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OVER-ALL STATEWIDE RECOMMENDED HIKE IS 9.2 PER CENT

Texas Car Insurance Rates Increase Expected

AUSTIN (AP) — More and costlier accidents mean private passenger car insurance rates should increase an average of 11.4 per cent statewide, Texas Insurance Board rate experts said today.

The experts said coverage of physical damage to automobiles should rise in every one of the state's 40 rating territories, while bodily injury liability costs should increase in 14 ter-

ritories.

"The rate indications show that safety belts and building safety into cars are beginning to show results," said board member Durwood Manford, referring to the proposed bodily injury liability reductions in 21 territories.

New rates will become effective Sept. 1. The board is expected to issue them around Aug. 1 after it has reviewed

testimony at today's statewide automobile insurance hearing.

When all classes of vehicles are considered, including commercial ones, the over-all statewide recommended increase is 9.2 per cent.

The individual car insurance policyholder may have a rate change either greater or less than the statewide average. Rates are set according to 40 territories and 14 divergent

categories of private passenger car drivers.

Here are the average statewide recommended changes for the major kinds of private passenger automobile coverage:

—Liability, up 5.5 per cent.
—This includes a 3.7 per cent reduction in bodily injury and a 21.4 per cent rise in property damage.
—Collision, up 17.5 per cent.
—Physical damage coverage

other than collision, mostly comprehensive insurance, up 24.9 per cent.

Commercial vehicle operators will get a somewhat better break than the average private car owner if the new rates take effect.

Indicated rate changes for commercial vehicles provide an 11 per cent reduction in bodily injury liability, 2.1 per cent cut in property damage liability and

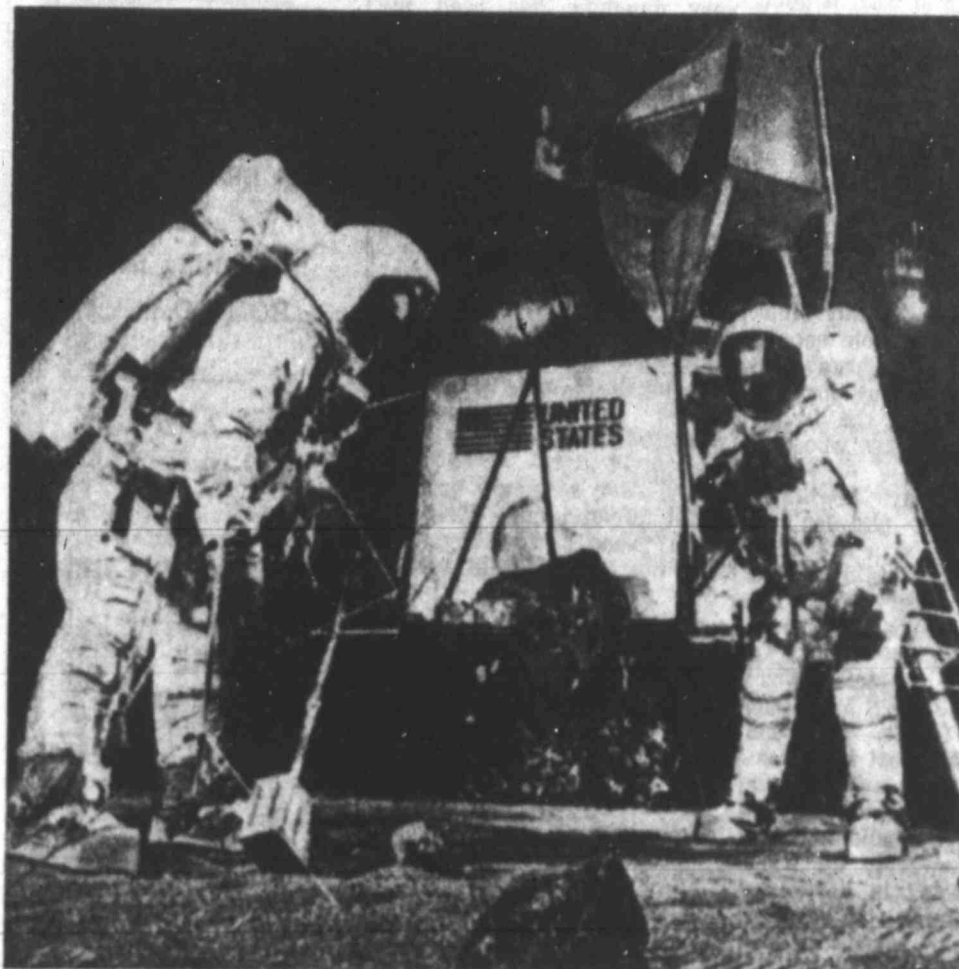
a 3.4 per cent increase in physical damage coverage, including collision and comprehensive insurance.

"The causes of the increase in physical damage result from sharp—I mean sharp—increases in the cost of labor for automobile repairs," said Board member Ned Price.

He said, for example, that last year the grill on a new Ford LTD could be replaced for

\$62. This year, he said, it cost \$138 to replace a new Ford LTD's grill. Labor costs for auto repairs have gone up 40 per cent in the Houston area in three years, Price said. In the Dallas area he said parts and labor together have risen by 25.4 per cent since 1965.

Paradoxically, safer cars have reduced indicated liability costs (See INSURANCE, P. 4-A, C. 7)



Moonscoops Rehearsal

Simulated moon activities are shown being carried out by Apollo 11 astronauts Edwin Aldrin, left, and Neil Armstrong during training session. They are practicing using devices for gathering moon rocks and moon surface samples.

Conflicting Viewpoints On Tax Bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of the Treasury David M. Kennedy pleaded today for immediate Senate action to extend the income tax surcharge, declaring a delay would throw doubt on "the determination of government to bring an orderly halt to inflation."

But Chairman Russell B. Long, D-La., replied his Senate Finance Committee would open the extension bill to broad questions of tax reform and thus take weeks and possibly months to act on it.

The conflicting viewpoints were voiced as the committee opened its public hearings on the bill passed by the House by a slim 210-205 vote.

Kennedy, the first witness, said, "Failure to extend the surcharge would amount to a cut in taxes at a time of accelerating inflation. The consequences of failing to pass this legislation are unthinkable."

Kennedy urged the panel to postpone reform legislation, pending another bill being considered by the House Ways and Means Committee.

But Long announced in opening the hearing that tax reform would be considered as a major part of the surtax bill and "that our tax reform hearings are going to be just as broad and comprehensive as the senators want them to be."

He said the committee would open public hearings July 21 on reform amendments.

Kennedy said during House hearings on the bill that the surtax extension should be hurried through as an anti-inflation measure, and that major tax reform should be taken up later by Congress in a separate bill.

The Finance Committee has not decided how it will attack the touchy question of tax reform.

But the powerful Senate Democratic Policy Committee has voted unanimously to use the surtax bill as a vehicle for reform amendments.

The House bill, which would extend the 10 per cent income surtax the rest of this year and then lower it to 3 per cent for the first six months of 1970, has three other items included.

These are repeal of the 7 per cent investment credit for business plant and equipment modernization, reduction or elimination of federal income taxes for 13 million low-income families, and extension of present auto and telephone excise tax rates which otherwise would drop Jan. 1.

First U. S. Troops Homeward Bound

AFTER 130 ORBITS

Astromonk Bonny Dies

HONOLULU (AP) — Astromonk Bonny died suddenly at midnight Monday 12 hours after the monkey put down in the Pacific Ocean following 130 orbits around earth in a space capsule, the U.S. space agency reported.

"It was sudden," said Brad Evans, public information officer for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. "He had been in fair condition just before."

The 14-pound monkey, exhausted and bored, was brought back to earth more than three weeks early and splashed down in his Biosatellite 3 some 25 miles off Kauai, Hawaii.

Observers described America's space monkey as limp but alive when flown by Air Force helicopter to

Hawaii's Hickam Air Force base.

NASA officials said an autopsy was ordered immediately in the biosatellite laboratory trailer where the monkey had been under intensive care since the touchdown.

"We had no idea that he was that close to death," added Evans. "He just suddenly fell off."

NASA officials scheduled a news conference this morning to discuss the unexpected climax of the aborted space mission.

Evans said it was still too early to call the mission a failure, saying "it depends on what data have already received."

"We had been hoping for a minimum 14-day mission for success," he said.

McCHORD AIR FORCE BASE, Wash. (AP) — The first U.S. troops to be pulled out of Vietnam by President Nixon winged homeward in nine jet transports today after a sendoff marked by military fanfare and the thanks of Saigon officials.

Gen. Creighton W. Abrams, commander of American forces in Vietnam, told the 814 men in the first contingent of 25,000 U.S. troops being withdrawn: "You occupy a significant moment in history."

A gala welcome awaited the infantrymen, almost all veterans of combat, at this Air Force base, near Ft. Lewis and the city of Seattle.

Army Chief of Staff Gen. William C. Westmoreland, a former U.S. commander in Vietnam, flew in from Washington with decorations for five of the returning soldiers of the 3rd Battalion, 60th Infantry, 9th Infantry Division.

On the program for the next three days were speeches by public figures, band music, a parade, a dinner, pretty girls and, in many cases, family reunions.

Among those who saw the troops off at Tan Son Nhut airport Tuesday were South Vietnamese President Nguyen Van Thieu, Vice-President Nguyen Cao Ky and Defense Minister Gen. Nguyen Van Vy.

Thieu and Ky were surprised last minute arrivals, just before the soldiers marched to their waiting C-141 Starlifter aircraft. They passed down the ranks of the fatigued Americans, shaking hands and thanking them for their services.

Addressing the departing battalion, Thieu said: "Together we have repelled Communist aggression. This has been our goal and our purpose."

"This is only the beginning of this process," Thieu said. He noted the losses of the U.S. 9th division in South Vietnam—1,855 killed in action—and said, "Our duty is to make sure this sacrifice was not in vain."

"We fully realize that the primary responsibility of the struggle should be ours," the 46-year-old South Vietnamese president said. He added that his nation would still need combat support and supplies.

After his speech, Thieu presented a gift to the unit and individual gifts to its officers and senior noncommissioned officers.

Abrams told the troops: "The progress in the armed forces of the Republic of Vietnam has enabled us to begin a program which permits replacement of United States units with those of the Republic of Vietnam."

"Within the next few days," he said, "you will parade in your own country as representatives of all who preceded you and all who remain here to assist a free nation in its struggle against outside aggression."

NAACP Takes Aim At Fine Print Clauses

WASHINGTON (AP) — Fine-print clauses in installment contracts and loan agreements are the targets of a broad, three-pronged legal campaign being mounted by the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund.

Lawyers for the fund are claiming in a flurry of lawsuits this summer these clauses unfairly deprive consumers of their right to defend themselves against creditors.

The civil rights organization is aiming at three kinds of contract clauses:

1. Those in which consumers who fail to meet installment payments give up their right to defend themselves against suits by finance companies. This arrangement is permitted in all states except California, Maryland, Massachusetts, Vermont and Washington.

2. Those in which consumers give up their right even to be notified they are being sued by the companies or by the merchants themselves. This is permitted in Colorado, Delaware, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Maryland, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Virginia.

3. Those in which consumers who default on loan or purchase payments assign future wages to their creditors. This is permitted in most states.

Philip Schrag, a fund lawyer, told in a telephone interview of the over-all consumers campaign:

"Poor consumers, both black and white, are routinely cheated and abused by merchants and creditors. We are using every available legal device to protect these buyers and borrowers because such merchants contribute significantly to keeping poor people poor. "Civil rights are meaningless unless they are accompanied by economic rights."

The fund is relying heavily on the Supreme Court's 7-1 decision last month invalidating Wisconsin's garnishment law—one of seven cases argued successfully before the court by fund attorneys last term.

The court ruled a worker is entitled to a hearing before his salary can be frozen to satisfy a creditor's demands.

This decision undercut garnishment laws in 16 other states and voided a quarter-million outstanding garnishments.

Moreover, it seems to have established the principle that property cannot be taken from a person in a court proceeding unless he has a chance to defend himself.

MORE PROTECTION

Jobless Benefits Message

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon urged Congress today to bring 4.8 million more workers under unemployment insurance and to extend the period of benefits during times of high unemployment.

"Over 57 million workers are protected by unemployment insurance," the President said in a message to the Senate and House. "However, almost 17 million are not covered. More than half of these are employees of state and local governments."

Bank Bandit Captured

PHARR, Tex. (AP) — A bearded gunman, who tried to hold up a bank, shot a woman teller and took another woman hostage, was captured less than two hours later, police said.

Police said they captured the man as he tried to shave off his beard while crouching in a closet in the home of a relative.

The gunman had dropped his loot in his escape attempt.

The wounded employe, Mazie Robie, was shot in the arm when the robber dropped his pistol while trying to tie her, police said. She was reported in satisfactory condition.

The gunman, described as a Mexican-American in his 20s, scooped up the cash from three teller's cages and forced Lynette Moore, 20, to accompany him.

She was released shortly afterward and as the gunman sprinted down an alley he dropped the cash.

The gunman robbed the Security State Bank of Pharr shortly before 9 a.m. today. Bank officials refused to say how much money was taken and recovered.

In Today's HERALD Farm Fight Not Over

The Senate has voted down a proposed \$20,000 a year ceiling on government payments to farmers for not planting crops. But House supporters of the limit say the fight is not over yet. See Page 2-A.

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CLOUDY

Partly cloudy through Wednesday. Slight chance of thunderstorms late today and again late Wednesday. Warmer today. High today low-mid 90's. Low tonight mid-upper 60's. High tomorrow low-mid 90's.

HCJC Ends 1st Session

Howard County Junior College will button up the first six weeks term of the summer session Friday. Registration for the second six-weeks period will be on Tuesday, and classes will start Wednesday, July 16.

The initial session saw a record of 302 for a summer session sign up. Normally, the second period has a fewer number, but indications are that there will be good interest in the course offerings.

An appeal is being made for freshmen students to pre-register July 28-Aug. 1 for the fall term. This will save them and the college officials considerable time in September. A sizable number, however, have beaten this project to the punch, for they have been pre-registering all during June and early July.

Israel, Egypt At It As Per Usual

TEL AVIV (AP) — Israeli jets shot down seven Syrian MIG fighters over the occupied Golan Heights today, a military spokesman said.

An Israeli army announcement said the MIGs were intercepted by Israeli aircraft and a 30-minute dogfight took place at altitudes ranging from 10,000 to 20,000 feet.

Damascus radio said Syrian planes intercepted the Israeli planes over Syrian territory and forced them to flee. It said nothing about any Syrian plane losses.

The MIGs crossed into Israeli-held territory near Quneitra in the highlands taken from Syria by the Israelis in the 1967

war, the spokesman said.

It was the biggest single score claimed by Israeli pilots since the six-day war.

The Israelis downed their last Syrian MIG May 29.

Since then there has been little air activity on the Syrian-Israeli cease-fire line.

But in air battles with the Egyptians the Israelis claim to have chalked up a total of 27 Soviet-built MIGs shot down since 1967.

In a big air battle on July 2, Israel claimed its jets downed four MIG21s in a battle over the Suez Canal.

Israeli troops killed 18 Arab infiltrators in a series of gun battles on two fronts Monday night, the army announced. It denied Egyptian claims that the Israelis suffered "heavy casualties."

Soldiers at the Suez Canal drove off an Egyptian commando raid north of Timsa Lake, opposite Ismailia, killing nine Arabs, an Israeli spokesman said. He added that nine Arab guerrillas fell in two other clashes in the Jordan Valley.

Wife Of Skyjacker Surprised In Cuba

HAVANA (AP) — The estranged wife of an American hijacker seeking custody of the daughter her husband brought with him to Cuba nearly six months ago was surprised Monday night to find him and the child waiting at Havana airport to meet her.

But minutes before—his wife arrived, Thomas George Washington told a newsman he would not give up the child.

After hugging her daughter, 3-year-old Jennifer, Mrs. Joanne Washington, 25, of Philadelphia, said she wanted to speak personally with Prime Minister Fidel Castro. She already has appealed to Castro by telegram.

Mrs. Washington arrived on a Cuban National Airlines flight from Mexico with a 30-day visa arranged through the Czechoslovak Embassy in Washington. The embassy represents Cuban

interests in the United States, which has no official relations with the Castro regime.

Mrs. Washington said seeing her husband was a surprise but she declined to say whether she would leave Cuba without her daughter. A Swiss Embassy representative was present to meet her, but she left Havana's Jose Marti Airport with Washington, her daughter and a Cuban official for an undisclosed destination. The Swiss Embassy represents U.S. interests in Cuba.

Washington, a 27-year-old Negro chemist, appeared nervous but sat patiently with his daughter on his knee as his wife passed through Cuban customs.

He readily admitted to the newsman that he had hijacked an Eastern Airlines DC8 jet last Dec. 19 on a flight from Philadelphia to Miami. But he called

it a "mercy mission" and "really nothing."

At the time members of the DC8 crew reported the hijacker said he was doing it for his daughter's sake. Radio Havana later reported he used a toy gun to divert the plane with 151 persons aboard.

Washington said he hijacked the jet because he was disgusted with life in the United States. He has since been working in the Cuban Academy of Sciences and his daughter is attending a state kindergarten and speaking Spanish.

Washington said he was held in detention for 30 days after he arrived in Cuba and described his treatment as good but added: "It has its limitations."

Washington and his wife were separated before he came to Cuba. He took the daughter with him after a pre-Christmas visit to Philadelphia.

50-50 Chance Deaths Linked

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — Police Chief Walter Krasny says "it's a 50-50 chance" the shooting deaths of three University of Michigan coeds since March 21 were connected.

Accused of murdering the third girl over the weekend is Ernest L. Bishop Jr., 25, a convicted rapist freed from prison last December.

Police sought to recover a .22 caliber pistol they said an acquaintance of Bishop told them was thrown into the Huron River. The latest coed victim, Margaret Phillips, 25, and the two other students all were shot in the head with .22 caliber bullets.

\$20,000 A Year Ceiling On Farm Subsidies Nixed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senators have voted down a proposed \$20,000 annual ceiling on government payments to farmers for not planting crops, but House supporters of the limit say the fight is not over.

The Senate, before passing a \$7.6 billion Agriculture Department appropriations bill Monday, eliminated a House-originated amendment which would impose a \$20,000 limit on the subsidies. The vote was 53-34 in favor of rejecting the ceiling, and the bill was passed 88-2.

A conference committee will iron out differences between the Senate and House versions of the appropriations measure.

Republican Reps. Silvio Conte of Massachusetts and Paul Findley of Illinois, who pushed successfully for the ceiling in the House, said they would not give up on the limit.

Conte, calling the Senate action "a tragic mistake," said he would try to get the ceiling reinstated in conference or would seek House floor action insisting on the \$20,000 limitation.

The ceiling was opposed by the administration.

Minority Leader Everett M. Dirksen of Illinois argued against limiting payments, while John J. Williams of Delaware fought for the ceiling he said would save the government \$35 million annually.

Citing instances of five farms each getting more than \$1 million not to produce crops, Williams commented: "I don't know how any member of the Senate can justify paying \$1 million to so-called farmers not to farm."

Dirksen noted that the subsidy was started to eliminate farm surpluses.

Sen. Spessard L. Holland, D-Fla., floor manager of the bill, contended the ceiling could create chaos in farming. And Sen. Roman L. Hruska, R-Nebr., said that a ceiling could hurt small farmers by causing a flood of produce on the market.

Not taking part in the debate but voting against the proposed ceiling was Democratic Sen. James O. Eastland who has received subsidies for keeping some of his Mississippi land out of production. Records from fiscal 1967 showed he and his family received \$211,364 in such sub-

sidies. The \$7.6 billion bill approved under last year's appropriation, by the Senate is about \$675 million above the President's budget requests, but \$548 million under \$2 billion is for school lunches, commodity distribution and other programs to feed the poor. About half the funds are for payments to farmers and just



A Life In Their Hands

The clothes burned off his body, Barry Bernhardt, 23, of 1420 E. Fourth St., Brooklyn, lies on the pavement as his car burns after crashing into a wall on the northbound lane of the New England Thruway in New Rochelle, N.Y., Monday. At bottom, rescuers pull Bernhardt away from the flaming wreck. A passenger in the car died in the crash. Bernhardt is in critical condition.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

Will Try For Early Budget Vote In Special Session

AUSTIN (AP) — An early budget vote in the July 28 special legislative session is being sought by the House Appropriations Committee, a committee source says. The committee met over steak

and French fries in a downtown hotel Monday to lay the groundwork for the session's budget actions.

Early completion of a budget bill would enable the legislature to act on other issues, such as new courts.

"We didn't make any decisions, just discussed things in general," Rep. W. S. Healy, Paducah, the committee chairman said.

"One thing we did," said a committee member, "was we passed a damn rule in there that he (Healy) would make the news release."

The luncheon, behind closed doors, lasted two hours. A committee member said the main action was to authorize the legislative budget board staff to work up an appropriations bill—closely following the two-year budget passed by the house in mid-April—for discussion by the committee in about two weeks.

The source said an appropriations bill would be introduced in the house probably the second day of the session.

With advance approval of a basic outline of a budget, the committee can send a bill to the floor for a vote early in the 30-day session, he said.

The bill's framework will be the \$5.72 billion General Appropriations Act approved by the House. The committee, however, generally agreed the

measure might be enlarged by certain items written into the one-year budget that finally passed both houses. There also might be additional items gleaned from post-session agency requests.

Gov. Preston Smith vetoed the one-year bill June 21 and issued a proclamation last Monday calling the legislature back July 28 specifically to write a two-year budget.

Since then, state agencies have been asked to submit any special requests they might have for more funds than were approved in the original two-year bill.

One such request came from Pirtie Watts, a spokesman for state employees, who asked for a 6.8 per cent across the board pay raise for rank and file employees the coming fiscal year, with another 3.4 per cent increase in 1970-71.

The Budget Board staff was instructed to take the supplemental requests and some of the increases added by the Conference Committee and put them together into an over-all two-year budget proposal, a committee source said.

The bill passed by the house during the regular session totaled \$51.4 million less than the Senate had approved.

Both measures would require hundreds of millions in new taxes over the coming two-year period.

Millionaire Marxist Sentenced To Prison

KARLSRUHE, Germany (AP) — West Germany's millionaire Marxist, Hans Heinz Porst, was convicted today of maintaining treasonous contacts with Communist East Germany. He was sentenced to two years and nine months in prison and fined \$2,500.

Porst, 46, owner of one of West Germany's largest mail-order camera and photo-equipment chains, admitted during his trial that he was a member of East Germany's Socialist Unity party, but denied he was ever a spy.

The West German Supreme Court sentenced codefendant Alfred Pilny, a former Porst employee, to two years and three months in prison on the same charge. Peter Neumann, 46, also a former Porst employee, was given a nine-month suspended sentence.

Porst was accused of working with the East Germans while being a member of the West

Equalization Sessions Are Quieter Today

Sessions of the equalization boards for Howard County, the City of Big Spring, the Big Spring Independent School District, the Howard County Junior College, and the Forsan Independent School district were moving ahead with their work today at the county courthouse.

The excitement of Monday, when a large number of members of the Rural Taxpayers Association were on hand, was missing. The interviews today were much as other years at the equalization sessions. There were no long lines of taxpayers on hand and less than 100 had registered to meet with the board.

Representatives of Wilson and Davis, tax engineering firm hired by the county to re-evaluate rural property, were on hand to confer with taxpayers about new values charged against their properties.

Texan Called Top Prospect

NACOGDOCHES, Tex. (AP) — Starting in the eighth grade, George Johnson grew three inches in height each year. In the last three years however, he's gained only 1 1/2 inches.

No matter. He's currently 6 feet-11 1/2 inches and 240 pounds and the pro basketball scouts can pick him out in any crowd.

Johnson, a senior this fall at Stephen F. Austin, was spotted two years ago at the NAA tournament in Kansas City by Jim Gudger, coach of a State Department team that will tour Europe for five weeks this summer.

Johnson was one of Gudger's first selections for the team.

"I've never coached a player with so much raw ability," said S. F. Austin coach Marshall Brown, citing Johnson as a prime reason for the Lumberjacks' 69-13 record over the last three years.

"I've had others who had finesse and better coordination and touch," Brown said. "But none had as much potential as George. He just needs to learn to play, because he had no experience when he got here."

Johnson played outdoor basketball until the 11th grade at a non-integrated school in Hallsville. Then the Harleton school system integrated giving Johnson his chance.

Upon graduation, 62 schools, including Kentucky, Kansas and Tulsa made scholarship offers. Johnson chose SFA because a friend, Harvey Rayson was a member of the basketball team and also because of a Harleton teacher, A. J. Morris.

Hazard Radio Move 'Snakey'

HAZARD, Ky. (AP) — Radio WKIC recently moved its FM transmitter to a remote mountain near here, but the location may have been a little more remote than expected.

Station Manager, Ernest Sparkman was making a technical adjustment Monday at the transmitter on Buffalo Mountain.

Coiled just inches away was a rattlesnake ready for business. Sparkman jumped back and managed to kill the snake with an iron pipe.

Artificial Reef

AUSTIN (AP) — The Army Corps of Engineers has approved Texas application to build a second artificial reef 10 1/2 miles southeast of Port Aransas in the Gulf of Mexico.



Dear Abby

DEAR ABBY: I work in the same office with a woman I'll call "Mary." Mary's son is in the service, and his fiancée (I'll call her "Joan") is living with Mary and her husband. Almost every morning Mary brings a letter Joan has written to Mary's son, to be stamped and mailed with the company mail.

Mary routinely opens the letter, reads it, types a new envelope, and sends it on its way. She has also bragged that when Joan has gone out she has read the letters her son has written to Joan.

Is there an anonymous way to inform Joan of what is going on? COWORKER

DEAR COWORKER: Someone could send Joan this column. And someone should tell Mary that it's not cricket to bring personal letters to an office to stamp and send with the company mail.

DEAR ABBY: I am having a problem with my 11-year-old daughter who is an only child. Debbie thinks she's old enough to stay by herself when my husband and I go out for the evening. She says she is the only one in her class who still has a sitter.

My husband says he thinks Debbie is right. She isn't a dumb child. She's in a special class with gifted children, but to me, that doesn't matter. I still think an 11-year-old should not be left at night without an adult. I would appreciate your opinion. DEBBIE'S MOTHER

DEAR MOTHER: "Age" is not always the most important factor. (Some 11-year-olds have better sense than their 21-year-old sitters.) I would not be influenced, however, by what the "other kids" in her class do. You, yourself, will have to decide whether your daughter is able to stay by herself.

DEAR ABBY: Would you please write something in your column about young girls becoming involved with married men? I have reason to believe that my beautiful 18-year-old daughter has entered into such a relationship. This man is handsome and charming, but he can offer her nothing but a back street motel romance.

My daughter is pretty and adventuresome, and I regret that our influence is not as strong as it might have been, although

she has never been in any trouble.

Since my information is confidential I cannot very well approach her with warnings and "motherly" advice.

Perhaps a word from you might help. She has read your column faithfully for years. HEARTSICK MOTHER

DEAR MOTHER: A "word" from me isn't likely to help much. What she needs is a word from someone who has been down that road and found that it leads to heartbreak alley. If your daughter has read me "faithfully," she will have seen many such letters.

An involvement with a married man is almost without exception the most painful, degrading and hopeless relationship a woman can experience. But unfortunately most women have to learn the hard way.

Everybody has a problem. What's yours? For a personal reply write to Abby, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069, and enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

For Abby's new booklet, "What Teen-Agers Want to Know," send \$1 to Abby, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069.

New Pavilion Going Up

City workmen began construction Monday afternoon of a 16-by-28-foot covered pavilion at the downtown parking lot on the site of the old Crawford Hotel.

The pavilion will be raised one step above sidewalk level, according to Ernest Lillard, public works director, and will be covered with concrete roof sections. There will also be two or three planters on the pavilion, he said.

The supporting pillars and the roof sections have already been molded and are ready to be put in place. Workmen are preparing the base this week, and should complete the pavilion within 10 days, Lillard said.

Houston's First 1969 Polio Cases

HOUSTON (AP) — A four-year old boy and his 15-month-old sister are Houston's first polio cases for 1969.

Medical officials completed tests Monday that confirmed the two Mexican-Americans have type-I polio. Neither had received any polio vaccine.

The children were taken to the Texas Institute for Rehabilitation and Research.

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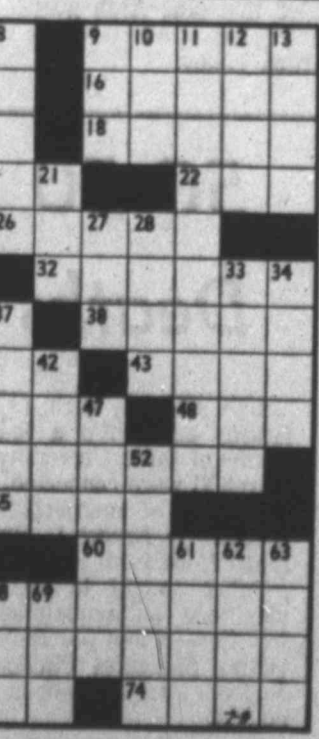
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9 Lose one's head	3 Ridicule
14 Old Testament addenda	4 Busy
17 Town in Maine	5 Norse god
18 Illustrated	6 Prefix; over
19 Breed of ducks	7 Food fish
20 Algerian governor	8 German dollar
22 As well	9 Author of "Tamerlane"
23 Extensive	10 Parrot
26 Rough silk	11 Its capital is Pnyngyang; 2 words
29 First-rate	12 Preposition
32 Wrinkle	13 Kind of salmon
35 Needlefish	14 Mr. Reagan
36 Matas out	21 Pacific island
38 Woodland	24 Spill
39 Overlook	25 Hawk's weapon
41 White bear	26 Prison
43 Cleveland's waterfront	28 Palestine port
44 Subject	29 Greek island
46 Certain Egyptian	
48 Shoe leather	
49 Heavy stone	
51 Tourist's gear	
53 Storage area	
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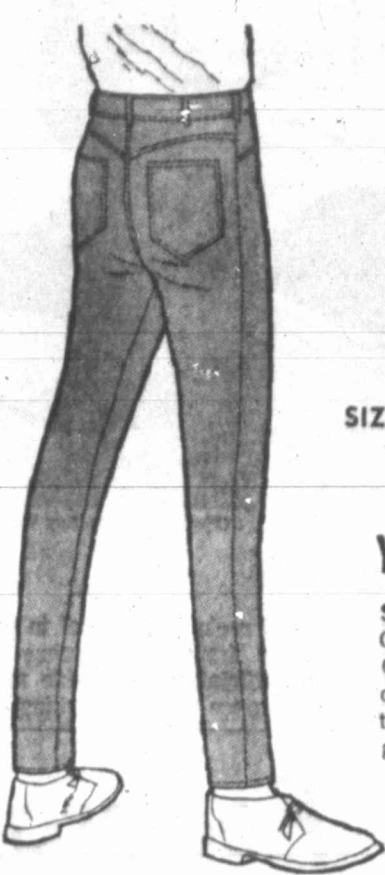
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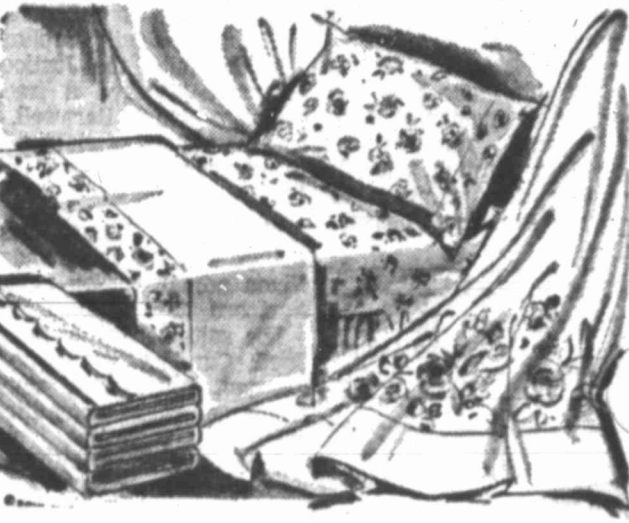
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News Briefs

Law Enforcement Degree Slated

ABILENE — Hardin-Simmons University will begin offering a Bachelor of Science degree in Law Enforcement this fall. Dr. Elwin L. Skiles, president, and Dr. Edward G. Groesbeck, vice president for academic affairs, have announced that Jack L. Ryle, 1968 graduate of H-SU will teach the introductory course in Law Enforcement this fall.

Parks Board To Meet Wednesday

Members of the Park and Recreation Board will meet at 4 p.m. Wednesday in the City Commission Room at City Hall to plan a budget request for 1969-70. They will review projects completed during the 1968-69 fiscal year, and estimate expenditures on projects which have been suggested but have not been started, Jim Baum, chairman, said.

Yeggs Use Key To Open Safe

Approximately \$200 in cash, some checks and an undetermined amount of six-cent stamps were taken in the Monday night burglary of the residence of Rev. Leo J. F. St. John, 506 N. Main St. The break-in occurred sometime between 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m.

Third Quizzed In Burglaries

Questioning of a third 13-year-old boy believed involved in a recent series of rural residence burglaries was under way in the sheriff's office today. Sheriff A. N. Standard said that the youth has admitted his part in some of the incidents, and that he has provided leads which will result in the recovery of additional loot. Two other 13-year-olds have already been picked up and have admitted their part in the burglaries. A considerable quantity of stolen items has been recovered as a result of the statements made by these boys.

Rryar Reports Missing Bulls

Two young Hereford bulls, owned by R. V. Fryar, Lomax community farmer-rancher, are missing, Sheriff A. N. Standard said today. The animals, about two years old and weighing 1,000 pounds each, have been gone for at least a week. They are branded "C-Bar" on the left thigh.

Absentee Voting To End Today

STANTON (SC) — Absentee voting was to end today at the city hall in the projected July 12 bond vote here. Otherwise qualified voters who have property rendered for taxation are eligible to ballot July 12 on issuance of \$85,000 in street paving bonds to cover an obligation the city owes to the Department of Health, Education and Welfare under the urban renewal program. Twenty-blocks will be paved with proceeds from the issue.

Women Eligible To Join Exchange

CHICAGO (AP) — Women are eligible to join the Chicago Board of Trade—the world's largest commodity exchange—for the first time in its 121-year history. Members of the exchange voted a change in their rules Monday to replace the phrase "any male person shall be eligible" with another saying "any individual shall be eligible."

Grass Fire

Big Spring firemen extinguished a small grass fire at the corner of Third and Abrams at 10:45 a.m. Tuesday. No damage was caused by the fire which firemen said started from a trash fire.

3.4 Million Unemployed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The national jobless rate was virtually unchanged at 3.4 per cent of the labor force in June despite first indications of a slowdown in the demand for labor, the Labor Department reported today.

Resident's Kin

Mrs. H. D. Cowden, Garden City Route, left for Cut Bank, Mont., Monday, to attend the funeral of her brother, Ed Reagan, 83, who died Sunday. She will also go to burial services in Spokane, Wash., before returning to Big Spring.

Weather

Table with columns for City, Max, Min, and weather conditions for Big Spring, Chicago, Denver, Fort Worth, New York, and St. Louis.

Weather Forecast

It will rain Tuesday night over an area extending from northern Minnesota southeast to the Carolinas. It will be cooler in the central portions of the Rockies and warmer along the West Coast. Elsewhere the weather will be fair.



Park Entrance Improved

A culvert at the entrance to the Airport School-Park was ripped apart to prevent wash-outs by city workmen Monday. The culvert was installed by county workmen, but city employees deposited rocks and gravel to prevent run-off water from undermining the structure. School officials will provide money to pave the entrance and the parking lot.

Nixonites End Federal Aid To 'Dixie' School

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Nixon administration which last week relaxed deadlines for ending public school segregation, has ended federal aid to three southern school districts seeking desegregation. All told, 125 court actions came in the last year of President Johnson's term.

Losing federal money under the Monday announcement would be the Flager County, Fla., board of education, the Wayne County, Ga., board of education and the Orangeburg School District No. 4 (Edisto) in South Carolina.

DEATHS

Dale Hopkins, Services Held

Services for Dale Hopkins, 39, printer, were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday in River-Welch Funeral Chapel. Burial will be in Sunset Memorial Park in Gallup, N.M. on Wednesday.

H. W. Musgrove, Here Since 1904

Henry W. Musgrove, 71, died Monday in a local hospital after a lengthy illness.

H. L. Weeks, Rites Thursday

Horace Lester (Whitey) Weeks, 64, died at 8:05 a.m. today in a local hospital.

Alan Kernode's Mother Dies

Mrs. W. G. Kernode, 84, mother of Alan Kernode, 802 W. 15th, died Monday in failing health at her home.

Women Freed From Elevator At Post Office

Employees, officials and clients of the assorted federal agencies located on the second floor of the Post Office building are giving the stairs a workout today.

Oscar Lee, Funeral Set

Funeral services for Oscar Lee, 73, who died Saturday, will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Mount Bethel Baptist Church with Rev. R. L. Parramore officiating. Burial will be in City Cemetery under the direction of River-Welch Funeral Home.

Minor Crash

No injuries were reported in a two-car collision at Fourth and Scurry at 10:18 a.m. Tuesday. Both autos were headed east on Fourth. In collision were cars driven by George B. Pittman, 1224 E. 16th, and Loyce B. Rawls, 1109 W. 6th.

'75 PER CENT ARE A BUST' Sex In Marriage

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sex is No. 2 in a man's priorities for selecting a mate but No. 6 on the woman's list and that's the reason 75 per cent of American marriages are a bust, according to an eminent psychologist.

"When a man gazes into a woman's eyes with what they think is love and devotion they are not seeing the same thing," Dr. Clifford Rose Adams, professor emeritus of Penn State University, added in a report based on 30 years of research.

"Odds on any marriage being a success are shorter than those of hitting the jackpot on a pinball machine in Las Vegas."

Adams, 66, a consultant for Encyclopaedia Britannica and numerous scientific publications, presented his latest findings to the Identity Research Institute here after studying 6,000 couples.

"Since the sex revolution following World War II sexual satisfaction has been much more important to the male than to the female," the professor said.

"Companionship is the first subconscious factor influencing the male in mate selection. Then, in order, come sex, love, affection, sentiment in a single category, home and family, a helpmate (one giving encouragement) and, lastly, security."

"For the woman the first thing she seeks are love, affection and sentiment. She has to feel loved and wanted. The second is security, then companionship, home and family, community acceptance and, sixth, sex."

Strike In Penn Reef

Jack Reaves and Jack Kirby No. 1 Thompson has been completed as a Pennsylvania Reef discovery in Borden County, with an initial flowing potential of 336 barrels of oil per day, with no water.

Operator completed the project naturally, gravity of the oil is 42 degrees, the gas-oil ratio is 1,922-1, and flow is through a 17-64 inch choke.

Total depth of the hole is 6,650 feet, plugged back to 6,643 feet, the 4 1/2 inch casing is set on bottom, and perforated between 6,631-41 feet. Wellsite is 1,000 feet from south and 2,173 feet from west lines of section 78-25-H&C survey.

Adobe Oil Co. of Midland will dig the No. 1-A Sale Ranch as an offset to the No. 1 Sale Ranch in Martin County, which was completed as a 6 1/2 mile northwest extension to the Spraberry Trend Area.

Location is 12 miles northeast of Stanton and will test the Spraberry-Dean pay prospects at 9,600 feet. Drillsite is 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 28-37-1N, T&P survey.

Two drillsites have been staked and three abandoned recently. Clinton Oil Co. of Wichita, Kan., has staked No. 1-V Jessie Koonsman for exploration at 8,400 feet of the Ellenburger.

The wildcat is located 12 miles northeast of Gall in Borden County and is 2,713 feet from the south and east lines in section 2-2, T&N survey.

Hanson and Allen, Inc., and White Shell Oil and Gas Corp. has abandoned No. 1 Sue Alice Slaughter, a wildcat prospect in Borden County, at a total depth of 8,300 feet. The drillsite was two miles northwest of Vealmore and 2,713 feet from the north line and 2,362 feet from the west line of section 24-33-township 3-north, T&P survey.

Gulf has staked No. 1-A Olan Earnest for exploration of Siluro-Devonian at 11,800 feet. The wildcat is located in Dawson County eight miles south of Lamesa, 1,980 feet from the north line and 660 feet from the west line in section 5-35-4N T&P survey.

Joe Melton Drilling Co. has abandoned No. 1 Williams as a dry hole in Garza County. The test is located 10 miles northeast of Post, 474 feet from the north and east lines of section 1122, H&O survey, abstract 1108.

Hillin Production Co. has abandoned No. 1 Edwards in Glasscock County, after drilling to 7,621 feet. The wildcat is located 1,980 feet from the south line and 660 feet from the west line in section 9-34, township 2-south, T&P survey.

DAILY DRILLING

HOWARD Amerada No. 1-A Furrh is moving off rotary, after bottoming the hole at 7,739 feet.

Amerada No. 1 Miller is preparing to squeeze the top of the 8 1/2 inch liner, which was set from 2,465 to 7,700 feet.

Amerada No. 1 Marchbanks is shutin for fluid buildup.

Amerada No. 1 Robinson is preparing to take a driftless test. Hole is bottomed at 9,451 feet.

Ruwe No. 1 Simpson has drilled to 4,800 feet and set 8 1/2 inch casing of 3,660 feet.

Texaco No. 1-C Reed is still working after installing 22 barrels of lead water and 118 barrels of formation water in 24 hours.

Texaco No. 1-D Reed is drilling at 2,411 feet.

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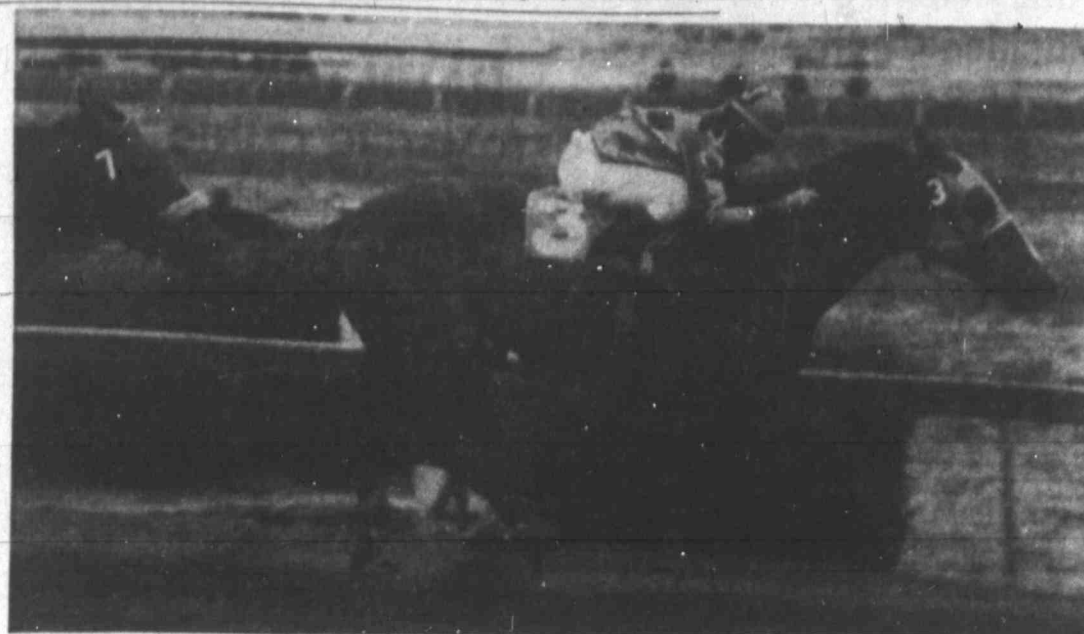
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Advertisement for Ernest Welch and Paul Peterson, featuring a photograph of the two men and the text: 'An Important Purpose. Floral offerings serve an extremely important purpose: to express the sympathy and concern that cannot adequately be put into words. Accordingly, we handle and arrange all flowers entrusted to us with respect and care.'

Advertisement for River-Welch Funeral Home, featuring the text: 'RIVER-WELCH Funeral Home 610 SCURRY'.



Winner In Ruidoso Event

Orphan Host, owned by Landon D. Burchell of Big Spring, is shown winning the fifth race at Ruidoso Downs, N.M., last Sunday. The chestnut mare was a length winner in the six-furlong event and returned \$14, \$5.80 and \$4.50 to her backers. Trained by Johnny Ray Dillard, Orphan Host was ridden by Jack Wallace. Orphan Host is six years old.

Blind Shots Could Pay Off In Open

LYTHAM ST. ANNES, Eng.—who gets away with blind shots. land (AP) — Two top American professionals sized up the 1969 British Open golf championship of Sherman, Tex. "I don't today as a mighty important like them but you will play the prize which will go to the man course you are on."

Don Perkins May Follow Meredith Into Limbo

DALLAS (AP) — Fullback Don Perkins, a nine-year pro football veteran, may be ready to follow the lead of teammate Don Meredith in retiring from the Dallas Cowboys. "I've hinted strongly at this possibility (retirement) and the club knows pretty much my thinking along these lines," Perkins said Monday in a telephone interview from Waterloo, Iowa, with the Dallas News.



LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart

Sports dialogue: BEAR BRYANT, University of Alabama football coach, when asked once if he has been accused of over-emphasizing winning:

"Let's put it this way — I don't emphasize defeat."

ROY SIEVERS, one-time American League batting champion: "Waiting is the secret of hitting. It's something like skeet shooting. You react after it goes poing! There's a point to skeet shooting where you have to shoot, but the longer you wait up to that point, the surer your aim is."

ARCHIE MOORE, former boxing champion: "If young people want to get anywhere, they must have self-discipline. To say 'no' to friends who would destroy property, you need only to walk away. Social change is inevitable but it must be brought about peacefully. Respect is a two-way street. Remember, power comes in all colors — black, white, brown, red, and yellow."

The late president, THEODORE ROOSEVELT: "In hunting, the finding and killing of the game is, after all, but a part of the whole. The free, self-reliant, adventures of life, with its rugged and stalwart democracy; the wild surroundings, the grand beauty of the scenery, the chance to study the ways and habits of the woodland creatures — all these unite to give to the career of the wilderness hunter its peculiar charm. The chase is among the best of all pastimes; it cultivates that vigorous manliness for the lack of which in a nation, as in an individual, the possession of no other qualities can possibly atone."

BILL RIGNEY, former big league manager: "Deciding when to pull a wavering pitcher is the toughest decision of all and a matter of judgment. I'd be a faker if I told you I knew the answer. Offhand, I'd say, pull 'em out quick. Major league baseball is geared to relief hurlers. When a starter does it, he is one base hit too late. Get him out of there on your first impulse."

MARIO ANDRETTI, winner of the last Indianapolis 500 race: "Just before the start on Memorial Day, my competitive friend, Bobby Unser, who was at my right on the front line, said to me, 'Don't do anything foolish.' I felt the same way. We all knew that no one was going to take a chance, Unser and I are close personally, but we don't give each other an inch if we can help it. In racing, no one can ponder 'yesterday.' He thinks of what is ahead, although he always has the image of catastrophe during competition. But certain feelings must be put aside. You can't ever be surprised. When something happens, and you are still there to see it, you must conclude it was an act of God. But I tell my parents racing isn't as bad as it is pictured."

JIMMY DYKES, former big league manager: "When I was playing, I could hardly take my eyes off that guy out there on the mound. I don't care who he is — every pitcher has some little giveaway that tells you something about his pitching. With the good ones, it isn't much, but if you watch intently you'll find something. And, man, how that helps up there at the plate."

LEFTY O'DOUL, former hitting great: "Mickey Cochrane was the greatest catcher I've ever seen. Mickey was a football star for Boston University, you know, so didn't mind mixing it up on the baseball field. Once I saw him do something that no player ever did. Cochrane was coming down from third on what looked like a good chance to score. But a fast throw got the ball to the catcher and Mickey found his path blocked. As the catcher stooped to tag him, Mickey just dived over his head and got the run."

Gate, Betting Records Fall At Ruidoso

RUIDOSO, N.M. — All records for a four-day racing weekend fell at Ruidoso Downs over the Fourth of July holidays when 27,350 fans flocked to the popular mountain-oval and made the parimutuel machines groan under a \$1,255,155 wagering load.

The holiday racing throng helped continue the Downs' march toward what could be a record year. To establish a new season mark the track must surpass the attendance figure of 217,950 and the betting high of \$12,185,958 set in 1962.

Highlight of the holiday race card was Saturday's first running of the "World's Championship Quarter Horse Classic" for a purse of \$50,000. Jet Smooth, Walter Merrick's speedy four-year old son of Jet Deck and Lena's Bar, switched on the afterburner about three-quarters of the way down the 440-yard course to flash across the finish line ahead of nine other top contenders. Surprising Diamond Sun Joe captured second place, with Hank's Dial Dool coming in third.

The winner's share of the glittering purse for three-year olds was \$24,000.

In Sunday's feature race, the fifteenth running of "The Governor's Handicap," Flying Elijah, owned and trained by James E. Bayes of El Paso, Texas, pulled a major upset by taking the 6 1/2 furlong race and returned backers a whopping \$74.00 to win.

Another sparkling performance was turned in during the four-day slats when Lady Bug's Moon, owned by Marvin L. and Ella Barnes of Ada, Okla., stepped 350-yards in the seventh race Saturday in 17.65 seconds, almost equaling the track record of 17.6 flat, co-held by Mr. Barn None and Easy Jet.

Fans in attendance Saturday had an added thrill when a record Big "Q" pool of \$18,318.80 was dangled before the fortunate enough to have tickets to exchange.

Hawks Batter T-Bird Nine

The American Little League Hawks enjoyed three big innings in slaughtering the International Little League T-Birds in a first round game of the City playoffs here Monday night. Final score was 37-2.

The contest was unreeled in the American park. The Hawks started with eight runs in the first, added 11 more in the second and then chased 18 tallies across the plate in the third.

The contest was mercifully called after 4 1/2 innings of competition.

The Hawks square off tonight in the International playoffs against the International champions, the Rockets. Starting time is 8 p.m.

Pat Carroll, on the mound for the Hawks, fanned eight and permitted only three hits. Those were by Andy Schmitt, Wayne Huggins and David Ray.

Senators Are Taking Williams For Word

By The Associated Press

When Ted Williams took over as manager of the Washington Senators, he said he wouldn't demand perfection from his players—just a lot of hustle and an all-out attitude.

Apparently, Casey Cox got the message a little mixed up. The 6-foot-5 right-hander came within a whisker of perfection in a brilliant relief role Monday night as the red-hot Senators hammered Cleveland 7-2 for their 10th victory in 13 games and 13th in their last 19.

Cox, unsuccessful in three separate trials with the Senators before this season, came in with the bases loaded and one out in the third and promptly retired the last 20 men in order.

Howard Connects

Towering Frank Howard, meanwhile, backed him with a pair of homers—one a tape-

AS ALL-STARS Walker, Aldrich Get Most Votes

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — Doak Walker, Sammy Baugh, John Kimbrough and Joel Hunt all are in the starting backfield on the All-Southwest college football team of the past 50 years, selected by a Football Writers' Association of America panel.

The team, selected by FWAA member writers from the southwest, will be eligible for selection on the all-time All-America college team which will be selected this month by the FWAA in connection with the centennial year celebration of college football.

Walker, a legendary three-time All-America at Southern Methodist in 1947-48-49, and Texas Christian's Charles "Kil" Aldrich, an All-American center in 1938, received the most votes in the balloting.

Aldrich, now a businessman in Temple, received 20 votes and Walker, a manufacturers' representative in Detroit, polled 18 votes.

Baugh, a two-time All-American at TCU in 1935-36, Kimbrough, a hard-charging Texas Aggie All-American in 1939-40, and Hunt, a three-time All-SWC pick in 1925-27 for the Aggies, round out the starting backfield on the 10-man squad.

TCU and the University of Texas tied for the most selections to the team with four each. SMU and A&M had three each. Clyde "Bulldog" Turner of Hardin-Simmons University was the only non-Southwest Conference player on the team.

Recent college stars making the team were: Chris Gilbert, Texas, Bob Lilly, TCU, now an all-pro tackle for the Dallas Cardinals.

into defeat. Between them, they kept the Bengals on a two-hit ration.

Matthews was also a power at bat, stroking three hits. Roger Battle also had three safeties for the winners. While Casey Lovelace had two.

Clemente Sanchez and Larry Torres each had a hit for the losers.

The Cardinals thus earned the right to oppose the American League's champions, the Pirates, in an 8 o'clock game tonight in the American League park.

Wilson Shines As Houston KO's Giants

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Don Wilson overcame his early inning jinx as Houston snapped its Candlestick Park hex, and the Astros' spell over the San Francisco Giants continues.

The flame-throwing Wilson struck out 14 Giants and recorded an 8-2 victory Monday in the opener of a three-game series.

The victory was the seventh straight for Houston over the Giants.

Shooting for the eighth straight today was Larry Dierker, 11-5, facing the Giants' Mike McCormick, 5-4.

But Astros victories at Candlestick Park have been as rare as hen's teeth. When the Giants sweep a four-game series there earlier this season, it gave them a 51-16 record at home against Houston, 39-6 in the last 45 games.

Wilson struck out 10 batters in the last five innings after a sluggish start and boosted the Astros over 500 to 43-42. He raised his own record to 9-7.

"The first couple of innings have been my downfall," admitted Wilson. "If I get past them, I seem to do all right. But I've been knocked out early in some losses and that's not good for the ERA."

Wilson, who tied the major league mark of 18 strikeouts last year, lowered his earned run average to 3.84.

"My slider and my fast ball were the big strikeout pitches," Wilson said. He previously fanned 13 batters in a game twice this season.

HOUSTON SAN FRANCISCO

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Reynolds Is 4-3 Winner

Earl Reynolds pitched the Red Sox to a 4-3 Sophomore league win over the Cubs here Monday evening, setting the leaders down with a brace of hits.

Only one of the runs Reynolds surrendered was earned. The win was the eighth in 12 starts for the Sox, giving them undisputed possession of second place.

Ronnie Phillips collected two of the Sox's five hits. Larry Stanley, Tom Sorley and Reynolds accounted for the others.

The Sox banked all their runs before the Cubs finally untracked in the sixth.

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Two games are on tap this evening in the Runnels JH gymnasium, with two and three tangling at 7 o'clock and one and five having at it an hour later.



BIG LEAGUE STANDOUTS

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Batting (225 of bats) — Carew, Minnesota 27; E. Smith, Boston 23.
Runs batted in — Kilbreath, Minnesota 82; Powell, Baltimore 74.
Home runs — E. Jackson, Oakland 34; F. Howard, Washington 32.
Pitching (7 decisions) — Mackarty, Baltimore 124, 1.80, 2.8; Lallish, Detroit 11-1, .917, 2.81.
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Batting (225 of bats) — C. Jones, New York 254; M. Alou, Pittsburgh 250.
Runs batted in — Santa, Chicago 71; McCovey, San Francisco 71.
Home runs — McCovey, San Francisco 27; L. May, Cincinnati 25.
Pitching (7 decisions) — Baldschun, San Diego 6-1, .857, 3.81; Stone, Atlanta 6-2, 814, 2.67.



Missed Top Spot By Half Game

Pictured here are the Giants, which missed tying for first place in the American PeeWee League by half a game. Front row, from the left, they are Kyle Casey, John Coffee, Arbie Davis, Skipper Butts and Russell Bledsoe. Second row, Mike Madry, Ronald Sandy, Greg Galbraith, Barry Fish and Kenneth Yeckers. Top row, coach Monroe Sully, Jeff Scott, Keith Smith, Steve Bryant and manager Chick Madry.

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School Districts To Decide On Rural Taxpayer's Bid

Spokesmen for the Big Spring and Forsan school districts have said they will advise the Howard County Rural Taxpayers Association Wednesday on their reaction to the latter group's petition to make a new valuation of farm and ranch lands.

The Howard County Commissioners Court Monday morning rejected the petition. It is generally believed that the two school districts will follow the lead.

Meantime, Dee Jon Davis, one of two attorneys the rural taxpayers hired to represent them, said that a lawsuit would probably be filed in 118th District Court by Monday to test the validity of a recently completed re-evaluation procedure employed on rural properties by the three agencies.

"The suit will certainly be filed naming the county commissioners," said Davis. "If the school districts go along with the county, the suit will name them as well."

He said he would be in Fort Worth later this week and would confer with his co-counsel, Donald R. Curry. It is likely, he said, that he will bring the petition back with him for filing in 118th District Court, probably Monday.

The rural taxpayers are alleging the re-evaluation should have been carried out under terms of Article 8, Section 1-D. The county, and the two school districts, employed Wilson and Davis, a tax engineering firm, to make the re-evaluation.

Vets Meet In Stanton Thursday

The Veterans of World War I Barracks and the auxiliary will meet Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Caprock Electric auditorium in Stanton.

Officials expressed the hope that there would be a large crowd to attend from Big Spring. Each couple is asked to bring a covered dish for the dinner that will be served without charge.

Maj. Glenn Jones, Webb AFB, will be the speaker for the evening. He has been the speaker before numerous civic and service groups.

Report of the firm was accepted by the three agencies. The organization of farmers and ranchers protesting the findings followed. The association has been raising funds and has about \$5,000 on hand to prosecute the lawsuit, spokesmen said.

The petition, which the county commissioners rejected, was filed in the names of 32 property owners. Each property owner submitted an affidavit to the county commissioners (who were sitting as a board of equalization) setting forth the nature of their land, the income it produced, and their average income for each of the past three years.

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Ex-SBA Boss Seeks To Quiz Grand Jurors

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Motions for dismissal of a federal indictment charging conspiracy have been filed by Albert Fuentes Jr., former Small Business Administration special assistant.

One of the motions alleges that the grand jury which returned the indictment was unduly influenced by a request from Rep. Wright Patman, D-Tex., chairman of the House Banking and Currency Committee.

Fuentes, former aide to SBA administrator Hilary Sandoval, was indicted two months ago with San Antonio businessman Edward Montez on charges of seeking interest in a local business in return for a \$100,000 SBA loan.

Patman asked for a probe of claims accusing Fuentes and others with misconduct involving SBA matters.

Fuentes asked U.S. Dist. Court to allow him to question Patman and grand jurors on this point. He also requested a 15-day extension to file a brief supporting his motions to dismiss.

Fuentes alleged that the grand jury was compelled to return an indictment since it was examining Montez, one of its own members. Montez was excused from the jury when the case was deliberated.

Pinkney In Fair Condition

Billy Joe Pinkney, a 17-year-old Big Spring State Hospital patient injured Friday night when he was apparently struck by a T & P Railway Co. train, is listed in fair condition at Hall-Bennett Memorial Hospital today.

Pinkney was found approximately 100 yards east of the intersection of Birdwell Lane and the railroad tracks at 11 p.m. Friday after the engineer of a westbound train said he thought his train had struck a man at the crossing.

He was admitted to the hospital in serious condition with a fractured leg and head lacerations. State Hospital officials had reported earlier Friday the man walked away from the hospital grounds about 3 p.m.

Horoscope Forecast TOMORROW —CARROLL RIGHTER

GENERAL TENDENCIES: You can think out any problem facing you in a very logical and intelligent fashion now, so make a special point to do so. Then compare your conclusion with your usual friends. You need to arrive at the same solution, since it is necessary that you join forces later to do the actual work required.

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) It's an ideal day to keep appointments, whether for business, professional or personal reasons. Contact those who can help you with some special project. Study reports very well. The right picture in your mind.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Finances are uppermost in your mind now. You can do much to add to your income without much fuss. Make your budget more sensible. Why keep up with expenses that are really foolish?

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) This is an ideal day to socialize with persons you admire and feel comfortable with. Recreation is very important to your peace of mind now. Buy whatever will make you more charming, better dressed.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Your intuition will lead you rightly how to be more efficient at your present work. Your improved performance will impress your associates sufficiently so they will give you more support. Evening is romantically ideal. Be happy with your mate.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Persuade that irate associate to sit down and talk over with you just how he wants you to cooperate with him. Soften ruffled feathers. Then work hard. Forget shop tonight and have fun.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) You have a plan that can help you to attend to duties more efficiently and easily, so use it. Rearrange your hours, sort what you need to take better health treatments than in the past. Do so.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Put those gregarious Aquarius qualities to good use today and be with charming and worthwhile persons. Be particularly devoted to the one you love. Don't forget to handle their important business deal first.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to March 20) Give your support to the good ideas of your kin. Come to a far better understanding with them. Give your life more impetus by having a secure structure beneath you. Show that your ambitions are right.

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Time-Wasting Machine Charge

DALLAS (AP) — State Rep. James H. Clark Jr. of Dallas says he will not seek another term in the legislature, which he described as "the greatest time-wasting machine ever known to man."

Clark, 32, Democratic representative for two terms, said he is quitting state politics because of "a combination of frustration and dissatisfaction with wages and working conditions."

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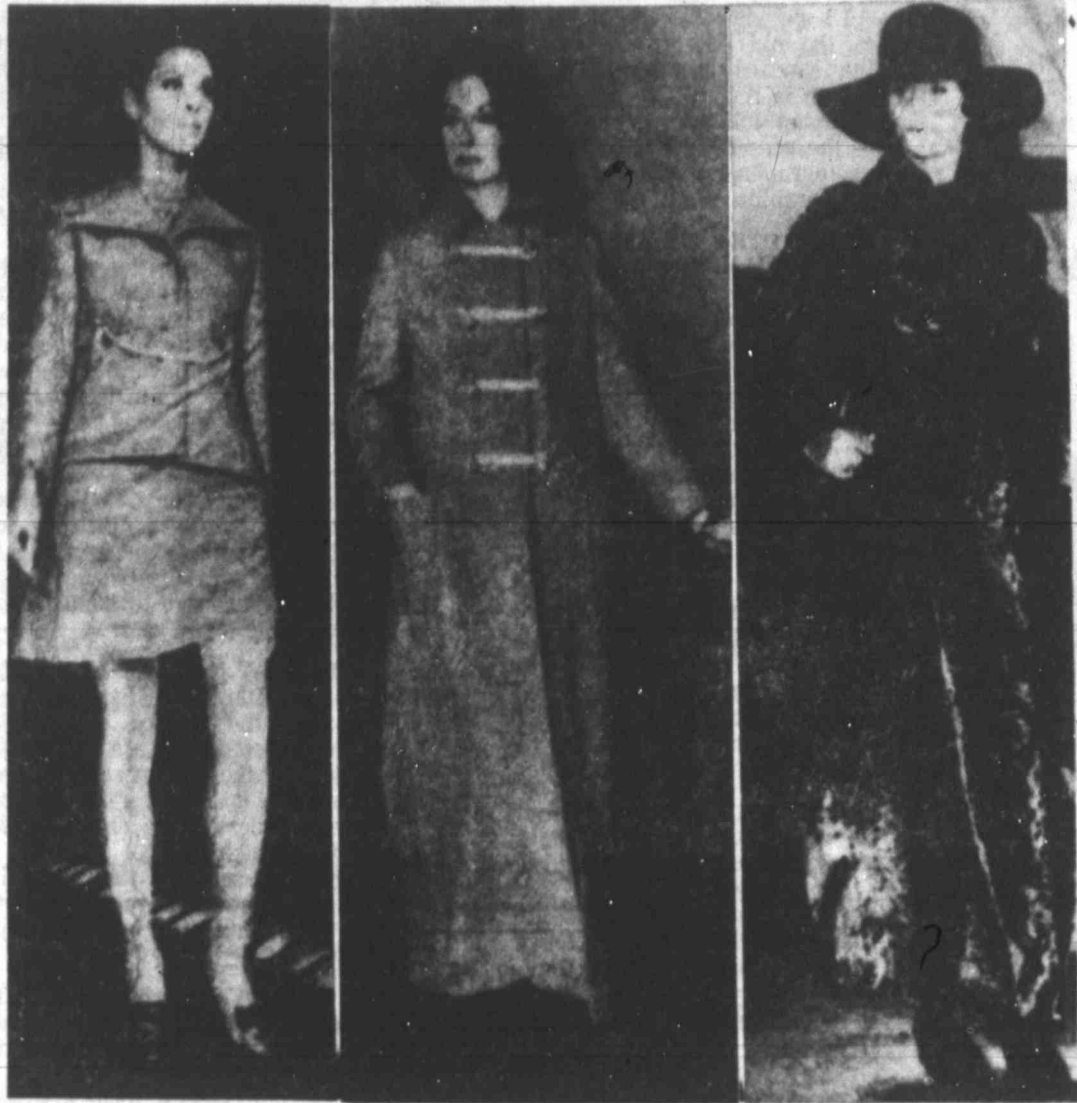
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A mini-skirted bright red wool suit, left, with a watch fob chain ending in tassels is a creation of Christian Dior. Two Don Somonellis offerings are trench coats, one a red wool floor-length duffle style, center, and at right a maxi length of navy blue vinyl. These were shown as part of the American Designer Group series in New York.

Altar Society Elects Officers

Miss Ramona Molina was elected president of St. Thomas Altar Society at a Monday meeting attended by 29 members. She will share the state with Mrs. Crescencio Padilla; Miss Janie Molina, secretary; Miss Isabel Molina, treasurer; and Mrs. Carmen Gonzales, reporter.

The installation dinner will be held Aug. 6 at 7:30 p.m. at La Posada Restaurant.

Named to the September refreshment committee were Mrs. Padilla, Mrs. Juan

Rodriguez, Mrs. Juan Moralez and Miss Tina Molina.

Refreshments were served, and the attendance prize was won by Miss Govina Chavez. The society will not hold another business meeting until Sept. 8.

Former Residents Announce Birth

Mr. and Mrs. William A. French III, 5111 W. Purdue, Dallas, are announcing the birth of a daughter, Meredith, born June 21 in Baylor Hospital. The infant weighed seven pounds, 14 ounces. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bigham, 2719 Lynn; and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. A. French Jr., 714 Hillside. Mr. and Mrs. Bigham have just returned from a trip to Dallas.

Honored At 'Twin' Party

A "twin" baby shower was held Monday evening in the Pioneer Gas Flame Room honoring Mrs. Taylor Rudd who was presented a corsage made of baby socks and pink carnations.

Hostesses were Mrs. John Tiscareno, Mrs. Tommy Soto and Miss Phyllis McMains.

The 15 guests were served covered with white linen and centered with an arrangement of blue daisies and pink carnations. A crystal punch service was used.

Among the guests was the honoree's mother-in-law, Mrs. Doris Rudd of Gail.

Entertain Guests

Guests in the home of Mrs. Margaret Kane and Mrs. Allen W. Herridge, 1906 Hale, have been Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Kane and children and Mrs. Frances Bintz, all of Syracuse, N.Y. En route home, the group will visit in St. Louis, Mo., and Chicago, Ill.

Men Plan Convention Proposals

Proposals concerning national dues and federation requirements were discussed by the Men's Garden Club of Big Spring at Monday's meeting at the Veterans Administration Hospital. Bill Sneed, president, will take the proposals to the Men's Garden Club of America convention July 21-23 in Fort Collins, Colo.

Members will assist the Big Spring Council of Garden Clubs in selling bulbs this fall.

Following the meeting, the group reconvened at the home of Roy Peet to tour his Japanese garden.

Urges Efforts In World 'Causes'

The role of women in government was presented by Mrs. C. T. Guthrie when she brought the program, "Speak For the Lord," at Monday's meeting of the Women of the Church, First Presbyterian Church. Assisting on the program were Mrs. I. L. Stamps, Mrs. Paschal Odum and Mrs. Calvin Daniels. Mrs. C. D. Read presided.

Topics discussed were the test ban treaty, civil rights, housing, legislature, drug laws and voting. Information came from reports by women involved in the causes.

A LOVELIER YOU Apply Eye Pads For Bright Eyed Look

By MARY SUE MILLER

Glare, heat and whizzing traffic can cause your eyes to smart, tire and wrinkle up, fine sunglasses notwithstanding. And here's where several relief measures come to the rescue.

Among the most effective ones, count eye pads. Some varieties of pads come already saturated with soothing formula. Others are dry-packed and activated by a quick submersion in clear water. Notable among dry-packs are herbal and medicated compounds. In case you wonder, medication is mild and safe.

On using any sort of eye pads, you should lie down for at least 15 minutes, with your feet propped higher than your head. You, of course, apply pads to make-up free, closed eyes.

You may be sure upon removing pads that your eyes will feel fresh; look clear and bright, too. What's more, the treatment goes a long way to control puffiness, a complaint that increases with exposure to heat and sun.

Now what about wrinkle-ups — the etching of little lines from strain? Eye oil sticks are the helpers here. Formulated with moisturizers and rich oils with consistencies that range from combed honey to slippery mink oil, eye oil sticks offer the vulnerable eye skin maximum protection.

I-Cue: Tote a pad and stick when you set out to tan. A tan with crow's feet is no bargain.

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Oil Industry Computers Explained By Speaker

"Computers are an interesting and challenging subject, yet computers deal only in numbers, not in words," said Neil

Willoughby, process engineer at Cosden Oil and Chemical Company, when he was guest speaker Monday for Big Spring Desk and Derrick Club.

Spend Holidays In Westbrook

WESTBROOK (SC) — The Gaylon Long family of Nacogdoches were holiday guests of the Howard Williams and the Keith Williams. Other guests were the Lonnie Hoyle of Lubbock. Mrs. Hoyle is the former Janella Williamson, and Hoyle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hoyle of China Grove.

Weekend guests in the homes of Mrs. M. J. Whirley and J. D. Iglehart were the N. W. Stokes of Stephenville, Vee Iglehart, Denton; the Ervin Jones and Jake Whirleys of O'Donnell; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Nelms of Denison; the Bobby Jones family of Lamesa, and the Ralph Walkers of Colorado City.

Mrs. John Capps and daughters of Hennessey, Okla., were guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Warren Capps. Gloria Capps accompanied her sister-in-law home.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Petty of Snyder were Sunday guests of the Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Capps. Rev. Petty was evening speaker at the First Baptist Church.

Visiting their grandparents in Eastland are Tim Parsons, Kathy Parsons, Pam Parsons and T. J. Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rees of Dallas were weekend guests in Westbrook.

Junior Auxiliary Holds Election

New officers named Monday evening by the American Legion Junior Auxiliary are Sharon Andrews, president; Carol Cone, vice president; Olga Perez, secretary-treasurer; Lottie Ellison, historian; Lynn Greene, chaplain; and Wilma Jean Fisher, sergeant-at-arms.

The installation will be held in August.

Members were reminded to meet at 9 a.m. Saturday at the Veterans Administration Hospital to assist in serving coffee to patients.

The next meeting will be at 7:30 p.m., Aug. 3.

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A Devotional For The Day

"In returning and rest you shall be saved; in quietness and in trust shall be your strength." (Isaiah 30:15, RSV)
PRAYER: Help us, our Father, to recognize You in the busy thoroughfares of the world. Open our ears and our hearts that we may hear and respond to Your call, in Jesus' name. Amen.

(From the 'Upper Room')

Initiative And Investment

The recent issue of Texas Co-op Power has a story which expounds an interesting theory, namely that industry originally flocked to the cities because of availability of electricity and other utilities, but now it is turning back to rural areas (where all these services are available) because of problems in the cities.

What is more interesting, however, is the story's account of how industries have blossomed in the Seguin-Gonzales area. Interestingly, most of these were home grown. They follow no set pattern, but altogether, these industries served by Guadalupe Valley Electric provide nearly 600 jobs.

Some fit into the rather conventional mould, such as a livestock

feed mill, and even a brick plant. Others are off the beaten path like two aviation manufacturing and modification units (one of them a home-owned project). An unique facility is a scrap melt which takes old automobiles and turns them into moulten metal. The ingots from this are then converted into reinforcing rods for construction work.

Still another is a plan for making bumpers for pickup trucks. Raw flat iron is cut, punched and shaped into bumpers and grills to the tune of 50,000 a year. Another factory bores holes through steel balls as the beginning of a highly-prized gun mount.

Somebody had an idea, initiative and encouraged others into investing. The result: Industry.

How Long?

As of Monday morning, the total of traffic deaths in Texas for the holidays stood at 48. By the time final reports are in, the figure will undoubtedly be higher. Texas led the national highway carnage.

There is small comfort in the

possibility that the toll is no higher per 100,000 miles traveled than in former years. Those 48 people are still dead.

The worse tragedy is that few if any of them need to be.

How long, oh Texas, how long?

Holmes Alexander

What The Resolution Is About

WASHINGTON — Congress is pretty good at locking the stable-door after the horse is stolen.

This was done by introduction of the 22nd Amendment (no Third Term) in February, 1947, less than two years after Franklin Roosevelt's death in office. It was done by the passage of the National Commitments resolution (S.Res.85) in June, 1969, about six months after Lyndon Johnson left office. The 22nd Amendment was aimed at a dead President and the resolution was aimed at a retired President.

THE PROCESS, while it looks a little foolish, shows Congress to be aware of its duties as watchdog over the executive branch. Roosevelt used the emergencies of depression and war to make himself a lifelong President, a constitutional monarch, which is a post that George Washington declined to accept. It seems unlikely that anybody but FDR would have the effrontery to set up as a dictator. But many believed George Wallace to have Little Caesar ideas. And some of John Kennedy's men were fixing to repeal the 22nd Amendment on the theory that JFK would win a second term and still be too young for voluntary retirement. Enactment of the 22nd Amendment was a proper precaution against power-happy politicians.

Just a week before the Senate passed the resolution to prevent any other President from doing what President Johnson had done in South Vietnam, the Dominican Republic and the Congo, Mr. Nixon stated his objection. He answered this reporter's question at a press conference by saying that the Fulbright resolution would tie the President's hands and prevent his acting militarily in an emergency. But Mr. Nixon refrained

Billy Graham

I am a teenager and became a Christian a year ago. I am discouraged, even though I pray, as my family are not Christians. Can you help me?

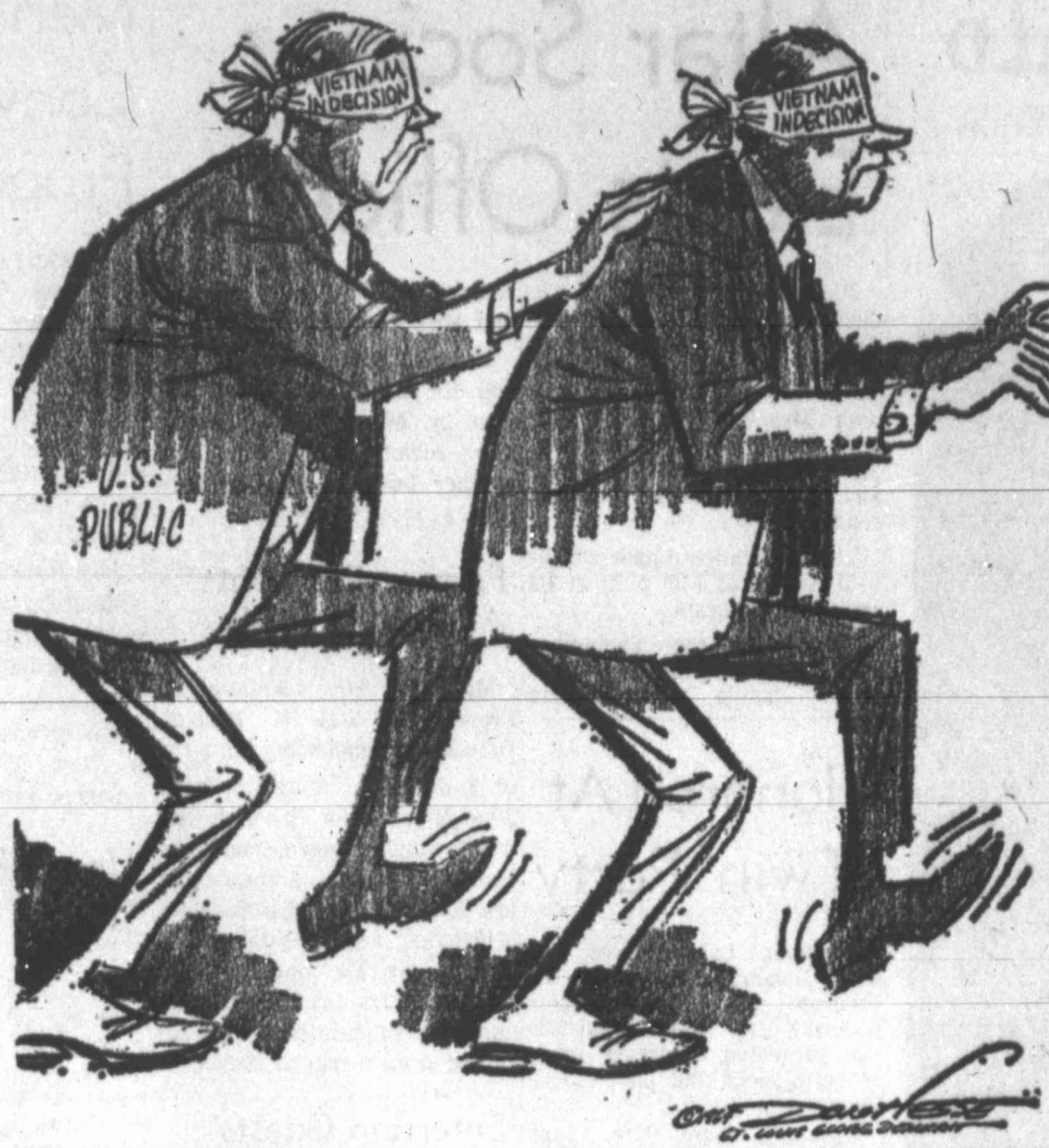
K.R.
First, let me congratulate you on taking a stand for Christ, even though home conditions seem unfavorable at the moment.

What you are experiencing is perfectly natural. The Bible doesn't promise that following Christ is an easy way. Christ said: "If any man would come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross and follow me." You say you are discouraged. Discouragement is one of Satan's most effective tools. Your family is watching you and if you are faithful you can be the means of winning them to Christ. Remember faithfulness is one of the crowning Christian virtues. Jesus said to a man who had been faithful: "Thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

You are probably on the verge of a real triumph, but if you fall a prey to discouragement and give up, you will never know the joy which is promised to the faithful. Say these words over and over: "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me." They are true and will never fail. Christ needs young people like you to offset the tide of flippancy and delinquency among our youth. Don't let Him down.

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John Cunniff

Man On Street Feeds Inflation

By DON BATTLE
(Subbing for John Cunniff)

NEW YORK (AP) — Analysts are telling the man on the street that the economy will cool and inflation will slow, but the public is finding it difficult to believe.

It continues to feed inflation with a high rate of spending, according to latest figures.

THE ANALYSTS point to such economic indicators as the Gross National Product—the total of all goods and services—and say that its annual rate of growth will level off and dip slightly for the remainder of the year, but will head upward in the mid to late 1970s.

In this year's first quarter, the GNP rose \$16 billion to an annual rate of \$903.4 billion, according to the U.S. Commerce Department. Monte Gordon, director of research for the brokerage firm of Bache & Co. predicts the rate will settle at \$15 billion in the second quarter before dipping to about \$13 billion in the third and fourth quarters, but will "turn up in the mid-1970s."

THIS LEVELING off is due to the government's efforts to slow inflationary prices by making money scarce. By braking credit, it is presumed that consumer spending, and then business spending, will slow down, causing prices to slide.

As of June, however, the consumer was buying everything else but the government's predictions for slowing inflation. Retail sales hit a record \$29.4 billion in May, 1.5 per cent above the January level.

Wholesale prices rose three times as fast in May as they did in the month before, according to the June survey of the Morgan Guaranty Trust Co. Wage increases in major labor contracts continued to outstrip, with a wide margin, the output of an average worker, thus adding sharply to business costs.

The public's urge now re-

volves around buying, borrowing and building to beat higher prices expected in the future.

AS FOR THE stock market, analysts see the current drop in averages similar to the tight money situation of 1966. The

market recovered nicely then and will recover now, they say.

The Dow Jones industrial average, has fallen about 10 per cent in the last six weeks, dropping about 100 points from its May 14 yearly high of 968.85.

Hal Boyle

Flipped Into Success

NEW YORK (AP) — "My accountant estimated my income last year would be \$300,000," said Flip Wilson, "but I actually earned \$500,000."

"Now things are looking up. If I can have two more years like that, I'm going to move out of the poverty area."

The 34-year-old Negro performer, newest top star on the comedy scene, has spent most of his life in the poverty area. His present success is a tribute to a self-determination that would be a credit to any Horatio Alger hero.

BORN CLEROW Wilson — "I don't know why they hung that first name on me" — Flip is one of 24 children of a Newark handyman. In his childhood he lived in three foster homes.

"I quit school at 16 because I was ashamed that I had only a dime a day to spend for lunch," he recalled recently between shows at the Americana's Royal Box.

"I was a good student, and the other kids looked up to me. But I guess I kind of looked down on myself because I was so poor."

He then spent nearly four years in the Air Force, and won the nickname of Flip because of the humorous skill with which he delivered troop information talks.

HE MADE the great decision of his life in 1954 when he was earning \$40 a week as a bellhop and part-time clerk in a San Francisco hotel. One night, when a performer failed to appear for the hotel's show, Flip volunteered to fill in for him.

"The applause I got made me decide right then what I wanted to do the rest of my life," he said. "I wanted to make people laugh."

"I learned there is a theory among great comedians that it takes 15 years to develop a rounded, stand-up comic, and I

decided I would do just that.

"Since there is no school for humor, I haunted the bookstores and read everything I could on the subject. I studied the routines of all the great comedians of the past in order to help find one of my own. I stayed up at nights learning to write my own material.

"I GAVE UP everything else — my apartment, what money I had, and the security of a steady job. I gave them up irrevocably. If you have a goal and do it irrevocably, you're bound to fail, because that shows you aren't sincere."

Flip polished his talent through painful years in which he hitchhiked from city to city, gave performances in night spots where he passed his hat among the audience.

He managed to achieve his 15-year goal in 12 years. An appearance on Johnny Carson's "Tonight" show in 1966 won him national attention. Since then he has become a supper club star, a favorite guest star on major television shows. In prospect are a television special and a television series of his own.

FLIP HAS no fears of running dry. He still prefers to write his own material. He has a \$3,500 library of books on comedy and a file of 300,000 jokes.

"The main thing, however, is that I'm a pro," he said. "An amateur tries to make you laugh. A pro does make you laugh."

"I've never found my race a problem. An audience doesn't care about your color. Either you're funny or you're not."

"My greatest satisfaction in life has been that I set myself a 15-year goal—and stuck to my program. Now I just want to enjoy my work and have fun."

There'll be no more dime lunches for Clerow Wilson.

Around The Rim

Golden Chance For Preserving History

I hope when the county obtains title to the old post office building and the Howard County free library is set up in it that someone will initiate the plan followed by other libraries — the preservation of old documents, photographs, clippings and other memorabilia of our area's early days.

THE OTHER DAY when I was running down material for a story about Soash, the town the drought killed, I found a printed reproduction of a 1909 photograph of the picnic crowd at that town. I also learned all of the papers, photographs and other souvenirs of the town which the late W. P. Soash had collected had been given by his son to Texas Tech. Or, more exactly, to a part of Tech called the Southwestern Collection.

I called the college and was referred to the Southwest Collection. A very obliging and courteous lady assured me that if the photo was in their files, I could certainly have a copy of it. It wound up I was sent two excellent photographs of the celebration.

I WOULD like to see a department set up in our library in which such items as these pictures could be filed and preserved. There is a wealth of historic material available in this county which I am sure the owners would be happy to loan or donate to the library if they could be assured it would be safeguarded and preserved.

Even those items which might not be given to the collection could be

borrowed and copies made. These copies would be invaluable to anyone looking into the past history of the county. Writers and students would find such a collection of much help and the record of the county would be preserved for posterity.

IN MY DIGGING around for data on stories about the county's past I have met many old timers or the sons and daughters of old timers who have boxes full of such items. They have been obliging in letting me see the material. Some have told me they wished there was some agency they could give their collection to — provided that the items would be properly preserved.

One of the big rooms in the basement of the old post office — for example, the room formerly occupied by the Selective Service Board — would be amply large to handle such a collection for many years.

NATURALLY, it would have to be the policy that material could not be taken from the library and would have to be studied there. If copies were needed, the cost of reproduction equipment to do the work would be relatively modest and a charge could be made for such service.

We have never had the space in the County Library for such a department. Now there will be room and room to spare.

THE COUNTY Historical Society (if we had one) could make a really worthwhile project of this matter if the members so desired.

—SAM BLACKBURN

Art Buchwald

'Now I Must Warn You...'

WASHINGTON — You can read all you want to about high interest rates and the problem the banks are having with "truth in lending," but it's only when you try to make a loan these days that you realize how tough things really are.

MY FRIEND Kalshner went into a bank a few weeks ago to make a \$1,000 loan. The assistant vice president said, "Yes, I'm sure we can do something."

"That's fine."

"Now the prime rate for loans is 8 1/2 per cent."

"That sounds a little high," said Kalshner, "but I'll take it."

"I said that was the prime rate. That isn't the rate you get. The prime rate is for our large clients who borrow over \$1 million. Our rate to you would be 10 per cent."

"Wow, they call that prime rate," Kalshner said. "It's higher."

"No jokes, Mr. Kalshner. We're not in a laughing mood these days." "But can we get on with my problem?"

"OF COURSE. Now I must warn you that although we tell you the rate on your loan is 10 per cent it's really 18.65 per cent."

"Why did you have to tell me that?"

"Because," the vice president said as he put his hand on a Bible, "of the Truth-in-Lending Act, which requires us to tell you the actual amount of interest as opposed to the interest we advertise."

"Well, why don't you tell the people the actual interest rate in the first

place?"

"BECAUSE UNDER the Truth-in-Lending Act, I am also required to tell you that we will deduct the first payment and the interest out of your \$1,000 loan, which will add another 1.94 per cent to your interest charges."

"I knew you'd get over 20 per cent before I got out of here."

"Mr. Kalshner, if you don't want this loan, we can give it to somebody else."

"I'm sorry. I see you still have your hand on the Bible. Is there anything else you want to tell me?"

"THERE ARE certain bank handling charges for putting through the loan which will add another 2 per cent."

"Bonnie and Clyde were amateurs compared to you guys," Kalshner said.

"Mr. Kalshner, that wasn't a nice thing to say. Do you think we like telling people the truth about our loans? Do you think it's fun to have to keep my hand on this Bible every time someone wants to borrow money? We didn't want the Truth-in-Lending Act. We fought it because we knew how unhappy it would make everyone. But it's the law of the land and all the fun has gone out of the loan business."

"I'm sorry," Kalshner said. "Heck, if I have to pay 23 per cent for a loan, it's fine with me."

THE VICE PRESIDENT put his hand back on the Bible. "Now let me tell you about the postage charges."

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Marquis Childs

President Nixon Plays Political Game

WASHINGTON — The famous high-wire balancing act of the great prestidigitator, Richard M. Nixon, is ended.

THE NIXON Administration in a whole series of moves has come down on the conservative side. The President won the nomination and the election with a Southern strategy. He is following a Southern strategy today, the appeal being to the entrenched hard liners of the South.

These are the men who control the powerful committees in Congress. They can smooth the way for Nixon programs pared to their prejudices. That, and a gain in Republican seats in the House from the South next year, may be the goal of the President as pragmatist.

EXTENDING THE school desegregation deadlines in the South and trimming the voting rights act to the pattern of the Southern establishment were clear signals of direction and clearly understood by the defenders of things as they are. HEW Secretary Robert Finch insists he has won and the South, after all, may not get another year of grace. Attorney General John N. Mitchell discovered that Republicans were more indignant over his voting rights "compromise" than were Democrats. But equivocation will not blunt the thrust of these moves.

In foreign policy the Rumanian visit, to say the least, has a curious look. At the time of the announcement a White House adviser made a remark that may have been only partly serious and which was quickly shushed. "After all, we had to refuse somewhere on the return trip." While the meaning of this transitory gesture is still uncertain, it is being widely read as notice of rebuke to Moscow.

GIVEN THE hard-nosed opposition to any reduction in the barriers around East-West trade, the stop in Bucharest has little substantive meaning. Having delayed completion of a

negotiating position on the nuclear arms talks with the Soviet Union for six months, the White House has appointed an advisory commission likely to be dominated by hard liners. The net effect of the commission, if it has any effect at all, could be to fence in Director Gerard C. Smith of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

NOW ALL of this may add up to the pragmatist's prescription — for winning in the congressional elections next year and consolidating a victory stance for 1972. The country is moving to the right, alienated by both black and white extremists, and nothing can check the trend that Mr. Nixon, as an astute opportunist, knows so well how to exploit.

A comic aspect of this solemn assumption is supplied by certain figures normally identified with the liberal establishment. They have set up their own walling wall and their loud walls of "all is lost" echo and re-echo.

BUT ALL this may be true. But there are contradictory signs. In four House elections since the first of the year the Democrats scored a net gain of two. They won the seat in Wisconsin held by Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird for eight terms and a seat held by a Republican in Montana. Barry Goldwater Jr. won in Orange County, Calif., which was forfeited only because of his name. A fourth Democratic seat in Tennessee went to a Democrat. As for Los Angeles, Thomas Bradley, a Negro, got 47 per cent of the vote in spite of Sam Yorty's demagoguery and the money poured into the Yorty campaign by Gov. Ronald Reagan's financial agents.

Moreover, a great deal can happen before next year's elections. While prices stay up, production could drop and unemployment rise. This specter of the worst-of-all-possible worlds is an ominous shadow over the last half of 1969.

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Outdone

PORT HURON, Mich. (AP) — On a recent Halloween here a farmer, hoping to scare off pumpkin thieves, put up a sign in his patch reading: "Beware. There is one poison pumpkin in this patch."

He returned to his field to find another sign: "Now there are two."

To Your Good Health

Breaks Out From Eating Wheat

By G. C. THOSTESON, M.D.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I have what they call a "food allergy" and my biggest offender is wheat. I break out in a rash all over my body. One doctor told me I have to live with this. I would like your opinion. — Mrs. F.S.

You have to live with the fact that you have an allergy, but that doesn't mean you have to live with the rash.

Accept the fact that you are hypersensitive (allergic) to wheat. A certain number of people are sensitive to foods (or other items) that are perfectly harmless to the average person. In your case, stay away from wheat as best you can. This means cake, wheat bread, biscuits, macaroni, spaghetti, noodles, anything made with wheat flour.

You may well find that some other cereals do not bother you. Many tolerate rice flour, for example, and safely eat bread

or other products made of rice flour. There are rye crackers, corn bread, oatmeal cookies.

Breakfast cereals might be various forms of corn, rice, or oatmeal.

It is not too unusual for a person with a food allergy to find that, if he stays strictly away from the offending food (or foods), in time he may develop a little tolerance. That is, he may reach a point at which he will not be bothered if he happens to eat a small amount of the food that bothers him.

If he then decides, however, that he is "cured" and begins eating quantities of the food in question, he usually soon finds himself back where he started — unable to eat any.

So after a time, test yourself, but cautiously. You may be able to determine how much wheat you can eat and get away with it.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: After

hearing many different methods of giving up smoking, I pass along, for whatever it is worth, the system I used after 40 years of smoking a pack a day.

For each day I did not smoke, I put aside half the price of the cigarettes and at the end of the month sent the money to St. Jude Hospital in Memphis, the project Danny Thomas helps, for diseased children.

I have not smoked for a year and a half. I am money ahead, feel a lot better, and have made a contribution to a worthwhile charity. — R.K.

"Tips On How To Stop Smoking," by Dr. Thosteson, will help you give up the habit. To receive a copy of the booklet, write to Dr. Thosteson in care of The Herald, enclosing with your request 25 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

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BUZZ SAWYER

YOU DROPPED YOUR WIG, MA'AM. HERE, LET ME TAKE CARE OF YOUR GUN...

NO! GET AWAY, Z-Z-Z!

AND HELP YOU INTO YOUR SEAT.

SHORTY, THE HANDCUFFS!

HE GOT THE WHACKER!

ALL PASSENGERS PLEASE KEEP YOUR SEATS.

LOOK, SHE'S BALD!

I BELIEVE IT'S A MAN!

YES, BUT THERE'S ANOTHER ONE UP IN THE COCKPIT.

THE WHACKER IN THE PASSENGER COMPARTMENT STAGGERS, SHE FUMBLES AT HER HAIR, HER GUN HAND SLUMPS.

GASOLINE ALLEY

So we can't meet Chipper in Gulfport? We'll meet him here a few hours later!

It isn't the same, Skeezi!

Nina, he'll be home for a whole month!

Home? He'll be running off to see Sara!

The only chance we'll have to talk to him will be on the drive up here from Gulfport.

NANCY

I MADE A CAKE FOR MY CAT'S BIRTHDAY--- TRY A PIECE

DON'T YOU LIKE FISH-FLAVORED CAKE?

PTUI

LI' ABNER

FLEE BELLY REPORTING!! YES--THERE IS A LOOK OF LOVE IN HIS EYE...

BUT ONLY FOR THE LUXURIES YOU GIVE HIM--NOT FOR YOU YOURSELF!!

CHUCKLE! DON'T WORRY--IT WILL BE FOR ME...

AS SOON AS I CUT OFF THOSE LUXURIES!! HA HA HEE HO!!

SHUDDER!!--WHEN MIA LAUGHS LIKE THAT, SHE ISN'T HUMAN!!

BLONDIE

BLONDIE-- DID YOU FIND A TEN DOLLAR BILL?

YOU MEAN THE ONE YOU HAD IN YOUR CUFF-LINK BOX IN BACK OF THE DRAWER UNDER YOUR SOCKS?

THAT'S THE ONE

YOU DON'T HIDE IT VERY WELL, DO YOU?

RICK O'SHAY

DON'T WORRY, LITTLE BUDDY... I'LL INVENT A FLYING MACHINE IF IT TAKES A THOUSAND YEARS!

IF IT'S GONNA TAKE THAT LONG, FORGET IT...

I NEED TO MAKE THE CHIEF FLY SO I CAN MARRY HIS DAUGHTER...

...AN' WHO KNOWS HOW I'LL FEEL ABOUT MARRIAGE IN A THOUSAND YEARS?

SNUFFY SMITH

VONDER GOES SAIRY AN' ZEKE RIDIN' OVER TH' RIDGE, PAW-- I SEE THEY HAD ANOTHER KNOCK-DOWN, DRAG-OUT FIGHT AN' AIN'T ON SPEAKIN' TERMS

HOW IN THUNDER CAN YE FIGGER THAT OUT, MAW?

PEANUTS

THE GRASS IS SOFT

IT'S COOL!

I FEEL FREE!!

RUNNING AROUND IN THE GRASS-- YOUR BARE FEET CAN BE VERY EXCITING...

AFTER A FEW YEARS, HOWEVER, THE EXCITEMENT WEARS OFF!

DICK TRACY

IN THE LAIR OF THE DOGNAPPERS.

YOU DO HAVE PUPPIES FOR SALE, DON'T YOU?

ANYTHING YOU WANT, BABY. THEY'RE ALL PEDIGREED.

MY 4-YEAR-OLD BEGS FOR A DOG. HOW ARE YOUR PRICES?

IF YOU HAVE \$600 OR OVER YOU'VE GOT A DOG \$600?

MARY WORTH

HER DECISION MADE, MOVA GOES SHIFTY TO WORK...

WHAT A SHOCKING DIFFERENCE FIVE LETTERS MAKE-- WHEN THEY AREN'T THERE!

YOU'RE THINKING OF GOING TO THE BEACH? DON'T YOU WANT TO GO TO THE BEACH?

FINISHED JUST IN TIME! HERE COME THE BLISS-FILLED PAIR... BACK FROM THEIR PICNIC!

REX MORGAN

WE DON'T WANT JASON WILSON TO KNOW THAT LEA'S MEMORY RETURNED, GLENN!

AND YOU DON'T THINK SHE HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH HER HUSBAND'S MURDER?

WE'RE CERTAIN SHE'S INNOCENT--

THEN MAYBE SHE'S NOT SAFE IN HER ROOM ALONE WITH WILSON?

WHY DID YOU KILL MY HUSBAND, JASON? HAD YOU PLANNED IT FOR A LONG TIME?

THEY FOUND YOUR FINGER-PRINTS ON THE MURDER WEAPON!

TERRY

DRUMMOND, I UNDERSTAND THE AIRLINES ARE LOOKING FOR BETTER WAYS OF HANDLING PASSENGERS. MIGHT BE WORTH YOUR WHILE TO PATENT YOURS.

JUST ONE OF THOSE INSPIRATIONS, MR. CUE. SHALL I LAND AND LET ZUZU SQUEEZE IN WITH US?

THIS IS THE FIRST TIME IN YEARS I'VE BEEN SURE MY DAUGHTER WAS IN NO POSITION TO MAKE TROUBLE. DON'T YOU DARE!

WHILE OUTSIDE A RESTAURANT IN A SCANDINAVIAN CITY...

ENJOYED DINNER, SIR. A WALK ACROSS THE PARK TO MY HOTEL WILL TOP IT OFF NICELY.

AS YOU WISH, COLONEL LEE, I'LL SEE YOU AT THE MEETING.

SMITTY

MY GOSH! LOOK AT THE SIZE OF THAT FISH! HE'S A GIANT!!

IF I ONLY HAD MY FISHING TACKLE HERE WITH ME!

HAVE I GOT AN IDEA!

FRIEND, THAT ALL LANDSLIDE JUST CLOSED THE ONLY EXIT FOR YOU!

MOON MULLINS

I SHOULD RETURN HOME, MAMA... LORD P'S GUIDANCE SYSTEM MAY NEED FINE TUNING.

OH, STAY AWAY AND GIVE THE BOY A WELL-EARNED REST.

BUT, MAMA-- YOU KNOW WHAT THEY SAY ABOUT MICE WHEN THE CAT'S AWAY...

FIDDLESTICKS! NO GIRL IN HER RIGHT MIND WOULD BOTHER TEMPTING LORD PLUSH-BOTTOM.

I KNOW-- BUT CAN HE STAND THE SHOCK IF HE FINDS OUT?

JUMBLE—that scrambled word game

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

CRANF

ONLOY

PANMEC

YAHNTS

HE DIDN'T HAVE THE THEM

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumble: AFTER PLAID SLUCE HANDED

Answer: What an overlong commercial is-- A PADDED "SELL"

KERRY DRAKE

I GUESS IT'S ALL RIGHT-- THE RYMERS LETTING FRIENDS STORE THEIR LUGGAGE IN HERE!

THIS SUITCASE FEELS AWFUL LIGHT, THOUGH! ... AND IT'S UNLOCKED!

BETLE BAILEY

HOLD IT! THIS PART OF THE ROAD IS TOO DARN NARROW!

I'M GETTING OUT TILL YOU GET PAST THIS POINT! I'M NO IDIOT!

Puzzled Dooley

Puzzled DOOLEY OPENS BAG AFTER BAG... WITH THE SAME RESULT!...

NOT ONE OF THEM HAS ANYTHING IN IT! WHY WOULD PEOPLE-- DOZENS OF THEM!-- LEAVE EMPTY LUGGAGE IN SOMEBODY ELSE'S APARTMENT?

DENNIS THE MENACE

QUIT ROUNDIN' ON THE CAPTAIN'S DOOR! YA SWAB!



(Photo by Lynn Kay Weaver)

Pavilion Under Construction

City workmen began work Monday on a 16-by-28-foot pavilion on the corner of Third and Scurry at the downtown parking lot on the site of the old Crawford Hotel. The pavilion will be topped with concrete roof sections and will contain several planters. The parking lot was paved Monday and shoppers were able to park on the lot today.

Judge Asked To Make Sure Texas Gets All Items Taken

AUSTIN (AP) — State Rep. Don Cavness, Austin, asked a district judge Monday to make sure Texas has all the items taken from a sunken Spanish galleon by a group of Indiana treasure hunters. Cavness, chairman of the House Governmental Affairs and Efficiency Committee, made the request in a letter to Dist. Judge Paul A. Martineau of Sarita. Martineau is scheduled to hear the state's case for a permanent injunction against Platoro, Ltd., of Gary, Ind., on Wednesday. Platoro did the recovery work on the sunken vessel. Cavness also asked Gov. Pres-

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Reader Wonders About That Pesky 'S' Spelling

To the Editor: After reading Sam's article about the city of Soash in the Big Spring Herald I couldn't help bringing this to your attention. It seems that in 1909 the folk called Big Spring, Big Springs. After all the talk we have had in the last few days, I am wondering who is right. Personally, I like it without the S. I used to think I could tell a newcomer by the way he would pronounce the name. Now after reading this story, it looks like it is a way to tell the old timers. Maybe somebody goofed in setting up the story anyway in the report Sam gave about Editor Ervin said on the Enterprise about the celebration July 9th, 1907.

Editor Ervin said in the 2,000 that gathered for the celebration about the conditions and the beauty of the surrounding country and the embracing quality of the breezes that constantly blow from the south. He says it seems more like you're standing beside some gull inhaling the sea breezes instead of being in some western town. I will admit there has been a lot of changes since 1907 with all of our hot weather we have had in June, etc. Mr. Ervin's remarks makes one feel real comfortable especially if you read the article while sitting in front of your air conditioner. You know to make up the south breeze).

Brew Workers Ready To Talk

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Representatives of 4,500 striking brewery workers prepared to resume contract talks today, saying negotiations could be as long as the city's storied beer supply is short. Members of Local 9, United Brewery Workers, AFL-CIO, went on strike June 9 over wage and work rules issues, idling production at plants which make Miller, Pabst, Schlitz, Blatz and Gettelman beers.

Special Election Supplies On Hand

Ballots are on hand and election supplies are expected soon for the special election of Aug. 5, Pauline Petty, county clerk, said today. The absentee voting for this election will begin July 17 and expire Aug. 1. Voters of the state will be asked to approve or reject nine proposed amendments to the state constitution. No other issues are at stake.

Choice Is Near

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — The Missouri Valley Conference was expected to disclose the choice of a new commissioner today at a meeting of member college representatives.

Lone Star Gas Strike Voted If It's Needed

DALLAS (AP) — Spokesmen say members of a union representing more than 400 Lone Star Gas Co. employees have voted to authorize a strike if it's needed to win a satisfactory contract. This outcome of a mail ballot was disclosed Monday night by J.R. Byrd, president of Local 4-499 of the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers Union. The union bargains for meter readers, machine operators, laborers, truck drivers, warehousemen, appliance servicemen, shop clerks and transmission line repairmen. They work in a Dallas area serving 232,000 natural gas customers. Byrd said authority to call a strike now belongs to the union's bargaining committee and it is willing to resume negotiations with Lone Star Gas.

There was no immediate comment from company officials. One of the major points at issue, Byrd said, is a Lone Star Gas offer of a 3 per cent raise to workers drawing either \$451 per month without overtime and before taxes, or \$1.94 per hour. He said the union seeks increases of 5 1/2 to 7 1/2 per cent to match what it considers the national averages of industry wage boosts in the past year. Another union spokesman reported little progress toward settling a strike in negotiations Monday between OCAW Local 4-478 and representatives of other Lone Star divisions and subsidiaries at Athens. The union claims 170 employees have been locked out of Lone Star's chemical fertilizer plant at Kerens since pickets were posted there last week.

Minor Blazes Snuffed Out

Only slight damage was reported in three minor fires in Big Spring Monday. Approximately \$35 damage was caused to a picket fence at Coronado Hills Apartments, 801 Marcy, when a grass fire behind Daniels' Parkway Auto and a t.i.c. Laundry, 2311 Wasson Road, burned to the fence. No cause for the blaze at 3:31 p.m. was given. Slight damage to the motor wiring of a car owned by Anna Mary Franks, 2504 Lynn, was reported at 1:22 p.m. Cause of the blaze, in front of Anthony's, 305 Main, was listed as faulty wiring. A third minor grass fire was reported at 8:10 E. 15th St. and a plastic road marker was reported melted when placed over a smudge pot in the 1200 block of Young St.

However, Cavness said, "The two shipments of treasures I have viewed do not include all of the items which were recovered, according to other sources of information. One of the divers who had a part in the recovery told our committee some time ago about items recovered that I have not seen in either shipment." Cavness told a news conference that Sadler tried to get his committee to "validate" a contract that Sadler said had been made with Platoro in which any treasure recovered would be split 50-50 between the state and Platoro. "Now it seems there was never a contract," Cavness said, "because there was a provision that the contract would not become effective until the attorney general dismissed the injunction suit. Platoro never signed it. There was nothing to validate."

Cavness said no value has been placed on the treasure items recovered but because of their antiquity they likely would be valued in the millions of dollars. He said the items he saw ranged from small silver coins to large iron cannons that would take several men to lift. He said the sites of three other Spanish wrecks have been recorded but no recovery attempts have been made. There are some indications that other wrecks will be found from a 14-ship fleet that was caught in a 1553 hurricane and sent crashing ashore on Lower Padre Island. The galleons were en route to Spain from Mexico. Spanish silver coins from the wrecks have been found washed ashore on Padre since 1873, Cavness said. One of the wrecks was discovered about 1965, and the items now held by Sadler were recovered in 1967.

No Injuries In Three-Car Crash

No injuries were reported and only slight damage was involved in a three-car accident at 6:26 a.m. Tuesday on North Main Street, just north of NE 9th Street. Investigating officers said the mishap occurred when a car, driven by Roy Joseph Detiege, 809 Wyoming, ran head-on into a parked car, owned by Benjamin Montanez, 181 NE 9th St. The force of the impact knocked the Montanez vehicle into a parked car behind it. It was owned by Inez Montanez, also of 101 NE 9th St.

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The Texas Highway Department is planning to proceed with the development of two proposed highway improvements in Big Spring, one on US 87, 1.7 miles south of FM 700 to FM 700, and the other on FM 700 from Gallof Street to IH 20.

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CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF THE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION
Sealed proposals for constructing 4.360 miles of gr. str., base & surf. From a Miles West of Cross Plains, 3.4 Miles West of Cross Plains on Highway No. 100, 2.287, covered by the Right-of-Way of the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 a.m. July 22, 1969, and then publicly opened at road.

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1313 Virginia	\$110

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3:00 Match Game	Linkletter Show	Linkletter Show	Dark Shadows	Tuesday Matinee	Ripcord	
3:30 Match Game	General Hospital	General Hospital	Dark Shadows	Tuesday Matinee	Popeye	
4:00 Sea Hunt	General Hospital	General Hospital	Dark Shadows	Tuesday Matinee	Popeye	
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6:00 Black Heritage	Black Heritage	Black Heritage	Rural, Farm News	Channel 8 News	News	
6:30 Black Heritage	Black Heritage	Black Heritage	Rural, Farm News	Channel 8 News	News	
7:00 Today	Today	Today	Mr. Peppermint	Mr. Peppermint	Theatre	
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BELLEVUE, Tex. (AP)—Buford O. Wetsel of Bellevue has been awarded a Purple Heart Medal by the U.S. Army—51 years late.

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**WATER PLAN---3
Texas Has A Big Dream**

Editor's Note: Texans will vote Aug. 5 on \$2.3 billion in bonds to pay the state's share of a plan to satisfy its water needs for the next 50 years. But much hinges on the results of studies of Mississippi River water. Here is a report.

By ROBERT HEARD
By The Associated Press

With a throat growing drier by the day, Texas is looking over Louisiana's shoulder at all those billions of gallons of water in the Mississippi.

Louisiana, with a hand flat against Texas' chest, says: "Hold on now, Tex. Let's see if there is a surplus."

Texas has a big dream: Import 12 million to 13 million acre-feet of water a year from the lower Mississippi.

How much is 13 million acre-feet? It is more than four trillion gallons.

Hard to picture? Look at it this way: It is enough to cover the 15 Panhandle counties north of Amarillo to a depth of one foot, with enough left over to put the same layer over Houston, Dallas, San Antonio and Fort Worth.

NOAH NERVOUS

That's enough water to make Noah nervous.

Or look at it this way: It is enough to cover to a depth of one foot a strip of land 10 miles wide from Texarkana to El Paso, plus another strip 10 miles wide from Brownsville at the mouth of the Rio Grande to Dalhart at the top of the Panhandle, and still have enough left over to cover the four big cities.

The Mississippi is big, but is it big enough to part with this much water and not hurt the Louisiana marshlands? Louisiana's multimillion dollar seafood industry depends on high water flow to prevent salt water intrusion. And the Texas request is equal to nine full days of the Mississippi's average discharge.

Louisiana held a conference June 19 on the \$9 billion Texas water plan. Calvin Watts, assistant state public works director, said Louisiana should proceed with "extreme caution and care" before agreeing to the diversion of that much Mississippi water.

THREE STUDIES

Three studies are under way on the effect that diversion would have. Louisiana is making one of the studies, and two federal agencies, the Army Corps of Engineers and the Bureau of Reclamation, are conducting the others.

Texas water officials say the plan has benefits for Louisiana too. For one thing, more fresh water could be put into some of the marshes by diversions from the canal that would carry the water to Texas. For another, there are dry areas of Louisiana that could solve their water problems by tapping the canal.

Texas hopes Louisiana will agree to the plan and help sell Congress on funding the bulk of it.

LOUISIANA KEY

If Louisiana opposes it, she could keep it tied up in the courts for years.

Under the plan, 4.45 million acre-feet of "surplus" East Texas water also would be moved to the drier climes of West and South Texas, and even into New Mexico. An acre-foot is 325,851 gallons.

This makes a total water movement of about 17 million acre-feet, which is supposed to take care of water needs to the year 2020.

There are three main divisions in the proposed Texas

water system.

The Eastern Division would consist of those facilities in far East Texas needed to receive Mississippi River water and move it to the two other divisions, the Trans-Texas Division and the Coastal Division.

CRITICAL FIRST STEP

The Trans-Texas Division would include storage and regulating reservoirs in Northeast Texas and the canals necessary to move water across the top of the state to west of Lubbock,

where it would split, with one fork going on into New Mexico and the other swinging southwest to El Paso. Nearly 11 million acre-feet would be moved through the Trans-Texas system.

The coastal division would consist of canals for water movement along the Gulf Coast to the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

The \$3.5 billion bond issue Texans will vote on Aug. 5 is a critical first step.

Equally important will be the results of the Mississippi River studies, which are not expected to be completed for two years or more.

"I think we're going to come up with some surplus water," Watts said. "Whether it will be in the amount Texas and New Mexico need and at the time they need it, I don't know."

About the Texas water plan, Watts told a newspaper after the conference: "I don't think we'll see this in your lifetime."



(AP WIREPHOTO)

Planning Third Marriage

Blanca and Daniel Beltran, of Dallas, shown with son, Tony, are going to celebrate their third anniversary in August by getting married for the third time to each other. The first time they were married was when both

were 19 and ran away to Juarez, Mexico. The next ceremony was one in the U.S. so Mrs. Beltran could receive allotment checks while her husband served in the Marines. This time the ceremony will be in church.

**They're Believers In Adage
'The Third Time Is A Charm'**

DALLAS (AP) — Blanca and Daniel Beltran are believers in the old adage that "the third time is a charm," and to prove it are planning their third marriage to each other.

Though they may not be the only couple to have married three times, they probably are among a very few who have been to the altar that many times without a single divorce.

ried for Mexico, then for the Marine Corps and now we are going to do it for God," explained Beltran.

The couple met in El Paso where their families were long-time friends. The summer they were both 19 they ran off to Juarez across the border and got married.

Mrs. Beltran explained they were only together about six months when her husband was

ordered to take a physical for the draft, and enlisted in the Marine Corps instead.

The Marine Corps didn't recognize the Juarez marriage, and in order for Mrs. Beltran to receive allotment checks, the couple married again.

Beltran attended boot camp in California and then was assigned to Camp LeJeune, N.C., where his wife planned to join him. She had moved to Dallas with her parents where the couple's first child was born.

Mrs. Beltran said she and the baby started for North Carolina only to learn that Beltran had received his orders for Vietnam.

While he was overseas, Mrs. Beltran said her mother persuaded her a church wedding was in order. "My mother said everyone else might recognize the marriage, but until we were married in church, she would not be satisfied."

Beltran arrived home Sunday with a promotion and medals and the couple plan a July 12 ceremony.

"The couple, who will celebrate their third anniversary in August said they're looking forward to being together as a family at last."

"About the only times we've seen each other has been at weddings—and they've all been our own," laughed Mrs. Beltran.

Bridge Test

—CHARLES H. GOREN

BY CHARLES H. GOREN
(Continued from the Chicago Tribune)

Neither vulnerable. West deals.

NORTH
♠ 7
♥ Q76
♦ KQJ62
♣ A Q 6 3

WEST **EAST**
♠ J 8 5 ♠ AKQ9843
♥ 10 8 5 ♥ J 2
♦ A 10 9 8 4 ♦ 7
♣ 8 4 ♣ 9 7 5

SOUTH
♠ 10 2
♥ AK 9 4 3
♦ 5 3
♣ K J 10 2

The bidding:
West North East South
Pass 1 ♦ 3 ♣ 4 ♥
Pass Pass Pass Pass
Opening lead: Ace of ♦

The defenders in today's hand combined a well conceived opening lead with a bit of fancy footwork subsequently to sink South's four heart contract, before the latter could launch his campaign.

East's preemptive jump overall of three spades was calculated to interrupt the comfortable flow of information between his opponents. South was, indeed, confronted with an awkward situation.

He did not relish the idea of committing the partnership to a game in hearts with no fit yet established.

A penalty double of East's bid, on the other hand, appeared to be a bit premature and to pass, of course, was unthinkable. Fortunately, North put down a reasonable dummy and South's four heart call was undisturbed.

West was convinced from his own modest holding as well as partner's preemptive activities that defensive prospects were slight since the opposition obviously held the bulk of the high card strength. Furthermore, his own length in spades indicated that few tricks were available from that source.

The only hope then, was to find partner with a short suit and try to give him ruffs.

West's length in diamonds appeared to offer the best prospect, and despite North's bid of that suit, West opened the ace of diamonds. He continued with the ten and East trumped with the deuce of hearts.

East realized that desperate measures were in order, and he felt that the only chance was to put West in again to obtain another diamond ruff. Taking the ten of diamonds as a suit preference signal, East resolved to underlead his top honors in spades in the hope that West held the jack. He assumed that if West held a trump trick or the king of clubs, his lead at trick two would have been a small diamond to suggest that his reentry card was not in spades.

Fortunately, West was able to win the spade return and on a diamond continuation, East used the jack of hearts to apply the finishing touch to declarer's cause. South was obliged to overruff with the king—thereby establishing West's ten of trumps as the eventual setting trick.

BUDGET TALKS TO CONTINUE

Discussion of the 1969-70 proposed \$4,873,835 school budget will continue at 7:30 p.m. today at the regular meeting of trustees of the Big Spring Independent School District.

At a special meeting July 1, trustees sliced approximately \$26,800 from the budget by cutting proposed salary raises. Supt. S. M. Anderson said the budget is the major item for tonight's meeting, but trustees will also look at a request by the Band Boosters to be forgiven a \$1,500 debt so they can purchase approximately 160 blazers for junior high bandmen.

Notices Sent For Hearing On Zoning

Approximately 11,000 notices for a July 24 joint public hearing on the revised zoning ordinance were mailed Monday to Big Spring property owners, according to Larry Crow, city manager.

"We are required by law to give property owners 15 days notice of the hearing," he said. Members of the city commission and the planning and zoning commission will sit in joint session in Municipal Auditorium for the hearing.

A copy of the revised ordinance and the preliminary zoning district map will be available to property owners in Room 207 of City Hall from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. July 9 - July 24, Crow said.

The Planning and Zoning Commission approved the revised ordinance June 12 and recommended city commissioners call the public hearing. City commissioners approved the recommendation and ordered the hearing.

Rains Tease Hot Texans

By The Associated Press

There were just enough showers to tease hot and dry Texans a bit Monday.

Forecasters looked for a few more again by evening, but still not enough to offset the state's lengthening heat wave.

Most of the shower activity late Monday was along the Texas-New Mexico line and over far West Texas. A trace of moisture at El Paso was the nearest thing to a measurable amount.

Earlier in the day light showers spattered Houston, where a three-day ban on outdoor use of water ended and the city began a rationing program which lets residents at even- and odd-numbered addresses sprinkle their yards on alternate days.

Houston's first rain in 30 days fell during the weekend, but heavy water use was expected to keep pressure low.

With the latest cool front promising to stall in the Oklahoma Panhandle, widely scattered thunderstorms were in prospect for parts of Northwest Texas by evening.

Forecasts called for isolated showers in the northeast, south-central and southwest parts of the state.

Top temperatures Monday hit 103 degrees at Wichita Falls, 102 at Cotulla, 101 at Laredo, Texarkana, Tyler and Waco, and 100 at Dallas, Fort Worth, Mineral Wells and San Angelo.

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks to the kind friends, neighbors and relatives for expressions of sympathy, beautiful flowers, and other courtesies extended to us during our recent bereavement.

Mrs. A. G. Eitzen

Catto Lands OAS Position

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Henry Catto Jr., financial director of the Citizens for Nixon campaign, is in Washington for briefings prior to his appointment as deputy ambassador to the Organization of American States.

Contacted at home here, Mrs. Catto said her husband's appointment is expected to be announced in about two weeks. She and their four children plan to join Catto by week's end.

Catto, who speaks fluent Spanish, met several OAS ambassadors before and during HemisFair while they worked with Latin American countries considering exhibits at the 1968 world's fair here.

He has been active in Texas GOP affairs since early Eisenhower campaigns.

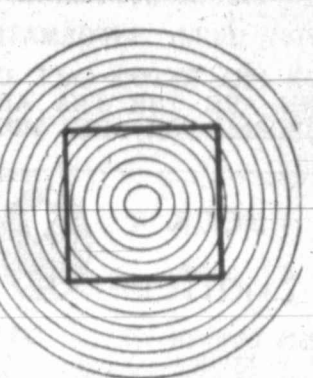
Mrs. Catto's mother, Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby of Houston, was the first secretary of Health, Education and Welfare in the Eisenhower administration.

Catto is a local insurance and banking executive.

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