat, for which he recently was hospitalized.

The apparent retirement plans became public Tuesday when Monsignor Francis Bracken told a meeting of the Diocesan Presbyterial Senate on Tuesday that Cody "expects to retire on Dec. 24, 1982."

Cody's successor would be chosen by the pope.

In September 1981, it was disclosed that the grand jury was looking into Cody's alleged diversion of \$1 million in tax-exempt church money to benefit his stepcousin and longtime personal friend, Helen Dolan Wilson.

Cody has declined to answer specific allegations but has denied wrongdoing.

## Severe weather lowers sales

By The Associated Press

Severe weather in much of the nation contributed to a 1.1 percent drop last month in retail sales, the government said in a new economic report.

The decline was the fourth in the past seven months. Adding more evidence of the recession's strength were layoff announcements Wednesday by two major companies.

The Commerce Department said a 4.6 percent drop in car sales led the overall decline in retail sales. The department also changed its earlier estimate of a 0.4 percent increase in December retail sales to a drop of 0.2 percent.

Malcolm Baldrige, the department's secretary, said he expected sales to pick up this spring as the weather improves. Bigger gains will be made when the 10 percent cut in personal income taxes takes effect July 1, he added.

President Reagan, meanwhile, predicted his tax-cut policies will produce a "vigorous" recovery later this year although unemployment will remain high.

Also Wednesday, the Senate gave final congressional approval to an additional \$2.3 billion in jobless pay and services to deal with the unemployment problem.

While saying the unemployment rate will remain at an average of 8.9 percent throughout this year, Reagan refused to retreat from his economic policies.

"I am convinced that our policies, now that they are in place, are the appropriate response to our current difficulties," Reagan said in a

statement accompanying his economic report to Congress. The report is required each winter.

Reagan's new budget plan projects budget deficits averaging \$91 billion a year from 1982 through 1984. That has drawn a steady stream of

criticism from Democrats and some Republicans in Congress.

In apparent response to Reagan's challenge to his critics to "put up or shut up," Sen. Ernest Hollings, D.-S.C., called for a one-year freeze on defense spending at

current levels, elimination of one year's cost-of-living increases for Social Security

and government pension recipients and major reductions in the three-year tax-cut plan that took effect last October.

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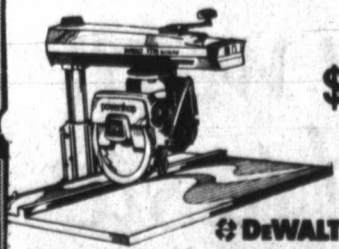
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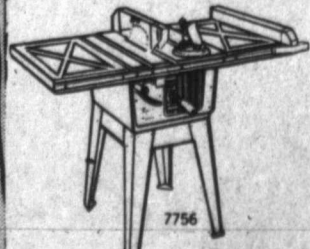


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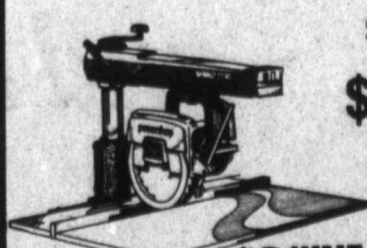
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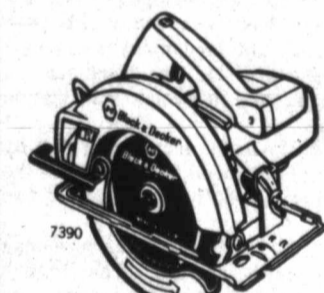


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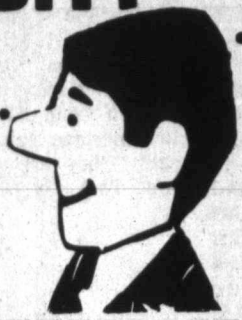
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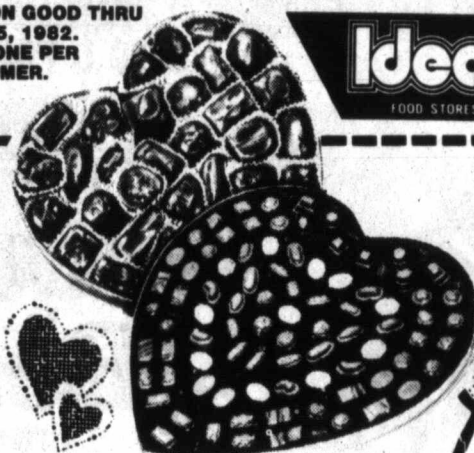
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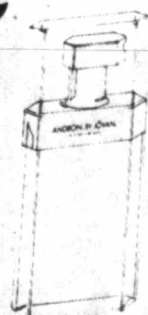


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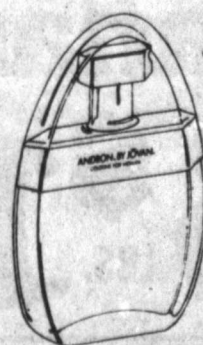


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# Thought of freedom helps refugees survive

By SALLY CARPENTER  
Associated Press Writer

DALLAS (AP) — Loan Le, a young widow, lost all her valuables to thieves when she fled Vietnam with her three children in 1980. But she survived the long journey by anticipating the freedom and opportunity she knew awaited her in the United States.

Freedom she found immediately. It was a year and a half before she found a job.

Ms. Le says learning English was the major barrier between her and employment. She had to depend on friends and refugee aid programs for survival until last October, when she began working as a secretary at Catholic Charities of Dallas.

Still she longs for a car, for an apartment with a dishwasher.

"I am so poor now," she said, "but I don't feel so bad about it because we throw away everything — but now we have freedom."

Ms. Le and the other Southeast Asians who overcome physical dangers to flee their battle-scarred homelands discover they still must struggle to survive in the United States.

"They're so unfamiliar with our culture and our ways," said Don Cassidy, administrator for migration and refugee services for Catholic Charities. "For example, just taking care of a house ... often becomes a very difficult challenge, especially for a man. And the children tend to tear things up a little more. They're used to living in an environment where it's kind of dirty, and everything's made out of bamboo."

An estimated 560,333 refugees from Vietnam, Laos, Cambodia and Thailand have settled in the United States since 1975, according to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

They represent about a third of the number that fled Southeast Asia. Although many more petition for refugee status in the United States each month, 14,000 are accepted.

Those most likely to be taken are refugees who worked for the U.S. government or those who have family here, Cassidy said. Those without family ties must be sponsored, usually by U.S. church organizations.

About 10 percent of the Indochinese — 50,546 — have settled in Texas, which is second only to California in number of refugee residents.

"Many have moved to Texas (after being settled elsewhere) apparently because of the favorable climate," said Linda Gordon of the Department of Health and Human Services in Washington. The government estimates at least 1,000 Indochinese have come to Texas through such secondary migration.

Sponsors provide the bridge that allows refugees to overcome the cultural difficulties that permeate even the smallest details of American life.

Priority objectives are obtaining lodging and necessities, finding jobs, registering for school, meeting health needs and learning to use appliances.

"Sometimes, it's just a matter of teaching a refugee how to use the bus system, or how to shop at a grocery store or use a Laundromat or even as simple as using a toilet or running the water in your home," said attorney Ralph Jones, a member of the Episcopal Church of the Incarnation's committee to oversee the resettling of a Cambodian family of six.

Jones said several parish members "volunteered just out of the blue" to show the refugees other aspects of American life by taking them to the library, the zoo and movies.

"We've had people take them to their homes and actually bring out the labels of everything they put into a product to show them what it consists of so that someday, if they want to, they can make it themselves," he said.

Faced with a shortage of teachers who speak the languages of Southeast Asia, some local officials have created English immersion programs such as the one sponsored by the Dallas Independent School District.

Dr. Dam Trung Phap, the program's director and the former dean of linguistics at Saigon University, said about

260 Indochinese children had joined the program by the beginning of the spring semester, with more enrolling all the time.

"Each day they receive 300 minutes of intensive English," said Phap, who fled Vietnam after the Communist takeover in 1975. "When they are proficient orally, we will start teaching them reading and writing. Then we can start teaching them content areas, such as social studies and science."

When Asian children come to American schools, Phap said, "they are shocked at first. They say, 'This isn't a

school; this is a playground.' In the Far East, they are afraid of their teachers."

Several local school districts provide similar English classes in the evenings for refugee parents.

Once a refugee can communicate, he can obtain a better-paying job and begin to rise above what Jones termed the "killer" problem of economics.

His church's family has "not had to buy clothes because we've had so many donated ... but I would say without the donations they could not hack it," Jones said. But he added he's seen the

mother "put a dollar in the collection plate at church when it passed by. That undoes me; it really does. That dollar to her means a hell of a lot of money."

The adjustment process is complicated by prejudice — from other refugees as well as Americans.

For centuries, the Vietnamese and Cambodians have been antagonistic and the hostility has flared with Vietnam's takeover of Cambodia.

"You go to an English class and all the Vietnamese sit together and all the Cambodians sit together and

the Thais and Laotians may be between them all," Jones said.

Phap, however, said while that may be true of parents' classes, his young students have displayed less antagonism.

On the Texas coast, resentment between American and Vietnamese fishermen boiled over into violence that was quieted only by a federal court order.

The refugees filed suit after Viet boats were set afire, cross burnings were reported and the Ku Klux Klan supported the Americans by

marching in several rallies.

The refugees finally acquiesced, vowing to sell their boats and leave crowded Galveston Bay, where the Americans claimed the Viets were ignoring rules regarding boat and catch size.

Cassidy said that while ethnic hostilities are "a problem in general," he was more concerned about depression.

"You left your home, you might have been tortured, your family might have been murdered. It seems the area of largest depression appears to be in young men between

the ages of 18 and 30 ... A lot of single men come over, they left everybody behind ... They don't have a girlfriend, they don't have a best friend, no one really that they can depend on."

But the depression often disappears as the refugees begin to adjust to America.

"I think they've learned fast," Cassidy said. "They're open, receptive; their lifestyle has really changed quite a bit."

And as Phap pointed out, the young are the first to "be Americanized."

Two Vietnamese youngsters — one in Austin

and one in the Dallas suburb of Highland Park — last spring graduated as valedictorians of their high school classes.

Cassidy told of one Vietnamese boy, now a Dallasite, who confounded his parents by refusing to eat rice.

"There's millions of Cambodians trying to get here, but only a handful get here," he said. "So we're not talking about the lazy, the person with no creativity. We're talking about a person who ... uses all his energy, all his resources, risks his life often."

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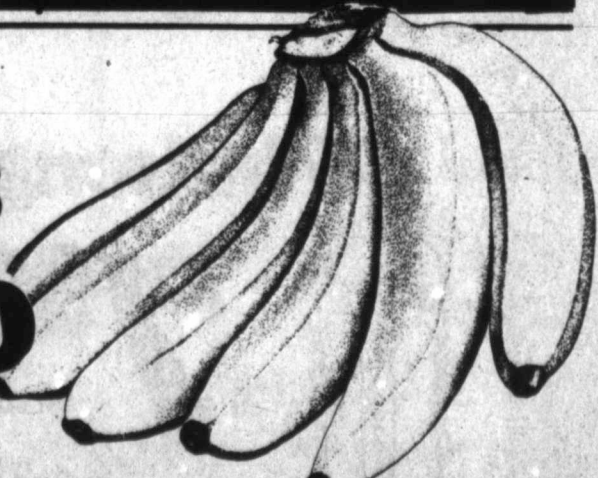
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# Pesticide hotline operates from a storefront

By SUSAN STOLER  
Associated Press Writer  
SAN BENITO, Texas (AP)

From inside his storefront office, Tony Mollhagen counsels anxious pregnant women, the homeless, the ill and backyard gardeners.

They call him from across the country. Many say they are desperate.

Each has a problem with or question about pesticides. The cases range from how to get rid of body lice to acute poisoning.

Mollhagen mans hotline phones for the National Pesticide Information Clearinghouse, a project in its

fifth year of dispensing advice to the general public, government agencies, physicians and industry.

"The bizarre part of this is that people will call up and tell you the most intimate parts of their lives," said Mollhagen, who holds a doctorate in biology.

"Every call I treat as seriously as I can. No matter how flakey they are, it's a serious problem for that person," he added.

Last year, the project handled 3,000 inquiries compared to the 125 calls received during its first year in 1978.

The hotline began as an attempt by the Environmental Protection Agency to document incidents of pesticide accidents. Incoming toll free lines first handled only calls from Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, New Mexico and Oklahoma — which form the EPA's Region 6.

However, word spread to other states and soon calls came in from across the country.

The telephone service is housed with a pesticide assessment laboratory operated by the Texas Tech University School of

Medicine. Mollhagen has other duties within the school's community health project, such as conducting field studies.

Budget cutbacks reduced the staff last year from 11 to seven employees. The EPA funds the lab with \$350,000 annually.

The laboratory is located 700 miles away from its home campus in Lubbock, in the middle of one of the country's most intensive agricultural areas.

An estimated 1,500 pesticides are used within the four-county region known as the Lower Rio Grande Valley,

a semi-tropical region bordering Mexico with a year-round growing season.

Despite their relatively remote location, Mollhagen and lab director Vaughn Cox feel they have a better picture of potential pesticide hazards than anyone else.

"By talking to people all over the country, we are a pretty good monitor of what's happening," Mollhagen said.

Cox said pesticide companies, especially manufacturers of home use products, use hotline-generated data to improve safety of spray cans and dispensers.

Johnson Wax, makers of Raid, has requested information on accidents involving its product, Cox said.

Mollhagen's files resemble a list of plagues and hazards — California medfly, gypsy moths, Oklahoma grasshoppers and DDT levels at abandoned waste site.

Calls poured in from California last year when state officials began spraying Malathion over populated areas to eradicate the devastating Mediterranean fruit fly.

"They would call literally in hysterics. Pregnant women saying, 'My baby may be malformed. Is there a part of the country I can move to?'" Mollhagen said.

"We would tell them that we can't guarantee that your child will be free from defects," Cox said. "But that experience indicates Malathion isn't likely to do damage. It's been used extensively in the Southeast for mosquito control for 30 years with no known longterm effects."

A woman desperate to get rid of body lice called

Mollhagen repeatedly, at first several times a day, for advice and a friendly listener.

"I suppose one-third to one-half of our cases I can't answer off the top of my head," Mollhagen said. Those inquiries usually are forwarded to physicians or other agencies.

Backyard gardeners frequently call, with questions like, "I just sprayed something on my tomatoes and then I read the label that says don't use it on tomatoes. Can I still eat them?"

Acute overexposure to pesticides can have crippling effects.

"It gets depressing sometimes. People develop hypersensitivity to all chemicals and it makes them semi-invalids," Mollhagen said.

Overexposure could result from household products, like aerosol bombs.

"I had a call from a lady, whose husband used six of those foggers in a 1,000 square-foot house, where he should have used one or two," Cox said. "She started getting a burning sensation on her skin. We told her to see her physician."

The general public has always been exposed to pesticides but is more aware of the potential hazards, Cox and Mollhagen agreed.

"There's a lot of hysteria that goes along with these chemicals, on both sides," Mollhagen said.

Agricultural interests are fearful that useful products will be taken off the market while activist environmental groups want restrictions on pesticide use.

## Businessman talks turkey

DALLAS, Texas (AP) — Ben Rogers Lee talks turkey. In fact, he talks the language of the gobblers so well people seek him out to learn his secrets.

But Lee says it's no secret. It's all in having the right equipment combined with a certain element of style.

The 37-year-old Alabamian will outfit any enterprising hunter with the right equipment — a variety of custom-made turkey callers — but it's up to the hunter to develop style.

Lee, a self-proclaimed redneck from Coffeeville, Ala., has built a business out of his talent for fooling turkeys. He quit a job as a custodian at a chemical plant seven years ago to hit the streets with his wares.

At a recent gun show in Dallas, Lee told of how he got started in his own business and demonstrated his unusual talent for turkey talk.

"I always worked the night shift so I had days to go hunting a build my calls: I used to give them away. My wife and I made them on our kitchen table."

"But it just got to where, with all the word-of-mouth advertising, I was getting so many letters and calls from people wanting them, I just had to start charging and go into it full time," he explains.

Lee has won many big turkey-calling contests and serves as judge for some of them. He's a performer that promoters use as a drawing card for gun shows and other events.

"I think that anything you do, you want to put the entertainment in it," he says.

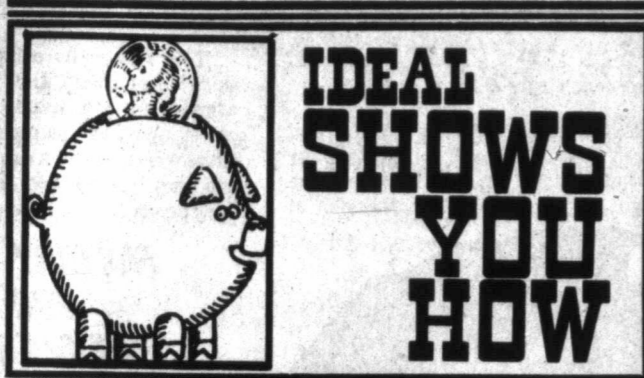
Hunters flock to seminars and demonstrations to hear Lee putt, gobble, keek and click his way through the entire turkey vocabulary.

He tells his audiences, "A man that's going to turkey hunt needs two things. He needs a real good wife, or he's going to lose her, and he needs one heck of a good job or a good foreman, because it's a disease. Once you start turkey hunting, you're going to do it until you die."

Lee suggests to the would-be turkey hunter the fallacy of believing that the big birds would be easier game to snare than, say, a dove or quail.

"There's no way I can put in words how good a turkey's eyes is," he says. "A turkey's eyes is set on the side of his head in such an angle he can walk up behind a oak tree two foot thick and he can see on both sides of it. I don't know how ... his eyes is set to where he can see just as good backwards as he can forwards," Lee says.

And there's more to turkey calling than meets the eye — or ear, according to the expert.



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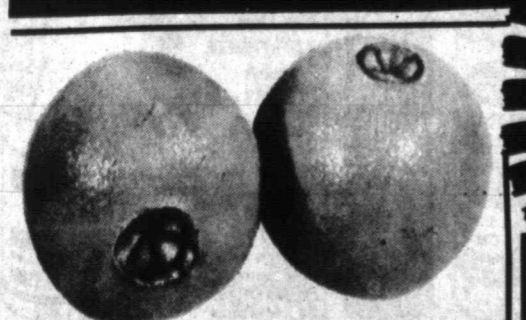
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# Strikes n' Spares

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The Holy Rollers of the Thursday Night Early Mixed League have opened a wide gulf between them and the opposition.

The Rollers have won 13 of 14 games to give them a six-game lead over second place Downtown Motors in the six-team league at Harvester Lanes. Team members and their averages are Delbert Morrison 125, Joy Morrison 106, Rick Allen 114 and Brenda Keeran 94.

Gordon Taylor of Chase has a 176 for the league's top average. Ron Jones has high series (642) and Bud Murdock has high game (248).

For the women, Alice Murdock has been the dominant bowler with high average (158), high series (621) and high game (256).

The 22nd annual Top O' Texas Tournament is going on each weekend of this month at Harvester Lanes.

It's still not too late to enter. Entry deadline is 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 28.

Entry fee per event (team, doubles, singles and all-events) is eleven dollars.

Betty Morrison has a pair of size six bowling shoes for sale. She can be contacted at Malone Pharmacy.

Andy Varipapa, the legendary trick shot artist, has bowled only one 300 game in his lengthy career.

George Pappas of Charlotte, North Carolina is the average leader (210.15) over the past 10 years of the ABC Tournament's Masters Division.

Pappas, a 34-year-old righthander, rolled five 1900 plus totals in the first eight years and has made the Masters finals in both of the last two years. His low score came in Dayton in 1975 with a 1733, followed by a 1786 total in St. Louis in 1978.

Jim Lindquist of Minneapolis is second at 208.67 and Gordy Baer of Chicago is third at 208.17.

Three Texans are among the top 27 of the 10-year average leaders. Bill Lillard of Houston is No. 6 (204.33). Wayne Broadwell, also of Houston, is No. 14 (201.89). Jimmy Doolen of Wichita Falls is No. 22 (200.82).

Tenpin Tips: Hall of Famer Dick Weber says there is more to getting "lift" on the ball than throwing the arm in the air immediately after the release.

"A lot of bowlers have an exaggerated swooping motion with their arm as the ball goes and they think that's it," Weber says. "But often they are pulling back as they throw. They'll be standing upright or even leaning backward, with their arm pointing to the ceiling."

Lifting is not just an "up" motion, according to Weber.

"It is not just a matter of lifting out and up," he said. "Your hand must stay with the ball as you reach toward your target. Then, as the ball goes off the fingertips, your hand should be coming up."

"Keeping the fingers firm is another factor. I've seen some pretty good bowlers fail to do this. Their form is good and they do everything right until the last instant, when they let their fingers go limp."

## Miami teams victorious

HIGGINS—Miami won a seesaw struggle over Higgins, 38-34, Tuesday night in a District 2-1A game.

Miami led by one at halftime, but fell behind by one going into the final quarter.

However, the Warriors outscored Higgins, 12-7, the fourth quarter to open the second half of the district season with a victory.

Lewis Lisenby paced Miami with 12 points while teammate Kirk Gray added 10.

Kevin Smith tossed in 11 points to lead Higgins.

Miami also won the girls' contest, 37-31.

## Pampa girl has high score at gym meet

Christa West of the Pampa Dust Devils claimed the highest all-around score (32.85) of the meet at the Class 4 Golden Spread School of Gymnastics last weekend in Amarillo.

Miss West, who is nine years old, won the vault and bars and placed second in the beam and floor exercises in the 9-11 division.

Dana Davis also won all-around honors in the 12-14 novice division as she took first in the vault, bars and beam, and third in the floor exercises.

Other Dust Devils placing were Helen Wade, second, all-around; second, bars and beam, fifth, floor exercises and vault, 9-11 novice division; Shauna Vaughn, third, all-around; second, vault, bars and floor exercises; third, beam, 12-14 novice division; Shanna Green, third, all-around; second, bars, third, vault, floor exercises and beam, 7-8 division; Jody Denman, fourth, all-around; second, vault; sixth, bars, beam and floor, 9-11 division; Dori Kidwell, sixth, all-around; third, beam, fourth, vault and floor exercises, 9-11 division; Laura Gilbert, fourth, beam and floor exercises (tie), 9-11 division; Christina Rogers, fourth, floor exercises (tie), 9-11 division; Kim Young, third, all-around; first, bars; third, vault and beam; fifth, floor exercises, 12-14 division.

"We had everyone place that entered, which is a little unusual," Pampa coach Fred Hughes said. "We hadn't worked out at all that week due to the weather."

Hollye Guegheim and Joana Barbaree, both members of the Dust Devils, are entered in the Class 3 state championship meet Saturday in Houston. Guegheim won the West Texas all-around title and Barbaree was bronze medalist in a sectional state qualifying meet held in Pampa.

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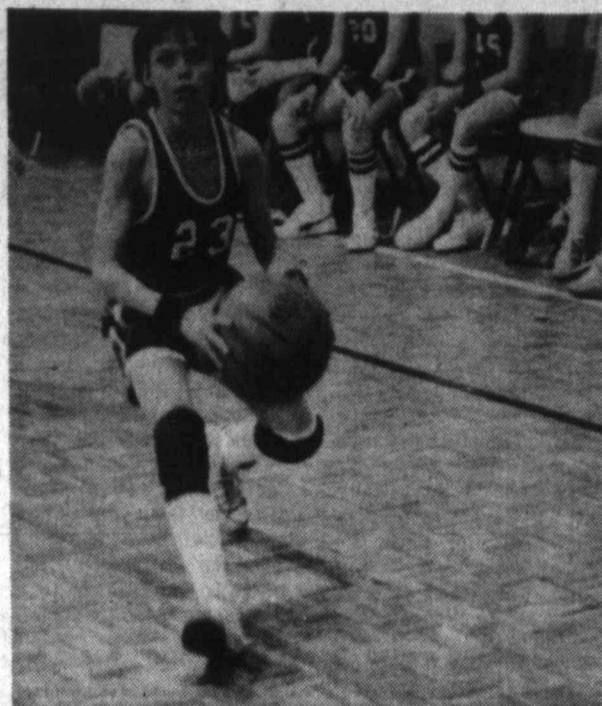


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TOP SCORER, Kirk Kirkham (pictured above) scored 10 points Wednesday night for the 76ers in a 49-31 loss to the Spurs in Optimist Club Basketball League action. The Celtics downed the Lakers, 51-28, in the other game played last night. The basketball doubleheader opened the second half of the season. Two more games are scheduled Friday night, starting at 6 p.m.

(Photo by Richard Van Kluyve)

# Celtics, Spurs claim cage victories

By BOB DIXON

Pampa News Correspondent  
Second half play got underway Wednesday night at the Optimist Gym in the Boys Basketball program with the Celtics and the Spurs claiming victories over the Lakers and 76ers.

In the first game, the Celtics won over the Lakers by a 51-28 count. Leading the way for the Celtics was Kevin Bunton with a game-high 23

points. Chris Porter tossed in 16 for the Celtics also.

Delrick Ryan led the scoring for the Lakers with 13.

In the late game, the first-half winners, the Spurs, overcame a slow start to win over the 76ers by a final score of 49-31. The Spurs only had a 10-6 lead after one quarter and upped that lead to 28-14 in the second as Mike Been scored 11 of his game-high 23 points.

Grant Gamblin had 16 and Darren Coleman had six also for the Spurs.

Kirk Krikham led the Sixers with 10 points.

Friday night, second-half action will resume with two more games with the Celtics taking on the Sixers in the opener, followed by the Lakers and the Spurs in the nite-cap. Play gets underway at 6 p.m. at the Optimist Club.

# Horned Frogs knock off Texas

By JOE STROOP

Associated Press Writer

When your basketball opponent has a dominant big man parked under the bucket, the best strategy usually is to try to neutralize him, make him as ineffective as possible.

It worked twice and backfired once in Southwest Conference play Wednesday night.

Texas Christian beat Texas by finding the solution to Longhorn center LaSalle Thompson at the critical time, and Rice shackled Texas Tech by limiting big center Clarence Swanegan's effectiveness.

But woebegone Southern Methodist,

sinking ever deeper into the league cellar, put an effective collar on lanky Texas A&M center Rudy Woods and still got beat.

The Ponies limited the 6-11 Aggie senior to nine points and got him in early foul trouble, so A&M coach Shelby Metcalf just shifted gears and let his guards do all the scoring.

"Texas A&M is a smart team," said Pony coach Dave Bliss.

Reggie Roberts, Milton Woodley and Tyren Nauils proved him right by scoring a total of 41 points and the Aggies moved into sole possession of

second place in the SWC standings with a 67-58 win.

The Horned Frogs gave Thompson 30 points until they switched to a man-for-man defense and ran off a 21-4 scoring binge midway through the second half to beat Texas 81-69, the 'Horns sixth loss in their last seven games.

"This was really a big win for us," said Frogs coach Jim Killingsworth, whose team now stands alone in third place. "We had one clutch time in the game where we got a run going on them and they (Longhorns) seemed to get their heads down."

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**FARRAH LEAVES COURT.** Actress testifying at the divorce property Farrah Fawcett enters a car with an settlement trial involving her and her unidentified companion Wednesday after actor-husband Lee Majors. (AP Laserphoto)

### Lee Majors unhappy about Farrah's dating

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actress Farrah Fawcett says her dates with Ryan O'Neal upset her husband, Lee Majors, very much, but Majors wanted to salvage the marriage and proposed a second wedding ceremony on the couple's anniversary.

The actress, who rocketed to fame on ABC's "Charlie's Angels" TV series, balked at some of the questions put to her Wednesday during a property-settlement hearing in her divorce case.

"You are not to argue with the lawyer," Superior Court Judge Harry Shafer told Miss Fawcett as she was being questioned by Majors' lawyer. Real trials, the judge said, are not like what you've seen on TV."

Miss Fawcett, wearing a bright red sweater and an ankle-length plaid skirt with boots, frequently ran her hands through her tousled blond hair as she testified about her separation from Majors, now starring in the TV series "The Fall Guy," and their failure to reconcile.

O'Neal has been linked romantically with Miss Fawcett since her marriage to Majors hit the rocks in mid-1979.

"In November or December of 1979, when Lee returned from Toronto, he was very upset that you were seeing Ryan O'Neal, is that right?" Majors' lawyer, Harry Fain, asked Miss Fawcett in cross-examination.

"Yes," Miss Fawcett replied. "At that time, didn't he tell you he hoped you and he would still get back together and redo your marriage vows on July 28, 1980, your anniversary?" asked the lawyer. "Yes," Miss Fawcett said.

The confrontation, the actress said, came several months after the couple decided to announce their separation in July 1979, just before their sixth wedding anniversary.

"I was going on a trip to publicize the film, 'Sunburn,' and I knew the questions would come up: 'How's the marriage, are you going to have a baby?'" she recalled. "I wanted the announcement made so I could say, 'No comment.'"

### Four killed in house fire

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Four persons were dead and four missing after fire swept through two homes and damaged two others in the historic King William District near downtown San Antonio.

The fire victims were identified as Billy Baly, 45, Sandy Morales, 61, Raymond Casanova, 65, and Woodrow Gonzalez, 62. All were found in the upper part of the two-story home where the fire was believed to have started Wednesday night, authorities said.

The names of the persons listed as missing were not immediately available, according to assistant fire chief Reyes Lopez.

Lopez said authorities have not been able to determine if all the victims lived in the home where the bodies were found. Some of them may have been visitors, he said.

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## Oscar nominees will be announced today

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — A year after he limped to the stage to a thunderous ovation and won an honorary Academy Award for his "enduring accomplishments," Henry Fonda is in the running for an Oscar again — this time in a movie about growing old.

The 76-year-old actor, who had never won an Oscar before last year's honorary award, stars in "On Golden Pond," the story of an enduring marriage and a retired professor's anger at his old age.

That film and "Reds," Warren Beatty's epic about socialist journalist John Reed, are considered the top contenders for the 1981 Academy Awards nominations, which were to be announced today.

"Ragtime," "Arthur," "Atlantic City," and "Chariots of Fire" were other top prospective nominees.

The nominations for the 54th annual awards by the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences were scheduled to be announced at its Beverly Hills headquarters by president Fay Kanin and actor Lloyd Bridges.

Fonda, who was nominated for an Oscar for the 1940 film "The Grapes of Wrath," is recovering at home from a two-month hospital stay during which doctors examined him and altered his heart medication.

The awards will be presented at the Los Angeles Music Center on March 29 with Johnny Carson as master of ceremonies.

The nominations were made by the academy's 3,800 voters, who all vote for best picture. Otherwise, members of each field nominate their own — writers vote for writing achievements; actors for acting, etc.

Four honorary awards were announced Tuesday night by the academy Board of Governors. Actress Barbara Stanwyck, who has never won an Oscar for an individual performance, will receive one for her distinguished career.

Danny Kaye receives the Jean Hersholt humanitarian award, while the Irving Thalberg award for consistent quality of producing goes to Albert R. "Cubby" Broccoli, producer of James Bond films.

## Budget deficit portends trouble for housing

NEW YORK (AP) — Reports over the past few days foretell more dark days for housing.

Presidential assertions notwithstanding, the federal budget deficits just released are viewed by economists as putting more upward pressure on interest rates, and thus on home mortgage costs and availability.

The Federal Reserve isn't likely to ease up either. Paul Volcker, Fed chairman, told Congress yesterday that he will stand firm in limiting the money supply. And tight money almost inevitably means high rates.

Just the day before, the U.S. League of Savings Associations released a breakdown of its members' portfolios which showed that 58 percent of all mortgages

they held were paying them under 10 percent. Since they pay more than that to savers, they continue to run in the red.

Housing, it is widely agreed, needs help from all three areas — the government, the Federal Reserve, and the savings associations — and it isn't likely to get it. In turn, it means home seekers won't get homes.

This is the condition and the direct impact on housing of the three institutions:

In 1979 the credit demands of the federal government and agencies totaled about \$86 billion, or roughly 18 percent of total credit demand of \$477 billion. Mortgages totaled \$156 billion, or almost 33 percent. In 1981, borrowing by the

federal government and agencies jumped to \$131 billion, almost 28 percent of the \$476 billion total. Mortgages, however, fell to \$103 billion, less than 22 percent of the total.

The Fed's impact on housing — or at least the impact attributed to it — is well known. When the Fed seeks to limit the money supply it risks a confrontation with demand. And when that happens, housing is left very low in the pecking order — behind the federal government, the bluechip corporation, various lesser businesses, and local government.

That situation, which generally results in higher interest rates also, leaves housing's financiers in bad shape. They too are low in the

pecking order. They find it difficult to compete for money to relend.

That situation now exists. The survey by the U.S. League, whose members

make up a sizeable portion of the home mortgage market, are in bad shape, having almost no way to offset their own money costs.

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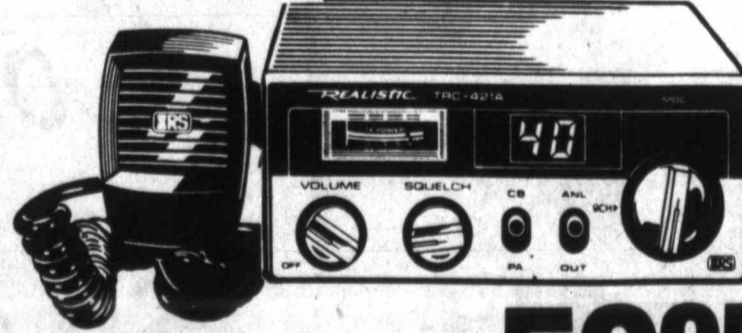
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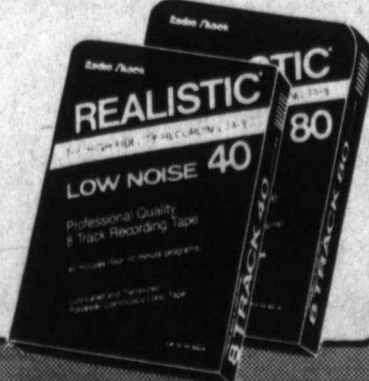


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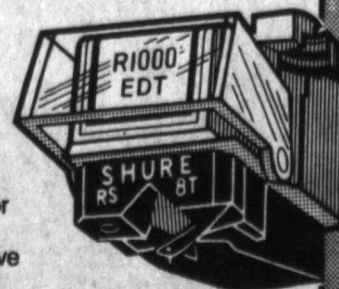
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**DANCING LESSON.** Holding up a fan, geisha "Aguri," right, practices traditional Japanese dancing in Asakusa, Tokyo, recently. The 24-year-old former office worker, who joined the geisha world 15 months

ago, radiates enthusiasm for her new career, but there is a shortage of apprentices for geisha, according to the Asakusa Geisha Association. At left is Aguri's dancing instructor.

(AP Laserphoto)

### Japanese geisha industry seeks members

**TOKYO (AP)** — "Wanted: young Japanese girls willing to study traditional dancing and music. Job requires ability to conduct lively conversation with businessmen at parties. Good compensation. Must have own kimono."

The advertisement, while mythical, sums up the quiet search by Japan's geisha associations for new talent, young women willing to devote themselves to the life of the "willow world" — named for dances that simulate flowing tree branches — in Japan's entertainment districts.

The average age of Japan's geisha is now about 40, and there is a shortage of apprentices, according to Shigisuki Uetsuki, acting director of the geisha association in Asakusa, one of Tokyo's oldest entertainment quarters.

"Asakusa, with its lantern-lighted streets, was home to about 200 geisha in the years after World War II, he said. Today, about half that many women belong to the Asakusa Geisha Association, and one authority estimates there are no more than 2,000 "genuine" geisha in all of Japan.

The postwar geisha were in the old tradition, recruited in girlhood from poor families and apprenticed for many years in the teahouse arts — learning to play the twanging, three-stringed samisen, dance in the close-fitting kimono, and sing Japanese folk songs in the proper sort of cracked, wavering voice.

But Japan's increasing prosperity and the enthusiasm of its youth for more modern lifestyles means fewer girls are drawn to a career that requires long training, diminished prospects for marriage, an irregular income and little lifetime job security.

Most recruits now are in their late teens or early 20s, Uetsuki said, and many become geisha after finding other jobs less satisfying.

Aguri, 24, one of Asakusa's newer and most popular geisha, joined the geisha world 15 months ago after a short and uneventful career as an "o.i.," the Japanese term for office lady.

"My mother enjoyed dancing and playing the samisen, and I began Japanese style dancing when I was six. But when I told my mother and friends about my intention to become a geisha, all of them were very surprised," she said.

Interviewed after a Saturday afternoon samisen lesson, Aguri radiates enthusiasm for her new career. "To be able to work playing musical instruments and dancing, it's more than enjoyable, it's great," she said.

The Asakusa Geisha Association requires her to attend two dance lessons and one samisen and drum practice session each week. Three times a month she studies the ritual tea ceremony. Beginning geisha are expected to buy a new set of kimonos each month. That expense alone can devour much of the \$2,000 or more a popular young geisha can make in a month.

Individual customers or restaurants that cater to parties can request Aguri's services. Like most geisha, she lives communally with several others. The "oneesan" or elder sister of the house guides and advises the younger women in their training and work.

### Cox retires from Harvard

**CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (AP)** — Archibald Cox, fired as President Richard Nixon's special prosecutor during the Watergate scandal, is retiring from full-time teaching at Harvard University because he is nearing 70, the school's mandatory retirement age.

Cox, who will be 70 on May 17, is a specialist in constitutional and labor law. He will continue to teach part-time at Harvard Law School this spring, the university announced Tuesday. "I expect to keep busy," said Cox, who is also

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chairman of Common Cause. Cox was fired as special prosecutor in the so-called "Saturday night massacre" on Oct. 20, 1973. On that night, Attorney General Elliot Richardson and his assistant, William D. Ruckelshaus, resigned after they refused to fire Cox.

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**KAREN BLAKER**, psychotherapist, says there are three questions to ask before attempting to repair a difficult relationship between siblings: Do I see something about myself that I dislike in my sibling? Can my sibling see negative things about me that no one else can? Does my relationship with my sibling remind me of days or years I'd rather forget?

## To patch a sibling relationship -- probe your own psyche

By Ellie Grossman

**NEW YORK (NEA)** — You two don't get on well. Maybe you never did, but now you'd like to be close with your older/younger, sister/brother — only you don't know how to get beyond the hard feelings.

Begin by making sure you want to try, says Dr. Karen Blaker, a psychotherapist in private practice in Tarrytown, N.Y., and Manhattan, who until recently had a poor relationship with her own sister.

"I think it helps to ask yourself three questions before you do anything, to sort out your feelings," she says. "First, do I see something about myself that I dislike in my sibling? In my case, the answer was yes.

"Gwen, who's six years younger than I, always cared a great deal about her clothes and her appearance, and I never wanted to admit that I did, too. After all, my first career was nursing, and she went into fashion, so that meant I was completely nice and unselfish and she was the opposite. When I was with Gwen, I'd be rem-

inded that I wanted things she had, and I didn't like knowing that about myself."

Question two: "Can my sibling see negative things about me no one else can? It's important to admit that if it's true, because that could be one reason you've kept a distance between you. Again, my answer was yes.

"As a child, I was the favorite in the family and Gwen always seemed to be doing the wrong thing. Nevertheless, sometimes I'd tell white lies to get my parents to admire me more. Mom would say, 'Gwen did a good book report in school,' and I'd say, 'She told me she had trouble,' and Gwen would get into a little difficulty. On several occasions, she found out what I was doing, but she never ratted on me because she felt so bad about herself, she just didn't care."

Question three: "Does my relationship with my sibling remind me of days or years I'd rather forget? My answer was no, but for Gwen, it was yes. She didn't want to have much to do

with me because I reminded her of when she was low man on the totem pole, although since she left home, she has done very well for herself."

The breach between the two, obviously, was wide, and it took a critical situation to repair it. Says Dr. Blaker: "When a relationship has been strained for a long time, there has to be an active decision or a crisis of some sort that initiates the reconciliation. With us, it was illness. Gwen got tuberculosis a few years ago and I suddenly realized what it would be like to lose her and how much I'd miss her. I wanted to change things, and Gwen wasn't satisfied with the relationship, either.

"I don't remember who brought it up," she says, "but we decided we should talk about why we had not been able to be very friendly or close."

The conversation started, inevitably, with each blaming the other. "You have to be prepared for that whenever there's a rift," she says. "The thing to do is to say, 'Let's try to get past the

blaming and find out what really caused the problems.' You have to try to see each other as people, to unhook yourselves from the stereotypical pictures created when you were kids, influenced tremendously by your parents' views."

The sisters, then, began reviewing their childhoods, trying to mesh inaccurate perceptions with reality. Says Dr. Blaker: "Gwen thought I had no problems whatsoever as a kid because I was the favorite at home. But I was dying at school. I wore glasses and braces and I wasn't popular. When she found that out, she couldn't believe it. And I was surprised to discover that while I was having such a hard time socially, she was very well adjusted in that area. I'd always thought of her very negatively and I got a completely different picture of her."

From the past, the two moved forward, trying to correct current misconceptions. "Gwen was always envious of my marriage, which she thought was ideal, and I encouraged her view,"

says Dr. Blaker. "I never told her any of my problems. When we spoke honestly about our present lives, though, she saw that I actually had problems that she as a single woman didn't have to deal with.

"Conversely, I'd always felt sorry for her because she hadn't married, didn't have kids and would grow old as a spinster. But the more I heard, the more I realized how glamorous her life was and the more I felt I was missing out on some

things she was experiencing."

Now there's a surer bond between the women that, says Dr. Blaker, is serving each in ways neither could have anticipated. "By getting to know each other, we

learned more about ourselves and I think we're better able to deal with the changes and crises we're going through now: Gwen is getting married in the spring, and I'm getting divorced."

**Waltrip Wins Cup**  
RIVERSIDE, Calif. — Stock car driver Darrell Waltrip needed to finish 20th or better in the final race to insure victory in the prestigious Winston Cup series of 31 car races.

Waltrip placed sixth in the race to win the NASCAR championship and the 1981 Winston Cup.

During the year, Waltrip won 12 races. †

**Wholesome But Wet**  
TULSA, Okla. — "Swimming personifies what wholesome recreation should be. It's a family sport, and swimming is the undisputed domain of the amateur athlete," said Ken Treadway, director of youth and community relations for Phillips Petroleum, and former manager of three U.S. Olympic swim teams. †

## Erma Bombeck's At Wit's End

I'm a worrier. Especially when the weather is bad and I'm housebound.

Like, where are the Nielsen families and why do they watch all the shows I turn off? They're the most well-kept secret since Judge Crater. Not only have I never seen a Nielsen family, I have never known anyone who has ever seen a Nielsen family or even gotten a Christmas newsletter from them.

In my mind, I visualize them as a family of pale, hollow-eyed TV junkies where the "Daddy" carries the TV knob around in his pocket. "Daddy" likes women with good posture, a good car chase, and has seen more Bowls than the latrine officer at Ft. Dix.

My ultimate aim in life is to be offered a television series called "The Nielsen Family" so I could turn them off. And where is Mrs. Tucker's Inn? My husband and I have been looking for a whipped cream experience in some little lodge off a country road for a long time. It has to be the only restaurant in the world with an unlisted phone number.

And what in the world do all those anchorpersons do with those papers they shuffle around all the time? Dan Rather slides his one at a time to a faceless person off camera. Jessica Savitch marks things on hers. John Chancellor straightens his like he's putting them back in a ream, and Roger Mudd folds his and takes them with him when he goes.

The news is on a teleprompter, so how come they fiddle with all those sheets of paper?

And what's going to happen to the test-tube babies when they grow up and ask the time-honored question, "Where did I come from?" Have you any idea how that is going to confuse the answer of sex-education experts like myself who said, "You come from Ohio"?

I suppose I'm borrowing trouble, but where is our vice president, George Whatshisname? I haven't seen hide nor hair of the man since he attended a wedding...or was it a funeral? No, I remember now, it was the inauguration. Some say he's keeping a low profile. Sandra Dee keeps a low profile.

He was a nice-looking man, as I remember him, and spoke well of his job. I certainly hope he's all right.

I'll be glad when spring comes. I worry less in the spring.

## Tipsy Apricots

BY CECILY BROWNSTONE  
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GOURMET DINNER  
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**TIPSY APRICOTS**  
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— until only about 3 tablespoons remain; reserve. Into a 1-quart jar pour the vodka and sugar; stir until sugar is dissolved; stir in the reserved apricot syrup. Add the reserved apricot halves. Cover tightly and let stand 1 week at room temperature; refrigerate for another week. To use: Top ice cream, pots de creme or baked custard, creamy rice pudding or rich bread pudding with the apricot halves — one half for each portion — and add a little of the apricot "cordial." You may want to serve some of the apricot cordial in liqueur glasses.



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## Levin's attempt at cloning Wright is wrong

**THE ARCHITECT**, By Meyer Levin. Simon & Schuster. 413 Pages. \$15.50.

The problem with Meyer Levin's "The Architect" is that it is fact masquerading as fiction with the result being that the fiction gets tangled and muddled in the history.

Levin's main character is Andrew Lane, who is apparently based on architect Frank Lloyd Wright. Except Lane isn't really Wright, he's Lane, after all. His life is as close to Wright's as we'll ever see without its being Wright's. He knows the same people, the real people, such as Clarence Darrow, Louis Sullivan and Jane Addams, and he's the founder of the Prairie style in a Chicago suburb known as Oak Park. Oak Park has always been considered Wright's community, the most concentrated center of Wright's residential architecture in this country. And Lane has a scandalous affair that takes him to Europe and almost ruins his

career. And Lane is struck by tragedy, the same kind of tragedy that befell Wright.

Historical fiction is not new.

But Levin turns Lane into Wright's imposter, editing the details of Wright's life to suit his purpose. It doesn't work because the reader is expecting Wright, thinking Wright, but is getting someone who is not quite the crusty individual who turned the architectural world upside down. Andrew Lane comes across as weak and selfish, his "genius" an accident.

Levin proclaims a deep admiration and affection for Wright.

By Aileen Claire  
NEA Food Editor

Fresh mushrooms will be readily available in most parts of the country this holiday season. They are favorite low-calorie treats of those who are watching their weight and make good "dippers" at parties.

Stuffed mushroom caps are an excellent side dish for a buffet or main meal.

To prepare, merely rinse mushrooms (you may use a mushroom brush, but this is not necessary); do not soak. Gently pat dry and snap stems from inside mushroom cap. Reserve these to use in salads, casseroles or soup.

Prepare stuffing, such as bulgur wheat or meat, and fill mushroom caps. Saute mushroom caps for about five minutes in butter or margarine, fill and cool for the Middle East mushrooms tabbouleh. Serve burger-stuffed mushrooms hot.

### STUFFED MUSHROOMS TABBOULEH

- 1/2 cup cracked wheat (bulgur)
- 1 cup boiling water
- 3/4 cup chopped tomato
- 1/2 cup finely chopped parsley
- 3 tablespoons minced scallion (green onion)
- 1/2 teaspoon mint flakes, crushed
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/8 teaspoon ground black pepper

- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 3 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 pound large-size mushrooms (15 to 19)

In a large bowl, pour boiling water over cracked wheat and soak in water for 1 hour. Drain, if necessary, before adding tomato, parsley, scallion, mint, salt, black pepper, lemon juice and olive oil. Mix well.

Rinse mushrooms and pat dry. Remove stems (use in soups, stews, etc.); set caps aside. (Or, if desired, saute mushroom caps in 4 tablespoons butter until tender, about 5 minutes.)

Spoon 1 tablespoon cracked wheat mixture into each mushroom cap. Serve as an hors d'oeuvre, appetizer or meal accompaniment. This kitchen-tested recipe makes 15 to 19 stuffed mushrooms.

### BURGER-STUFFED MUSHROOMS

- 1 pound large-size mushrooms (15 to 19)
- 1/2 pound ground beef
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- 2 tablespoons water
- 1 egg, lightly beaten
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- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon thyme leaves, crushed and divided
- 1/16 teaspoon ground black pepper
- 1 can (10 1/4 ounces) beef gravy
- 1 tablespoon dry sherry (optional)

Preheat oven to 450 degrees. Rinse mushrooms and pat dry. Remove stems (use for soups, stews, etc.).

In a large bowl, combine beef, bread crumbs, water, egg, 1/2 teaspoon onion powder, salt, 1/4 teaspoon thyme and black pepper. Stuff into reserved mushroom caps.

Place in a greased 12-by-8-by-2-inch (2 1/2-quart) baking pan. Bake until browned, about 10 minutes. Set pan with stuffed mushrooms aside.

Meanwhile, in a small bowl, combine beef gravy, sherry and remaining 3/4 teaspoon onion powder and 1/4 teaspoon thyme. Pour

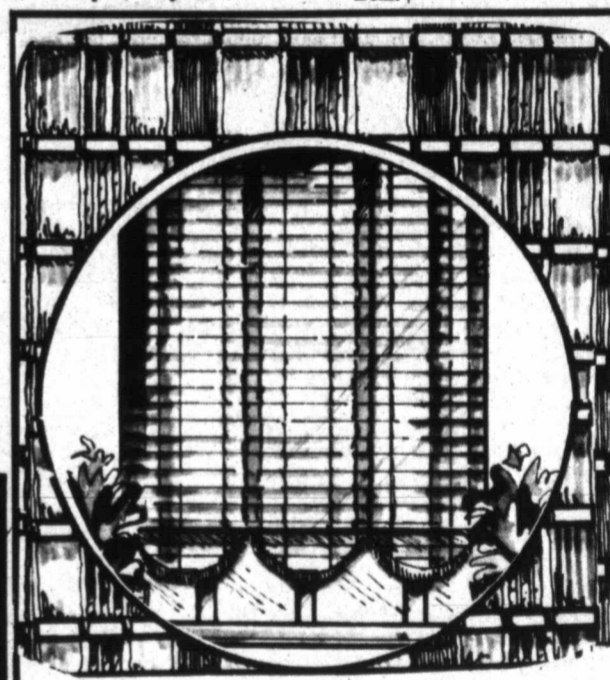
over reserved stuffed mushrooms. Cover and bake until mushrooms are tender and meat is cooked, about 5 minutes.

Serve with green noodles, if desired. This kitchen-tested recipe makes 15 to 19 stuffed mushrooms.

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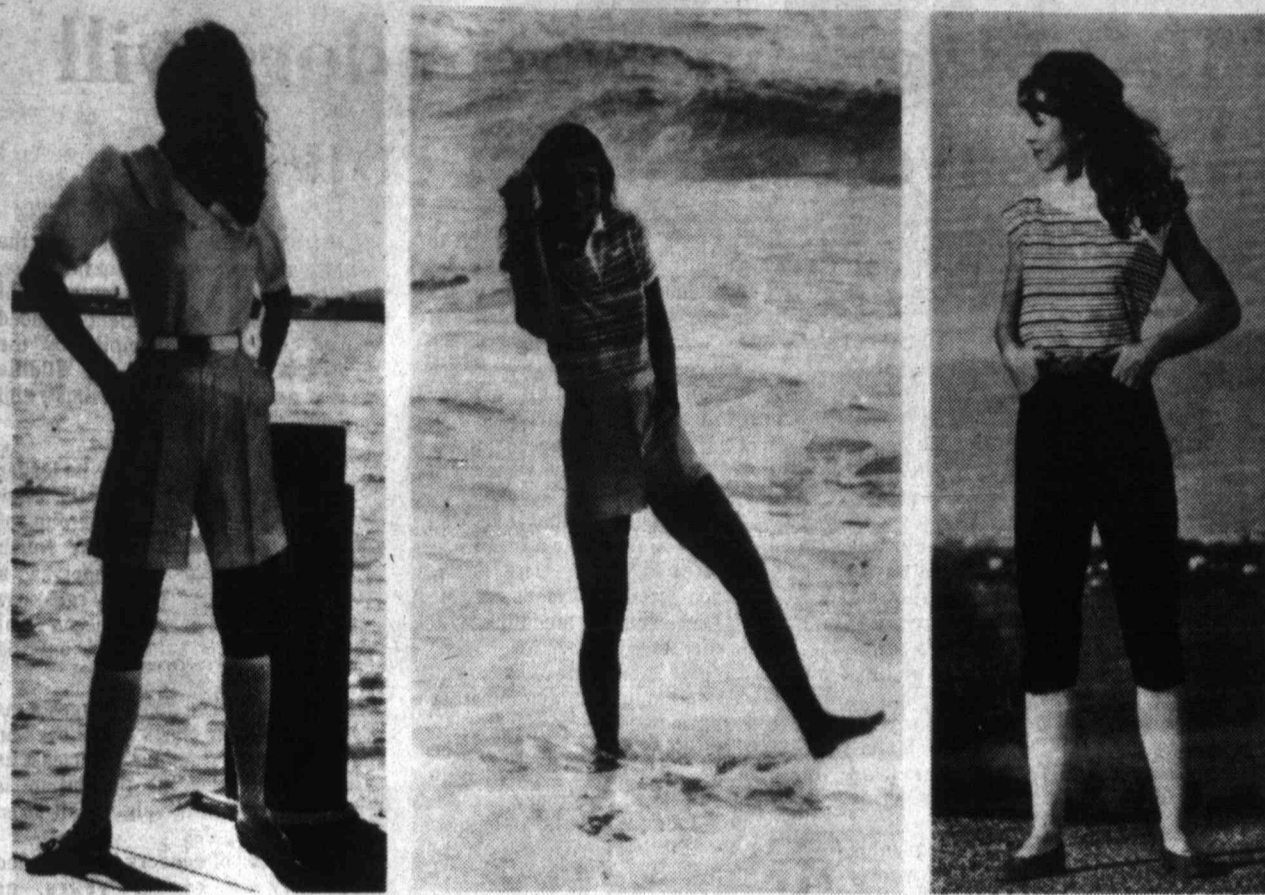
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**Dear Abby**

**Words of love are best prescription**

By Abigail Van Buren  
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**DEAR ABBY:** I received a telephone call at 2:30 in the morning from the emergency room at one of our hospitals. My 18-year-old daughter had been injured in an auto accident.

I rushed there and found her covered with blood and so drunk (or stoned) they had to tie her down to sew up her face! There was little they could do about her teeth. They were back at the scene of the accident.

Now she is trying to recover. Within 48 hours, her "friends" arrived. Their biggest concern seemed to be what type of drugs she was getting "for free" in the hospital.

As long as my daughter is in the hospital, I can rest at night knowing that she can't drive over an innocent person or kill herself. When she gets out, I will lie awake nights waiting for the phone to ring again. Maybe next time it will be the morgue.

Abby, please write to my daughter and say the words she needs to hear right now but will mean nothing coming from her father. I don't want to lose my little girl.

DAMNED IN DALLAS

**DEAR DAMNED:** My heart aches for you, but the "words" your daughter needs to hear right now will mean nothing coming from me. She needs to hear her father say, "Honey, I love you. Let's not talk about yesterday. The Lord spared you because he wanted you to live. When you get well, please take a serious look at the precious life you almost threw away. You

**Waldorf Salad Muffins**

By CECILY BROWNSTONE  
Associated Press Food Editor  
BUFFET LUNCH  
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1 teaspoon vanilla  
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can depend on me to help you in any way I can." Father, you alone can't "save" her. She will have to save herself. But letting her know that you love her is a good beginning.

There are some excellent programs in your area for teens with drug problems. If you need further help from me, please write again. I care.

**DEAR ABBY:** You asked why it is considered bad luck to seat 13 at a table. It's very likely because there were 13 people at the Last Supper, and you know what happened then.

If you use this letter, please don't use my name. I am now retired, but when I was an active bishop living in New York about a dozen years ago, you printed a letter I had written saying that Jesus had turned water into wine, and it took me three months to answer all the complaints I received from people in the Bible Belt who said, "If Jesus turned water into wine, he should not have done so!"

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**DEAR SIR:** Right on, Right Reverend! Enjoy your retirement in peace. You've earned it.

**DEAR ABBY:** I found this in the "AORN Journal" — a publication put out by the Association of Operating Nurses: "The Chickenization of Women"

"Women are frequently referred to as poultry. We cluck at hen parties. When we aren't henpecking men, we are egging them on. In youth we are chicks. Mothers watch over their broods. Later we are old biddies with an empty-nest syndrome. Is it just a coincidence that so many women's wages are chicken feed?"

ANN D'ARCY, OKLAHOMA NURSE

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**Dr. Lamb**

**Recovering from typical laxative problem**

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

**DEAR DR. LAMB** — I am a 20-year-old female who has been taking laxatives for the last two years. I started taking them because I was having a problem with constipation, but that was nothing compared to the problem now.

I can no longer have a bowel movement without laxatives. I desperately want to stop taking them as I now see how damaging constant use is. I have been trying for about two months without them and eating almost nothing but bulk-producing foods. But I get so constipated and uncomfortable that I find I must take them again.

Could you please advise me of any way in which I could get myself back to normal? Perhaps there is some sort of exercise to get it working again.

**DEAR READER** — Your story is typical of why I do not recommend the frequent use of laxatives. Bulk-producing substances are a different matter but the chemical laxatives that stimulate your bowel to contract and empty can cause a person to develop a bad habit. No one should take these regularly without the recommendation of his doctor.

You might want to use a bulk-forming agent. Also increase your fluid intake. Fruit juices are not a bad choice. After three days if you have not had a bowel movement you could use a room temperature tap water enema. Follow this procedure and try to not use an enema unless really needed. In time your bowels may regain normal function. Do not take any of the chemical laxatives.

Leave time to go to the

**HEALTHY HAIR**

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Hair is simply an outgrowth of the skin and scalp, so the most important consideration for healthy hair is to eat right, says Patrick Moreton, a hair stylist.

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bathroom shortly after an adequate breakfast that contains at least two glasses of liquid, and sit there every morning. In time you will

train your bowel to respond to normal reflexes that occur after filling the stomach.

There is no specific exercise but physical activity, such as jogging, can stimulate increased bowel action. If you are not active try to develop an exercise program.

I am sending you The Health Letter number 12-8, Laxatives, Enemas and Suppositories, for more information. Others who want this issue can send 75

cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

**DEAR DR. LAMB** — My husband is taking Coumadin for a heart condition. His doctor prescribed it after he recovered from a heart attack. I know quite a few people who also take this medicine. What does it do for your heart? Will he have to take it the rest of his life? Are there any dangers in taking it?

**DEAR READER** — Coumadin, also known as warfarin sodium, is an anticoagulant. Many people call these medicines blood

thinners but they do not thin your blood. They just interfere with the normal clotting process.

They are commonly prescribed after heart attacks (and taken in the acute phase in the hospital), strokes and any condition that is associated with blood clots, such as thrombophlebitis.

Many people have been on this medicine for years to prevent more clots or attacks. The main danger is that too much of the medicine may cause bleeding. Or a person may have a disease, such as ulcers, that will bleed because of the anti-clotting medicine.

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**CONDOR COMEBACK.** A rare California condor eyes the world from a rocky perch in 1967. A team of Peruvian and U.S. scientists are breeding Andean condors in captivity in an experiment that they hope will save California condors from extinction. (AP Laserphoto)

## Breeding Andean condors will help save California cousins

By MARTIN ANDERSEN  
Associated Press Writer

PIURA, Peru (AP) — A team of Peruvian and U.S. scientists are breeding Andean condors in captivity in an experiment designed to save California condors from extinction.

The scientists have placed young Andean condors hatched at the Bronx Zoo in New York and at a Maryland wildlife research center in their natural habitat in the Peruvian wilds.

The researchers say they are developing a practical, efficient way to save the fast-disappearing California species, now believed to number between 20 to 30 birds, from going the way of the Carolina parakeet and the passenger pigeon.

Mike Wallace, 31, a bearded wildlife researcher from Westbrook, Maine, who coordinates the project, said in an interview that because the California condor is so rare, it is necessary to test techniques for the capture, breeding and eventual release into the wild of their more numerous South American cousin.

"Captive breeding is being recommended as one of the fastest ways of rebuilding the population of the California condor," Wallace said. "By removing the eggs from a breeding pair in captivity, it may be possible to obtain six times as many eggs as that produced in nature, much as taking the

egg away from a chicken causes it to lay another."

"We've found the technique works with Andean condors," he added. "If our present success continues and the techniques we're developing here are used, it seems very probable that any (California) condors produced in captivity could also be released into the wild and live as if they were born there."

It's not a technique that has won universal approval from environmentalists. One U.S. conservation group, Friends of the Earth, says human meddling will hasten the bird's demise. Other opponents say more emphasis should be placed on habitat protection rather than human contact with the bird.

Wallace said that although the researchers' immediate concern is to save the imperiled California species, the project's long-term effect would be to further the state of the art of preserving endangered species generally. Successful trapping — using rocket-propelled nets — and radio telemetry — fitting the birds with solar-powered radio transmitters — techniques developed during the course of the project are two research spinoffs with possibly wider application, he said.

Wallace, a doctoral student at the University of Wisconsin, directs the

effort from a base camp nestled in the foothills of the Illescas mountain range, which juts into the ocean southwest of Piura. The U.S. government-financed project is sponsored jointly by the university, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the Peruvian Ministry of Agriculture.

The California condor, like its larger Andean cousin, belongs to the New World vulture family, a group of carrion eaters. The largest North American land bird, the condor has a wing span of 10 feet. They lay eggs only once every other year, and the survival rate for chicks is said to be only 50 percent.

Although fossil evidence suggests the California condor once ranged over an immense area extending as far east as Florida, the current population is confined to a relatively small area north of Los Angeles.

The number of condors has declined markedly in recent years, as civilization encroaches on the bird's last natural outpost, bringing in its wake shrinking food supplies, pesticides and an ever-smaller area to reproduce.

The dire condition in which the species is found has not guaranteed unanimous support for the project, even among environmentalists.

## Old-time trader relishes fur hobby

By LINDA GILCHRIST

Beaumont Enterprise & Journal  
SILSBEE, Texas (AP) — The workroom behind Willard Reddell's home is damp, rather dreary and has the pungent smell of musk.

Except for the freezer in the back corner, the room could have sprung from the pages of a pioneer adventure story. Reddell is the fur trader today that he would have been if he had lived a century ago.

The fast-talking Reddell, who has bartered furs for more than 51 years, buys any type fur from East Texas and Louisiana that he thinks can be marketed to big fur houses in New York and Canada.

"I'm one of the best (traders) around, at least 2,000 trappers think I'm the best," he claims.

Fur trappers have only the months of

December and January to market their kill. Because of this limited season, Reddell spends much of his time on the road, visiting individual hunters and gathering furs for wholesale buyers.

Raccoons, bobcats, foxes, minks and nutria, freshly killed and ready for processing, are piled on his workroom floor. Reddell will skin the dead animals and dry the skins on boards before offering them to wholesalers.

"Some years, I make a little (profit)," he said. "Other years, I don't make a damn thing. This year, nobody's wanting anything but coons."

The trader said 1979 was the last boom year for furs. Since that time, the market has fallen off for many animals, including the bobcat. Reddell attributes the problem to federal government regulations that prohibit selling hides outside the country.

"I see about 50 to 70 trappers a week," he said. "It's a very competitive business. Women, young kids and old men — I buy from them all."

"There's not much I won't buy," he added. "I even had one man try to sell me a skunk, but I didn't do it."

Reddell said he started out "to be an expert trapper" when he was 16 years old.

"He'd rather trap than buy any day," said Gwendolyn Reddell, his wife of 44 years. "But I don't have a fur coat to my name."

Reddell says his trading business doesn't provide enough money to make a living the rest of the year.

"It's just a hobby. I love doing it," he said.

In February, Reddell will turn to trapping muskrats around High Island, a area he claims has the best muskrats in the country.

## Photos 'preserve' steam locomotives

By GRAHAM HEATHCOTE  
Associated Press Writer

LONDON (AP) — Colin Garratt makes a living by traveling the world taking photographs of steam locomotives.

A rarity in the developed world, steam trains are so plentiful in other places around the world that Garratt says he may never find them all. "I am racing against time and I am losing the race."

Having visited 32 countries on four continents over the past 12 years, Garratt complained: "Well over half the remaining countries are running steam and their locomotives will outlive me."

The 41-year-old Englishman, interviewed by telephone at his home in Loughborough, Leicestershire, said he worked 110 hours a week at his self-appointed task.

His travels occupy six months of the year, and after that he earns his livelihood by giving lectures, with color

slides, and by writing books about steam trains. He estimates each slide costs him \$162 to acquire.

Garratt is anxious to get to China.

"The Chinese are the only nation in the world still building steam engines. They've got the coal and they believe steam is not an outmoded form of technology if labor is available."

"I believe in steam. I drive a car but whenever possible I go by train. I think they are sensible when the world is rapidly drinking up all its oil, and there's nothing to compare with steam for nostalgia."

The steam engine is discredited. The developing nations want to ape the modern world and have diesels — it's become a worldwide fad. But the Chinese are building first-class steam engines and running very heavy trains with them.

In Britain, which pioneered steam passenger trains in 1825, steam was phased out in the 1960s. But state-run British Rail occasionally runs a

steamer as a curiosity and sells every seat.

Garratt, however, is not interested in museum pieces and that's why he has not visited North America. "No working steam left there," he said.

More interesting to him is the 108-year-old locomotive still at work in India and the model aged 109 in Hungary which he hopes to track down.

Garratt spoke of an "amazing discovery" on the tiny Atlantic island of Sao Miguel in the Portuguese Azores.

He went there in search of a railway hauling stone from a quarry. He found the line disused and the 'done by trucks, but under a pile of debris he discovered what is probably the last relic of the 19th-century battle of the gauges, a British-built locomotive that ran on a track 7 feet wide.

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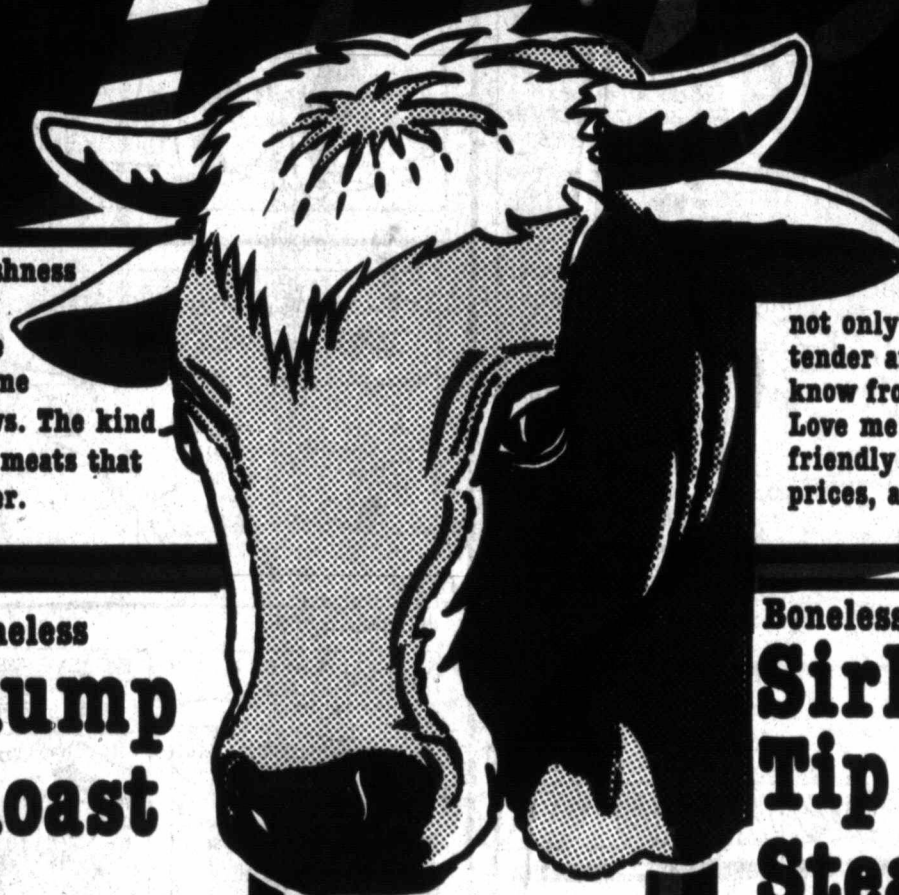
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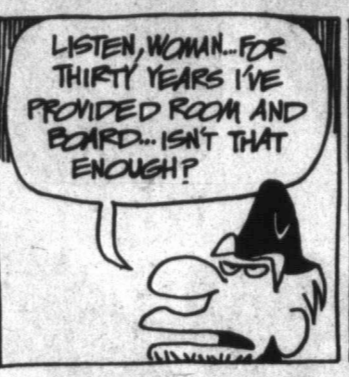
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Your ability to make and win new friends will be greatly enhanced this coming year. There's a possibility you'll move with an entirely new social group. However, this does not mean you'll desert old pals.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** You could get some encouraging news today pertaining to an interest that you have with another who resides at a considerable distance. Predictions of what's in store for you in each season following your birth date and where your luck and opportunities lie are in your new Astro-Graph. Mail \$1 for each to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth date.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Your instincts and hunches on ways to get ahead competitively should prove to be the pluses which will put you in the victor's circle today.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Not only are you able to grasp the essence of ideas quickly today, you should also be able to show others how to improve upon that which they conceive.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** You're not likely to be content with the status quo today. If you find conditions not to your liking, you'll know how to make constructive changes.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Take advantage of any opportunities today to go where you can meet some new people. You may establish relationships important to your future.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Difficult tasks can be greatly simplified today if you'll take time to think them through before starting. Examine your chores from every angle.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Even though it may not appear so at the time, an unusual development today will later prove to be a lucky break. Don't make hasty judgments.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Gains could come to you today through two unrelated channels. One has been profitable previously, the other will be a brand-new source.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Keep your schedule as flexible as possible today. Something fun with your friends may pop up in which you'll want to be able to participate.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Someone may give you information today to put you on the track of a bargain regarding a special item you've felt was priced too high.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** If you're involved socially with friends today, come up with ideas for doing something different. They'll appreciate suggestions for changes in the routine.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Should an opportunity present itself today, be prepared to move swiftly. It could be of a fleeting nature. Don't dally.

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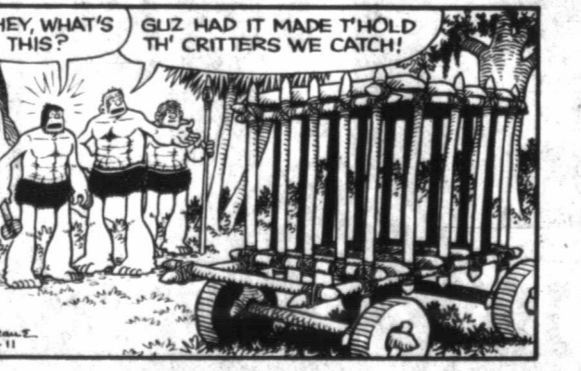
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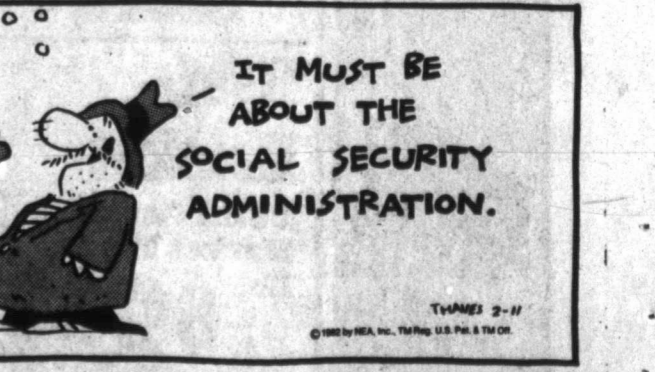
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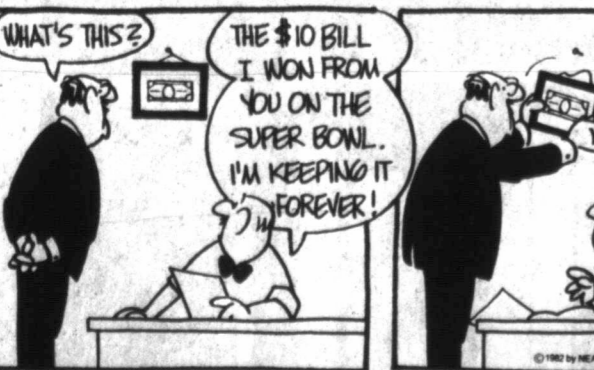
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### By Charles M. Schulz



### By Jim Davis



# Propeller victim makes 'miracle' recovery

By VERN ANDERSON  
Associated Press Writer  
SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — The two veteran California paramedics took one look at the horribly mutilated body crumpled beside a plane and assumed their next stop would be the coroner's office.

Moments before, Jim Boardman, the son-in-law of Utah's governor, had scrambled from the cockpit of the twin-engine Cessna in a hurry to find the nearest bathroom at Burbank-Glendale-Pasadena Airport.

The 30-year-old Associated Press newsmen climbed from the wing and inexplicably turned into the idling aircraft's churning left propeller.

"Picture an egg and a knife that whacks it," said Dr. Joel White, Boardman's neurosurgeon. He looked as though he'd been attacked by "somebody with a machete."

Doctors say the seven slashing blows Boardman received the night of April 20, 1981, should have killed him. His left arm was severed at the shoulder, he sustained

three blows to the head and a blade sliced through his chest wall, diaphragm and spleen, White said.

Boardman's survival, considered a miracle by the staff of Saint Joseph Medical Center in Burbank, is a testament to superb emergency medical care.

And Boardman's subsequent battle to regain a life of quality — when life itself had seemed impossible — is a testament to the man himself.

At the airport, paramedic Bob Reinhardt was so sure

that Boardman was dead he didn't bother to carry life-support equipment when he left the ambulance to look at the body.

It was then that Boardman, his head a mass of blood and exposed brain tissue, began to groan.

"He had organs protruding through the slash in his back. There were flaps of skin that were just folded over and we had to place them over his exposed spleen," remembers paramedic Lynn Johnson. He radioed the hospital four miles away to round up a neurosurgeon, a thoracic surgeon and a plastic surgeon.

Two of the three specialists were waiting when the ambulance arrived, its floor awash with blood. They were astounded that Boardman, in profound shock and registering no blood pressure, remained conscious.

"I just don't know what his heart was pumping," said Reinhardt. "We were putting it in a stream and it was gushing out in a river."

Past sunrise, seven doctors and more than a dozen other medical personnel toiled desperately to repair the damage while fighting to keep the patient alive. Boardman ultimately received 46 pints of blood.

Meanwhile, Boardman's wife of 10 months, Lu, and her mother Norma, wife of Gov. Scott Matheson, flew in from Salt Lake City. Boardman's parents arrived from Phoenix.

Boardman has no memory of the accident. But he recalls lying semi-conscious and confronting a clear choice between life and death. He says he chose life when a red-bearded male nurse told him, "You can! You can!"

The nurse, Ron Havens, a 35-year-old former medic in Vietnam, believed at first that Boardman "didn't have a prayer."

When Boardman regained consciousness 17 days after surgery, "it was extremely startling because he just woke up," Havens said. "At that point there was a lot of 'egging on,' telling him that he could make it." Havens believes that was when Boardman elected to live.

On May 19 Boardman walked aboard a plane bound for Salt Lake City and the University of Utah Medical

Center. There he underwent surgery to restore the left side of his skull with synthetic material, was fitted with an artificial arm and began therapy.

In November, Boardman transferred to the Southwest Institute for Head Injury in Phoenix, where he has been logging six hours of therapy a day. He lives in a nearby apartment and jogs on his lunch hour.

Nearly all of approximately \$150,000 in medical bills to date are covered by insurance. The Social Security Administration denied disability benefits, but Boardman is appealing.

A brief report just released by the National Transportation Safety Board offers few clues on the cause of the accident. The Cessna 404 cargo plane involved was owned by Zonic Airlines Inc. of Phoenix and was piloted by Boardman's brother, Kim, the night of the accident.

The most serious consequence of the accident — and the most galling to Boardman — is severe impairment of his ability to speak. He manages phrases, mostly void of verbs, prepositions and conjunctions.

The propeller severed a branch of the middle cerebral artery which covers major speech areas located on the damaged left side of Boardman's brain. White thought Boardman would never speak again.

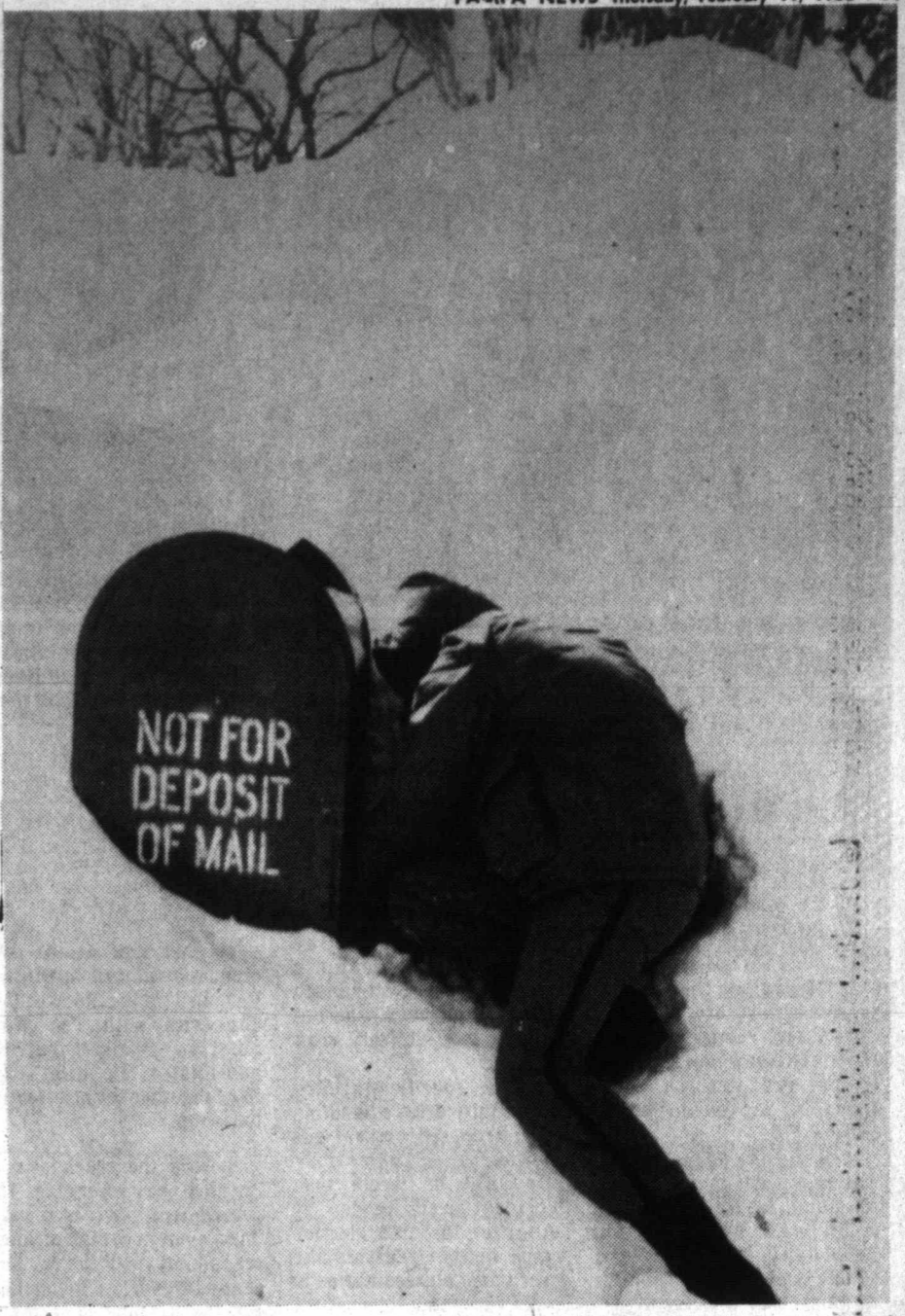
Dr. Anne May, a clinical psychologist at the Arizona facility, says Boardman's memory and intellect appear surprisingly intact.

"He is certainly in the upper range in terms of the rate of recovery. He's very resilient and continues to improve at a rapid rate. He's stubborn and persistent enough to stay with things."

She said it's probable Boardman eventually will be able to communicate at about 80 percent of an average level.

Is depression a problem for him? "Yes and no," Boardman said. "Today, fine. But tomorrow, maybe no. A see-saw."

In late December, Boardman returned to the Burbank hospital for a visit.



THE MAIL MUST GO THROUGH. Fairmont, Minn., mail carrier Terry Schermerhorn had his work cut out for him as he managed to get into one of his

collection boxes recently. Deep, almost continuous snows all but buried the box used to store mail for the mailman's delivery. (AP Laserphoto)

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## Block's office rent doubles

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government's housekeeping agency, the General Services Administration, is more than doubling the rent on Agriculture Secretary John R. Block's spacious office.

Occupants of the Agriculture Department's administration building on the Mall now are charged \$9 per square foot by GSA. The rent goes up to \$20 per square foot Oct. 1.

Larry Wachs, the department's associate budget director, said the "space" rates are adjusted every three years. Those are fees GSA charges agencies for the care and upkeep of federal property.

Wachs explained the practice and the rates after being asked about a \$691,000 increase for Block's office that was included in President Reagan's budget proposal sent to Congress earlier this week.

Some \$340,000 would be required in the fiscal year that will begin Oct. 1 to pay for salary increases for more than 100 people in Block's office.

But \$310,000 would be needed to take care of the higher space fees, Wachs said. The balance of \$41,000 would be chalked up mostly to rising costs of other items.

The boost sought for Block's office is not the rule-of-thumb in Reagan's budget proposals for the Agriculture Department. Total spending would be reduced to \$23.5 billion from \$29.4 billion in the current year.

Although the biggest cuts would come in highly visible programs such as food stamps and rural housing programs, the austerity reaches far and wide.

For example, the Economic Research Service plans to charge for publications now free to anyone who asks. That will save an estimated \$1.2 million.

"The number of copies printed for free distribution will be reduced to a minimum, mainly to provide copies to policy officials, libraries, the (news) media and extension agents," says the department's budget report.

Newsletters sent by the agency to 200,000 farmers will be eliminated. Those cover wheat, feed grains, livestock, oilseeds and cotton.

"Most of this information can be obtained by farmers from the media, farm magazines, other private sources, and the state-federal cooperative extension service," the report said.

Another publication, Farmline magazine, will be eliminated at a saving of \$200,000.

An additional \$1.1 million would be saved with elimination of some surveys made by the department's Statistical Reporting Service, which mostly benefit commodity trade groups and the industry. Those primarily are statistical reports for dairy products, livestock slaughter and the sugar market.

The budget also calls for eliminating the free distribution of reports issued by the Crop Reporting Board, a saving of \$1.2 million.

"The reports will still be made available free to the news services for immediate release and to those individuals and firms which provide basic data for our statistical

survey samples," it said. "All others will be required to obtain the reports on a subscription basis."

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rumors and speculation about the possibility of the administration imposing a trade embargo on the Soviet Union are hurting farmers, says Agriculture Secretary John R. Block.

"Everyone seems to want to talk about embargoes," Block said. "I don't want to talk about embargoes because they make the market nervous and they cause apprehension and concern, and they hurt prices."

Block made his comments Tuesday in response to a question during a telephone interview with a group of farm broadcasters.

President Reagan suspended forthcoming grain talks and imposed other sanctions on the Soviet Union for its role in the imposition of martial law in Poland.

Moreover, Reagan has threatened further action — including the possibility of total trade embargo — if the situation in Poland fails to improve.

Many farmers and their organizations are fearful of another embargo, perhaps tighter than the partial lid ordered by then-President Carter on Jan. 4, 1980, as retaliation against the Soviet move into Afghanistan.

That embargo was lifted by Reagan last April after months of pressure by Block and other farm leaders.

"The president has made it quite clear that there won't be a grain embargo (by itself) because he would not want to single out ... agriculture," Block said.

Displaying edginess at the question, Block added: "I just need to remind people — No. 1, this administration is the administration that took the (previous) embargo off, and No. 2, this is the administration that has not imposed an embargo on grains. I think it's important for people to keep that in mind."

However, Block said Reagan still needs to keep some prerogatives "to do whatever he felt was absolutely necessary" regarding the current situation, including "a total economic sanction against the Soviet Union or anyone else, should it be necessary."

Block said there are "a lot of reporters that seem to write about embargoes and other people that seem to feel that they would be a most appropriate action to take" against the Soviets.

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## One card for all occasions

GRESHAM, Ore. (AP) — Three Gresham businessmen have designed a generic greeting card to help well-wishers at a loss for words.

The all-purpose, all-occasion card resembles other generic items that eschew fancy packaging in favor of sparse black and white presentation.

"It started as a tongue-in-cheek spoof on generic products," said Larry Walker, one of the co-founders. "We wanted to target people with a sense of humor."

The card features a checklist of 13 endearments ranging from "yours truly" to "in your ear."

Another checklist includes some 40 occasions. There are the traditional holidays like Christmas and Thanksgiving. And then there are some events not usually featured on greeting cards, such as Child-Is-Potty-Trained Day, In-Law Moving Out, or Vasectomy.

Walker said they purposely did not include more somber events because of the humorous nature of the cards.

The idea for the cards came up during a coffee break one day at the Gresham Outlook newspaper, where Walker, Bill DeLorme and Scott Barnes all work. They began sketching out ideas and devised the slogan: "When you're cheap enough to send not much of anything."

The first couple of sales to stores were made directly by the founders. GeneriCards now has a distribution network and is being marketed in at least 10 states.

## Low spot lower as Jordan River shrinks

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — The river Jordan is getting shorter, and the Dead Sea, lowest spot on earth, is getting lower.

Man-made irrigation projects, dams and even the Middle East war are changing geographical facts of life created millions of years ago.

The decrease in the Jordan's holy waters is contributing to a drop in the level of the Dead Sea into which it flows.

A pilgrim seeking to dip in the waters of the southern Jordan may have a hard time getting his ankles wet. The river shrinks to a trickle during the rainless summer.

A study of aerial photographs of the

river by Dr. Micha Klein of Haifa University shows that between the Sea of Galilee and the Dead Sea, the Jordan is nipping off its meanders and flowing straighter, so that it is now 125 miles long — 12.5 miles less than in the 1930s.

The Jordan, flowing through a deep geological trough that belongs to the Great African Rift, serves as the border between Israel and Jordan, and both countries depend on it to ease their chronic water shortage.

The river used to carry 1.1 billion cubic meters of water a year. But Israel's National Water Carrier, a major irrigation and drinking-water project completed in 1964, siphons off about 400 million cubic meters a year.

Jordan's Ghor Canal takes about 900 million cubic meters annually, and when the dam on the Yarmuk, a large Jordan tributary, is completed in a couple of years, the river may barely top 150 million cubic meters a year — barely an eighth of its original flow, Klein says.

Less water means the river must increase its rate of flow to survive. To achieve this, says Klein, it must steepen its gradient, and it is doing so by cutting a straighter course where it used to meander in a wild squiggle through the Judean Desert.



POPE'S CAR. Pope John Paul II stands near the Mercedes jeep fitted with bulletproof plastic glass that was presented to him Wednesday. A Vatican official said the Pope will use the car in the cobblestoned square to greet pilgrims at

weekly general audiences in the spring and summer. The Pope was shot in an assassination attempt during an audience in the square last May 13 while riding in an open jeep. (AP Laserphoto)

### Senator says administration is 'foot-dragging' on Soviet sales

WASHINGTON (AP) — "Confusion and foot-dragging" by the Reagan administration are allowing the Soviet Union to use American know-how to build up its own strength, Sen. Henry M. Jackson, D-Wash., contends.

He said that at the 1981 economic summit in Ottawa, Reagan "made known U.S. concerns with the West Siberian pipeline, but the administration didn't get itself together for an effective follow-up."

"It took the crackdown in Poland to energize the government," Jackson said. "And even now high officials are talking about the decision regarding U.S. technology and the pipeline in terms of 'weighing the damage to the Soviet Union against the damage to the alliance.'"

In a speech prepared for delivery in the Senate today, Jackson called on the administration to immediately prohibit the use of any American technology to help build a natural gas pipeline from Siberia to Western Europe.

Jackson specifically cited the administration's handling of the proposed natural gas pipeline. He said he wrote then President-elect Reagan 10 days after the 1980 election urging him to reassess the government's presumption in favor of granting licenses for the export of oil and gas equipment.

He said the administration had made a "fragmentary start" toward a more restrictive policy in recent months, but added, "I am worried that our recent efforts will not outlast the current sanctions resulting from events in Poland."

"There is no longer doubt that our technology has materially aided Soviet expansion," Jackson said. "It has improved Soviet weapons, intelligence devices, and economic leverage. We are still much too far away from a vigorous program to effectively meet the danger."

Yet the administration started off by approving a first shipment of Caterpillar pipelayers to the Soviet Union, he said.

### Officers raid Boys Town, close it down

MATAMOROS, Mexico (AP) — Mayor Jorge Cardenas gave his police force a strong tongue-lashing, reminding them of their obligation to the community, then put them on five buses for a surprise raid on this border town's red-light district.

Cardenas ordered the raid on Zona de Tolerancia — better known as "Boys Town" — after reminding most of the city's 384 policemen they were hired to serve the community, not the businessmen who controlled the city's legalized prostitution.

"I want that engrained in your brains and I want each of you to exhibit a desire to serve the community, not yourselves or your superiors," Cardenas told the officers, many of whom worked as off-duty security officers in Boys' Town. Cardenas then ordered the men onto buses without telling them where they were bound.

"It is an embarrassment on our community," Cardenas said of the fabled section on the outskirts of town. "We are trying to improve the image of Matamoros and we will."

The convoy of five buses, escorted by military jeeps with flashing emergency lights, descended on the Boys Town compound and roused most of the women, managers and owners of the establishments.

Police Chief Alvaro Ceron ordered his men to surround the compound before initiating a building-by-building inspection to ferret out the people inside. He walked the unpaved main street of the Zona, ordering officers to detain everybody

apprehended within. "Nadie entra, nadie sale (No one comes in, no one leaves)," a police supervisor standing at the main entrance told a group of officers.

After the search, Ceron posted police guards at the Zona entrance to shoo away the curious and inform would-be customers the place was closed.

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### AREA MUSEUMS

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PANHANDLE PLAINS HISTORICAL MUSEUM: Canyon, Regular museum hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and 2-4 p.m. Sundays at Lake Meredith Aquarium & WILDLIFE MUSEUM: Pritch, Hours 2-5 p.m. Tuesday and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday.
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PIONEER WEST MUSEUM: Shamrock, Regular museum hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, Saturday and Sunday.
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OLD MOBEETIE JAIL MUSEUM: Old Mobeetie Hours 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday.
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PAMPA LODGE No. 966 A.F. & A.M. Thursday, 7:30 P.M. E.A. Degree. Walter Fletcher, W.M., Paul Appleton, Secretary.
TOP O' TEXAS Scottish Rite meeting Friday, February 12, Top O' Texas Masonic Lodge 1381, West Kentucky Street. Family Night. Members asked to bring covered dish. Master, Masons and wives invited. Feed, 6:30 p.m.

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### Public Notices

NOTICE TO BIDDERS Sealed bids will be received by the City Commission of the City of Pampa, Texas at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Pampa, Texas, until 2:00 o'clock P.M. CDST on February 25, 1982 for the contract proposed to be let for furnishing materials, machinery, equipment, superintendence and labor for "PAMPA STORM SEWER PROJECT STATE HIGHWAY 70-NORTH". The Project for which bids are being solicited involves City-County Participation, and bids are to be submitted for the performance of all work required to complete the entire Project. However, separate contracts will be let by the City and the County on the basis of their participation in the Project.

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## Efforts underway for Texas-Mexico train

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — A delegation of city officials traveled to Mexico City this week to advance a proposal that the Mexican National Railroad bring its trains across the border to provide daily first-class passenger service to San Antonio.

"They are anxious to talk, maybe more than we are," said city councilman Bob Thompson, heading a delegation to sound out Mexican railway officials on the idea.

Thompson, Bexar County Commissioner Jeff Wentworth and Carlos Orellano, executive director of the Institute of the Americas, planned to drive to Monterrey, Mexico, Sunday, then board the Mexican "Aztec Eagle" train for the remainder of the trip into Mexico City.

Lester Noble, the local Amtrak agent who has been involved in rail service here since

1941 and is a longtime proponent of daily passenger train service linking the two countries, estimated such an agreement could result in \$50 million a year in commerce.

The colorful Noble, who advanced the proposal to City Council late last year and is serving on a committee to study it, said he visualizes making San Antonio a link between the Mexican National Railroad and Amtrak, which furnishes passenger service from here west to Los Angeles, east to New Orleans, and north to St. Louis and Chicago.

He nostalgically remembers when local hotels were filled by "drummers" — American businessmen who came by train to show their wares — and Mexican businessmen who came to San Antonio by rail to purchase the goods, before direct train

service to Mexico was terminated 13 years ago.

Noble said he believed many Mexicans and Americans both would choose trains rather than airplanes if the option were provided.

Riding one of Amtrak's new trains, which are suspended by air, "is just like flying across this country on the magic carpet of Bagdad," Noble said with a laugh.

Thompson said no breakthroughs were expected at the initial discussion with the Mexicans, but that the matter could come up later this week when Texas Gov. Bill Clements meets with Mexican President Jose Lopez Portillo.

Monday's meeting was arranged to pinpoint problems in extending Mexican train service to San Antonio and determine

whether the problems can be overcome, Thompson said, and will involve such issues as customs inspections, a route for the trains, schedule frequency, and risks and benefits.

Thompson said if the idea seems feasible, the San Antonio delegation would meet with Clements' aides to have the matter added to the agenda for the Clements-Lopez Portillo talks, Thompson said.

Amtrak last Oct. 1 discontinued its Laredo leg of the "Inter-American" route that linked Chicago with the border city, where passengers could transfer to the Aztec Eagle.

Noble said that an 18-hour layover in Laredo prevented the three times weekly Inter-American from being to the boon to Mexico travel that it could have been.

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