

The World At-A-Glance

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's postal workers, having ratified a labor agreement obtained under threat of an illegal strike, now are pushing for legislation to make legal a nationwide mail strike. The largest of four postal unions announced Monday their members had ratified an agreement which will give them \$1,500 in raises over the next three years. Following announcement of the ratification, James Rademacher of the National Association of Letter Carriers, said the union would now focus its efforts on getting legal authority to strike.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Defense Department's fuel bill will increase by \$150 million to \$160 million a year with decontrol of domestic oil prices, according to Defense Department calculations. President Ford has announced he will veto a bill extending the controls. Pentagon experts said 60 to 70 per cent of the Defense Department's petroleum requirements are obtained from domestic sources and thus will be affected by decontrol.

Wrapping Up Sinai Pact

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt (AP) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger arrived back in Alexandria today, carrying a partially agreed-upon draft of an interim Sinai accord between Egypt and Israel that diplomatic sources may be wrapped up as early as Friday.

"We have made remarkable progress," said Kissinger, who left Israel for Alexandria.

Kissinger told newsmen the "subtle and fine points" of the agreement were being worked out. He said he had the text of a pact, part of which was already agreed upon by the sides.

Israeli officials anticipated an initialing ceremony possibly before the end of the week, but Kissinger declined to give a date.

Diplomatic sources said the main issue in the agreement — the withdrawal lines — was settled, and agreement was close on the half-dozen front line electronic surveillance posts to be set up and partly manned by American technicians.

Kissinger flew to Alexandria Monday for a meeting with President Anwar Sadat of Egypt, returned to Jerusalem for a 3½-hour meeting Monday night with Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin and his negotiating team, and after more talks with the Israelis today was returning to Alexandria this afternoon.

"So far we have not run into any unexpected difficulties or into any one difficulty that presents a deadlock, so matters are still progressing," Kissinger told newsmen.

He reported that drafts of the proposed agreement are now being exchanged.

Back in the United States, Senate Majority Leader Mike Mansfield said he would oppose a key provision of the proposed accord: the use of American civilians to help man at least four electronic surveillance posts around the two mountain passes.

The Montana Democrat

recalled the stationing of American advisers in South Vietnam that began the American involvement in that war and commented: "One Vietnam is one Vietnam too many."

President Ford, speaking earlier Monday in Milwaukee, Wis., said he had not decided yet whether U.S. civilians should be sent to Sinai. But he said they would not be sent unless Congress approved.

The Israelis said agreement had been reached on the distance Egyptian forces will advance after Israel withdraws. Diplomatic sources said they would advance about two miles along the Gulf of Suez, in the south, while in the rest of the territory they would move forward five to 10 miles to take over the present United Nations buffer zone.

The sources said the new U.N. buffer zone to be set up between the two armies would be as much as 30 miles wide in some places and would include the Gidi and Mitla passes.

Originally, Israel opposed any Egyptian advance. Its concession on this point was the price for maintaining an Israeli-American electronic warning post on the Egyptian side of the Gidi Pass. The post, at Umm Khashiba, will watch Egyptian airfields as far away as Cairo as well as ground movements.

White Due In C-City

COLORADO CITY — The annual farm tour, the annual guessing of the cotton bale total in the county and a speech by John C. White, state commissioner of agriculture, will be held Thursday in Mitchell County.

Coffee will be served Thursday starting at 8:45 a.m. at the Civic Center.

Buses are provided by Colorado Independent School District. Woody Anderson, farm tour chairman, said that tickets for the noon barbecue are on sale at the Farmers Home Administration, Soil Conservation Service, Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service and the extension office, or from the Chamber of Commerce.

The farm tour includes stops at the Curtis and Don Ladimer farm for a cotton demonstration and grain sorghum demonstration, Curtis Shaw farm near Buford for a cotton demonstration, Wayne Oliver farm near Loraine, cotton demonstration with a watermelon break with Travis Turner furnishing the melons, stops at the Custom Ag nursery on the Royce Mahon farm near Loraine and a cotton demonstration at the Rob and White Holman farm south of Loraine.

Cotton bale totals will be guesses on the back of luncheon tickets.

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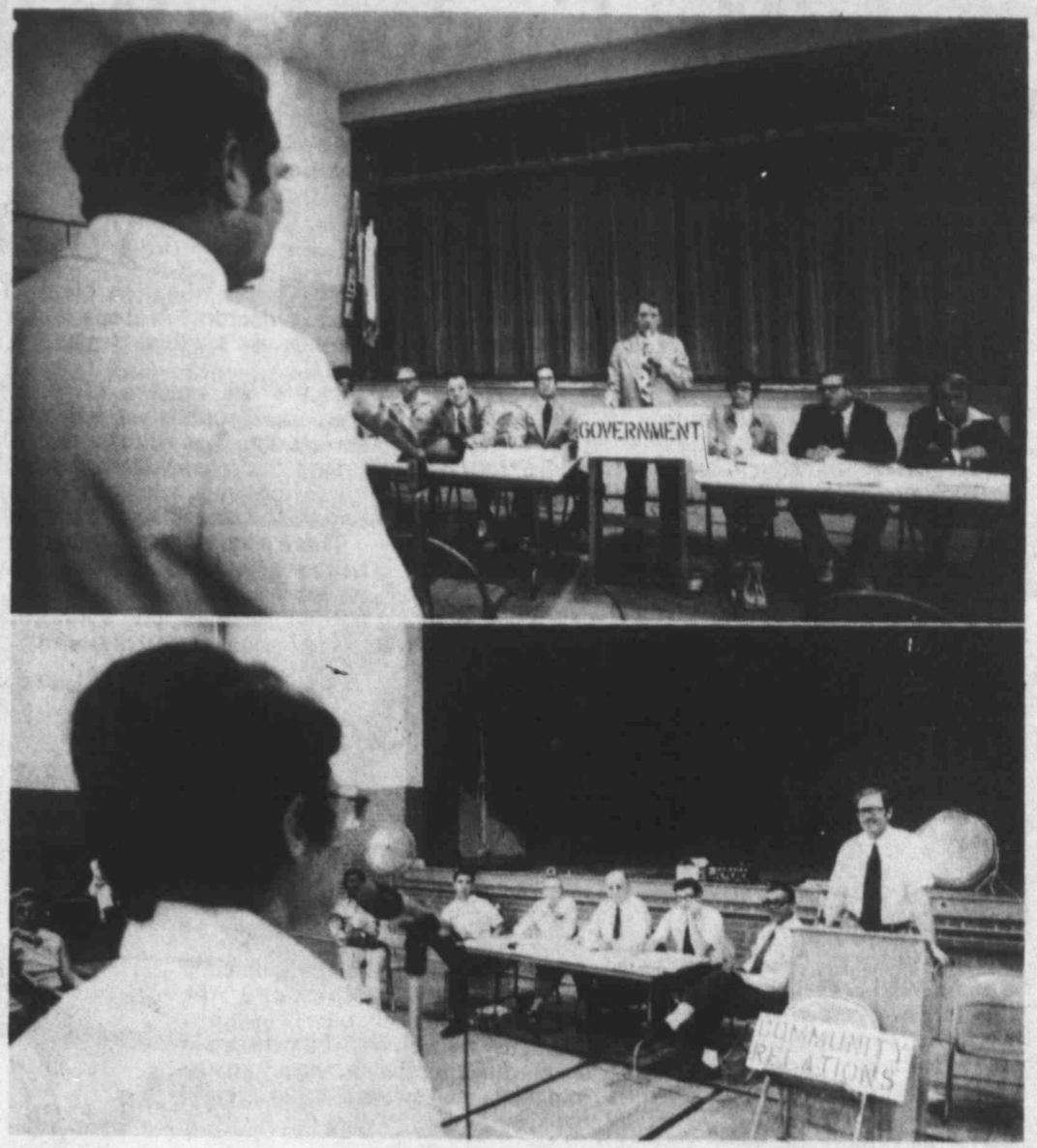
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BIG SPRING NEEDS — Dr. Kenneth Patrick is shown at the microphone at the meeting at Washington Elementary explaining some of the things that might be needed in the Goals for Big Spring. Ben Bancroft is at the microphone up front. At Lakeview School, Sister Janis speaks of community needs while Tom Locke moderates. Meetings will be held at College Heights and Bauer at 7:30 p.m. tonight for all interested persons.

College Hts., Bauer Scene Of Meetings

By MARJ CARPENTER Citizens threw forth ideas at two Town Hall meetings Monday night under the Goals for Big Spring banner. Tonight, meetings will be held at College Heights and Bauer Elementary at 7:30 p.m. Citizens are urged to come forth and give their ideas on what is needed in Big Spring.

The meetings Monday were at Washington and Lakeview elementary. Dr. Charles Hays moderated at Washington and Tom Locke moderated at Lakeview.

The panel at Washington included Ben Bancroft, Curt Mullins, Dr. J. E. Hogan, Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall, Jeff Brown, Bobby Smith, W. S. (Dub) Pearson, Mrs. Johnnie Lou Avery, Winston Wrinkle, and Mrs. Mary Thomas, acting as secretary.

The panel at Lakeview included Charlie Merritt, Dearl Pittman, Malcolm Patterson, Mrs. Mary Joy Cowper, Capt. Riley Ritter, Steve Morgan, Mrs. Janelle Davis, John Currie and Mrs. Marie Steagald, acting as secretary.

One of the items that drew large response on both sides of town was a need for a coordinated community center.

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involved in the building trades were discussed.

Both George Beene and John Bagnall discussed educational programs now available. Mrs. Jane Upton talked of the need for more adult education for dropouts.

Among other items mentioned at the two meetings were the need for a family counseling service on the north side, for updating and improving and using the amphitheatre, for more positive salesmanship among local businessmen and the population itself, for walkovers at heavy traffic streets, for more through streets, for cooperation, where possible, in governmental units such as in bookkeeping and taxing services and other items.

A portion of Big Spring citizens spoke up Monday night when given the chance. More ideas are sought. Meetings will be held again tonight and Thursday night before the goals committee sits down to sum up what the citizens are trying to tell them.

Webb To Be Included In Air Force Study

Webb AFB of Big Spring is among the 30 bases which will be included in an Air Force study of "social and economic inter-relationships between Air Force installations and surrounding communities and regions."

The Air Force announced authorization of the studies in Washington Monday. Goodfellow AFB of San Angelo is the only other Texas military facility which will participate.

Information collected during these studies will be used by Air Force planners in determining environmental effects of base changes.

The Herald is accepting the donations on behalf of the sponsoring organization, the Howard County Ministerial Alliance.

The city's two funeral homes, Nalley-Pickle and River-Weich, forwarded a \$50 check Monday. Several other donors made out checks for \$25 each.

The need for funds is becoming critical, since classes have already begun in local schools.

The Bible classes have to be supported by free-will offerings since tax money cannot be used under existing laws to underwrite expenses.

Latest gifts include:

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Annexations Will Be Discussed Oct. 15

The city set October 15 as the date for discussion of two separate annexations of property to the city when they met in regular session at City Hall this morning.

One plot includes the area from north of 11th Pl. extension to IS 20 and from the present city limits to Midway Road. This includes the city land fill.

The other area is one adjoining Comanche Trail Park between the park and US 87. Part of this area was requested to be placed inside the city limits by Jerry Worthy for development. Three other land owners appeared requesting that they not be included in the annexation due to city taxes.

The citizens were told that the city is trying to halt the practice of leaving islands inside the city outside the limits and to even up the city boundaries.

Councilman Eddie Acri made a motion that the city consider only the Worthy property. The motion died for lack of a second. The council then unanimously passed a resolution calling for the public hearing on the property.

WITHDRAWS REQUEST C. W. Creighton had asked to be placed on the agenda to de-annex a 26 acre pasture. Upon studying the map and showing how it would place another island outside the city limits inside the boundaries, he withdrew his request.

The council officially named Comanche Trail Lake for the former Cosden Lake. Mrs. Polly Mays, mayor pro-tem, told the city that the Jerry Worthys had donated a check to the city for a living memorial for the late Garner McAdams. The council decided to start a fund for crepe myrtle, the city flower, in a place to be selected.

SHED FEES UP The council overrode the parks and recreation board on the matter of cart shed rental at the city golf course. The rental fee will be upped from \$7 per month to \$10 per month as of Oct. 1. They approved green fee raises as recommended by the parks board. Also effective Oct. 1.

After a lengthy discussion, the city dads agreed to approve the ballpark complex plans as they now stand. The park will have two baseball fields and two regulation softball fields, with the recommendation that when

the next four parks are built, consideration be given to regulation slow pitch fields, since this request was made last.

The council passed on final reading amendments to the plumbing ordinance, abandoned automobile ordinance and the dog ordinance.

PARK SPEED SET They also officially approved speed limits in Comanche Trail park of 20 miles per hour and approved ordinance validation of all traffic control devices "already" installed. The council had approved traffic commission minutes on new stop signs and other devices without making an ordinance to cover each device.

The council approved passing first reading of a resolution authorizing a signature card for letters of credit for the HUD funds. They heard a report from City Manager Harry Nagel that four members of the

staff were going to Sulphur Springs to study the trailer type trash pickup and will report back to the council.

The council tabled action on the Electrical Board minutes until more details could be brought to the council.

The council appointed an advisory Manpower committee which includes Mayor Wade Choate, Judge Bill Tune, Judge D. W. Parker of Garden City, Bill Crooker, Charles Tompkins, Don Stringer, Garden City; Larry Key, George Beene, Mrs. Elena Rosas, Mrs. Doris Lewis and John Ramirez.

Charles Tompkins expressed public appreciation to the Heritage Museum for the presentation to the council members of Big Spring commemorative coins.

Mayor Choate presided, with all council members present, including Harold Hall, Mrs. Mays, Acri and Tompkins.

"Later on, I would hide in the kitchen cabinet or anything," Mrs. Gilbert said.

Another time, she pretended suicide with a bottle of "hayfever pills." James "caught me by the throat so I couldn't swallow them. So I thought this one works real good."

Mrs. Gilbert recalled taking about 20 pills another time without thought of them possibly killing her.

The couple from Lake Jackson had returned to Big Spring. James told her he would stay with his mother while she stayed with hers.

"Every time we come here, he finds an excuse to leave me with my mother so he could go out," Mrs. Gilbert explained.

The night before April 1, she found him at a cafe behind Giant Food Store. An argument ended when he threw her in a car.

BUYS GUN On the morning of April 1, Mrs. Gilbert found him and argued with him again. This time, she mentioned his

companion "Ernest Jr." once kissing her.

She went to Fox's Pawn Shop, 911 W. 4th St., where she purchased the .22 revolver for \$31 and .22 shot hollow-point rounds.

"She was extremely nice dressed, well mannered," Danny Burden, a salesman, testified. "She was extremely calm. Didn't act excited about the pistol at all."

Burden said he showed her how to use the pistol, but refused to take a second-party check along with cash for the gun. She returned later with the rest of the amount in cash.

"Don't go and shoot somebody, because I showed you how to use it," Burden recalled joking. "She said she'd gotten it for protection."

Mrs. Gilbert went to the Doris Moten house. "I just knew he was (there), because that's what he always does."

Witnesses there said the couple whispered at the door.

"I just asked him what we were going to do," Mrs. Gilbert said.

"ACT CRAZY" "Why don't you go to someone else's house and act crazy," the defendant and others quoted her husband saying as he returned to sit down.

The defendant and others said she turned as if to leave and whirled, firing once. Mrs. Gilbert said she held the gun with both hands, a shawl draped over her arms, her eyes closed and face down.

Robert Coleman, who lives at 409 N. Bell St., and Porter Briggs, who also was present, failed to verify that she shot with her eyes closed, looking down and with both hands. But Basden indicated the two had told him this when he interviewed them earlier.

SURPRISED James Gilbert jumped, sat with his eyes closed and blood started flowing, his widow said.

"When I fired that gun, I just knew I was going to hit the wall," Mrs. Gilbert said. "Nobody was more shocked than I was."

Her husband was sitting less than 15 feet away. (See FEM, Page 6-A, Col. 4)

Rangers Guard Oilman Following Death Threats

DALLAS (AP) — An executive of an oil and gas investment firm who reportedly has cooperated in a state investigation of "Schedule D" companies, has been placed under guard by Texas Rangers after reporting threats on his life.

W. Guy Wynn Jr., vice president of Landmark Petroleum Inc., said he nevertheless plans to be present Wednesday when testimony begins in 95th District Court here in a \$3 million damage suit brought against state investigators by Landmark and other Schedule D companies.

Schedule D is a federal securities exemption that enables oil and gas firms to operate with minimum of government regulation. The firms are said to be able to operate from within Texas without registering their oil leases with the State

Securities Commission. Wynn said members of his family had received a number of phone calls from a person who said nothing. His son, however, was told "your daddy's had it" when he

answered the home phone over the weekend, Wynn said.

State Securities Commissioner Roy W. Mauer testified Monday in a jurisdiction hearing that Landmark and two of the other firms here have been under investigation by his agency.

The suit by the six firms alleges harassment and claims state agents released confidential information to news media. The suit originally named as defendants the State Securities Commission and the Texas attorney general's Office, but the latter was dismissed as a defendant Monday.

Mauer testified Monday that any information obtained by news media was not confidential because it was not obtained by subpoena.

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Postal Service Improvements

By the Associated Press

When postal officials talk about mail delays, they like to stress what they are doing to improve service.

The Postal Service is working on several projects that appear promising but it has promised improvements before, only to have service get worse.

In late 1972 and early 1973, for example, a Postal Service economy drive made so many changes so fast that the result, as summarized in a recent congressional report, was "service deterioration and mail tie-up requiring weeks to unravel."

There is even some question about whether service today is better than it used to be. Critics say that in the late 1960s the old Post Office Department was delivering first-class mail overnight within entire states, and providing second-day delivery to other domestic destinations.

Postal officials acknowledge that this was a "goal" in many areas, but say there was no effective system to check on how well the goals were met. Changes in distribution patterns since then, they say, have been designed to improve over-all efficiency.

Today, the Postal Service standards for first-class are next-day delivery in metropolitan regions, second-day delivery to destinations within 600 miles, and third-day delivery for domestic letters traveling more than 600 miles. Officials say the standards are being met more than 90 per cent of the time.

Delivery standards for airmail are comparable to the 1969 goals, and plans to extend airmail service to first-class include a promise that virtually all the mail affected will be delivered within two days.

This extension of airmail service, originally scheduled to begin Aug. 1, has been postponed until questions about rates are resolved. But even the announcement of the plan amounted to an admission that the Airmail Improvement Program, launched in 1971 to increase airmail volume, had not been able to provide significantly better service than first-class.

Stung by studies showing that the large letter sorting machines — LSMs — are responsible for delaying millions of letters each day, the Postal Service says it is making a concerted effort to correct problems with the machines.

There is no thought of abandoning the LSMs. Officials say they are necessary to save money and to speed mail sorting. Instead, efforts are directed toward improving the present machines, helping LSM operators work more efficiently, and developing new machines.

The Postal Service has 150 new LSMs, at a cost of \$180,000 each, on order for delivery starting next August. Don Haag, director of letter mail systems development, said in an interview that the machines will have substantially different inner workings designed to cut the machine error rate from almost two per cent to substantially less than one per cent.

In addition, he said, to improve working conditions for LSM operators and help them work more accurately, the new machines will be quieter and have console keyboards that will make it

impossible for two keys to be struck at once — a problem that studies have blamed for many operator errors.

These new features are also being installed in existing machines as they are overhauled, Haag said.

The machines help speed the mail, officials say, because they offer the potential for a greater "depth of sort" — an LSM clerk can direct a letter to any one of 277 sorting bins, eliminating much of the resorting necessary on mail processed manually. A clerk sorting by hand generally works in front of a box with only 77 pigeonholes.

For the longer run, the Postal Service hopes to harness computer technology.

In addition to the 562 LSMs operated by men and women, the Postal Service has 25 that use a computerized optical process to "read" typewritten ad-

resses and feed letters into an LSM at the rate of 12 per second. The process eliminates the need for the 12 clerks who operate the current LSMs.

There have been problems in developing the optical readers, but Haag says the Postal Service now has an optical character reading ability "that no one else can match."

Checks by a reporter at the bins of three LSMs being fed by optical character readers found few errors and demonstrated a feature that planners have striven to build into the computer memory — it can sort letters without zip codes because the computer reads city and state names.

The computer also compares zip codes with city and state names, overriding the zip if it is sure the code is wrong or sending the letter to a reject/bin if it can't resolve the conflict.



(AP WIREPHOTO)
AGAINST IMMEDIATE OIL DECONTROL — Raleigh Warner Jr., chairman of Mobil Oil Corp., said he opposes immediate total decontrol of petroleum prices because of the potential shock such action might have on the nation's fragile economic recovery.

Princess Gets Nuisance Calls

LONDON (AP) — The post office apparently has decided that one of its employees made nuisance calls to Princess Anne's home, but a spokesman for Buckingham Palace said the Queen's 25-year-old daughter would not press charges against him.

"We understand that as a result of post office inquiries, the caller has been found," said the spokesman, "but no action is being taken by Buckingham Palace."

Rangerettes To Hong Kong

KILGORE, Tex. (AP) — Selected members of the Kilgore College drill team and band will travel to Hong Kong in late October to appear in a two-week trade and fair exhibition, a college official says.

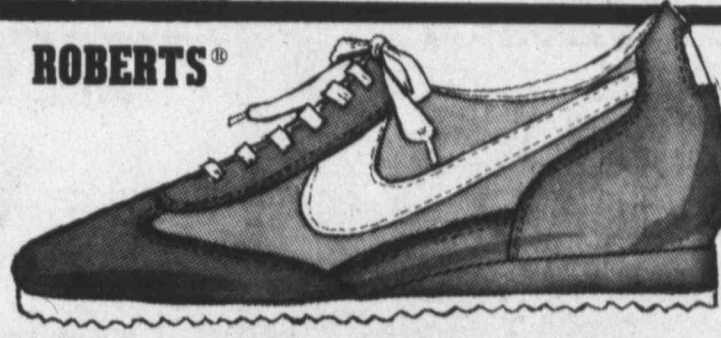
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Don't Yell At This Bear

SUPERIOR, Mont. (AP) — This was one bear that didn't like being yelled at.

Roger Stang, a U.S. Forest Service technician, said Sunday he was treed by a black bear after he followed accepted procedure of yelling to scare the animal.

Stang said he was surveying timber when he spotted a sow bear with two cubs about 50 yards away, whistled and sent all three running away downhill. But the sow returned about 10 minutes later. When Stang yelled, it charged.

"It didn't look like it was scared," Stang noted.

He said he climbed at least 30 feet above the ground on a tree about a foot in diameter. He said the bear tried to follow him up the tree but fell off as the trunk dwindled in size. Stang estimated the bear circled the trunk for 15 minutes before leaving.

Stang's only injuries were forearms and shins badly scraped on the way up the lodgepole pine which may have saved his life.

TO COPE WITH FRUSTRATIONS Count Your Beans Before Chewing Them

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — An excellent way to cope with the frustrations and uncertainties of today's society is to count your beans before chewing them, says a friendly neighborhood philosopher.

Jerome Techtman, a welder, says:

"For many years when I would become emotionally disturbed I would sit down, open an eat a little eight-ounce can of ... pork and beans.

"I would count as I ate, and through the years the number of beans in each can always varied between 325 and 340.

"My troubles would vanish and relief was immediate."

The 62-year-old ex-tavern owner is considered something of a philosopher around his neighborhood in north Portland and in the pipe shop where he works.

He has other remedies "to help make life worth living in a day when no one seems to believe in anything."

Flowers abound around his home, and 10 years ago he drilled a hole in the dining room wall "just to let the outside ivy in," he said.

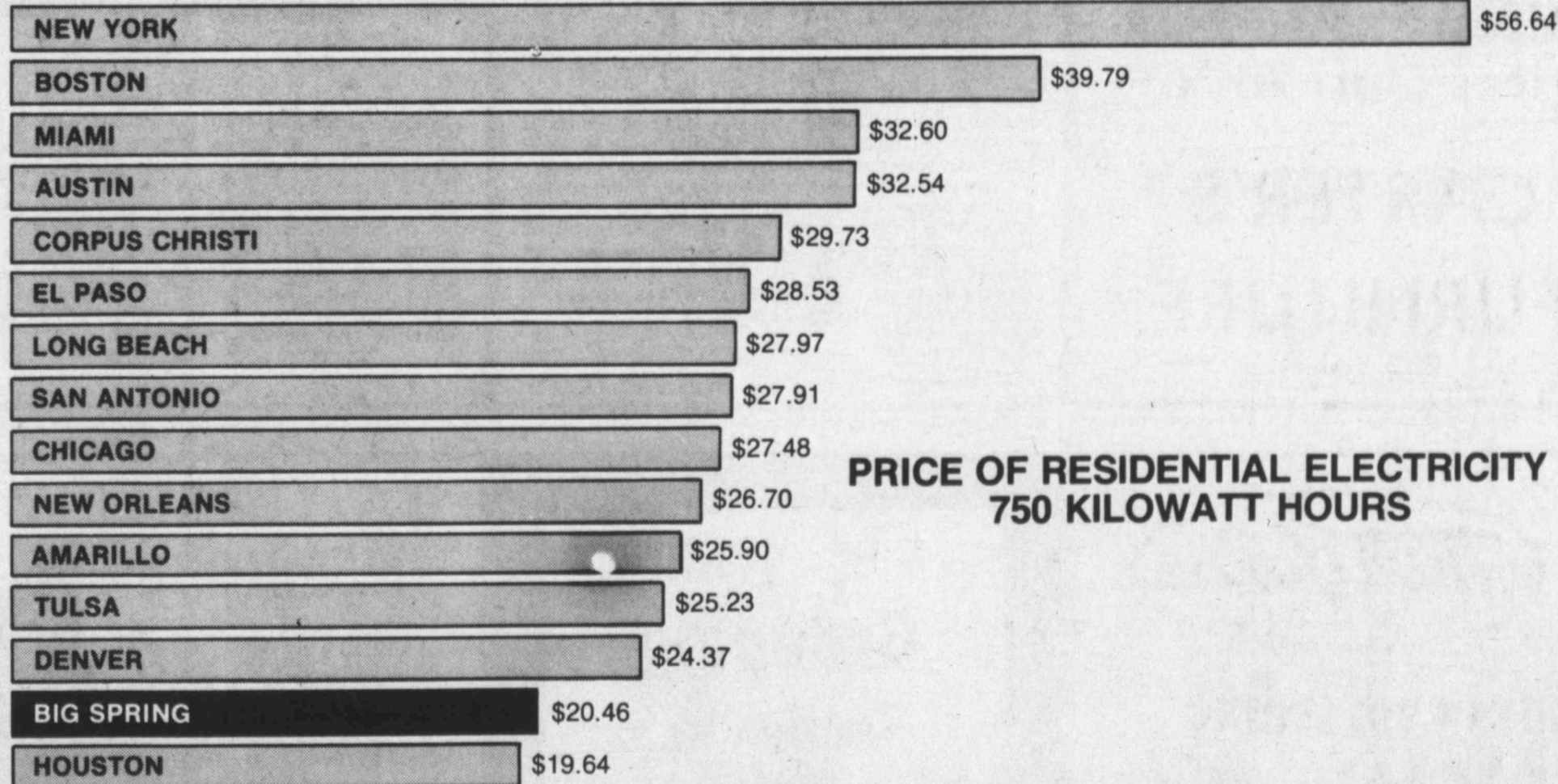
It now grows on all walls and the ceiling of the room.

"That way, you don't have to paint the walls and ceiling," he said while munching his beans — 93, 94, 95...

Some things he has no remedy for, however.

"The other day I was going through my records and found that I used to buy those little cans of beans six for a quarter. The ones now on my shelf — I am never without them — are marked 17 cents each.

"And what's worse, each can now contains only about 186 beans, the rest is soup on top."



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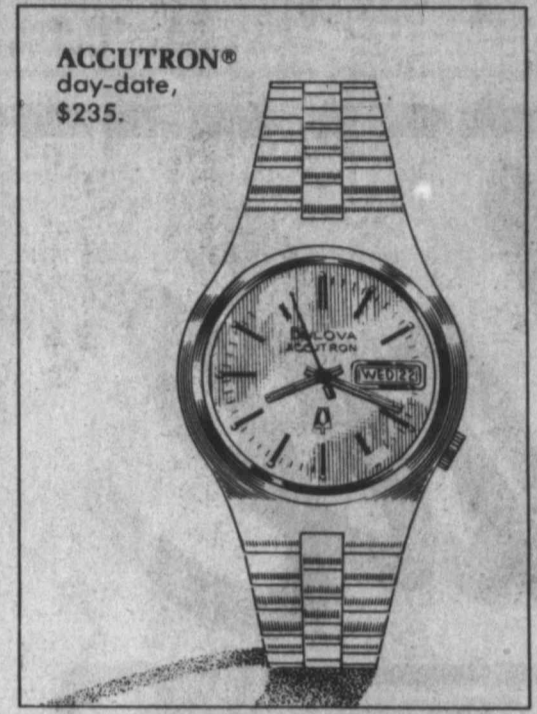
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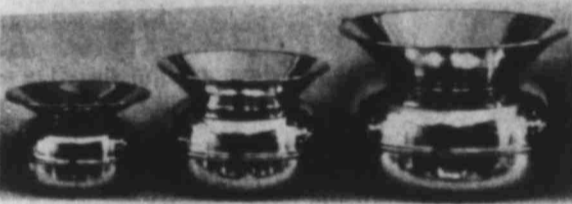
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Theodore Hernandez, shown on the left, is assistant manager of Gibson's Discount Center and also Health and Beauty Aids buyer. He's pictured with Julie Hardesty displaying just a few of the hundreds of brand name items Gibson's carries in their HBA department. These quality brand names are offered at low discount prices. As a participant of the "Buy In Big Spring" program, Gibson's invites you to come out to 2303 Scurry and enjoy shopping their huge store. They carry literally thousands of nationally-known items throughout the store. There is plenty of free parking space for your shopping convenience.

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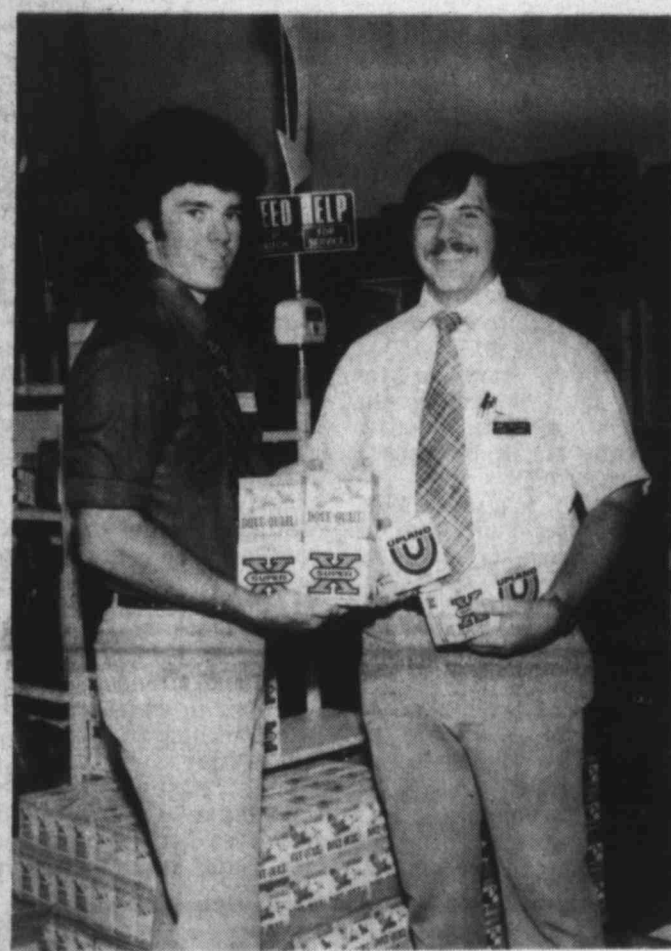
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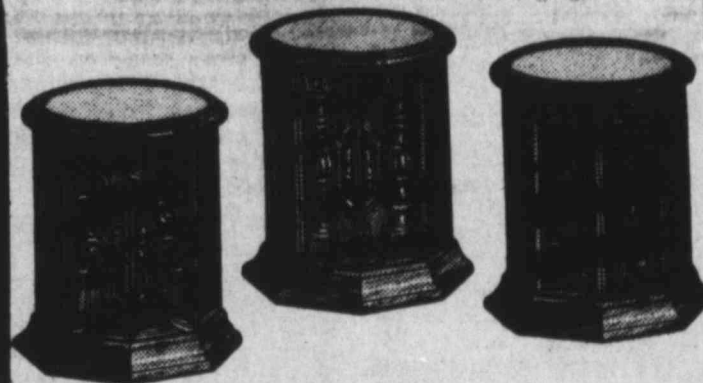
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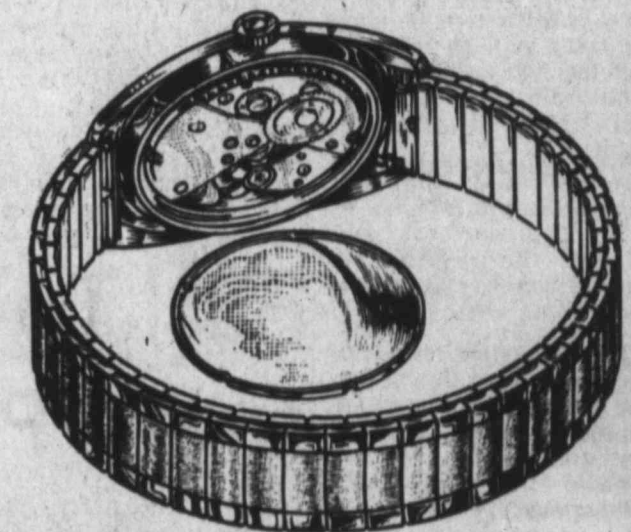
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Perform Surgery On Astro Slayton

HOUSTON (AP) — Doctors performed surgery today to examine a small, possibly-cancerous lesion on the left lung of astronaut Donald K. Slayton, one of the nation's original seven spacemen and a crew member on the recent Apollo-Soyuz mission.

The operation began around 3 a.m. CDT at the M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute. Doctors said the astronaut would be on the operating table 3½ to 4 hours.

Slayton said in a news conference last week that doctors told him that the odds are that the lesion—about the size of a pencil eraser—is cancerous.

"All they can say is that we have a probability of some number greater than 50 per cent, when they see something like this, that it is malignant," said the 51-year-old astronaut.

Slayton, however, still called himself "pretty damn lucky" because the lesion was found very early in its development and because it was found after he flew the Apollo-Soyuz mission, his first spaceflight.

Nicogossian, a space agency physician, said the surgical procedure calls for a surgeon to remove a wedge-shaped specimen from the area of the lesion. It will immediately be examined by a pathologist. If the specimen is found to be malignant, surgeons will remove part of a lobe of the lung. If it is benign, he said, there will be no further surgery.

In any case, he said, Slayton should be able to fly again in the future.

The lesion was discovered during a detailed X-ray study conducted because Slayton breathed poison gas during the final minutes of the Apollo-Soyuz mission.

Slayton and his crewmates, Thomas P. Stafford and Vance D. Brand, were exposed to toxic fumes which filled the cabin of their Apollo craft as it dropped toward splashdown July 24 in the Pacific Ocean at the end of the nine-day U.S.-Soviet mission.

The fumes caused lung congestion in the three spacemen and they were confined in the Tripler Army Medical Center in Hawaii.

During their recovery, doctors found a small, faint shadow on Slayton's X-rays.

Another, more sophisticated X-procedure was performed and confirmed the presence of a lesion requiring surgery.

"If we hadn't had the gas in the cockpit," said Slayton last week, "They probably wouldn't have gone over my X-rays as close as they did... and could very easily not have picked this thing up until my next annual physical... I'm pretty fortunate the way things have worked out."

Slayton, Stafford and Brand underwent final, post-mission examinations Monday and doctors said there are no lingering effects from their exposure to the toxic gas. Doctors said Slayton's lung lesion cannot be connected to breathing the gas.

Medical problems have plagued Slayton's space career almost from the beginning.

He was scheduled to fly the second U.S. orbital mission in a Mercury spacecraft in 1962 when doctors discovered he had an irregular heart beat, called an idiopathic atrial fibrillation.

Mitchell Is On Board

Members and guests of the Permian Basin Chapter of the Epilepsy Foundation of America Inc. recently met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Dean, 2202 North L Street, Midland, for a backyard social, followed by a regular business meeting.

A board of directors, elected at the meeting, is composed of the following persons: Mrs. Bill Dubose, Odessa, chairman; Don Elliott, Midland, vice-chairman; Mrs. Floyd T. Jarnagin, Midland, secretary; Dr. Munro Shantani, Odessa, professor at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin; Roger Robles, Midland; James Bolgiano, Odessa, psychologist with the Mental Health and Mental Retardation Center; Miss Marianna Gage, teacher in the Odessa public school system; Russell W. Neisig, Midland; Dr. Ray Riddle, assistant minister at the First Presbyterian Church, Midland; Dr. Brent Blankvist, Midland Pediatrician; and Rev. John Mitchell, Big Spring.

The Chapter maintains an office in Midland at 3701 North Big Spring Street, which serves the West Texas Area.

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'Only Handful Of Teachers' Sign Up For Food Stamps

WASHINGTON (AP) — The National Education Association says its six-month-old campaign to get teachers to sign up for federal food stamps appears to have had little success.

But the 1.7-million-member teachers' group claims the drive succeeded in dramatizing to the general public what the NEA argues is the low wages paid to the nation's teachers.

"There are probably only a handful of teachers on food stamps," an NEA spokesman said. "I don't think the average teacher mentality would be one to stay on a program like this."

Last March the NEA mailed bulletins to its 9,000 local associations, urging teachers "to join the 17 million Americans now buying the stamps to stretch their grocery budgets." The appeal said teachers shouldn't consider food stamps as charity or welfare, but as a right if they qualify.

The NEA said the average teacher's salary last June was \$11,513, midway between the Labor Department's budget of \$9,200 for an austere standard of living and \$14,300 for a moderate level.

Retiring NEA President James A. Harris, a Des Moines, Iowa, junior high school art teacher who served as a consultant to the 1970 White House Conference on Food, Nutrition and Health, endorsed the food stamp drive for teachers "as a means of keeping their

heads above water in the tides of inflation." "Many government programs have been enacted for the wealthy. They enjoy tax loopholes galore. No one faults them for taking these numerous legal deductions which are not available to those with a teaching

income," Harris said. The appeal drew criticism from the general public and even some teachers who felt food stamps were unprofessional, as well as requests from nonteachers for help to get food stamps. "I would not call the response... overwhelmingly negative," an NEA spokesman said. Most teachers would prefer to moonlight on second jobs to supplement their income, the spokesman said. Some teachers who did collect food stamps reported being harassed.



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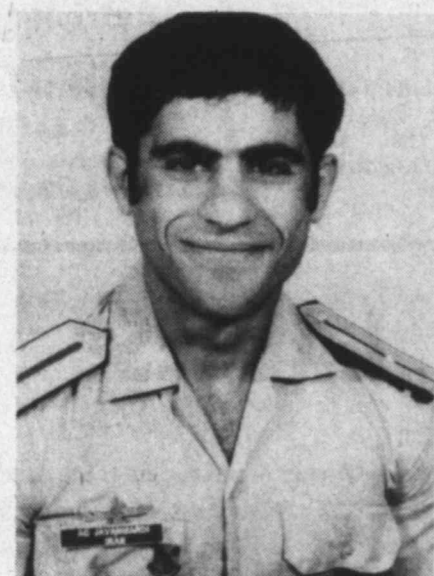
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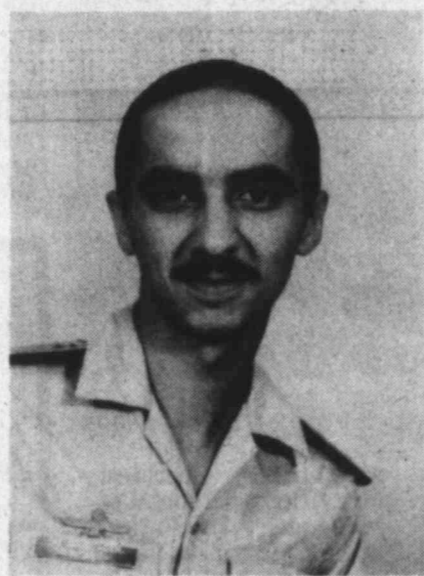
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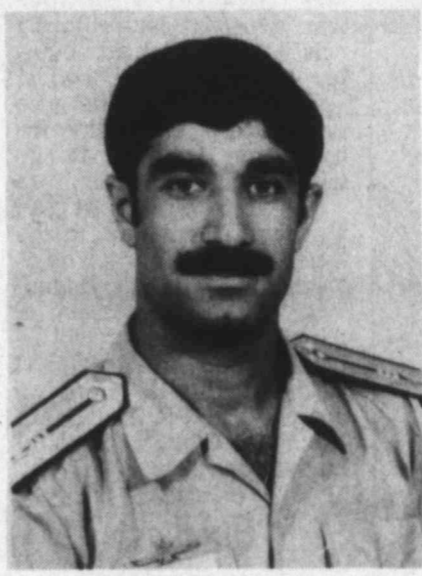
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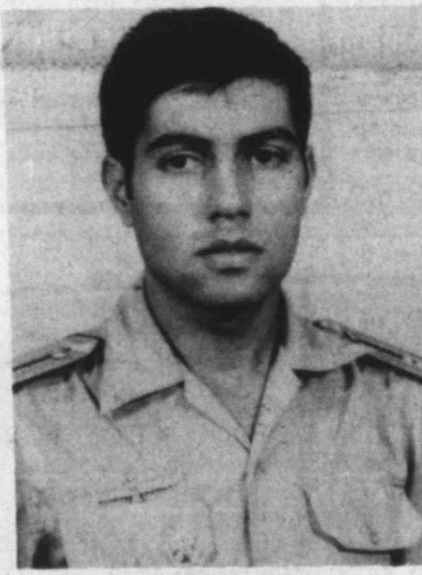
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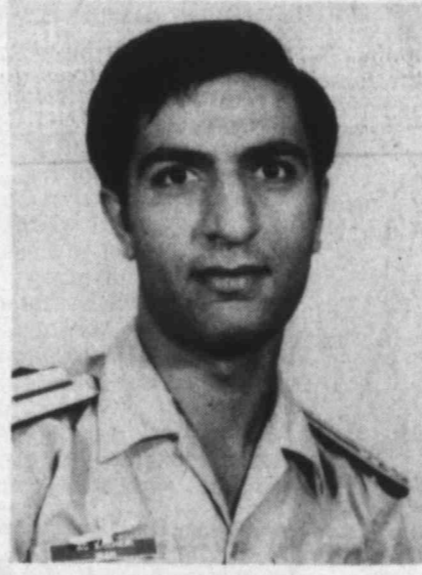
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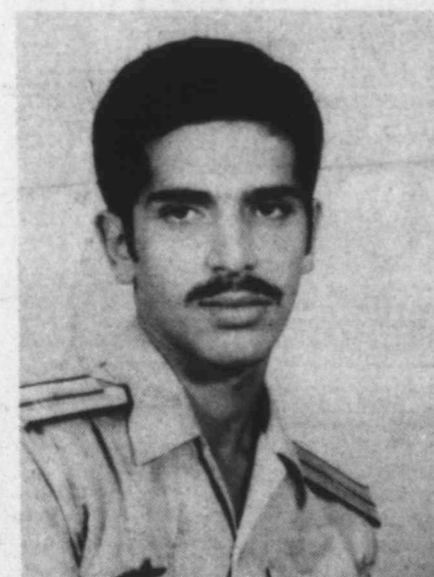
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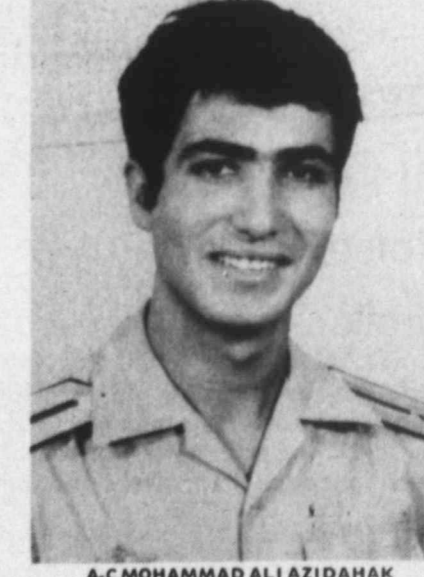
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Women Graduates Invited To Coffee

The local branch of the American Association of University Women will hold two get-acquainted coffees in September. All graduates of accredited colleges and universities who are interested in learning about AAUW activities are invited to attend.

On Thursday evening from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., the first coffee will be held in the home of Mrs. Paul Kionka, 1610 Pennsylvania.

The second coffee will be held from 3 to 4 p.m. Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bill Smythe, 1505 E. 11th Place.

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Face Lift Clinic To Be Held

A demonstration clinic of the organic face lift developed by the Lady Venus Company of Midland will be held Wednesday at the Holiday Inn. Two sessions will be held during which free individual demonstrations will be given.

The first session will begin at 1 p.m. and the second session will start at 3 p.m. Contact the Holiday Inn for more information.

Coahoma Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor Jr. and their children visited recently in Coahoma with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Packs. The Taylors are from Anson.

call for reservations by Wednesday by phoning Mrs. Sue Somonic at 3-8878 or Mrs. Sue Smythe at 3-2374.

The first AAUW branch meeting will be Monday evening, Sept. 15 at the Pioneer Natural Gas club room.

The AAUW day study will meet at 9:30 a.m. Oct. 6 in the home of Mrs. Kionka.

Women Will Cook In Match

SAN MARCOS, Tex. (AP) — Chili aficionados sponsoring the statewide chili cookoff Sept. 18-21 have broken the line on their treasured tradition of male chauvinism.

They have decided to admit women to the sixth annual Republic of Texas Chilympiad—that is, those 100 years of age or more. The sponsors' first approved female applicant for the cookoff is Genova Gutierrez, 117, of San Marcos, who will cook her chili in a contest with about 100 male stewers.

"Some people have called us unreasonable," said Joe Kohut, chili contest chairman, "but it's just not true. Due to the growing pressure of the women's liberation movement we've decided to change our ruling and accept women cooks—over 100 years of age."

Kohut said one reason Mrs. Gutierrez' application was accepted so promptly was because she attributes her long life to a "bowl of red" every day. She also grinds corn each day for handmade tortillas to go with the chili.

The state winner at San Marcos will compete in the international chili cook off in November at Terlingua, Tex., where at least one of the other contestants will be from the traditional women's chili cooking competition, the Hell Hath No Fury Chili Cookoff at Luckenbach, Tex.

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Couple Married In Uvalde Church

Miss Rosalyn Jan Matthews and Wesley Carroll Griffin were united in marriage Saturday evening, Aug. 16 in the First Baptist Church of Uvalde.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Matthews, Uvalde, formerly of Big Spring and the Rev. and Mrs. H. Lee Griffin, also of Uvalde.

Officiating at the ceremony were the Rev. Homer Hanna, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and the bridegroom's father, pastor of the First United Methodist Church.

An arch of tapers flanked by fern trees and candelabra formed a background for the altar area.

Wedding music was provided by Mrs. J. V. Steward, organist, and Mrs. David Griffin, vocalist.

The bride was attired in a gown of candlelight peau de soie fashioned with a princess skirt and tapered sleeves. The front of the gown was outlined in imported Alencon lace with beaded bodice in seed pearls, and the cathedral train was also appliqued with Alencon lace. Her lace-edged veil fell from a Camelot cap of matching pearly Alencon lace and extended the full length of the train.

The bride carried a cascade bouquet of gardenias, stephanotis and variegated pittisporum. Miss Mary Evalyn Burke of Corpus Christi was maid of honor. Bridal attendants were Mrs. Jimmy W. Matthews of San Antonio, Mrs. Gary H. Matthews of Laredo, both sisters-in-law of the bride; Miss Robin Stewart of Uvalde; Mrs. Tommy Adams of San Marcos, sister of the groom; and Miss Kim Matthews of

Dallas. Waid Griffin of Lubbock was best man. Groomsman were Dr. Jimmy W. Matthews of San Antonio and Gary H. Matthews of Laredo, both brothers of the bride; Rev. David Griffin of Bogata, brother of the bridegroom; Tommy Adams of San Marcos, brother-in-law of the bridegroom; and Jerry Hickman of Taft.

Ushers were Tom Granger of Houston, Tom Hinton of Indianapolis, Ind., Jon Palochak of Pennsylvania and David Carpenter of Comanche.

Before leaving on a wedding trip to Houston, the couple was honored with a reception held at the Matthews residence. Mrs. Randy Scheide registered the guests. Serving at the reception were Mrs. Mike Dishman, Miss Cindy Hill, Miss Vicky Hall, Miss Kay Matthews and Miss Belinda Frasse.

The couple will make their home in Corpus Christi where Griffin is Third Class Petty Officer, Aviation Electrician's mate in the United States Navy.

The former Miss Matthews graduated from Uvalde High School, Southwest Texas Junior College and is now attending Texas A & I University.

Griffin is also a UHS graduate, attended Wesleyan College, Fort Worth, and Del Mar College, Corpus Christi.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Matthews and R. D. Riddle, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Burke and Mrs. Tom Hinton, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Wesley O. Scholze, Mason; the Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Schulze, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hickman, Taft.

Bride-Elect Is Honored At Luncheon

A luncheon honoring Miss Zane Neal, bride-elect of Jody Nix, was held Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bob Lewis, 1508 Dayton, with Mrs. Jim Zack as co-hostess.

The honoree's table featured a centerpiece of bronze and white chrysanthemums in a silver bowl on a cut-work Madeira cloth with silver appointments. Small arrangements of bronze mums and baby yellow roses adorned the other tables.

The hostess gift was a serving bowl of Italian hand-blown glass.

Austin Wedding Is Planned

Miss Helen Susan Krausse and Desmond Fletcher are planning to be married Oct. 17 in Austin. Both Miss Krausse and Fletcher are from Austin.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Mrs. Barbara M. Krausse and Dan M. Krausse, both of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Fletcher of Hattiesburg, Miss. are parents of the future bridegroom.



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Reader Is Confused By Difference In Doctors

DEAR ABBY: What's the difference between a psychiatrist and a psychologist? They are both called "doctor." Can you tell me without using a lot of big words?

Where was Nell's sense of propriety when she left our son for a married man (also with a family) who hasn't married her yet-and no doubt never will?

DEAR F. A.: I'll try. A psychiatrist is also a physician and, as such, has a degree in medicine. A psychologist does not.

They both treat people with emotional and mental problems, however. A psychiatrist (because of his medical credentials) is licensed to prescribe drugs to his patients. A psychologist is not.

DEAR ABBY: Five years ago, our daughter-in-law (Nell) divorced our son, saying she was going to marry a very rich man. Our son was all broken up because he and Nell had two little girls, ages 7 and 9.

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DEAR GRANNY: Her sense of propriety was apparently out to lunch. She is mistaken. There is nothing improper about the girls attending their father's wedding.

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FAILED TO 'FREEZE' Nigerian Slain By Dallas Officer

DALLAS (AP)— A city patrolman fatally wounded a college student from Nigeria, police said, in a mistaken belief that the victim was a robbery suspect in the act of drawing a gun.

The student, Emmanuel Olatunji, 28, died Monday night about an hour after he was shot in the head. He was enrolled at Bishop College in Dallas.

A police department spokesman gave this account: Two black customers

handed clerk Ina Jean Washington a note demanding money in a drive-in food store. It threatened to "blow your brains out" unless she complied quickly. One of the pair drew back his shirt but did not draw the weapon. The intruders fled after she emptied her cash register of an undisclosed amount of money. They also took a carton of beer and a sack of potato chips. Miss Washington telephoned police and a

prowl car, cruising close by, arrived seconds later. As patrolmen Jeffrey Kirksey, 33, and Clovis Williams, 43, stepped from the vehicle, they said a white couple appeared to point at two young blacks across the street at a gas station. Kirksey levelled a shotgun and ordered the two to "freeze." One complied. The other ran about 20 feet and Williams said he made a move, still running, as if to draw a gun. Williams fired his pistol once, hitting him in the head.

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THIS COACH GRINS AND BEARS IT — New head football coach of the lowly Chicago Bears, Jack Pardee, has a relaxed appearance while watching a play develop during workout at Lake Forest training camp...

Baseball Standings

Table with columns for League, Team, W, L, Pct., GB. Includes American League and National League sections with team names and their respective records.

Indian, Ranger Rookies Pitch Pair Of 3 Hitters

Rookie pitchers Dennis Eckersley of Cleveland and Jim Umberger of Texas don't mind finishing games... They pitched to a photo finish with three-hitters Monday night...

Evert, Connors Favored In U.S. Open Tennis Meet

FOREST HILLS, N.Y. (AP) — The United States Open tennis championships, spruced up with an assortment of innovations... Miss Evert, the winner of 75 straight matches on clay, enters the tourney as a heavy favorite to win her first Open title...

Major Leaders

Table listing baseball players and their statistics. Columns include Player Name, Team, AB, R, H, RBI. Lists leaders for various categories like batting average, home runs, etc.

NFL Players Will Accept Rozelle Rule Modification

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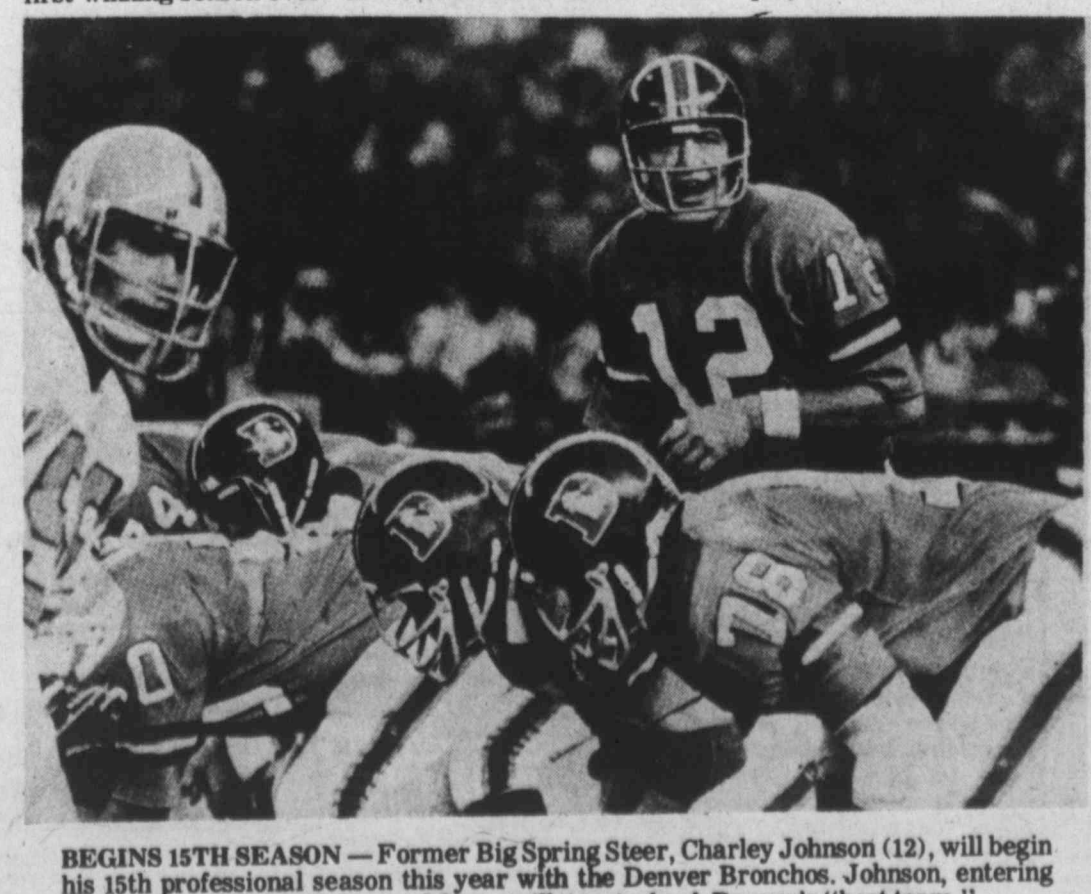
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Bronchos 'Best Team' Takes Quiet Attitude

DENVER (AP) — One of the identifying traits of the Denver Bronco football team in 1975 is a quiet, workmanlike confidence. Gone are the wild, improbable predictions by the coaching staff and players...

SMU Fields Backfield Of Unique 'Four Hosses'

DALLAS (AP) — They hardly rank up there in college football lore with Notre Dame's famed Four Horses, but Southern Methodist will field a backfield this fall with four hosses unique in the school's football history...



BEGINS 15TH SEASON — Former Big Spring Steer, Charley Johnson (12), will begin his 15th professional season this year with the Denver Broncos...

blocker, has led the team in receptions the past two seasons, grabbing 42 passes for 639 yards and six TDs last year... Starting wide receivers Haven Moses and Billy Van Heusen will be pressed by a pair of fast newcomers, draftee Rick Upchurch and former World Football League star Jack Dolbin...

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Alice Faye's Gems Stolen

NEW YORK (AP) — Actress Alice Faye was enjoying a late snack at an East Side pub when someone broke into her chauffeured limousine and carted off two cosmetic cases containing about 20 pieces of jewelry.

Miss Faye, who estimated her loss from the theft early Sunday at \$25,000, said many of the stolen articles were gifts from her husband, bandleader Phil Harris.

Problem Is Referred To CC Commissioners

COLORADO CITY — "Who's on first?" is the theme of the Colorado City Lake battle.

The problem of speeding boats was first taken to the Colorado City council who designated it to the Parks and Wildlife Commission.

The state agency is sending the issue to the county commissioners. According to Perry Spalding, administrative assistant at the Texas Parks and Wildlife office, the county commissioner's court has authority under Texas law to pass orders and resolutions zoning the lake.

That is also the opinion of Rep. Elmer Martin, vice chairman of the environmental committee that handles matters in the state legislature dealing with the

parks department.

Both Martin and Spalding cited Vernon's Civil Statutes, article 9206 and a revised P&W code that goes into effect Sept. 1.

Both statutes specifically state, "The commissioners court of a county, with respect to public water within the territorial limits of the county that is outside of the limits of an incorporated city or town may enter an order on its books designating certain areas as bathing, fishing, swimming, or otherwise restricted areas and may make rules and regulations relating to the operation and equipment of boats which it deems necessary for the public safety."

If the county commissioners pass an order setting restrictions and pay for the installation of buoys marking the zones, then the P&W will enforce the laws," Spalding stated.

County Judge Bill Carter said, "If it is the responsibility of the court, that responsibility will be assumed."

Butz Will Quit Post In 1976

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — Earl L. Butz says he will quit his post as secretary of agriculture when President Ford's term expires in 1976.

Car Sales New Baby Boom On Way In U.S.?

DETROIT (AP) — Ford Motor Co., bolstered by a sales incentive program for its dealers, reported today that car sales during mid-August were slightly above a year ago.

General Motors said its sales were down 2 per cent from a year ago.

Industry analysts estimated that car sales for the domestic industry in mid-August would trail year-ago levels as model-year-end car buying continued slow despite pending price increases.

Final figures for Chrysler Corp. and American Motors were due today.

One analyst said Ford would have trailed last year's level without the sales program.

GM said its 100,382 car sales between Aug. 11-20 were an average 11,154 on each of nine selling days — compared to 11,377 on each of eight days last year. Ford's 66,206 deliveries averaged 7,356 per selling day — slightly more than the 7,297 sold per day during the period last year.

Sister Of Auto Magnate Elected

PORTO SAN STEFANO, Italy (AP) — The new mayor of this fishing and yachting town 100 miles north of Rome is Susanna Agnelli, sister of Fiat automobile magnate Gianni Agnelli.

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'I JUST CAN'T AFFORD IT' Parents Find Higher Prices For Back-To-School Items

By LOUISE COOK
Associated Press Writer

Parents trying to outfit the kids for school this year are finding higher prices for everything from pencils to blue jeans, with increases ranging between 10 and 30 per cent.

"I just can't afford it," said Judith P. Herbert of Berlin, Vt., as she discussed the cost of getting her three school-age children ready for classes.

Mrs. Herbert said this was the first year she had not bought the youngsters any new clothes. "I've been letting down cuffs, adding ruffles, sewing a lot," she said. And it's the first time I've had my kids use hand-me-down shoes.

The story was the same in Honolulu, where a dozen pencils that cost 57 cents last year are now selling for 67 cents, up 18 per cent, and where gym shoes have gone from \$7 to \$8.75, an increase of 25 per cent.

"I'm really glad that both my mother and mother-in-

law sew," said Mrs. Lawrence Julian. "Otherwise it would be difficult to make ends meet."

Individual increases vary from item to item and city to city, but an Associated Press survey on Monday showed some typical boosts: 200 sheets of notebook paper costing the same as 300 sheets did last year; crayons up 30 per cent; pencils selling for 25 per cent more than in 1974; blue jeans going from \$4 to \$5.

Despite the comments of individuals who said they were buying less, retailers said they generally were pleased with the early trend in sales. Many noted that because of higher prices, a larger dollar volume did not necessarily mean they were selling more.

Many experts say fall buying may provide a clue to consumer spending plans

since the back-to-school promotions are the first big selling efforts since economic indicators started showing signs of recovery.

A few retailers said Americans have simply become resigned to rising prices. "This has been going on so long it just seems to be the accepted thing," said Ed Roskelley, a buyer for Skaggs, a drug store chain in the Kansas City area.

"We've screamed our heads off at our suppliers, but they say there's nothing they can do because their costs keep going up too."

WASHINGTON (AP) — A pair of population experts say the unprecedented decline in the nation's birth rate is ending and a new baby boom may be on the way.

If it materializes, responsibility for the boom will rest with women who decided in the 1960s to postpone having their children, thus steadily pushing the U.S. fertility rate to its lowest level ever.

But two California demographers—or social statisticians—say they see evidence these women — early 30s — still intend to have children and will begin making up for lost time.

"In sum, our evidence suggests that the American birth rate may have bottomed out and that the country is likely to see a rise in reproduction," June Sklar and Beth Berkov wrote in an article in the current issue of Science magazine.

Sklar is a research demographer at the University of California at Berkeley and Berkov is a demographic analyst at the California State Department of Health.

They said their study is based on 1974 California birth statistics, which are more recent than those available for the country as a whole. The conclusions were checked against data from other states and they believe trends seen in California will

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