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Patty committed for mental study

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Patricia Hearst's judge, reserving his final decision on her sentence for armed bank robbery, ordered her committed today for a 90-day psychiatric study.

In a surprise move, prompted by a request from Miss Hearst's attorney, F. Lee Bailey, the judge said he would allow the commitment to provide further information to guide him in

sentencing the 22-year-old heiress.

U.S. District Court Judge Oliver J. Carter, following the letter of the law, temporarily imposed the maximum sentence of 35 years in prison on two counts but said he intends to reduce the sentence no matter what the result of studies.

Carter did not say which federal institution would be designated for Miss Hearst's psychiatric examinations.

Miss Hearst was convicted March 20 of willingly taking part in the holdup of a San Francisco bank branch two years ago on Thursday. In returning its verdict, the jury rejected her contention that she was forced into the crime by the radicals who kidnaped her 10 weeks before the robbery.

Longest hijacking moves to Pakistan

KARACHI, Pakistan (AP) — A Philippine jetliner carrying three Filipino Moslem hijackers and 10 hostages refueled at Karachi airport today, but authorities said the hijackers then decided to delay their flight to the Mideast and North Africa until Tuesday morning.

The three, who arrived with the plane from Bangkok, were told by the Pakistan government to leave immediately after refueling.

The hijackers were bound for Libya, but there was no assurance they would be welcome there.

TRC votes to nullify Lo-Vaca order

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Railroad Commission voted 2-1 today to wipe out a temporary order permitting Lo-Vaca Gathering Co. to pass on to customers 100 per cent of its natural gas purchase costs.

The commission ordered Lo-Vaca to begin living up to its contracts—no matter how little a city would have to pay. Some of the largest contracts, dating back to the early 1960s, obligate Lo-Vaca to sell gas for less than 25 cents per 1,000 cubic feet (mcf). Gas now costs as much as \$2 per mcf in the field.

As an alternative, however, if all of Lo-Vaca's some 400 customers agree, the company could collect 85 per cent of the cost of gas plus an extra dime per thousand cubic feet of gas.

The choices are not simply economic, however, as Lo-Vaca has insisted it cannot continue to supply most of its customers at the contract prices, many of which were set years ago when gas was much cheaper.

Commissioner Jim Langdon voted against the order, calling it possibly dangerous.

"It's kind of like handing a gun to a child and saying go out and play," Langdon said.

Poison gas leak causes evacuation

DWIGHT, Ill. (AP) — All 3,800 residents of Dwight were evacuated today after poisonous bromine gas leaked out of a tractor trailer and began drifting toward the town. Police crisscrossed the area looking for looters in the nearly deserted farm community.

Authorities said prolonged exposure to the bromine gas could be fatal. It apparently was released when a cargo of liquid bromine split open inside the trailer and began escaping about 3 a.m., police said.

Reagan resumes 'must' Texas Primary battle

By The Associated Press

Ronald Reagan continues his must-do Texas primary campaign this week, seeking the state's crucial 100 Republican national convention delegates in the May 1st vote.

Reagan's campaign director, John B. Sears III, has been quoted as saying that a failure to take anything less than half of the state's delegates "would force us to sit down and talk things over."

Both Reagan and President Gerald Ford are claiming to be underdogs in the race, which probably will be decided by fewer than 200,000 voters. But Ford's Texas campaign manager, Sen. John Tower, R-Tex., says he's not ready to concede to Reagan.

Reagan is scheduled to arrive in Midland on Tuesday afternoon for appearances there and in Odessa, then move on to Austin, where he has speeches scheduled Wednesday morning. He also has scheduled stops in Harlingen, Corpus Christi and San Antonio Wednesday.

Thursday, Reagan is to be in Houston, Fort Worth, Amarillo and El Paso.

Ford covered some of the same ground on a two-day campaign whirl across the state last weekend, including a speech at the Alamo in San Antonio, and appearances in Dallas, El Paso, Amarillo and Canyon.



(Photo By Danny Valdes)

HIT BY LIGHTNING — Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson of Abilene, were struck by lightning as they were walking up to the front door of Mrs. Bob Bradbury's house here today. They were here for a family funeral.

Alert Ambulance and City Patrolman Jimmy Henseley are shown bending over the couple, who apparently fell straight backward, side by side.

Lightning strikes couple here for baby's funeral

By MARJ CARPENTER
Tragedy struck a local family this morning for the second time in two days when Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson of Abilene were struck by lightning outside the home of her sister, Mrs. Bob Bradbury, at 606 Bucknell.

The couple had come to Big Spring to attend funeral services today for two-day-old Jennifer Bradbury, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bradbury who died Sunday.

Gibson, 68, who is in guarded condition at Malone-Hogan Hospital, was in the emergency room being treated at noon today. Mrs. Gibson is also hospitalized. Red Hillbrunner, owner of Alert Ambulance, gave first aid at the scene when he arrived with the ambulance, administering mouth-to-mouth resuscitation and beating on the victim's chest in an attempt to revive the man.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson were walking to the door of Mrs. Bradbury's home

when lightning knocked them down in the driveway. They were holding an umbrella with a metal handle.

Both Gibsons were knocked to the ground and a neighbor across the street, Tom Roberts, came running over and called for an ambulance.

Mrs. Gibson, 59, regained consciousness while lying on the ground and lay watching in silence as first aid was administered to her husband.

The couple lay side by side, just as they had apparently been walking up to the house.

Mrs. Bradbury had gone to the home of her son at the time of the accident.

The umbrella handle showed burn marks as did Mr. Gibson's lower left leg. His pants were split by the force of the lightning and his leg was burned.

Mr. Gibson also cut the back of his head when he fell.

The family, which had gathered for the infant's funeral, were already in shock because the little girl had died on the anniversary of her grandfather's death of a heart attack two years ago.

Gary Bradbury, father of the infant, was to have served as pall bearer at the funeral of Bob Thompson today, and was unable to do so when his own child died. The family is numb with the series of events.

The family is very well known in Big Spring and owns KHEM Radio Station.

The rainshower accompanying the lightning lasted only a few minutes. Mike Edwards, city patrolman, said he received a call on the accident at 10:55 a.m.

Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Poll watchers

Q. Are poll watchers allowed to protest to judges on the spot if they reason something irregular is happening? Who can qualify as a poll watcher? What legal status does this person have, if any?

A. Mrs. Chloe Newton, chief deputy county clerk, points to article 3.07 of the Texas Election Code.

It states in part: "Each watcher appointed in accordance with this code shall be permitted, but not required, to sit conveniently near the judges or clerks so that he can observe the conduct of the election, including but not limited to the reading of the ballots, the tallying and counting of the votes, the making out of the returns, the locking of the ballot boxes, their custody and safe return.

"He shall also be permitted to be present when assistance is given by any election judge in the marking of the ballot of any voter not able to mark his own ballot, to see that the ballot is marked in accordance with the wishes of the voter, but he must remain silent except in cases of irregularity or violation of the law.

"He shall not be permitted to enter into any conversation with the judges or clerks regarding the election while it is progressing, except to call the attention of the judges or clerks to any irregularity or violation of the law that he may observe.

"The watcher shall call the attention of officers holding the election to any fraud, irregularity or mistake, illegal voting attempted, or other failure to comply with the laws governing such election at the time it occurs, if practicable and if he has knowledge thereof at the time, and such complaint shall be reduced to writing and a copy delivered to the election judge.

"Preventing a poll watcher from observing any activity including, but not limited to, the tallying of ballots at any polling place, place of canvass, or central counting station shall constitute a Class A misdemeanor."

Candidates, political parties and voters may appoint poll watchers, under certain circumstances, state election laws provide.

For more information, write Mark White, the Texas Secretary of State, for a copy of his "Handbook for Election Judges and Clerks" dated January 1976. Or contact the county clerk's office or an attorney.

Calendar: Awards dinners

TODAY

New officers will be elected by Jonesboro volunteer firemen at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the fire station.

Family counseling workshop conducted by Wilfrid Calnan, 7:30 p.m., in College Heights cafeteria.

Afro contemporary style show will take place at 8 p.m. in the recreation center at Webb AFB as part of Black Culture Week.

Big Spring school board meets, 5:15 p.m.

Howard County Soil and Water Conservation Awards and Appreciation dinner, La Posada Restaurant, 7 p.m.

Big Spring Jaycee and Jaycee-Ettes Awards banquet, Webb AFB Officers Club, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY

City Council meeting, 9:30 a.m.

Women's Golf Play at Webb AFB course, 8:30 a.m.

SATP Class 76-07 graduation at Webb AFB Chapel, 7 p.m.

Choral pageant, "My Country 'Tis Of Thee," 7:30 p.m., Coahoma High School Auditorium.

Offbeat: Following rules

Suspicious persons clad in pink sheets with shaven heads were reported to city police at 5:35 p.m. Sunday.

They were seen in the Gibson's parking lot. An officer dispatched to the scene said the subjects were dressed as their religion requires.

Best bet on TV: Baseball!

Tonight the boys of summer battle it out in Baltimore, as the Yankees meet the Orioles in the first of a long line of Monday night baseball games, 7:30 p.m. on ABC.

Inside: Jimmy Carter profile

THE FIRST in a series of three Associated Press profiles on the three top contenders for the Democratic presidential nominee focuses on Jimmy Carter. See p. 8A.

MANY CONGRESSMEN regret they backed a reorganization of the Postal Service. See p. 3A.

RAY FLOYD became the first golfer to lead the Masters Golf Tourney from start to finish. See p. 1B.

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Weather: More rain likely

The forecast is partly cloudy and cool today becoming warmer Tuesday. Thunderstorms are likely tonight and Tuesday. High today in the mid-70s, dropping to a low in the upper-50s tonight. High Tuesday in the low 80s. Winds are from the south-southeast at 15 to 20 miles per hour. There is a 60 per cent chance of rain tonight and Tuesday.



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Congress may act on budget soon

WASHINGTON (AP) — After surprisingly brief debate and lack of dissent, the Senate is preparing to vote on federal spending ceilings for the 1977 fiscal year before beginning an Easter recess.

Most efforts to raise the levels above the \$412.6 billion set by the Senate Budget Committee appeared to lose steam after two lopsided defeats Friday and pledges by Democratic and Republican leaders that they would oppose any increase.

Today's final vote is expected to support the budget committee's recommended totals in the 17 broad categories of government spending. Those totals generally are close to what President Ford asked for.

Senate and House leaders are optimistic that before the Easter recess starts after Wednesday's business, action can be completed on a Federal Election Commission bill.

McClure is attending hearing in Austin

Robert E. McClure, executive vice president of Trans-Regional Airlines and airline representatives from Brownwood are in Austin today for a hearing to determine who provides passenger and cargo service to Brownwood.

examiner John Soule said he expects the hearing to be finished late today or early Tuesday, but no decision will be made until the commission acts, probably in early June, on Soule's recommendation.



Burer will be speaker tonight

An open meeting will be held at the Masonic Temple, 221 1/2 Main, at 7:30 o'clock tonight, sponsored by the Big Spring Commandery No. 31, Knights Templar.

Trans Regional Airlines, Inc., of Big Spring and Eagle Commuter Airlines, of Brownwood each filed an application to serve Brownwood in flights to and from Abilene, Austin and Dallas-Fort Worth.

The hearings on the applications were consolidated. Soule said he must first determine if there is a need for the service. If there is, he then must decide which airline has the better financial and operational status to provide the service.

Soule said he believes it was the intention of the legislature in the new Administrative Procedures and Registration Act to limit such appeals to the latter determination. But that question has yet to be tested in court, he said.

AUSTIN — New English-Spanish textbooks, multimedia systems, and teaching techniques will highlight the Bilingual Curriculum Materials Conference expected to bring some 300 public school specialists to Austin from across the State Tuesday and Wednesday.

Teachers and administrators active in public school bilingual programs will be able to attend a full two-day schedule of workshops and examine materials exhibited by 32 nationwide publishing firms.



THE GUNMEN GOT AWAY — Armored car is parked outside the Amsterdam Theater on West 42nd Street in New York's borough of Manhattan today after four gunmen wearing ski masks critically wounded two of the armored car's guards in robbery attempt at theater. The gunmen were not apprehended and it was not immediately known whether they escaped with any money, police said. "The Getaway" was one of the films featured at the theater.

Ralph Brooks chairman of BS Ford committee

Ralph Brooks, a Big Spring businessman and retired Air Force colonel, has been named chairman of the Ford for President Committee of Howard County.

Markets

Table with market data including Volume, Index, 30 Industrials, 20 Rails, 15 Utilities, etc.

Impact study is scheduled

A meeting will be held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 20, by the Manpower Advisory Board at the City Hall council room.

Deaths

F. G. Flores — Fernanco G. Flores, 69, died 11:45 a.m. Sunday in a local hospital. Services will be held 3:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Nalley Pickle Rosewood Chapel with Moses Perez, Church of Christ minister of Lubbock, officiating.

Recently named

Mrs. Ronald E. Dority, former Big Spring resident and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Covington, was recently elected as town clerk in the town of Mariaville, Maine.

Estimated 300 due at Austin meeting

Training sessions will include a three-hour workshop on materials analysis designed to help teachers develop the skills necessary for selecting and analyzing both textbooks and multimedia systems.

Diaz retained in jail here

Daniel Diaz is still in city jail, charged with burglary and also on an old warrant for public intoxication. His bond on the burglary charge was set at \$5,000 this morning by Municipal Judge John Coffee.

Suspect nabbed after death

SNYDER — A suspect has been arrested here in the Saturday night death of Jesus R. Rivera, 28, of Snyder. Charges were due to be filed today.

Weather

Table with weather data including TEMPERATURES, CITY, MAX, MIN, and EXTENDED FORECAST.

Shortage of revenue is studied by commission

By JOHN EDWARDS — County Commissioners Court today considered a projected shortage of revenue in two funds and past and present tax appraisal.

county spent an unusual amount for road department overtime during 1975 because of frequent rains. "Right now, indications are that on Sept. 30 everything will be just about even," Green said.

REVENUE SHARING? "Basically, the county is in excellent financial shape," Green began. "Your equipment operating fund is operating at a deficit in 1975," Green said.

Commissioner Simon (Cy) Terrazas said the county has used revenue sharing money to buy a large amount of road equipment, which now costs much more.

Depreciation included, the county used \$329,627 during the year in this fund. The county spent \$194,000, depreciation excluded, Green said.

Commissioner William B. Crocker Jr. said the tax appraisal could be changed resulting in a higher value and the rate of assessment or tax rate reduced to offset the alteration.

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Survivors include five sons, Johnnie Brewer, Arnie Preston Brewer, Blair, Okla., Vernon Brewer, Oklahoma City, Okla., Fred Brewer, Mineola, Sidney Brewer, Big Spring; three daughters, Mrs. Betty Mae Flemming, Arlington; Mrs. Shirley Snow, Tucuman, N.M.; Mrs. Pauline McMinn, Big Spring; a sister, Mrs. James Homes, Amarillo; 26 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Bradbury baby

Jennifer Lynn Bradbury, two-day-old infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bradbury, died 6:36 a.m. Sunday in a local hospital.

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in tax values was made when prices became deflated in 1967 and 1968 in some areas. And Judge Tune contended Novis Womack, a previous tax appraiser, raised and lowered values.

Harry said the current tax appraisal office is returning reclassified houses to their original classifications. Staff workers "are recording only changes in structures and new construction and repair type things," Harry said.

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Howard is due

The Permian Regional Planning board of directors is to meet monthly meeting minimal Wednesday p.m. Among the grants considered is a request for \$28,328.35 from the Justice Division of Texas, and \$10,650 to campus police system. Another grant considered is \$50,000 Texas Commission on Alcoholism for the funding of detoxification center city matches the with \$18,838 in local The center has been a pattern by many Texas and New Mexico Other grants on 1

Fifth graders offer program

"My Country 'Tis of Thee," a choral pageant presented by the fifth grade classes of Coahoma, will be shown 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Coahoma High School Auditorium. Admission is free and all residents of Howard County are invited to attend.

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Howard College request is due consideration

The Permian Basin Regional Planning Council board of directors hold their monthly meeting at Terminal Wednesday at 1:30 p.m.

Among the grants to be considered is a request from Howard College for \$28,328.35 from the Criminal Justice Division of the State of Texas, and matching it with \$10,650 to expand its campus police system.

Another grant to be considered is \$50,000 from the Texas Commission on Alcoholism for the next year of funding for the detoxification center. The city matches the request with \$18,838 in local funds. The center has been used as a pattern by many cities in Texas and New Mexico.

Other grants on the list to be considered Wednesday are the community development funds for Midland, a Midland College request, Pecos County Community Action Agency in Fort Stockton, the Midland Community Action Agency, a highway program for improvements at Midkiff in Upton County, and the Permian Basin Community Centers follow-up as an aid to treatment of alcoholism.

The list also includes the Permian Basin Planned Parenthood program, which includes an office in Big Spring; predoctoral medical preceptorship and family medicine training program for Texas Tech University School of Medicine; and funds for the Permian Basin Regional Planning Council law enforcement academy.



'BEST MAN' WORE A DRESS—When Patrick Gailbeud wed Sally Lloyd Owen at St. Bartholomew's parish church in Wilmalow, England, he had no best man. He had a "best person" instead. She was the bride's sister Virginia, left, who shows she remembered to bring the ring as she arrives with the bridegroom for the ceremony Saturday. French-born Patrick, manager of a restaurant in Manchester, couldn't bring over his best friend in Paris for the job, so he asked Virginia to perform "best man" duties.

Ben Franklin post office closed?

BEN FRANKLIN, Tex. (AP)—This small North Texas town of about 100 people may lose its post office, and with it will disappear the postmark of its famous namesake.

The mostly middle aged and elderly farmers and housewives who live in the community are concerned, disappointed and gearing up for a fight.

The U.S. Postal Service is considering closing the post office in Ben Franklin and in 17 other small North Texas towns.

Close the post office in Ben Franklin? Close the post office in a community with the same name as the man who, while serving as postmaster general in the colonies, made the service self-supporting for the first time and increased the speed and safety with which the

mails were carried. Surley they would not close the Ben Franklin post office in the Bicentennial year.

That is one of the arguments the folks here will use in their fight to keep the post office open. Their major concern, however, is a bit more selfish.

"When you lose the post office, you lose the identity of the town," said Mrs. John Waller, who served as postmaster here for 23 years before retiring in 1974.

"The people here will do anything they can to keep it open because they don't like the idea of getting their mail on a route," said the current

postmaster, Miss Mary Alice Grady.

"We're all afraid our checks would get lost if we didn't have an office here and they had to be delivered by a rural carrier," said farmer G. H. Taylor.

Residents also believe that if the post office is closed in the economy move, the town's only store will be forced to shut its doors.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Freeman, owners of Freeman's Grocery, are a little more than concerned.

"It'll be the end of everything here. There will be nothing left," said Mrs. Freeman, shaking her head.

Is wanting the highest possible operation efficiency in city government disharmony? Jack tells it like it is and he is right most times.

Pol. Adv. Pd. by Jack Watkins, 1200 Pennsylvania, Big Spring, Tx.

DOUBLE GREEN STAMPS WEDNESDAY

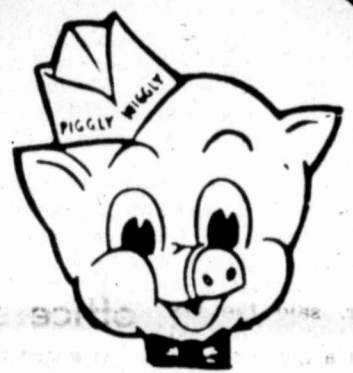


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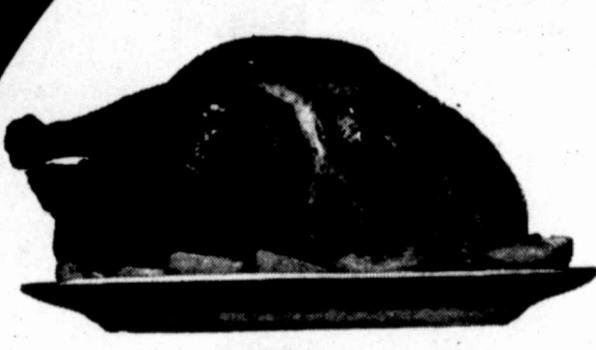
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Del Monte, Green
Whole Beans 3 16-oz. Cans **\$1**

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GREEN BEANS
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Green Onions 2 Bunches **29¢**

Premium Baker
Russet Potatoes Lb. **29¢**

Washington Extra Fancy, Golden
Delicious Apples Lb. **43¢**

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Many congressmen regret Postal Service reform

WASHINGTON (AP) — Many leading congressional architects of the new Postal Service say the postal reorganization has been a disappointment.

The Postal Reorganization Act of 1970 passed the House by 339 to 29 and the Senate by 57 to 6 and was signed into law by former President Richard M. Nixon. But many of those who voted for the changes are having second thoughts.

"We were sold a bill of goods," said Rep. Charles H. Wilson, chairman of the

House postal facilities subcommittee, who voted for it in 1970.

"The Republicans had Blount working their side of the aisle and the Democrats had O'Brien working on their side. It was a bad, bad mistake, one of the worst mistakes Congress has made," said Wilson, a Democrat from California.

He referred to former postmasters general Winton M. Blount, a Republican, and Lawrence F. O'Brien, a Democrat.

The goal of the 1970 law

was to take politics out of the old Post Office Department while using business-like methods to make mail service more efficient.

Accordingly, the postmaster general was removed from the Cabinet, congressional authority to set postal rates was ended, and patronage appointments were abolished.

But the new mail agency has lost money every year since it began. This year's deficit is expected to be a record \$1.5 billion, and the Postal Service says it could

be insolvent within a year without additional subsidies from Congress. There also have been complaints in Congress about diminished service.

In addition, the new Postal Service's highly mechanized \$1-billion system for sorting packages and some other types of mail has met sharp criticism in Congress for high rates of damage to the packages.

Rep. Morris Udall, D-Ariz., the leading sponsor in the House, said, "The system we created isn't

working and it is now painfully clear to me that there are no solid improvements in prospect. This bright new machinery, under this present management, simply isn't flying."

Udall, now a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination, has urged a series of changes, including congressionally mandated standards of service, more automation in moving the mail and congressional veto power over mail rate increases.

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- Eckrich Bologna Regular or Thick-Sliced 12-oz. Pkg. \$1.09
- Smorgac Pac Eckrich, Regular 4 Varieties in Pkg. 1-Lb. Pkg. \$1.65
- Smoked Hams Whole or Either Half 14 to 18-Lb. Water Added —Lb. \$1.15
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- Beef for Stew Boneless, Cubed —Lb. \$1.19

Tomato Soup

Town House, Zesty! Safeway Special!

10.75-oz. Can **10¢**

(Limit 4 with \$7.50 or more purchase excluding cigarettes. Additional items at regular price.)

Dinner

Macaroni & Cheese, Town House Safeway Big Buy!

7.25-oz. Box **25¢**

Chunk Tuna

Sea Trader, Meat Chunk Light Meat Safeway Big Buy!

6.5-oz. Can **49¢**

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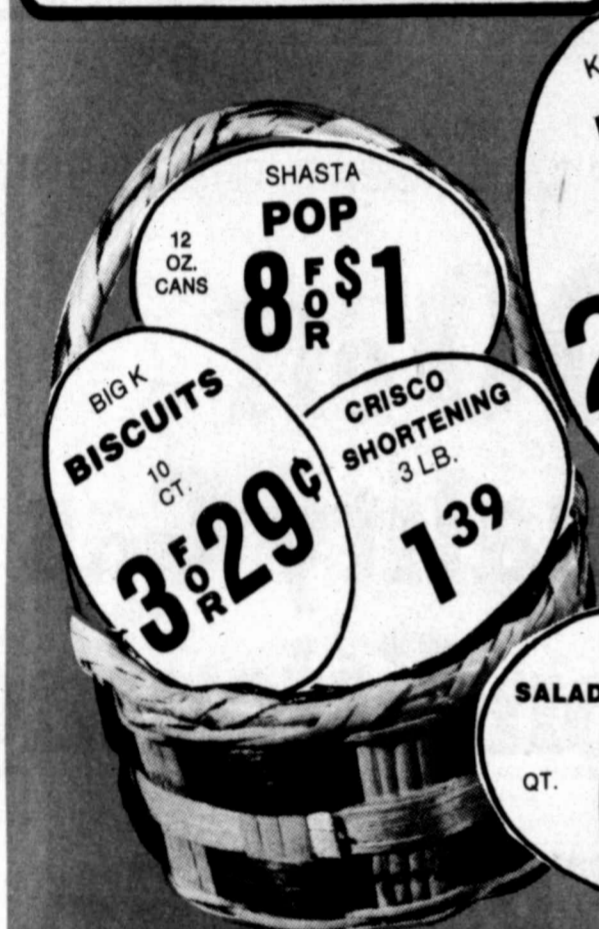


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Smiling face wins crowds

Carter: 'I'll never tell a lie'

Editor's Note: The following is the first of three articles on the campaign tactics and styles of the top three Democratic presidential contenders. It focuses on Jimmy Carter.

By DAVE GOLDBERG
Associated Press Writer

About 150 people were milling outside the Masonic Temple in Peekskill, N.Y. when Jimmy Carter arrived just after dark. He waded through outstretched hands into a room filled with people, smoke and an out-of-tune band tooting that Democratic standby, "Happy Days Are Here Again."

Then he talked to a family audience about his family.

"My wife and I have been married 30 years, 30 years in July," he said. "We have three sons. My first son was born in Virginia 28 years ago. My second son was born 25 years ago in Hawaii; my third son was born 23 years ago in Connecticut. And then my wife and I had an argument for 14 years and I finally won and we have an 8-year-old daughter in Georgia."

The crowd laughed and applauded. Jimmy Carter had won another audience.

It happens day after day in state after state. For it is clear from watching Carter's campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination that much of his early success stems from the definitive political ability to size up an audience quickly and seize on its pet interests.

Carter's basic campaign promise is simple: "I'll never tell a lie." Try as they may, his opponents have been unable to catch him in one.

What Carter does instead is subtly change the emphasis in the same message from audience to audience, changing how he says it and what part of the message he chooses to emphasize.

One of his opponents, Rep. Morris K. Udall, told an audience recently: "In Boston, he got a good part of the antibusing vote and a mile away in Roxbury he was getting a lot of the black vote. That's a good day's work if you can do it."

An example of the way he works came recently before two different audiences in White Plains and Peekskill, N.Y.

In White Plains, it was a suburban crowd, sprinkled with blacks. It was well-dressed, young, and middle class in an area where



CARTER'S SMILE — Democratic presidential hopeful Jimmy Carter shakes hands with an unidentified worker at the Chevrolet plant in Indianapolis, Ind. before dawn. The key to Carter's campaign so far has been his ability to size up voters quickly.

Democrats are basically liberal.

An hour later, in Peekskill, he spoke to workers, foremen, and small-business men and their families. Many were dressed in work clothes and several said they had voted in the past for George C. Wallace and were sympathetic to Ronald Reagan's challenge to President Ford.

In both places, Carter discussed welfare, and in both his basic position was the same: that welfare recipients who can work should be trained, taught to read, and offered jobs; that the federal and state governments should take the welfare burden off local agencies with a uniform nationwide payment to take care of their basic needs; that welfare workers should stop "shuffling paper" and "ought to spend their time dealing with the blind or the disabled or alleviating hunger or training people."

In White Plains, he finished his talk like this: "But the other 90 per cent who can't work full time, we

ought to treat them with respect, decency and concern and love... There ought to be a work incentive aspect built in. So that if a mother, for instance, has two little children and she can leave those kids with a grandmother for 15 hours a week — her husband's dead — she ought to be encouraged to take a part-time job and not have her welfare payments suffer for it."

In Peekskill, it ended this way: "We've got to take the welfare responsibilities off of local government; off of the

property taxpayer. I hope that in the future we never have another property tax dollar go for federal welfare costs. That ought to come out of the state and federal treasuries."

He did not use the White Plains line in Peekskill and vice versa.

Carter does not go into specifics about his welfare revision plans, which involve having states pick up some of the cost. Nor does he say how much it would cost and how much it might diminish local property taxes. He responds to questions about

it by saying he believes much of it could be financed by shifting costs and through his government reorganization plan.

Like most candidates running for any office, Carter has a standard speech and variations of that standard speech. Which parts of it he uses depends on the audience, the location and their questions.

To Jewish voters, he talks about the Mideast and his "personal friendships" with Golda Meir, Yitzhak Rabin and other Israeli leaders. At the Rockland County Social Services Agency headquarters in Pomona, N.Y., he talked about his health care program; in depressed Buffalo, he talked about his program for creating jobs; in Peekskill he got applause by mentioning he was the only one of 60 fellow naval officers to vote in 1948 for Harry S. Truman and played a variation on his "I'll never lie to you" theme by adding "And I believe Harry Truman never lied either."

There are parts of his standard speech that are used some places and not in others. In general, the less educated the audience, the folksier he gets.

In Peekskill, on the character of the American people — "a tremendous untapped reservoir of good sense, sound judgment, intelligence, ability, vision, a commitment to the work ethic, patriotism, religious faith."

To New York City blacks and again in Peekskill: "I was the first person in my daddy's family to go past high school."

In his early primary successes, Carter has gotten votes from interest groups normally in conflict: blacks and people opposed to busing; Chicago organization politicians and reform liberals who regularly oppose them; blue collar and white collar.

It's the same way as he campaigns.

In New York City, a talk to a roomful of black leaders ("65 per cent of my neighbors in Plains are black and we get along fine") elicited a constant background murmuring of "right on!" and "tell it like it is." He got sustained applause in Peekskill, where there were Wallace and Reagan sympathizers in the audience.

At Union College in Schenectady, N.Y., where Carter did graduate work in physics 25 years ago, the chapel was filled and there were about 300 people outside who couldn't get in. Local Carter workers said several local schools had been let out early so that the students could come, but nonetheless, the impression was that the former Georgia governor's reception was overwhelmingly favorable.

James C. Dingwall is named to TRIP post

James C. Dingwall, former state highway engineer, has been named Texas State Chairman of the Road Information Program (TRIP), a non-profit information organization. TRIP, based on Washington, D.C., researches, evaluates and distributes economic and technical data on transportation issues.

In his job as the Texas Highway Department's chief administrative officer, Dingwall headed one of the world's largest highway organizations. The department is responsible for maintenance, construction and operation of more than 70 thousand miles of paved, all-weather highways.

He also enjoys a national reputation as a leader in the highway field. In December, 1971, he was elected president of the American Association of State Highway Officials, which establishes standards, policies and plans for the national highway program.

A native of Comanche, Dingwall attended SMU. He joined the highway department in 1928.

During World War II service in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, he supervised construction of air bases at Laredo, Texas, in Guatemala, in Brazil and on Santa Maria Island of the Portuguese Azores in the Atlantic. He attained the rank of major.

Returning to the department, he was named supervising urban engineer in Houston in 1947 to direct the construction of the Gulf Freeway, the first major freeway constructed in Texas.

In 1950, he was named head of the Road Design Division in the Austin office. Four years later, he left the department to become engineer-manager of the Texas Turnpike Authority. He supervised the financing, design and construction of the \$58.5-million Dallas-Fort Worth Turnpike.



JAMES C. DINGWALL

On completion of the turnpike and at the request of the Texas Highway Commission he returned to the department in 1958 as assistant State Highway Engineer. Dingwall became the State Highway Engineer on Jan. 1, 1968. He retired from this position Jan. 1, 1973. In October of 1975 Dingwall was appointed to the three member State Depository Board by Gov. Dolph Briscoe.

Dingwall is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers and an honorary member of Chi Epsilon, civil engineering fraternity.

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Lynn goes 6-for-6

By The Associated Press
Last year Fred Lynn was one of Boston's meat-and-potatoes men. This year he's starting out with gravy.

Lynn, the American League's Rookie of the Year and Most Valuable Player for the Red Sox in 1975, had a string of six straight hits in Boston's weekend series with Baltimore. Two of them — a home run in the first inning and a double to open a five-run third — propelled Boston to its first victory of the season, a 6-2 breeze over the Orioles.

In the only other AL games, Oakland won its third in a row, outlasting California 10-7, and Minnesota also got its first victory of the year, edging Texas 4-3. New York at Milwaukee, Detroit at Cleveland and a Kansas City at Chicago doubleheader were postponed by cold weather.

"I don't ever remember having six consecutive hits last year," said Lynn, who had 21 home runs, 105 runs batted in and 175 total hits for a .331 average in 1975. "Basically, I'm not a fast starter, so anything I get early like this is gravy."

Singles by Jim Rice, Carlton Fisk and Carl Yastrzemski made it 3-0, then Rico Petrocelli walked to lead the bases and Denny Doyle cleared them with a double on the first pitch from reliever Mike Flanagan. Baltimore got its two runs off Luis Tiant in the fourth on a single by Tony Muser.

A's 10, Angels 7
Sal Bando's two-run homer in the first inning and Phil Garner's two-run double in the third highlighted a pair of four-run bursts that carried the A's past California. The Angels cut the lead to 8-7 in the sixth, then Bill North wrapped matters up with a two-run single in the eighth.

"That's three more games we don't have to win in August, although that may not be the way to look at it," said a smiling North.

Bicentennial

Slowpitch May 1

WEBB AFB — Webb Air Force Base will hold a Bicentennial "Three-two" Slowpitch Tournament May 1.

Open to military and civilian teams, the one day event will feature double elimination play on two diamonds.

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Veteran manager gains first AL win

ARLINGTON, Tex. (AP) — Gene Mauch, a manager for 17 years in the National League, finally got in the victory column in the American League Sunday but it didn't quite match the thrill he experienced 2,457 games ago.

"Of course you love to win," said the former manager for Montreal and the Philadelphia Phillies. "But I'll never forget what happened to my first team at Philadelphia when I was a rookie manager. We got beat by Milwaukee 13-4 and 12-2 in the first two games. I was in shell shock."

"I really was anxious for a victory there, but this series was just a little different. We could have won the first two games in this series with just a little luck."

Dan Ford's ninth-inning home run propelled the Minnesota Twins to a 4-3 victory over the Texas Rangers who had taken the first two games of the series.

Mauch, who came to Minnesota after seven years at Montreal, made some rather unorthodox moves in the game. He used injured plugged Tony Oliva to lead off the game as his listed second baseman in the lineup card. Oliva, who hasn't played in the field in several years, fled out to left field to open the game and was replaced in the bottom half of the first inning by Twin regular second baseman Jerry Terrell.

"I wanted to get Tony a time at bat because I doubted we would have a chance to use him later in the game," said Mauch.



LIFESAVING ATTEMPT — Pittsburgh Pirates' George "Doc" Medich applies emergency treatment to a fan, 74-year-old John Corbett of Newport, Del. as the victim's grandson, at right, watches, after he suffered a heart attack at Sunday's game in Philadelphia. Medich is a senior medical student at University of Pittsburgh. Corbett died from the attack.

LOCAL SPORTS NEWS

Runnels cops two thirds in Snyder JH track meet

SNYDER — Last Friday the Runnels Junior High track team attended a meet here and finished third in a field of six teams.

The seventh grade had a total of 105 points, finishing third behind Colorado City (147) and San Angelo Lakeview (129).

The eighth grade team also finished third with a total of 89 points. The two teams together captured a total of 40 ribbons in their final track competition of the season.

Field day results Tuesday

The results of Saturday's Optimist Elementary Field Day will be carried in tomorrow's paper. College Heights won the event with 53 points, Kentwood was second with 40 and Airport was third with 36.

Cajun humorist at Post fete

POST — Justin Wilson, Cajun humorist and one of America's most sought after dinner-speakers, will be speaker for the annual All Sports Banquet to be held in the Post High School Gym, April 17, at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are priced at \$7 and will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis, and will not be sold at the door.

Tickets may be obtained by calling Booster President, Joe McCowan at 806-495-2232, or writing to Box P.A., Post, Tex., 79356.

The banquet will honor all athletes in Post High School who have participated in football, basketball, track and tennis for the past year.

Forsan JH girls second in Greenwood Meet

GREENWOOD — The junior high girls at Forsan attended the girls district track meet at Greenwood over the weekend and captured second place in a field of six schools.

In the 60-yard dash, Valerie Adams placed second with a time of 8.2. LaVonne Brumley tied for third with 8.3, and Cathy Kennedy placed sixth.

The 80-yard hurdles saw Valerie Adams at third with a time of 13.1. Monica Dyess and Sandra Sewell placed third and fourth respectively.

Zena Clark came in fifth and LaVonne Brumley sixth in the 100-yard dash.

Forsan placed second in the 880-yard relays. Members of that relay team are Isabel Miranda, Lana Grantham, Shawna Nix and Sandra Sewell.

The 1320-relay team, made up of Zena Clark, Shelley McMurray, Monica Dyess and Isabel Miranda had third place winning time.

BS baseball date changes

Big Spring Steer baseball coach Larry Horton announced two changes on this year's baseball schedule.

The game scheduled for Saturday (April 17) against Abilene has been moved up a day to Friday (April 16) in Steer Park at 4:00.

The game scheduled against Permian in Odessa for Saturday, April 22, has been moved up two days to Thursday, April 20 at 4:00.

Foursome wins BSGA with 62

The foursome of Hershel Harris, Mark McCraney, Horace Beene and Noel Reed fired a 62 Sunday to win the Louisiana Draw sponsored by the Big Spring Golf Association at the Comanche Trail Public Golf Course.

James Musgrove, Loyd Duncan, Lee Munoz and Jim Gregg were right behind the leaders with a 63.

Six of the other 15 foursomes were tied for third with scores of 64.

Club pro Bob Howell said he would like to commend Royce Cox, Bob Waters and the entire tournament committee for the fine manner they've conducted the BSGA tournaments.

Hole-in-one on first hole

Bob Rogers of Big Spring dispatched a 250-yard drive on the first hole at the Comanche Trail Golf Course here Sunday and saw it disappear into the hole.

It was his first ace ever and helped his team score a 65 in the Louisiana Draw Tournament held at the municipal course.

Rogers was playing with Jack White, Miller Harris and Pete Anderson.

Record-tying score Floyd fells monster

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — At the end, it was the man against the monster, and the monster fell.

Ray Floyd, bull-strong and bullwhip-tough, grabbed the sprawling Augusta National course by the nape of the neck and literally shook it into submission, winning the 40th Masters Golf Tournament by a record-tying score.

The great Jack Nicklaus, like everybody else, wound up being a spectator, finishing 11 shots off the pace. Floyd led every round. The glamorous event became a dull one-man show. It was a onesome and a forty-threesome.

Floyd's winning score was 65-66-70-71, 17 under par. It tied Nicklaus' 1965 record.

Only one man made a serious lunge at him and it proved too little too late. Hollywood-handsome Ben Crenshaw, 24, brightest of the game's "Young Lions," charged in with a closing 67,

highlighted by a gambling eagle on the 13th and pirate-bold par on the long 15th from the water, to take second money with 279, eight strokes back.

Floyd collected \$40,000, Crenshaw \$25,000.

Nicklaus, recognized as undisputed king of the game with 16 major crowns, never mustered a rally in defense of the title he grabbed for the fifth time so dramatically a year ago. His birdie fire only flickered, he struggled in with a 73 to tie Larry Ziegler for third at 282. Only four other players bettered par.

Floyd, a handsome, 33-year-old veteran of 15 years on the tour whose early years were wasted on what he called high living, said winning the 1976 Masters was the primary goal of his restructured life.

"I wish I had my early years to live over again," he said of the days when he trained on hard booze and all-night parties. "I would have won more. I got tired of being a mediocre player. Now my goal is to win golf tournaments and the apex, naturally, is to win the majors."

He won the PGA Championship in 1969.

Nicklaus had his problems, bogeying three holes. The happy-go-lucky, 36-year-old Ziegler, playing with Floyd, said he and the leader chatted all around the course. "I knew I was going for second," he said.

Hale Irwin, Charles Coody and young Tom Kite tied at 285 and the veteran Bill Casper came out of the pack with a 69 to finish at 287. England's Peter Oosterhuis shot a 68 for 293.

Floyd, now married, father of two children and living in Miami, said his life now has a new purpose.

"The next tournament I want to win," he said, "is the Tournament of Champions next week."

Coahoma JH girls win Stamford meet

STAMFORD — Karen Woolvorton, with 30 points, and the victorious 1320-yard relay team led Coahoma junior high girls to the District 5-AA JH Track Championship.

Coahoma won its last meet of the year with 157 points. Hamlin was second with 144, Colorado City third with 96, Stamford fourth with 51, Anson fifth with 50 and Winters sixth with 28.

Woolvorton did not win any events but she chalked up 30 points with three seconds and as a member of the 440 and 880-yard relay teams which both finished third.

Woolvorton was second in the triple jump with a 26 foot 8 inch effort; in the broad jump with a 13-foot 9-inch leap and in the 110-yard dash with a time of 12.8.

Complete results of the Coahoma team are:

Shot put — Sandra Russell, first, 27.5; Lisa Furlong, second, 26.8; Lana Thomas, fourth, 25.5.
Discus — Lily Baker, first, 84.8; Sandra Russell, third, 47.8.
Triple jump — Karen Woolvorton, second, 26.8.
Broad jump — Karen Woolvorton, second, 13.9.
High jump — Cheryl Greenfield, first, 4.5; Lily Baker, fifth, 4.4.
440 relay team — third, 5.9 (Rhonda Griffin, Cheryl Greenfield, first, 4.5; Lily Baker, fifth, 4.4).
880 relay team — third, 2:01.1 (Kerry Reed, Karen Spars, Cheryl Greenfield, Karen Woolvorton).
1320 yard relay — first, 3:14.0 (Rhonda Griffin, Karen Spars, Lana Thomas, Fay Fryar).
330 yard run — Faye Fryar, first, 4.4; Sandra Martinez, sixth, 5:12.2.
60 yard dash — Rhonda Griffin, third, 8.2.
80 yard low hurdles — Andrea Fowler, fifth, 14.2.
100 yard dash — Karen Woolvorton, Coahoma, second, 12.8.
440 yard relay — Lily Baker, first, 1:58.8; Sally Kerby, fourth, 2:07.1.
120 yard dash — Cheryl Greenfield, fourth, 29.7; Kim Thompson, Coahoma, fifth, 30.7.

Steer JV's win Midland Tourney

The Big Spring High School JV baseball team journeyed to Midland this week for a tournament and walked away with first place.

Big Spring played the opening game against Pecos Thursday, winning 5-1 with Clem Sanchez the winning pitcher.

Saturday in the semi-finals, Big Spring beat Midland High 9-5. Kevin McLaughlin was the winning pitcher and Don Stump had 5 RBIs and went 3 for 4.

In the championship game later that same day, Big Spring beat a tough Midland Lee team 6-5 to top the tourney title. Don Stump excelled in that game as well, blasting a three-run homer in the first inning that went out of the ballpark (over 400 feet) and hit a house.

Big Spring pitcher Bill Cudd hurt his back in the fourth inning and Clem Sanchez came in as relief. Sanchez faced 11 batters and struck out all but three of them.

The Junior Varsity record is now 10-4 for the season and they play their final game of the season Friday against Abilene High in Big Spring at Johnny Stone park.

Cincinnati Rose blossoms quickly

CINCINNATI (AP) — Who needs spring training? Not Pete Rose or the Cincinnati Reds.

"I was ready after a week and a half," said the Reds' hard-driving captain, whose four hits Sunday and a 9-for-15 season start spurred Cincinnati to a free swinging three-game sweep of the Houston Astros.

Rose became the National League's all-time hits leader among active players and young Pat Darcy tossed five no-hit innings to win his 10th straight game as the Reds breezed to a 9-3 victory.

"That's not a baseball team," marveled Houston's Bob Watson. "That's a track team."

The world champions victimized Houston pitching for 33 runs and 43 hits—five by Cincinnati pitchers—while stealing 11 straight bases, including Rose's first in a year and a half.

An crowd of 53,390, a regular season high here, watched Darcy mow down 15 consecutive Astros to open the game while Rose was surpassing Lou Brock in career base hits.

Pinch hitter Ken Boswell broke up Darcy's no-hit bid in the sixth, singling after consecutive walks.

Darcy, a 24-year-old right-hander who was acquired from Houston a year ago, wasn't impressed that he owns the longest winning streak in the majors.

"That was last year," murmured the tall Irishman. "I'm not even thinking about that."

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SECTION B SECTION B

Scorecard

BASEBALL NATIONAL LEAGUE				BASKETBALL NBA			
Team	W	L	Pct	Team	W	L	Pct
Pitts	2	0	1.000	Atlanta	48	34	.585
Chicago	2	1	.667	Phoenix	46	36	.561
N. York	2	1	.667	Buffalo	46	36	.561
Montreal	1	2	.333	New York	38	44	.463
St. L's	1	2	.333	San Antonio	38	44	.463
Philadelphia	0	2	.000	Portland	37	45	.451
West				Central			
Cincinnati	2	0	1.000	Cleveland	49	33	.598
S. Fran	2	0	1.000	Washington	48	34	.585
Atlanta	2	1	.667	Houston	40	42	.488
S. Diego	1	2	.333	N. Orleans	38	44	.463
L.A.	0	2	.000	Atlanta	24	58	.294
Houston	0	2	.000	Western			
Saturday's Results				Midwest			
Pittsburgh 5, Philadelphia 4, 11 innings	Montreal 0, Cincinnati 13, Houston 7	Chicago 4, St. Louis 3	Los Angeles at San Fran	Phoenix at Milwaukee	San Antonio 99, Kansas City 98	Detroit 36, Dallas 43	Kansas City 31, Seattle 77
Chicago 8, St. Louis 5	Atlanta 4, San Diego 2	San Francisco 6, Los Angeles 4	Sunday's Results				
Monday's Games				Quarter-Finals			
San Francisco at Cincinnati	0.0	Houston at Philadelphia	0.0	Washington at Cleveland	1st game	Phoenix at Seattle	1st game
San Diego (Strom 0.0) at Los Angeles (Hooton 0.0)	n	Only games scheduled	Best-of-Three Series				
Tuesday's Games				Tuesday's Game			
San Francisco at Houston	n	San Diego at Los Angeles	n	Detroit at Milwaukee, first game			

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
Detroit	13	2	1.000	—
Baltimore	2	0	.667	—
Milw	1	1	.500	—
N. York	1	1	.500	—
Boston	1	1	.500	—
Cleveland	0	1	.000	—
West				
Oakland	3	0	1.000	—
Chicago	1	0	1.000	—
Texas	2	1	.667	—
Min	1	2	.333	—
Kan City	0	2	.000	—
Calif	0	3	.000	—

SWC Baseball Standings

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	13	2	.869	—
Houston	14	7	.667	—
Texas A&M	10	5	.667	—
Baylor	10	7	.588	—
Arkansas	8	8	.500	—
Rice	9	10	.476	—
Texas Tech	4	8	.333	—
SMU	0	18	.000	—

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Tuesday—Texas Tech 5-16, Abilene Christian 2-1.
Friday—Texas 3, Texas A&M 0, TCU 3, Texas Tech 2, Houston 9, Rice 4.
Saturday—Baylor 5-2, Arkansas 0-0, Texas Tech 11-5, TCU 5-9, Rice 8-7, Houston 12, Texas A&M 2-2, Texas 0-8.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday—Oklahoma City at Arkansas (2).
Tuesday—Arkansas vs. Arkansas Travlers (TU) at Little Rock; Baylor at Mary Hardin Baylor (2); Sam Houston at Rice (2); Southern Cal at Texas (2).
Friday—Rice at Arkansas; Baylor at Texas Tech; Texas at Houston; TCU at SMU.
Saturday—Rice at Arkansas (2); Baylor at Texas Tech (2); Texas at Houston (2); TCU at SMU (2).

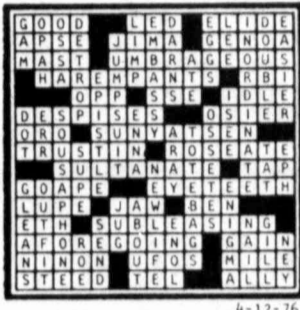
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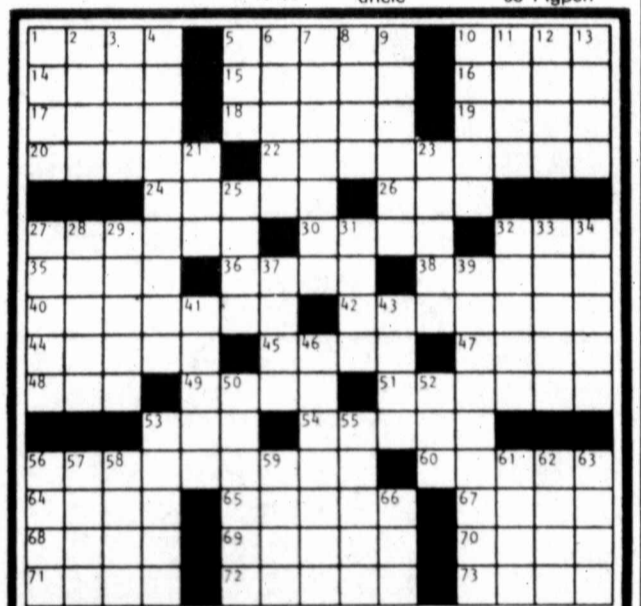
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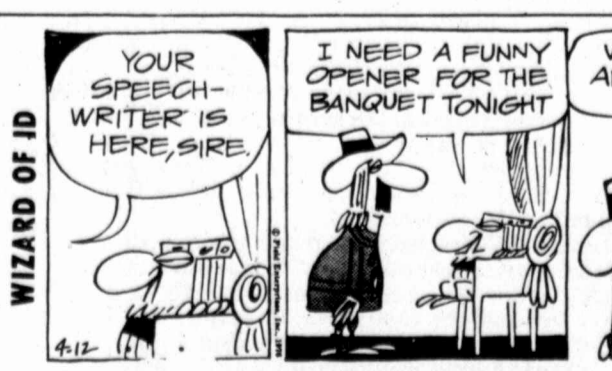
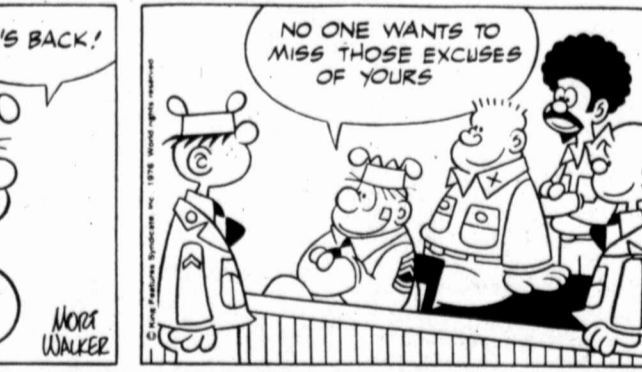
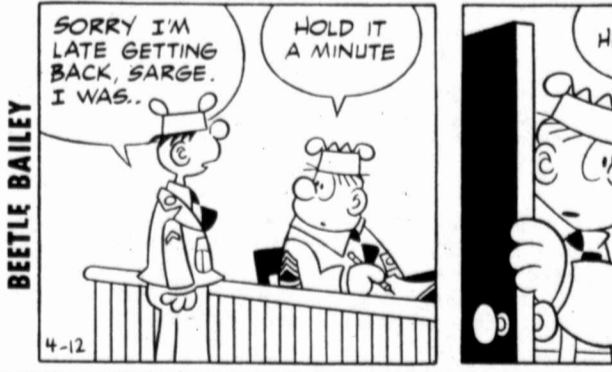
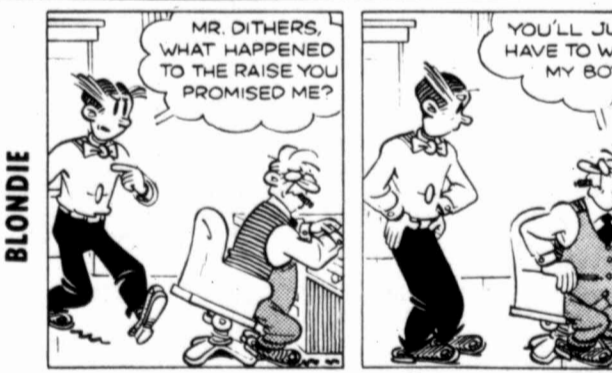
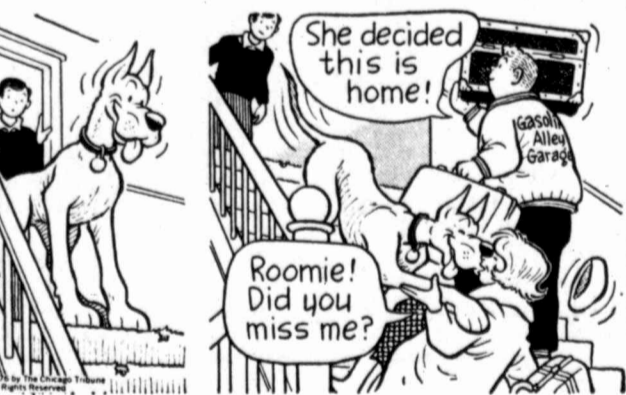
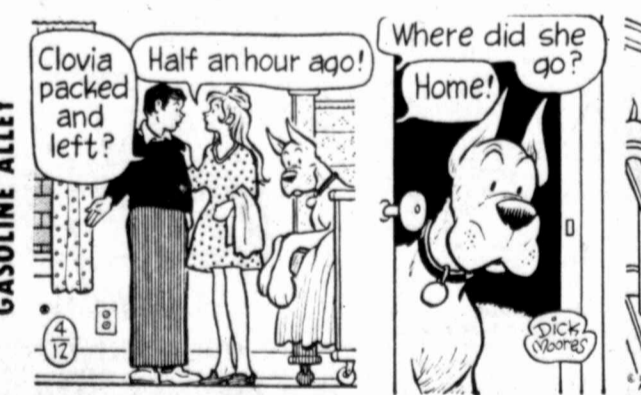
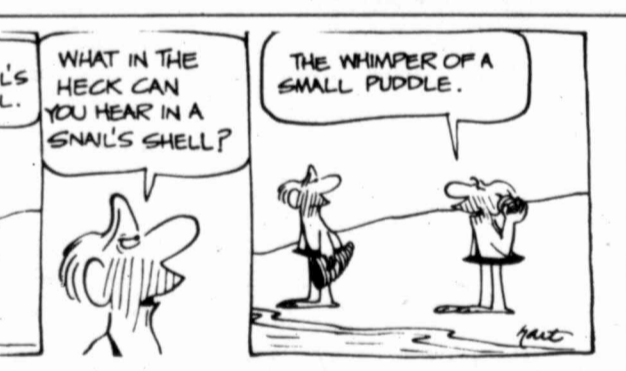
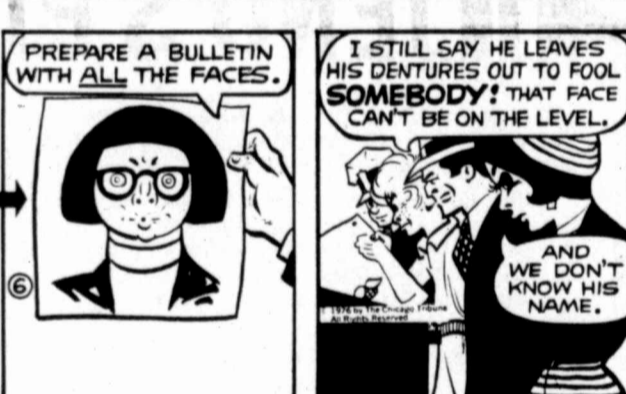
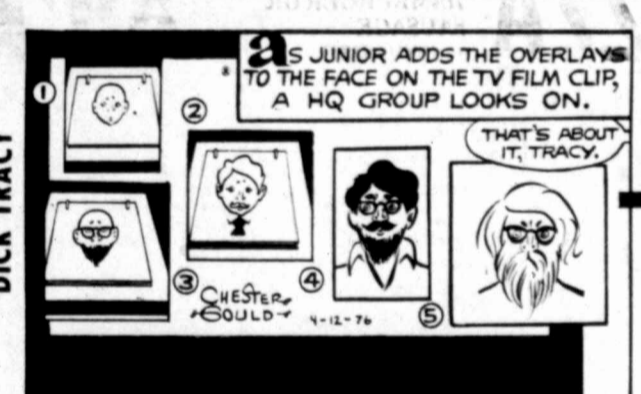
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FOR SALE or trade 1957 Chevrolet, two door, hard top, over hauled 283 motor, transmission, rear end, new tires. Call 267-7868.

1973 TOYOTA CELICA. Air conditioning, tape player, mags, and Shelby racing tires. \$2,497. Call 267-8601 after 6:00, or 267-2555, ask for Truman.

FOR SALE: 1969 Volkswagen Beetle: Good condition. Also used furniture. For more information call 263-3664.

1970 MUSTANG V-8, mag wheels, spoiler. Call 263-3769 after 4:00 p.m. for more information.

Boats M-13

D & C Marine

263-3608, 267-5546
R: 30-6:00 Mon-Sat
3910 thru 3914 W. Hwy. 80

New Fiber Glass Bass Boat \$750 up
Ski Boat \$1050 up
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ONE TRI HULL boat, 40 horse electric starter motor, 16-foot Arkansas Traveler boat with 35-horse motor. One - 35 horse Johnson motor, one - 6 horse motor, one - 5 horse motor, two boat trailers. 3616 Hamilton. 263-1050.

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Campers & Travel Tris. M-14
70 PER CENT DISCOUNT: SIX - Ford Mini Homes, nine - trailers, three - fifth wheels. 806-872-8408. 806-872-7535.

FOR SALE: Cab over camper, fits long wide bed. See at 3704 Calvin, or 267-1366.

Cline returned to PCG post

LUBBOCK — Just over 350 cotton producers and interested businessmen in Lubbock April 7 heard two speakers voice general bullishness on demand and price prospects for U.S. cotton in 1976-77. Another expressed high optimism for the longer term future of Plains-type cottons "provided we continue to do things in what is truly the American way."

The occasion was the 19th annual meeting of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., area cotton producer association representing 25 counties surrounding Lubbock. Following the membership gathering, the organization's newly confirmed 50-man board of directors re-elected PCG president W.B. Criswell of Idalou, vice president Lloyd Cline of Lamesa and secretary-treasurer Joe D. Unfred of New Home. Each was returned to office for a second one-year term.

Both Richard Bell, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for international affairs and commodity programs, and David Cox, director of Cotton Incorporated's economic research and development division, presented world cotton carryover, production and consumption trends that point to no more than adequate, and possibly "tight" cotton supplies for the next 12 to 18 months.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation will conduct a public meeting on Tuesday, April 20, 1976, at 10:00 A.M. in the County Commissioners Courtroom, Howard County Courthouse, Big Spring, Texas. The construction of a bridge and its approaches on Moss Lake Road at Bear's Creek east of Big Spring will be discussed at this meeting.

The proposed bridge is to be a concrete slab and girder span type structure 200 feet long and 26 feet wide between rails. The approaches will have an asphalt paved surface 20 feet wide. Additional right of way will be needed to provide a right of way width of about 100 feet near the bridge. Total length of the project will be approximately 0.6 mile.

Relocation assistance will be available if needed.

The purpose of the meeting is to inform the public of the proposed project and to obtain the views of the public with respect to the project during the early stages of its development.

All interested citizens are invited to attend this public meeting.
March 17
April 12, 1976

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDER DECLARING RESULTS OF TRUSTEE ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HOWARD

On this 6th day of April, 1976, the Board of Trustees of Howard County Junior College District convened in regular session with the following members present to wit:

Charles O. Warren, D.D.S., President, Donald B. McKinney, Harold L. Davis, Jimmy Taylor, James Barr, K. H. McGibson, P. W. Malone, A.D. and the following absent: None, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings had by said Board of Trustees was the following:

There came on to be considered the returns of an election held on the 3rd day of April, 1976 for the purpose of electing two trustees to the Board of Trustees of said District, and it appearing said returns duly and legally made that there were cast at said election 1891 valid and legal votes, and that each of the candidates in said election received the following votes:

Name of Candidate	Total number of votes received:
P. W. Malone	1634
Harold L. Davis	1621
Victor Mellinger	1
Jack Watkins	2
Eddie Acri	2
Jim Mathews	2
Harland Birdwell	2
John Basden	1
R. F. Davis	1
Al Valdez	2
Trull Thomas	2
Wayne Burdette	1
R. G. B. Cowper	2
Anna Smith	1
Arak Phillips	1
Winston Wrinkle	1
Larry Shaw	1
Richard Fleemer	2
Wanda Ferguson	2
W. C. Ross	1
Hezzie Read	2
Clyde Thomas	1
Bill Read	2
Ray Echols	2
Buddy Barr	1
Lonnie Anderson	1
Roger Huggins	1
Mrs. Melvin Brown	1
Mattie Wolf	1
Sam Roberts	1
Wayne Basden	1

It is, therefore, found, declared and so ordered by the Board of Trustees of said District that P. W. Malone and Harold L. Davis received the highest number of votes at said election and are hereby declared duly elected members of the Board of Trustees of said District, subject to the taking of their oaths and qualifying as provided by the laws of the State of Texas.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Board voted AYE: Charles O. Warren, Donald B. McKinney, Jimmy Taylor, K. H. McGibson, Harold L. Davis, James Barr, P. W. Malone, and the following voted NO: None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 6th day of April, 1976.

SIGNED:
CHARLES O. WARREN
President, Board of Trustees of HOWARD COUNTY JUNIOR COLLEGE DISTRICT

ATTEST:
HAROLD L. DAVIS
Secretary

APRIL 12, 1976

Campers & Travel Tris. M-14

SPECIAL USED CAB-OVERS & CAMPERS

1972 cab-over Open Road, 11 ft., fully self cont. \$2,595. Sale \$2,400. 1972 cab-over Layton, 12 ft. 2-air cond. T.V., rack on rear, self cont. \$2,495. Sale \$2,300. 1970 Cree, 10 ft. self cont, \$1,595. Sale \$1,450. 1967 Princess, 10 ft. \$895. Sale \$800. Huntsman, 12 ft. chassis mount. \$795. Sale \$700.

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Congressional democrats warned

Revenue sharing delay beneficial to Ford

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congressional Democrats who oppose renewal of federal revenue-sharing are being warned they may hand President Ford a political plum this election year if they delay extending the program.

At the height of the 1972 presidential campaign, Richard M. Nixon signed the federal revenue-sharing law with an entourage of the nation's mayors and governors looking on. The ceremony in front of Philadelphia's Independence

Hall was hailed as a political triumph. While there is little doubt that Congress will act this year to extend the program, delays by its Democratic opponents could create a time schedule that would deliver the bill to President Ford at the height of the election campaign in the autumn.

"If I were President Ford, I'd be delighted to get this bill in September," said John Gunther, executive director of the U.S. Conference of Mayors. "Democratic

mayors have been screaming to the Democratic leadership for one year: pass it and get it out of the way."

In an interview, Gunther also warned that if Congress does not approve the legislation before the summer recess, revenue-sharing opponents in the House may be able to pressure the Senate into accepting provisions that would weaken the program.

The legislation has strong bipartisan support in the Senate, and it is unlikely to become a political issue there.

But in the House, the bill must pass the House Government Operations Committee, whose chairman, Rep. Jack Brooks, D-Tex., is opposed to it.

Both Gunther and Paul Myer, who is monitoring the legislation for the White House, say the Senate bill will be more in line with what revenue-sharing proponents would like than the House bill.

If two divergent bills are passed, they would be referred to a conference of House and Senate members to work out the differences.

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Billion-dollar bid to take Alaska lease

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — More than 70 major oil and gas companies are ready to bid Tuesday on more than a million acres of Gulf of Alaska and ocean floor in an offshore lease sale the state is trying to stop.

With bids predicted to total \$1 billion, it could be the biggest offshore lease sale in the nation's history.

The sale could depend on the results of Alaska's expected legal challenge today.

The state had vowed Friday to file a motion today in U.S. District Court in Washington, D.C., challenging U.S. District Judge Joseph C. Waddy's rejection of Alaska's bid for a two- or three-year moratorium on the sale.

Alaska maintained environmental considerations mandated such a moratorium.

The Alaska Legislature supports the Gov. Jay Hammond administration's bid to delay the sale. The legislature says it is not opposed to a lease sale, but feels the technology needed to suck the oil out without unacceptable environmental damage is not yet available.

Meanwhile, oil men from Houston and Dallas and other petroleum centers around the world are in Anchorage for the event, which Secretary of the Interior Thomas Kleppe has said might attract the \$1 billion in bids.

The largest previous total was the \$900 million bid by oil companies in 1969 on Alaska's Prudhoe Bay oil fields. Oil reserves there are estimated at upwards of 10 billion barrels.

Industry officials say there may be up to 10 billion barrels in the storm-tossed gulf, too.

Successful bidders on the Gulf of Alaska tracts must give Interior 20 per cent of their bid amount on the day of the sale. For that reason, the ballroom of the Anchorage Westward Hotel is heavily guarded.

Members present at the meeting were Ray Anderson, Clyde Chesser, Troy Drinkard, Dwite Gilliland, Albert Pettus, Bill Row and Raymond Tally.

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