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STATE SIGNS ON GOP CONVENTION FLOOR — Delbert Scrogam stands amid state signs and checks convention floor plan in Kemper Arena in Kansas City Tuesday. The Republican National Convention opens August 16.

Demo-GOP abortion clash?

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Democrats and Republicans may clash directly over the sensitive issue of abortion if the GOP convention adopts a platform subcommittee's recommendation.

Supporters of both Ronald Reagan and President Ford joined forces in adopting an antiabortion proposal by a 13 to 1 vote.

While the Democrats opposed a constitutional amendment, the Republican proposal "supports the efforts of those who seek enactment of a constitutional amendment to restore protection of the right to life of unborn children."

Another platform subcommittee endorsed a plank Tuesday night denouncing busing of school children as "unnecessary, counterproductive and wrong."

Both of these proposed planks require approval of the full Platform Committee and of the convention itself next week before they can become part of the party's official policy statement.

At the final hearings by the full Platform Committee today, Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C., leader of a group of conservative delegates, was to press for adoption of planks embodying their views.

As the party considered these issues, the two leading candidates continued to maneuver for the presidential nomination by struggling over convention rules and seeking uncommitted delegates.

Helms acknowledged to reporters that he had once discussed with Sen. James Buckley, R-C.N.Y., the possibility of Buckley entering the presidential race. But Helms said he was not promoting the idea and that "I'm not neither encouraging nor discouraging."

Buckley said he had been urged by several conservative senators last month to consider being a compromise candidate and that he would neither block nor encourage such efforts. A third candidacy might stalemate the contest for the nomination and help Reagan, who trails Ford by 1,105 to 1,033 votes in The Associated Press poll of publicly committed or legally bound delegates. A total of 1,130 votes are needed for

the nomination. In the platform subcommittee hearings, the issue of women's rights brought about more disagreement than abortion. The panel was split 7 to 7 on the question whether the Republicans will continue, as they have for some 25 years, to endorse ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment, a prime goal of feminists.

Rep. Silvio O. Conte, R-Mass., a subcommittee member who favors endorsement of the amendment, was in Washington Tuesday and may break the tie after he arrives for the convention.

One of the rules quarrels between the Ford and Reagan camps involves delegates from the 19 states that held presidential primaries. Ford campaign officials want a firm requirement compelling delegates to vote in proportion to the outcome of the elections.

Supporters of both candidates claim to have the votes to prevail in the convention rules committee, which meets Saturday. The questions so far have been considered only by the Republican National Committee's rules panel and the committee itself, both controlled by Ford forces.

The list of persons known to be

under consideration by Ford as potential running mates grew Tuesday to include 15 men and one woman. Not all of them, however, indicated they would be willing to run.

The only woman known to be on the list is Anne Armstrong, the U.S. ambassador to Great Britain.

In all, nine senators, two Cabinet members, two governors and two ambassadors have said the White House asked them for the financial and health information routinely required of those to whom the vice presidential endorsement might be offered. Another, John B. Connally, is known to be on the list.

'New broom sweeps clean'—Carter

ATLANTA (AP) — Jimmy Carter today promised the nation's lawyers "a new broom to sweep the ouse of government clean" and said if he is elected president he will never turn his back on misdeeds by officials.

The Democratic presidential nominee also proposed placing members of Congress under the same public financing law which is paying for his own presidential campaign.

Carter told the annual convention of the American Bar Association that lawyers should join with him in restoring fairness and justice to the American system of law.

"During this post-Watergate era, our nation has been struggling with the question of how to establish and maintain standards of morality and justice," Carter said. "So far, we have failed."

He called for removing the U.S. Attorney General as far from politics as is humanly possible. The attorney general should be given "the same independence and authority and confidence" as was given the Watergate special prosecutor during the last weeks of the investigation that resulted in the resignation of

President Richard M. Nixon.

"If I become president, I will never turn my back on official misdeeds," Carter said. "I intend to take a new broom to Washington and do everything possible to sweep the house of government clean."

Carter called for a complete revelation by all major government officials of all business and financial involvements which might constitute a possible conflict of interest.

He said the so-called "sweetheart arrangement" between regulatory agencies and the industries they regulate should be ended.

Carter opened his speech by saying that he does not think that the honor code which governs the conduct of cadets at the nation's military academies is too strict.

He said federal spending aimed at deterring crime over the past eight years has been "grossly misdirected," and complained that only 6 percent of the total \$4.4 billion appropriated by Congress for the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration was allocated to aid state and local courts.

Very few arrests here

Big Spring hookers stay indoors

By DANNY REAGAN

Crackdowns on prostitution in other Texas cities has caused a sudden increase in San Antonio's sex-for-pay business, but Big Spring appears to be weathering the migration quite well, according to Police Chief Stanley Bogard.

"We have no serious problem here," said Bogard, "and we don't anticipate any in the future."

Big Spring has no "street corner" prostitutes, according to Bogard. The local hookers tend to stay indoors, relying on word of mouth to ply their trade.

"We don't know if the prostitutes

here are local or are on the 'circuit,'" said Bogard. Therefore, it is uncertain whether prostitutes in Big Spring work at it full time, or just drift from city to city.

Big Spring has very few arrests for prostitution. In the last three-month period, only four alleged prostitutes have been arrested, according to Bogard.

"Unless we get a complaint from someone, we seldom do anything about it," said Bogard.

In Big Spring, as in most cities, the arrested prostitute is usually bailed out immediately after arrest.

"After they're booked, they stay in

jail maybe 15 minutes before they're out on \$200 bail," said Bogard.

San Antonio has seen a marked increase in prostitution activity recently. About 25 women were arrested over the weekend there, and vice officers have been ordered to step up patrols in the city's downtown area.

"Right now we're concentrating on it as much as possible," said Capt. James Despres, head of the vice office.

Despres said tougher enforcement of prostitution laws in other parts of the state, especially in Dallas, may be responsible for some of the increase

here in ladies of the evening.

Despres said some of the prostitutes in Dallas may feel like the heat is on there "and they will go to Houston or come to San Antonio for a while."

He said about 100 prostitutes are operating in San Antonio, although not all are on the job at the same time.

Most of the hookers work at street corners, he said, but some work in hotels, parking lots and lounges.

In one weekend case, a 17-year-old girl was arrested twice on prostitution charges but was released on bond both times, police records showed.

Despres said the problem is not limited strictly to prostitution. There are several recent cases where male clients reported their wallets and money missing after a sex date.

Despres said the number of arrests over the weekend was not unusually high, but did represent a sudden increase.

Bible Class Fund grows

The Howard County Ministerial Alliance's Bible Class Fund, undertaken only this week, is beginning to "take off."

The campaign experienced its best day Tuesday, when total contributions amounted to \$311, bringing the aggregate to \$421.

Objective in the drive is \$6,500, enough to sustain Bible teaching programs at high schools in Big Spring, Coahoma and Forsan.

The course, as defined by federal law, cannot be subsidized by tax money. For that reason, the ministerial alliance must appeal to friends for support.

Donations can either be forwarded to The Herald or to Dr. Kenneth Patrick, pastor of the First Baptist Church, who doubles as chairman of the Bible Fund.

Latest donors include:

Mrs. John Irwin	\$50.00
Anonymous	100.00
Ruby Whipple	10.00
Charles Tompkins	25.00
Margaret Currie Circle,	
First Presbyterian Church,	
memory R. C. Alexander	5.00
Friendship Breakfast Club	10.00
Mr., Mrs. Ross Hill	10.00
Mr., Mrs. Don Newsom	6.00
Mr., Mrs. Dub Bryant	5.00
Westley Men's Bible	
Class	25.00
Martha Foster Circle,	
Westley Meth. Ch.	10.00
Willing Workers Class,	
Midway Baptist Ch.	10.00
Mr., Mrs. G. H. Brien	10.00
Mrs. Irene Little	25.00
Mr., Mrs. Loyd T.	
Claxton	10.00
Previously acknowledged	110.00
Total	\$421.00

50 million gallons of water being sold daily by CRMWD

The Colorado River Municipal Water District is supplying its customers with a lot more water during August, according to Owen Ivie, general manager.

"Deliveries by CRMWD to the three cities of Big Spring, Midland and Odessa are running at about 50 million gallons of water a day.

"That's about average for a hot

August," indicated Ivie. The general manager reasoned that more water is being used by customers because of the wet month of July.

"Everything greened up in July," he said, "and people are taking pride in their new green yards, and consequently are using more water to keep them that way."

Big Spring averages about eight million gallons of water a day used, (not counting the three million the Cosden complex uses a day.) Odessa and Midland average about 22 million gallons and 16 million gallons respectively a day.

Between Sunday and Monday the CRMWD pumped 19.5 million gallons out of Lake Thomas, and 22.2 million gallons out of Lake Spence for deposit in their terminal storage facilities.

Big Spring has a 15-million-gallon terminal storage tank, and Odessa has a 160-million-gallon storage facility. The CRMWD also stores water in Moss Creek Lake, which has a total storage capacity at spillway level of one billion gallons.

The major daily capacity for input or outtake of water from Moss Creek is 30 million gallons.

Even though the district only pumps 19.5 to 20 million gallons out of Lake Thomas a day, the taste of the local water has changed for the better as a result.

"We're trying to shoot at a 50-50 ratio between Thomas and Spence," said Ivie. Lake Thomas water is known for its pleasant taste, and such a ratio would maintain the quality of taste for local drinking water.

Ivie indicated that the district always tries to "go into the summer with the terminal storage tanks full." The lake levels are dropped slightly during the winter in filling up the tanks, so that in the summer, when the "peak" period of use is in effect, the pumping period from the lakes can be "evened out" by utilizing the terminal storage.

Mondale will continue criticism of pardon

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Walter F. Mondale says he will continue to discuss and criticize President Ford's pardon of former President Richard M. Nixon, but that he will not make it a central issue in his vice presidential campaign.

"I don't plan to make that the only theme or the dominant theme, but the issue of equal justice is an important issue facing the country," he said in an interview Tuesday.

In his acceptance speech at the Democratic National Convention last month Mondale criticized Ford's decision to pardon Nixon for any crimes Nixon may have committed while he was president.

Jimmy Carter, who picked Mondale to join him on the Democratic ticket, said he does not intend to make the pardon an issue during the campaign, but he has also said he

would not ask Mondale to refrain from bringing it up.

"There is a difference of emphasis," said Mondale in comparing his position with Carter's. Mondale said that during the campaign he will concentrate on the "traditional Democratic constituencies," but that he will also focus on business groups, a less traditional source of support for the Democratic party.

He refused to promise that he would campaign in every state, although he said, "I think we can get into all of them."

He also said that during the campaign he will draw on his work as a member of the Senate intelligence committee and as former chairman of an international economics subcommittee to speak on foreign policy and arms limitation, areas where Carter has had little experience.



BREWING STORM — A streak of lightning creased the sky Tuesday night behind Kemper Arena, site of next week's Republican National Convention. Thunderstorms rumbled through the area and there was some wind and lightning damage in the metropolitan area after a day when the temperature exceeded 100.

Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Garbage piling up

Q. It's been ten days since our garbage in the 1600 block of Owens Street has been picked up, and the threat of vermin being attracted to it increases by the day. Also, the area is beginning to smell. We have called City Hall repeatedly but can't get any action. What can we do about it?

A. City Manager Harry Nagel indicated today that because of "equipment problems and people getting hurt" the crews fell behind in pickups last Friday. Nagel said the sanitation department head told him that city crews should be "catching up" today. Nagel said he had checked thoroughly into reports that there might be labor problems within the sanitation department, which, in effect, might cause a slowdown and had been reassured there was nothing to the stories.

Calendar: Prospectors meet

TODAY

Regular monthly meeting of the Prospectors Club will be held Thursday, 7:30 p.m. in the Pioneer Gas Flame Room. Col. John Samuelli will show slides on his recent trip to Paris and London, and Virgil Perkins will give a report on the recent national gem and mineral show at Austin.

THURSDAY

Executive board members of Heritage Museum will meet Thursday at 5 p.m. at the museum.

Free films at the Howard County Library for Thursday include "Nature's Strangest Creatures," with scenes of unique wildlife such as the duckbill platypus, and "Silent Partner," a hilarious comedy sequence with Buster Keaton, Joe E. Brown and Zasu Pitts. The films begin at 7 p.m.

Offbeat: Toilets for protesters

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Homosexuals, prostitutes, prohibitionists and other special interest groups plan to make their presence felt at the Republican National Convention. But the only controversy they have produced so far involves portable toilets.

The Kansas City Convention Coalition, the protesters' central organization, had threatened to dig trench latrines in Penn Valley Park unless the city furnished toilet facilities.

But since only 20 demonstrators showed up by Tuesday to camp in the park, the coalition decided to delay its ultimatum. Hiram Hiller, director of the coalition, said he would not press the issue until Friday when more demonstrators are expected.

Best bet on TV: In Pursuit of Justice

A CBS drama at 7 o'clock "Hazard's People," starring John Houseman and John Elerick is a drama revolving around a renowned attorney whose style and flair as well as inherent sense of larceny in the pursuit of justice sets him apart from his peers in the legal profession.

Inside: Ford baiting delegates?

PRESIDENT Ford's list of possible running mates grows, amidst speculation that he is baiting delegates with the list. See p. 2A.

THE outcome of the trial of former Castroville city marshal Frank Hays has angered the Mexican-American community. See p. 2A.

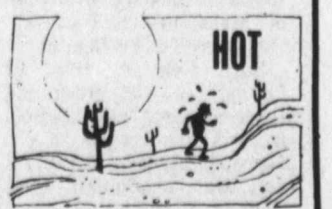
A CONTROVERSY is brewing in tennis circles over whether to allow a woman to compete after it was learned she had undergone a sex change operation and had earlier competed as a man. See p. 1B.

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Outside: More heat

Fair today through Thursday with no important temperature changes. High today in upper 90s, low tonight in upper 60s, high Thursday in the mid 90s. Southeasterly winds 15-20 mph today, decreasing to 5-10 mph tonight.



Feds probe case

Hays verdict outrages Mexican-Americans

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Ricardo Morales, a 27-year-old Castroville construction worker, is dead.

But the punishment doled out to his killer has opened an old sore "equal justice" in a Mexican-American community in South Texas.

Morales was shot to death on an isolated rural road last September while in the custody of then-Castroville Police Chief Frank Hayes.

Hayes, 54, was charged with murder, but a San Angelo jury convicted him earlier this summer of the reduced charge of aggravated assault.

Hayes is serving a two to 10-year prison sentence. MEXICAN-AMERICAN leaders were dismayed at what they considered a light punishment.

What if Morales had killed the police chief? they ask. Would Morales have gotten such a sentence?

In addition to Mexican-American groups, Gov. Dolph Briscoe, U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen and U.S. Rep. Henry B. Gonzalez called for federal intervention in the case.

The U.S. Justice Department recently announced it would consider the matter. Critics of the Hays verdict and sentencing contend

that the Justice Department should begin a probe into possible violation of Morales' civil rights.

SINCE MORALES was in custody Hayes at the time of the killing critics believe there may be a federal civil rights case against Hayes and that it should be pursued.

But Hayes' lawyer, Marvin Miller, says those who protest the Hayes punishment are attempting to "build enough hate to disrupt our government and disrupt our judicial process."

Miller said those who now call for a federal investigation of Hayes' actions "are attempting to disrupt and destroy our basic rights to a trial by jury which is available to every man, woman and child in the country."

"THE POLITICIANS who have carried out this attack on the judicial system are members of the executive branch of state government, not judicial," said Miller.

The trial of Hayes was moved from Castroville to San Angelo on a change of venue. A 10-woman, two-man jury heard the case before state District Court Judge Earl W. Smith. One juror was black; the rest were anglos.

The state's main witness was Donald McCall, a Hayes Deputy.

McCall said he arrested Morales at his home on some five-week-old theft warrants. While he was at the Morales home, Hayes drove up in his personal car, he said.

McCALL SAID Hayes told him to get Morales and follow him. Hayes then led McCall and Morales to a deserted road northwest of Castroville.

McCall said Hayes threatened Morales and at one point, said "I've already killed one Mexican and I'm going to kill me another."

McCall said Hayes took Morales from McCall's car and told McCall and a companion to "get out of here." Hayes had a 12-gauge shotgun, McCall drove off.

ABOUT 100 yards away, McCall said he stopped. He then heard what he thought was a single shot.

McCall said he returned a few minutes later to the spot where he had last seen Morales alive, but found no body.

Morales' body was found several days later more than 400 miles away in a shallow grave near the Texas-Louisiana border. Hayes' wife led officers to the body.

Mrs. Hayes pleaded guilty to a misdemeanor charge of tampering with evidence.

She was accused of transporting Morales' body in the trunk of her car. She was given a one-year probated jail sentence.

HAYES, WHO was the only eyewitness to the shooting, testified at the trial that he never intended to kill Morales.

"I never in my life intended to kill Richard Morales," he said.

Asked if he intentionally pulled the shotgun trigger to shoot Morales, Hayes said, "As God is my witness, I did not."

"I had fear for my life because I remembered being shot before and I didn't want Morales to get that gun," he testified. He said he and Morales struggled for the shotgun and it went off accidentally.

The case outraged many Mexican-Americans. Morales' wife, Maria, cried when she heard the verdict against Hayes. She had hoped for a murder conviction, she said.

"I JUST WANTED to see justice done. I don't think he got what he deserved," she said. "He still should have gotten life (in prison). He ought to serve life because he's not going to bring my husband back in 10 years."

Tony Cruz, a leader of a Mexican-American group in San Antonio, wrote to Gov. Briscoe that the verdict was "a shameful and black day for Texas."

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VP possibles list grows

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Reading from left to right, President Ford's vice presidential shopping list covers the Republican ideological spectrum — which is precisely why Ronald Reagan wants him to name his man.

By sending out feelers to at least 16 Republicans and leaving them free to say they've been contacted, the Ford camp has offered every Republican faction a hint that its preferred candidate might wind up on the ticket if the President is nominated.

There's even a glimmer for conservatives who would like Reagan in the second spot if they can't install him as the presidential nominee.

In the close and, for the moment, virtually static competition for presidential nominating votes, the vice presidency has become part of the strategy, with Ford and Reagan using it in opposite ways.

Their goals are the same: to pry loose delegate votes for the presidential nomination. Reagan designated his running mate, Sen. Richard S. Schweiker of Pennsylvania, two weeks ago, in an effort to broaden his bid for delegate support outside conservative Republican ranks.

His choice of the liberal Schweiker produced no breakthrough in the struggle for delegates, costing him some supporters, gaining him others. The Reagan camp claims the maneuver was a net plus.

If nothing else, it gained the party's attention, and that was one objective of John P. Sears, the campaign manager who engineered the tradition-breaking early selection.

Now Sears is trying to force public disclosure of Ford's selection before the presidential vote, seeking to make advance announcement a convention rule. Dean Burch, a Ford convention strategist, said he is confident the move will be defeated despite "a sort of superficial appeal" in the argument that delegates should know the whole ticket before they ballot.

Ford contends the Schweiker choice hurt Reagan, and that an advance vice presidential announcement would hurt his cause, too.

He is taking the traditional course, and following a familiar strategy, by permitting a series of names to be floated as prospects, thus offering hope to every

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Ford keeps delegates guessing



IS THERE A V.P. AMONG THEM? — The list of prominent Republicans known to be under consideration as a running mate for President Ford continues to grow. Among those mentioned are: top row, left to right, U.N. Ambassador William Scranton, Gov. Christopher Bond of Missouri, Sen. Edward Brooke, Mass., and former Texas Gov. John B. Connally. Bottom, from left, are: Sen. Robert Dole, Kansas; Sen. Robert Ray, Iowa; Sen. Howard Baker, Tenn.; and Sen. William Brock, Tenn.

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"I think they feel that if Ford would announce somebody, certainly some other delegates wouldn't like that person," said Sen. Robert J. Dole of Kansas, who just happens to be on the Ford prospect list.

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Police beat

Burglars to decorate?

Housebreakers may be planning some interior decorating following two burglaries Tuesday.

Sharon Shanks, 606 Linda, reported that sometime Monday night burglars broke into her home through the bedroom window. They left with two sets of green curtains, two sets of gold curtains and one set of orange curtains. Total value was estimated at \$125.

In another incident, Ricky Williams, number three Northeast Apartments, reported that intruders made off with 12 bath and face towels, 14 pillow cases and four bed sheets sometime between Sunday night and Tuesday morning.

Also stolen were an eight-track tape player, two stereo speakers and an assortment of costume jewelry. Total value of the missing merchandise was \$121.

According to reports, a westside woman shot at her estranged husband with a .22 caliber pistol after he threw bricks through three windows and the door of her mobile home Tuesday night. No one was injured.

In another shooting incident, Rodney Ferrell, 301 E. 19th, reported that someone fired a .22 caliber bullet through the rear window of his pickup. The shot was thought to have been fired around 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, causing \$150 worth of damage to the truck.

Ronald L. Martin, 1503 E. 3rd, reported that vandals sliced the right rear tire of his car while it was parked at Denny's Drive-in around 1:10 a.m. Tuesday. Damage was estimated at \$65.

A two-car collision four miles south on U.S. 87 sent two Forsan women to Malone-Hogan Hospital Tuesday. Mary Milson and Louise Kidd were treated and released following the 10 p.m. crash. Larry Yarbrough of Alamogordo, N.M., the driver of the other car, was unhurt.

Three mishaps were also reported Tuesday. Cars driven by Cheryl Crites, 2904 Stonehaven, and Linda Lester, 1801 Donley, collided on the 400 block of the south service road of FM 700, 1:52 p.m.

Cars driven by Faye E. Walker, Route 1, and Matias S. Leos, 3403 Airport, collided at Third and Johnson, 8:28 a.m.

A parked car driven by

Debra Reed, 1012 Baylor, was struck by a hit-and-run driver at 905 Johnson, 10:20 a.m.

Farm Cotton looks good

Even the lowest estimate for this year's cotton crop exceeds last year's yield, according to Bruce Griffith, Howard County agent.

"The cotton looks real good. It will depend on whether we get some more moisture in the next 10 days or two weeks, but we could have a whale of a crop," said Griffith.

The county agent explained that 89,000 acres had been planted in Howard County, and the low estimated yield would total 79,000 bales of cotton. Last year's crop brought in 77,000 bales.

"But with some rain and no inclement weather, we may come out with 100,000 bales," said Griffith.

A better crop this year may be due to fewer losses to insects and hail damage, according to the agent. Losses to the boll weevil and the boll worm were cut by "dry weather at the right time."

Wet weather, occurring while the cotton is green and lush, encourages the spread of the destructive insects, explained Griffith.

Marie Reynolds of Los Angeles, Calif., Edna Pearl Johnson of Sherman Oaks, Calif., Betty Mae Cline and Mary E. Thorpe, both of Big Spring, Lila Fae Sanford of Midland and Beatrice Quillin of Placentia, Calif.; four sons, James Richard Hill of Selma, Calif., Roy Lee Hill and William Arthur Hill, both of Midland, and Johnnie Hill of San Diego, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. W. C. Browning of Gorman; a brother, George Brasher of Eastland; 25 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Survivors include four sons, Paul Davis, Webb AFB, Big Spring, Malcolm Davis and Clayton Davis Jr., both of Ballinger, and Milton Davis, Sonora; two daughters, Mrs. Walter (Doris Jean) Cadenhead, Fort Worth, and Mrs. Linda Peterson, Abilene; three brothers, Top Davis, Kermit, Donald Davis, Traver, Cal., and Alva Davis, San Angelo, and ten grandchildren.

T. Donaldson COLLEGE STATION — Thurman Donaldson, 70, died in a hospital here Tuesday after a year-long illness.

Services will be held Friday at 10 a.m. in College Station.

Mr. Donaldson was born April 15, 1906, in Cameron, Tex., and married Pansey Richard in that city in 1936. He was a retired glass-cutter and a member of the Baptist church.

Survivors include one daughter, Doris Ruth Rutherford, New Orleans, La., two brothers, John Donaldson and Andrew Donaldson, both of Waco;

two sisters, Mrs. Charles McCarley, Big Spring, and Mrs. Shelma Barrett, San Angelo; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Congress cuts red tape

Swine flu shots are on the way

WASHINGTON (AP) — Roll up your sleeves, the flu shots are coming.

Congress passed a swine flu insurance program Tuesday, ending a stalemate that had threatened to leave the vaccine sitting on manufacturers' shelves. Health officials now say swine flu inoculations will be available starting next month.

Brushing aside usual procedural niceties, the House and Senate both voted Tuesday to get the program moving in the wake of some concern over a mysterious disease that has killed 27 persons in Pennsylvania. That disease has not been linked to flu.

Saying an outbreak of swine flu "could mean the death of millions of people," President Ford had urged passage of the insurance bill in telephone calls made Tuesday morning to congressional leaders.

Ford is certain to sign the measure. The first shots next month will go to the elderly and chronically ill. The rest of the nation is expected to

start getting the free shots by about mid-October, officials said.

Four drug firms already have processed 120 million doses of vaccine but refused to sell any to the government until securing protection against lawsuits by users who might suffer adverse effects.

Government intervention in the liability protection facet of the program became

necessary after private insurers refused to provide coverage to vaccine producers. Insurers claimed billions of dollars worth of claims might be filed if problems arose from what would be the biggest mass inoculation program in U.S. history.

Under the legislation, passed on unanimous voice vote by the Senate, and on a 250 to 83 vote by the House,

the government would pay the legal defense bill against any lawsuits brought by vaccine users.

If a complainant proved negligence against a drug firm or volunteer medical personnel administering the shot the government could sue to collect from the private insurer for the drug firm or practitioner.

But the government is going to wind up paying the

manufacturers' insurance premiums for even this limited coverage. After drug and firms negotiate a price, that amount will be added to the price drug firms are charging the government for the vaccine.

But the legislation prohibits manufacturers from making any outright profits on the swine flu vaccine.



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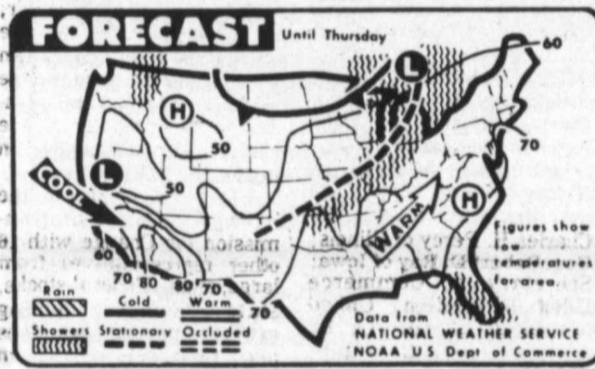
SHARING A SECRET — Mary Shippen, 5, the Central Illinois Muscular Dystrophy Poster Child, shares a secret with Illinois Gov. Daniel Walker Tuesday in Springfield as they wait to tape an announcement of the upcoming September 5 Jerry Lewis Muscular Dystrophy Telethon. The governor asked Mary the ages of her four sisters, but Mary was too shy to answer in front of the studio crew, and she shifted into a traditional political way of talking-behind cupped hands.

Weather—

CITY	TEMPERATURES	MIN	MAX
BIG SPRING	68	97
Amarillo	72	92
Chicago	69	84
Denver	54	86
Detroit	64	86
Fort Worth	68	98
Houston	60	98
Los Angeles	61	80
Miami	79	86
New Orleans	64	90
Richmond	60	87
St. Louis	71	90
San Francisco	53	65
Seattle	56	78
Washington, D.C.	66	84

Sun sets today at 7:34 p.m. Sun rises Thursday at 6:08 a.m. Highest temperature this date 107 in 1952. Lowest 60 in 1974. Most precipitation .95 in 1920.

EXTENDED FORECAST
WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy with warm afternoons and mild nights through Sunday. Widely scattered thunderstorms northwest Friday. Lows mid 40s north to lower 70s south. Highs near 90 north to near 100 extreme south.



WEATHER FORECAST — Seasonably warm weather is forecast today for most of the nation. Cooler weather is expected for the southern Rockies. Showers are forecast for the northern Rockies, most of Florida and from Oklahoma to the Great Lakes.

Truck driver, money gone

LAWTON, Okla. (AP) — Authorities searched today for the driver of a blood-stained beer delivery truck found abandoned in a wooded rural area northeast of here Tuesday.

The Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation was conducting tests with the blood samples found on the driver's seat and on the roadway outside the door of the vehicle.

The driver, Raymond C. Haney, 21, of Rush Springs, was believed to be carrying about \$1,000 in cash, police said.

Military—

Webb graduated Iranian pilots

Graduation ceremonies for Security Assistance Training Program Class 76-10 were held in the base Chapel Friday night.

Thirteen Iranian fliers were honored during the ceremony, with Air Cadet (ACT) Naser Ansari capturing the Air Training Command (ATC) Commander's Trophy. He also received the Flying Training Award.

Others honored included AC Seid Ali Khazarian, who received the Academic Training Award, and AC Gholamreza Goljamali, who was presented the Outstanding Graduate Award.

The list of graduates included 2nd Lt. Reza Inanloo and ACs Ahmad Khalkhali, Nasrolah Khazepour, Sholrollah Zebardast, Rahbar Ahmad, Hossin Mohammadzadeh, Assiollah Jafari, Davood Moghadami Rawasani, Ebrahim Ghorbani, and Asghar Bagheri.

Guest speaker for the graduation was Col. Richard Hickenbottom, chief of

Foreign Military Affairs, a special staff activity of ATC Headquarters. Colonel Hickenbottom graduated from Webb in the early 1950's and was an instructor pilot and flight commander here from 1957-61.

Following the graduation members of Class 76-10 were honored with a reception at the Officers' Open Mess. Also honored were members of Class 77-05 and Phase III of Class 77-03.

Big Springer promoted

Jimmy L. Grizzard, son of Mrs. Juanita E. Grizzard, 603 W. 18th, Big Spring, recently was promoted to Army sergeant at Ft. Hood, Tex., where he is serving with the 2nd Armored Division.

The 23-year-old soldier is a 1971 graduate of Big Spring High School and attended Howard College.

His father, James E. Grizzard, lives at 1507 E. Fifth.

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Nancy Dickerson is elected to HCA board of directors

Nancy Dickerson, well-known news correspondent and television personality, has been elected to the board of directors of Hospital Corporation of America, it has been announced.

HCA owns and operates the Malone-Hogan Hospital, Inc. of Big Spring.

Chairman John A. Hill and President Jack C. Massey announced the board action following a regular meeting.

Mrs. Dickerson became the first female member of the HCA board.

"We are very pleased that she has agreed to accept a position on our board," Massey said, "with her experience in mass communications and her comprehensive knowledge of the federal government, she will make a valuable contribution to our company."

Mrs. Dickerson is a noted network news commentator and producer who currently writes, produces and moderates a variety of nationally syndicated television specials. She is also an author and has just finished a book entitled "Among Those Present," to be published by Random House in October.

The recipient of many

awards for journalistic achievement, Mrs. Dickerson has been named "Woman of the Year" by Radio-TV Daily, selected as one of the "100 Women of Achievement" by Harper's Bazaar, and was the only woman among America's top 10 reporters chosen by "Variety."

Mrs. Dickerson was associated with CBS from 1956 to 1963 as a producer of news and special events programs and later as the network's first woman news correspondent and first woman on television to report from the floor of a national convention. In 1963 she moved to NBC where she was the only woman to have a daily network news show. She has also served as a news commentator for the Newsweek Broadcasting service.

During her years as a news correspondent, Mrs. Dickerson reported the inaugurations of Presidents Kennedy, Johnson and Nixon, and was granted their first interview by Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Nixon. She was the first reporter with the news that President Johnson would choose Hubert Humphrey as his

running mate, was the first with the news that HEW Secretary Robert Finch would ban cyclamates, and predicted Treasury Secretary John Connally's resignation five months before it happened.

A native of Wauwatosa, Wis., Mrs. Dickerson attended Clarke College in Dubuque, Iowa and was graduated from the University of Wisconsin. She did post graduate work at Harvard University.

HCA is a hospital management company currently operating 78 facilities with more than 12,000 beds in 19 states and two foreign countries. The company's common stock is listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

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Critics are poorly informed

One of the things that can be heard on the streets is the opinion that Big Spring is not working on industrial development.

This opinion usually is expressed by someone who doesn't even belong to the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce and who is quite uninformed.

WHILE THERE may have been times in Big Spring's history when the city wasn't as aggressive toward attracting new industry as it should have been, this is not one of those periods.

The community is making a strong effort to bring new jobs and payrolls to this area, but it is not easy.

Heading the chamber's Industrial Team is attorney Roger Brown. Brown is putting in many hours and days apart from his own business for Big Spring's industrial effort.

He and the other members of the team are giving us their time and effort. Devoting as much time as Brown does to attracting industry costs him personally for his time is his profession. Any benefit that comes to him is only in the broad sense that what is good for Big Spring as a whole is also good for his firm.



ROGER BROWN

I've never seen a community that was trying harder than Big Spring is right now. Members of the Industrial Team are gone one or two days every week talking to prospects and working

on governmental agencies.

You may not know this because the Herald doesn't write about their activities on a blow-by-blow basis. This is because industrial development is one of the most competitive areas of American society today.

A firm which could really help our town might be lost if the newspaper published its name prematurely. Other towns are eternally looking for names of firms to contact and make offers.

Every major town in Texas has an industrial effort. Some towns have much to offer a prospective firm; some have little. But everybody is competing; everyone is looking for a name to steal from the next town.

FOR THIS REASON you won't read much about what Brown and his team are doing in the Herald. We won't say that they've gone here or there, that they've prepared a 20-page report for this client or that one, that they've hosted this prospect or that one.

But let me assure you that these efforts are being made. Perhaps within a few months, the long work will pay off, and the Chamber of Commerce will be ready to announce

a major break for Big Spring. Then the full story can be told.

Some other aspects of the Big Spring effort may be popping up in the news. For example, Brown is considering an organization which would support the industrial effort in a manner similar to the way the Century Club supports Webb Air Force Base.

Brown also has appeared before Howard County Commissioners Court to ask that the voters be given the opportunity to approve the county's financial participation in the industrial effort.

HOWEVER, THE real nitty-gritty of the industrial effort must, because of its nature and because of the community interest, be played down until either success or failure is determined.

Most citizens in Big Spring recognize that our community must diversify its economic base. This is true regardless of the fate of Webb AFB.

A very strong attempt to do this is being made, and it is gathering more momentum with each day.

—J. TOM GRAHAM



Why not here?

Around the rim

Candy Smith

Nothing ever happens in Big Spring. It all happens somewhere else.

Hurricanes swirl their ever-burgeoning currents upward from North Carolina to New Hampshire at a gusting 110 miles per hour, leaving in their wake destruction and flooding.

Nude bathers, headed by the Free the Beach Committee in Massachusetts protest a ban against nude bathers, saying, "We believe in nudity, but we also believe in sanity."

SEX-FOR-SALE peddlers advertise their capacities on the streets of Dallas to the dismay of the harassed police force who can do nothing about it due to a new law requiring that the arresting officer overhear both the price and sex act involved in order to make a charge.

Male prostitutes vie with the females for space along the same city streets, dragging residential areas and adding the problems of gays to the already existing trouble with the traditional prostitutes.

Mafia-type mobs fight it out in Miami with the accompanying characteristic gangland killings of big-name bosses.

Floods in Colorado are killing hundreds and the death toll has not yet ceased to rise.

Millionaires in Fort Worth shoot their wives, their wife's boyfriend, their wife's daughter, in fact anyone that happens to be around the \$6 million "dream house" in Fort Worth.

Young men in Chowchilla kidnap a busload of children without any apparent motive and without even succeeding in detaining them.

Two other kidnapers go on trial in California, William and Emily Harris, before the furor of the Patty Hearst trial has died down.

EARTHQUAKES RACK the cities of China, demolishing an entire city and ruining whole areas of others.

In Pennsylvania, home of the Harrisburg Seven trial, the mystery disease death count mounts to 27 without giving so much as an inkling as to what the disease might be.

Wars rage in Lebanon, wars rage in Angola, wars rage in Ireland.

And what happens here? Well, a car was shot yesterday and wounded in its windshield. Thugs poured an unknown substance in an engine and the smell made its driver ill. A would-be burglar tried to hot-wire a car and burned up the coil. A one-month-old black calf was stolen lately.

But nothing really exciting ever happens here.



A hard sell

Evans, Novak

WASHINGTON — President Ford has quietly changed from impartial arbiter of arms control disagreements within his administration to forceful advocate of the State Department's latest SALT option, which hard-liners claim flirts with disaster for the U.S. and the West.

ASSUMING MR. FORD'S nomination and subsequent freedom from Ronald Reagan's restraining influence, he is expected to press hard for another strategic arms limitation (SALT) treaty with the Soviet Union before the Nov. 2 election. What's more, it is now clear that Mr. Ford is prepared to buy that treaty at high cost: sacrificing U.S. cruise missiles while the Soviets keep their new Backfire bomber.

The last line of resistance is held by Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld and the Joint Chiefs of Staff. In recent top secret meetings, they have been unusually tough and plucky in standing up to the President and Secretary of State Henry Kissinger. But Mr. Ford seems so determined to have a SALT II agreement this fall that there is little optimism the Pentagon will prevail.

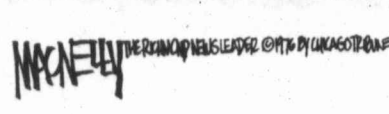
A SALT II treaty has been prevented for 18 months by two new weapons systems considered to be in the gray area of strategic weapons: the Soviets have the Backfire bomber; the U.S. has miniature-motored cruise missiles, which can be launched from planes or ships and which Moscow cannot duplicate today. The question: shall they be included in the limit of 2,400 offensive delivery vehicles each for the U.S. and the Soviet Union agreed to by Mr. Ford and Secretary Leonid Brezhnev at Vladivostok in 1974?

Several options were before the National Security Council (NSC) July 30 when it considered arms control for the last time before the Kansas City convention. But the option generating attention is Dr. Kissinger's latest proposal, regarded by many experts as certain to win Soviet assent.

IT WOULD LIMIT cruise missiles by counting them under the strategic ceiling, delivering a fatal blow to the weapons system the Pentagon considers vital for conventional warfare. But the Kremlin would be permitted to go ahead producing (under a meaningless special ceiling) Backfire bombers, air refuelable and possessing obvious strategic potential.

In return, the Soviet Union would be forced to make this supposed concession: a reduction in the 2,400 strategic vehicles ceiling — perhaps by 100, perhaps 200, perhaps even more. The argument for the Kissinger option boils down to this: if Moscow is really prepared to reduce its overall nuclear war-making ability, why quibble over a few gray-area weapons?

To make this argument, it is necessary to prove that the Backfire is not and could not become a strategic weapon. Accordingly, Kissinger's position is strengthened by a top secret study of the Backfire, performed by McDonnell-Douglas Corp. under contract to the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), showing a Backfire one-way range of only 3,400 miles.



J. Tom Graham



Athletic girls prone to knee problems

Dr. G. C. Thosteson

Dear Dr. Thosteson: My daughter, now 17, became very active in gymnastics when she started the sixth grade and kept this up until she left the 8th grade. About this time her knees became very painful and the doctor said she had chondromalacia.

Each year she goes back for a checkup and X rays. There has been no improvement. She is in excellent health otherwise. Could her overdoing gymnastics at an early age have contributed to the condition? She used to work out three or four hours a day.

It could have. The condition refers to a softening of the cartilage, the tough elastic-like substance attached to the bone. In your daughter's case this occurred at the knee, one of the most heavily-used joints in the body. An injury or overstraining of the joint can cause it. It is not uncommon and is seen quite often in young girls. In older persons, striking the knee on the dashboard of a car in accidents is a common cause.

The condition usually can be treated with rest of the joint and with supervised special exercises to strengthen the knee. This is effective in cases of direct injury. In some cases, as apparently in your daughter's, the injury can be more gradual. She should be examined by an orthopedist to see if surgery to remove troublesome cartilage is needed. The symptoms should not have lasted this long. A prolonged rest of the joint may be necessary.

One of the early symptoms of the problem is pain when descending stairs. Of course, as with most joint problems, it is well also to rule out other causes such as arthritis. In that more than one joint is involved.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Is it customary

for one with a hearing problem to have certain noises in the head? I have been hard of hearing in my left ear for quite a few years and have a nerve deafness in my right one. I have had hearing aids, but found them uncomfortable and not of much use.

I have this funny noise all the time, but it seems worse when I am trying to sleep. Could it be hardening of the arteries? I am 76 and had a stroke about five years ago. — L.B.

Noises of various kinds, from buzzing and ringing to musical tones, are common with the problems you have. High blood pressure, which can accompany hardening of the arteries, is a common cause.

But perfectly healthy people can have ear noises. In one experiment among healthy adults who were placed in a noise-free room, 94 per cent had some degree of ear noise. So your bedtime noises are not unusual.

Many medications can cause ear noises — alcohol, tobacco, caffeine, some of the antibiotics, quinine and others. Wax in the ears can be a cause.

Except in severe ear infection, the only way the ears can signal that something is wrong is through such noises.

Hearing aids would not be very effective in loss caused by nerve

damage. They should help the other ear, where I assume the loss is from some other cause. Tests might be needed to see just how much a hearing aid should be able to help. Ask an ear specialist to recommend a reliable hearing-aid man.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Will you please write some information in your column on the effects of smoking by pregnant women on their babies? — C.R.

Okay. Women who smoke tend to have smaller babies than women who don't smoke — all other things being equal.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Would it be harmful or beneficial to drink the juice of half a lemon in a glass of water daily before breakfast for a person being treated for prostate infection? — M.L.L.

It would have no effect on the prostate infection.

Are you bothered with ringing in the ears? If so, write to Dr. Thosteson, in care of the Big Spring Herald, for his booklet, "Ear Noises — Their Causes and Cures." Enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 25 cents.

Dr. Thosteson welcomes reader mail but regrets that, due to the tremendous volume received daily, he is unable to answer individual letters. Readers' questions are incorporated in his column whenever possible.



Billy Graham

My answer

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: Do you believe the Bible presents actual truth or is it a medley of fact and fiction written at a time when man's knowledge was considerably less than at present? — H.G.

DEAR H. G.: I believe the Bible gives us actual truth about God. As the 1974 Lausanne Covenant stated, the Bible is "the only written word of God, without error in all that it affirms, and the only infallible rule of faith and practice."

The reason I believe this is that I am convinced that the Bible is not merely the product of human writers. If it were, we would expect it to be inaccurate and incomplete, thus no firm knowledge of God. It would only be the speculations of men. But the Bible has God as its ultimate author. Yes, God

used men to write it, but they wrote under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. "Above all, you must understand that no prophecy of Scripture came about by the prophet's own interpretation. For prophecy never had its origin in the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit" (II Peter 1:20, 21 New International Version).

The Bible's divine origin is seen in many ways. For example, there are the hundreds of fulfilled prophecies that mark its pages. I think it is especially important to remember Jesus' attitude toward the Scripture. Time and time again He quoted it as God's Word, and He showed by His life and speech that He had a deep reverence for the Bible. If we believe in Him as our Lord and Saviour, we should seek to have His same love for the Word of God, the Bible.



Evaporating pool

Jack Anderson, Les Whitten

WASHINGTON — Barring unforeseen improvements, the Soviet Union is heading for a manpower crisis, which may force the Kremlin to relax its communist discipline and offer the workers more capitalistic incentives.

This is the conclusion of America's top Soviet manpower expert, Dr. Murray Feshbach, who has just completed one of the most important demographic studies ever done on the Soviet Union.

ACCORDING TO Dr. Feshbach's calculations, Russia can expect a critical manpower shortage by 1983. There is statistical irony in the year. It comes the year before "1984," the time and title of George Orwell's famous satire. Orwell described a Stalinesque police state, whose citizens couldn't make a move without government sanction.

But if Dr. Feshbach's confidential study is correct, the Russian people may be able to loosen the Orwellian grip and gain more freedom in 1983. This is what it may take to overcome the manpower shortage and stimulate productivity.

Dr. Feshbach has based his conclusions on a painstaking study of Soviet census figures and other obscure documents. The study was commissioned by the Joint Congressional Economic Committee, which will make it public in late September. It was co-authored by Dr. Feshbach and Steven Rapawy.

The Soviet population trends indicate that the population is aging and that there aren't enough young people to pick up the work tools. The European Russians, who have produced most of the skilled workers in the past, are also falling behind the Central Asian minorities in population growth.

The minority races, according to Feshbach, also resist leaving home to work in distant factories and fields. Nor do they want to go to the Chinese border to build up the population for a confrontation with the Chinese.

The 4.5 million-man Soviet army draws off the youth, who need to be trained to fill the middle-level jobs. The housing shortage, with husbands and wives cooped in tiny apartments, has also discouraged women from having babies.

To maintain an adequate work force, each family must produce at least 2.2 children. Soviet families have dropped below this figure in some parts of European Russia.

MANY RUSSIAN women, accustomed to working, don't want more children. Even the "pronatal" steps now being taken won't produce working-aged children until well into the 1990s.

The manpower crunch will probably hit the farms first, where productivity already has fallen so low that the Soviets must import food to feed the 256 million population.

In short, the Soviet Union won't have the mass workers needed to meet production demands, and a reverse "1984" may hit the country by 1983.

BISHOP'S CHALLENGE: In dictatorships around the world, the clergy have defended the downtrodden and the persecuted. Catholic priests and Protestant ministers alike have risked their lives to bring us evidence of torture in such countries as Brazil, Chile, Cuba, India and Iran.

Now many of the 81 Catholic bishops in the Philippines, meeting secretly, have drafted a manifesto condemning the suppression of human rights by President Ferdinand Marcos. A copy has been smuggled to us.

Marcos and his wife, Imelda, have courted the Roman Catholic Church, which has a religious hold on 83 per cent of the Philippines' 40 million people. The Marcoses have had some success in placating the conservative Cardinal Jaime Sin.

But now most of his bishops have

taken a courageous stand against the abuses they have witnessed. They have denounced the heavy superstructure of secret police, informers and corrupt generals, which Marcos has imposed upon the country.

HE HAS CENTRALIZED political power and put "the whole nation under the control of one man," the bishops declare. Yet the official corruption he promised to eradicate "goes on unabated." It is accompanied, they say by "violence and terrorizing, too, since the military are the only people licensed to carry arms."

The bishops tell of torture in Marcos' stockades. Political suspects have "practically no rights," the manifesto alleges, "(and) arbitrary arrests are matched by arbitrary detentions." Prisoners are held for months without charges.

The press is "sycophantic" and the populace is docile, the bishops report. "We are fast becoming a nation of sheep," they lament.

The manifesto also alleges that "camps for youths, 18 years and under, have been started" in three cities. Others reportedly are in the planning stage. "The regimen in those camps," say the bishops is "reminiscent of Hitler's Youth Movement of the '30s and the Red Guards of China."

The prelates describe "systematic indoctrination" in the camps, "bordering on brainwashing and leading to an undisguised personality cult of President Marcos."

The stirring manifesto, completed on the Philippines' Independence Day, June 12, is divided into 37 sections dealing with every facet of Philippine life: family, youth, laborers, farmers, political prisoners, students, even aliens and squatters.

The churchmen charge that labor leaders, for example, "languish in jail to be released only at the pleasure of the government for as long as the 'State of Emergency' lasts." The right of strike has also been suppressed "in flagrant violation" of free labor principles.

The bishops call for discussions "in a peaceful and orderly way." But they urge in ringing language: "Let the people be heard. Let the people decide."

Road revival

WASHINGTON, D.C. (AP) — Time and usage take their toll on roads, just like people. But unlike humans, roads can be renewed indefinitely.

Based on an average life expectancy of 22 years for new pavement, one-fourth of the nation's 3.8 million miles of roads have reached "middle age" and need rejuvenation, says The Road Information Program (TRIP).

These 938,305 miles are 15 years old or more and should be resurfaced to insure longevity and safe, smooth driving. Failure to resurface means they will eventually have to be completely rebuilt at 4 1/2 times the cost of repavings, says TRIP.

Animal shelter

MARYSVILLE, Calif. (AP) — Florence Miller is a one-woman animal shelter.

The 63-year-old widow takes care of as many as 3,000 stray dogs a year in her county-licensed kennel which costs her \$1,000 a month to operate.

"I never know where my money's coming from, but I've never gone broke. Something always comes along just in the nick of time. All I can count on is my Social Security, \$90 a month," she said.

She said the rest of her money comes mostly from donations from people who leave dogs with her or who have gotten pets from her.

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"I may disagree with what you have to say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire

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BELLE LAUNCHED—Three young fellows in Elmsford cruise on a fuel storage tank on floodwaters remaining Tuesday as the Saw Mill River, swollen by Hurricane Belle, overflowed its banks. The crew consists of Anthony McAdams, Tigh Kennedy and Kevin Burnett, front to rear. Belle, now downscaled to a tropical storm, left her mark on parts of New Jersey, Connecticut and New York white billed as a hurricane.

Press wants no strings space in state capitol

By SCOTT CARPENTER
Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau
The State House is getting ready to ask Atty. Gen. John Hill to answer a tough political question — can the House or Senate rent office space to a chain of newspapers — or must it, as it has in the past, either give the space free or have the newspaper office away from the Capitol.

We're the problem. The Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau requested that it be allowed to rent the space that others get free because we see a built-in conflict of interest in taking something for nothing from those that are to be watched.

Example: A recent story in another newspaper attacked members of the legislature for taking free lunches from those they have to deal with — the lobbyists. The story was written in an office provided free by those persons the reporter had to deal with — the legislators. The writer of the article parked his car in a space he pays \$3 a year for, when other state employees in the Capitol pay \$3 per month each for less desirable spaces.

Those preparing the official report for an attorney general's opinion think they know what the answer will be based on abstract court cases about contract companies operating in county courthouses. They feel they can't take rent. That would

be a recognition that a private company had the right to use public property. They also feel they'll be barred from granting "exclusive use" of space in the Capitol. That would mean they could set up a press work area, but the doors couldn't have locks that would keep other members of the public out, as they now do.

Other freebies aren't limited to elected officials either. Both those elected and Capitol reporters regularly get free lunches and booze and free football tickets to state university ball games.

Elected officials got free movie passes and passes for use of state parks. Members of the press this past Christmas got a five-pound Cheddar Cheese, two bottles of their favorite whiskey, a case of beer and a package of Wick Fowler 2-Alarm Chili. Legislators presumably get

the same or more.

The Railroad Commission is circulating a little booklet called "Your Railroad Commission. How It Serves Texas" which attempts to tell Texans their natural gas prices went up because of Arabs, overzealous Federal regulation and the failure of the Federal government to have a national energy policy. It apparently forgets the Lo-Vaca Gathering Co., its president Oscar Wyatt and the overpriced natural gas at the wellhead due to the need of Lo-Vaca to make massive quick purchases.

The booklet has been sent to the press, the legislators and high school and college libraries. Demand apparently hasn't poured in. The RRC's Office of Information Services followed the release of the booklet with a press release announcing it has plenty of copies if anyone wants one.

School exemption policy eyed

COLORADO CITY — A petition seeking a review of the school exemption policy was submitted to the Colorado Independent School District board of trustees here Monday evening during the board's regular meeting.

Mrs. Tom Neff, a Colorado City housewife, presented the petition which asks the board to set a policy of "no exemptions from final exams with the possible exemption of third semester seniors with a 90-grade average."

Under the current policy, Colorado City students are exempt from final exams on a combination of attendance

and grade factors. Mrs. Neff, accompanied by five other persons, also presented the board with results of a survey of area schools indicating their policies on exemptions.

Mac Morris, vice chairman of the board, expressed his appreciation to the group for its interest in the matter and assured Mrs. Neff of the board's close attention to the study and petition.

In other action, the board confirmed the appointments of five new teachers to fill out the full complement of 110 teachers and principals in the Colorado Independent School District.

Jay Craddock, school secretary, recommended setting prices for school cafeteria lunches from 65 cents to 75 cents. Reduced price meals for those in certain income brackets will cost 20 cents for lunch; in still lower income brackets, lunch and breakfast will be free.

The federal government contributes to meals at all levels, but does not pay the full cost of the meal in any bracket, Craddock said.

He said last year 600 students ate free meals, 85 paid reduced prices and about 550 paid full prices.

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Dear Abby

Child deserves more than child mother

DEAR ABBY: My 14-year-old stepdaughter became pregnant five months ago. (She was actually only 13 then.) She is very immature, but insists that she wants to keep her baby. My wife and I managed to get her into a good "home" close to where we live, and she seems to be maturing some, but not nearly enough to raise a child. Her 16-year-old boyfriend has completely dropped out of the picture.

We've considered keeping the baby and adopting it, but we have five other children, my wife isn't well and I can't see our taking on this added responsibility.

I have a medium income, but money isn't the biggest problem. We're more concerned about the future of our daughter and her unborn child. It seems unfair for the child to be raised by an unwed mother who isn't even through the eighth grade.

Please tell us what you would do.

HEAVY-HEARTED DAD

DEAR DAD: I would choose the alternative that would be best for the baby. Every child deserves to be wanted instead of accidentally conceived and raised by a mother who herself is still a child.

For you to adopt a baby you don't really want would be unfair to you and the child. Your daughter needs to grow up before assuming the responsibilities of motherhood.

Thousands of couples are waiting to give that baby every advantage in life. I vote for adoption.

DEAR ABBY: I'm tired of the ignorance of those who insist that the word "man" applies only to males. My dictionary has several definitions of which the first two are:

MAN: (1) A human being; person, whether male or female. (2) The human race; mankind.

So why don't we stop all this asinine changing of words, such as "mankind" to "personkind," and "chairman" to "chairperson"?

And what about the word "woman"? It has "man" in it, too.

FRANK M. IN BEVERLY HILLS

DEAR FRANK: I'm willing. I think the most asinine of all is calling a manhole a "personhole."

DEAR ABBY: Concerning FOREVER SORRY, whose mother never let her forget that she (the daughter) "disgraced" the family because she had been a pregnant bride: Although fortunately I was never in that situation, I, too, was the victim of such "holier than thou" preachings.

However, in tracing our family history, I discovered that my extremely pious grandmother gave birth to her first child six months after her marriage!

This was documented by her marriage certificate and the child's birth certificate. The problem was neatly solved by changing the "birthday" of the child to a more "proper" date.

Sign me...

LAST LAUGH

Turkey plentiful now

COLLEGE STATION — Turkey supplies are plentiful with periodic special price features in Texas grocery stores, making this a good choice for variety in summer meals, Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt, says.

"Fewer red meat specials exist and those available are scattered. Generally, featured items are chuck roasts and steaks, round, sirloin and T-bone steaks.

"A few markets are

highlighting corned beef and beef liver for lower cost-per-serving budget menus," she added.

Mrs. Clyatt is consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

At vegetable counters, cabbage, carrots, corn, cucumbers, dry onions and soft shell squash continue to have reasonable prices. Moderate price tags are on purple hull and cream peas, okra, broccoli and eggplant.

"Watermelons are offered at attractive prices in some stores. The popular Pecos cantaloupes are available at moderate prices — quality is good."

Other fruits in season now are peaches, nectarines, cherries, grapes, plums and pears. Also worthy of consideration are bananas and oranges.

German born resident 'too Americanized' now

"I like to get out of the house, make friends and visit," says Mrs. Francis Loftis, wife of retired Air Force staff sergeant William Loftis.

It is perhaps in part her outgoing personality that helped Mrs. Loftis adjust to living in America. She was born in Germany, and raised during World War II in the Munich area.

Loftis is originally from Tennessee, and was stationed in Germany, where the couple met. Mrs. Loftis worked in the snack bar at the American base. The couple met at a party set up by friends. Mrs. Loftis remembers that she really didn't want to go to the party, but is now glad she did.

Loftis didn't speak much German, and Mrs. Loftis didn't speak much English, but they understood each other, said Mrs. Loftis. The couple later married, and moved to the states on Dec. 24, 1948.

The Loftis' were first stationed in Selma, Ala. "That's where I learned my English," said Mrs. Loftis. She said that people teased her about her Alabama accent when the family moved to Wichita, Kan. Mrs. Loftis became an American citizen here in 1954.

Mrs. Loftis "learned English the hard way." She remembers buying groceries by the pictures on the cans and packages. A long running joke with the family centers on the fact that Mrs. Loftis bought a can of what she thought was fruit cocktail, and what later turned out to be mixed vegetables. She said her husband often teases her about the incident.

Mrs. Loftis has made a busy life for herself in Big Spring. The couple has seven children, several of whom are still living at home.

The couple's oldest daughter is Sylvia McDowell, who is now living in Germany. Other children are Ellen Austin, New Jersey; Bill Loftis, Big Spring; Dean Loftis, Maine; and Corinne, Angie, and Gina, all living at home.

Sylvia McDowell and her husband are in Germany with the Army. The couple is looking for Mrs. Loftis' mother, whom she has not seen since 1938. Mrs. Loftis' father has died, but she still keeps in touch with her stepmother and stepister in Steinebach, a suburb of Munich.

Mrs. Loftis attends Howard College, and is working toward a degree in business. She is taking a few courses at a time, and began in 1974.

"I really enjoy going to school," said Mrs. Loftis. "I was self-conscious when I started, because I felt so out of place." Mrs. Loftis said that she now finds college very interesting. She said that her family has been encouraging her to attend.

Mrs. Loftis is also the president of the International Women's Club, an organization in Big Spring for foreign born women.

Mrs. Loftis said that the club is designed to help women feel more at home in Big Spring, and to make them feel they have friends here. "It's hard to adjust when you are a long way from home," said Mrs. Loftis. Other officers in the International Women's club are Mrs. Heide Garrison, vice president; Mrs. Johanna

Gilbert, treasurer; Mrs. Friedel Bowers, telephone committee chairman; and Mrs. Gudrun Burton, publicity. Mrs. Loftis urged foreign-born women interested in the club to contact one of the officers.

Mrs. Loftis is also a past noble grand of a Rebekah lodge, and a member of the LAMP's. The family belongs to the Trinity Baptist Church.

Mrs. Loftis said that her only problem with language now is German, because she never has an opportunity to speak it. She said that she occasionally misses the trees and flowers of Germany, and also German food, but does not prepare it at home, because her husband does not like it.

"I like to go to Germany to visit," said Mrs. Loftis, "but not to live. I've become too Americanized."

The Loftis family was also stationed in France while he was in the Air Force, but came back to Big Spring "because we like it." The family plans to stay here, said Mrs. Loftis.

Guests in home

Guests in the home of Lady Jane Gray are her brother's family, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Gray of Evans, Georgia.

WTC budget up \$300,000

SNYDER — Trustees of the Scurry County Junior College district have adopted a budget for the 1976-77 school year of approximately \$3,100,000 for Western Texas College and set the college district's tax rate at \$34.4 cents per \$100 valuation.



MRS. FRANCIS LOFTIS

Reunion honors guests

Mr. and Mrs. Loy House from Kerrville, Texas were honored, at a reunion, Aug. 8. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Barnett.

Other out of town guests attending the reunion were Mrs. J.T. Isbell, Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Bryant, Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Boatman, Monahans, Texas.

It was the first time that the group had been together in seven years. There were 26 in attendance.

Big Springer graduates

BEAUMONT — Shella Annette Cuddeback Mann, Big Spring, is among 471 graduates at the 24th annual summer commencement of Lamar University.

The exercise will be held Saturday at 7:30 p.m., at Cardinal Stadium. The record class includes 124 master's degree recipients, 311 bachelor's degree holders and 36 associate degrees. In addition, 19 students will receive certificates of completion.

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Batson, Waters exchange wedding vows during rite

Miss Gayla Jo Batson and Gary M. Waters exchanged wedding vows in a ceremony conducted Friday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Staggs.

Don Long, First Baptist Church, Ackerly, officiated during the ceremony. The couple was married in front of an altar decorated with baskets of white spider mums tied with blue ribbon.

Mrs. Jannette Brown, cousin of the bride, provided music at the organ. The bride wore a white sheer organza gown, which featured a scoop neckline and was trimmed in reembroided lace. The

gown featured shepherdess sleeves. The long skirt was dotted with lace and hung full to the back, forming a chapel-length train.

The bride carried a nosegay of blue carnations with white gypsophila, baby's breath, ming fern and tied with blue satin streamers.

Miss Kay Archer, Ackerly, was maid of honor. Paul Waters, brother of the groom, was best man.

Flower girl was Miss Janan Staggs. Ring bearer was Brent Staggs. Following a trip to Red River, N.M., the couple will make their home in Meadow.

The bride is a graduate of Sands High School. The groom graduated from Meadow High School.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Gale Batson, Ackerly, and Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Waters Jr., Meadow.

A reception was held honoring the couple following the ceremony in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Staggs. The table was covered with a floor-length white cloth and centered with white daisies and blue candles. Serving at the reception were Jody Batson, sister of the bride, and Janette Brown, cousin of the bride.

Clubhouse Hyperion council

Plans were made by the Hyperion Council for the fall joint meeting of all Big Spring Hyperion Clubs. This year's event will be a coffee at the Big Spring

Country Club on Thursday, Sept. 23, from 10-12 a.m. Representatives from each club met with council officers in the home of Mrs. H.C. Ernsting, Monday, Aug.

9. The 1905 Hyperion Club will be in charge of the program for the coffee, the 1946 club will provide decorations, and the 1953 club will be responsible for the menu.

Officers of the council for 1976-77 include Mrs. Ersting, president, Mrs. Mary Dudley, secretary, and Mrs. Harold Raines, treasurer. Presidents of each of the local clubs serve as council vice presidents. These are: 1905 — Mrs. O.T. Brewster; 1930 — Mrs. R.V. Middleton; 1946 — Mrs. Terry McDaniel; 1948 — Mrs. W.E. Archer; 1953 — Mrs. Don Grantham; 1955 — Mrs. Jerry Snodgrass; and 1970 — Mrs. Dennis Tucker.

Act offered

The American Guidance and Counseling office at Howard College announced that the ACT college guidance tests will be given here in Big Spring 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. August 14 in the Howard College Administration Building, room eight. A fee of \$8.50 will be charged.

Violet club

The Texas Star African Violet Club met in the home of Mrs. Reba Baker August 5 for a social event.

The upcoming flower show was discussed and questions relating to the show were answered. The group then discussed care of African violets, including the best sort of light and temperature for the plants.

Refreshments were served and the meeting adjourned. The next meeting will take place at 7:30 p.m. Sept. 2 in the home of Mrs. G.T. Orenbaum.

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Forgotten Americans have day in court

HARLINGEN, Tex. (AP) — Residents of Rio Rico, called "Forgotten Americans" by their lawyer, went to court here today to begin what may be a long quest for U.S. citizenship.

Rio Rico is a small village south of Mercedes that was originally located north of the Rio Grande until a man-made canal moved the path of the Rio Grande between the United States and Mexico.

Their court session today will be in the form of a hearing at the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service office.

In 1906, an irrigation company built a large pumping station on the Rio Grande. A small canal was cut between two points on the river to facilitate operations at the pumping station.

Eventually, the canal became the Rio Grande's main course, cutting Rio Rico off and leaving it in Mexico on the south side of the river.

Laurie B. McDonald, an Edinburg lawyer who represents the 130 residents of Rio Rico, said that if the river course change had resulted from natural causes, the people of Rio Rico would have been

residents of Mexico. Since the river course change resulted from an artificial cause, McDonald said he believes the residents should be U.S. citizens with all rights and privileges.

"These people should rightfully be American citizens, but by some quirk in the bureaucratic system, they have been forgotten," McDonald said.

If the trial judge rules in their favor today, McDonald predicts it will still be a long legal battle before their citizenship is finally determined.

Citizenship for the residents of Rio Rico may be a topic of conversation at an upcoming meeting between President Ford and President Luis Echeverria of Mexico, McDonald said.

Plan Polar homecoming

The 13th annual Polar Homecoming will be held next Sunday in the Polar barn, with registration scheduled for 10 a.m. A basket lunch will be served at noon.

Ernest Ford is president of the reunion. Vice president is Cecil Randolph and Bessie Randolph secretary.



(AP WIREPHOTO) ELTON JOHN AT THE GARDEN — Elton John sings at the piano as he begins his week-long concert series at New York's Madison Square Garden Tuesday night.

Computer talks Pot crop

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A talking computer is being used by Civil Service here to aid its blind employees.

The experimental program makes it possible for workers to get information from a Honeywell computer in audible as well as printed form. This is accomplished by transmitting

electronic impulses from the computer to a voice synthesizer which constructs words. Past methods for supplying computer information were printouts, video-display and braille for the blind. The six-month test is funded in part by a grant from the U.S. Dept. of Health, Education and Welfare.

Vaccination protection

New Jersey flu rumors flying

When the A-New Jersey (swine) flu struck in 1918, people had little or no warning, no effective vaccines ready and no accurate information on the subject.

In 1976, some inaccurate information has been popping up around the state but otherwise people are a lot better off than in 1918, the Texas Medical Association says. Luckily the rumor that A-New Jersey flu already has hit Texas is false, TMA says. Texas Department of Health Resources officials say if there are any cases they should appear during the regular flu season beginning in November.

People today have access to more accurate medical information but there are still skeptics just as in 1918. A December 1918 TMA journal reports one person called the epidemic "an infectious suggestion" caused by fear. He blamed traitors for causing the problem.

Some skeptics today label the inoculation program as a political ploy or a medical blunder.

State health officials counter these arguments by pointing out that A-New Jersey flu definitely has appeared and the population

has no established immunity to it. Similar situations occurred with the Asian flu epidemic of 1957 and the Hong Kong flu epidemic of 1968. Both these epidemics caused widespread suffering and death (about 70,000 excess fatalities nationwide in the 1957 epidemic) and A-New Jersey flu could be even more vicious. This type of flu epidemic strikes so swiftly and with such force that, unless people are already protected, the epidemic becomes widespread and has done its damage before enough vaccine can be prepared. Fortunately this time there is advance warning of trouble and better knowledge of vaccines.

Of course there may not be an A-New Jersey flu epidemic — although many signs point to it. However, officials have decided to go ahead with an inoculation program rather than risk the public's health and safety.

People in 1918, faced with death and illness on every side, tried many remedies to decrease flu risks. The same TMA journal reports false remedies ranged from salves to amulets. Many patent medicines were advertised as helpful to people, for a price. One

person in Missouri offered "to furnish the remedy for the nominal price of \$4.50 for each patient, or will take a surgeon major's commission and pay."

Other equally worthless ideas were offered for free. People were advised to sprinkle a little sulphur in each shoe every morning to prevent flu and yellow fever. Giving up white bread and other foods or inhaling alcohol and chloroform from cotton also were alleged to be cures.

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He came to Big Spring in 1906 and worked for the Railway Express Company. Six months later, he met and married the daughter of W. C. Colbert, who had been one of the first conductors to Big Spring.

Shick is known primarily as a former postmaster, but he held other jobs earlier. He worked for West Texas National Bank. He also worked for C. J. Cox and sold insurance.

Back in 1931, he began his

carvings. From 1935 to 1942, he was ill for several years and carved totem poles. One of them is in Comanche Trail Park. Another was purchased by Kent Morgan and donated to the Heritage Museum. His first totem pole is still in the backyard of his daughter's, Lillian Dawson, home.

His totem poles were made out of telephone poles and he carved 20 in all. The liberty statue at City Hall was reported to have been obtained, partly due to his persuasion. He is also reported to have been one of the instigators of the mural in the post office, now the county library.

For many years there was always a single rose on the altar at the First Baptist Church. Even when the preacher would be out of town at a revival that single

rose would be there. Nobody knew who sent it, until Nat Shick died. Then the discovery was made.

Among the other items he carved through the years were a giraffe, a bear, a cage with a bird inside it, and a love bench. Some of these items—the giraffe and bear, anyway, were sold at the auction of his home and property after his death in 1973.

He carved his last totem pole in 1972. It was reported by a neighbor youth, Pat Carroll in his essay in the high school booklet, "Glimpses" that he went over to help move the pole for Mr. Shick.

He completed it only a couple weeks before he moved to a rest home.

Mrs. Shick left a lot of friends and memories. He also left a lot of things around town that people enjoy.

There's the totem poles, and his other carvings.

There's the statue in front of the auditorium and there's the Caylor mural in the former post office, now the library.

What will you leave? Nat Shick left not only memories, but lots of things that people can enjoy, look at, and wonder about.

And everybody who wonders about the totem pole is told about Nat Shick. His memories are constantly floating around—out where I'm ridin' fence.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

PIN RECIPIENT — Hulan Harris, (right) Area Supervisor, Texas Education Agency, Big Spring, receives the 25-year tenure pin from the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of Texas from the organization's president, Guy Finstad. The award was presented at the association's annual awards program in recognition of dedicated service rendered vocational agriculture education. The rite was held in Ft. Worth Aug. 3.

Southwest Airlines supported

News exec, Ector judge cite 'bad' air service

Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — A newspaper executive from Corpus Christi and the county judge of Ector County both told a Texas Aeronautics Commission hearing air service to their distant communities isn't sufficient to meet the need.

Allan P. Johnson III, president of the Harte-Hanks Metro Group, said service in and out of Corpus Christi is so poor that he's had to purchase a private airplane to make needed business trips.

Ector County Judge Joe Connally said his commissioners court passed a resolution supporting the application of Southwest Airlines for expanded authority after "the greatest ground swell of support I've seen on any issue since I've been county judge."

torney Jim Wilson said his client wouldn't put on testimony nor exhibits. They feel the Aeronautics Commission has already made up its mind and they'll take their fight to the courthouse once the TAC acts.

Hearing Examiner John Soule told attorneys that he expects final briefs and arguments to be presented to him by Oct. 1. He then will summarize the case, issue a proposed finding and the matter will be submitted to the TAC for action.

Rep. John Hoestenbach of Odessa said a chamber of commerce study showed that 100 to 110 children per month fly from Odessa to Houston to receive treatment for leukemia. "It would certainly be easier on them and their families if the more frequent and less expensive service Southwest proposes were available."



J. KENNETH HUFF



CHARLES T. RAMSEY

Ramsey to replace Huff as president of TPEA

Gov. Dolph Briscoe has designated the week of Aug. 15, through Aug. 21, as "Public Employees' Week" in Texas. This annual affair recognizes the role of over 38,000 the state, county and city employes in performing the vital functions of government.

J. Kenneth Huff is stepping down as president of the Texas Public Employees Association after serving a year in that capacity. In addition to his position as President, Huff has served as treasurer and president-elect since being elected to the board of directors in 1972.

Huff became a state employe in June, 1962, industry for a number of years serving in several capacities as an accountant and finally as chief accountant and office manager of the Reef Corporation of Houston.

He later became a partner in a firm engaged in general insurance and finance and served as secretary-treasurer of the Reeder Loan Company in Big Spring. He presently is director of revenue estimation for Bob Bullock, Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State

of Texas.

Born May 1, 1924 in Whitesboro, Tex., where he attended public schools, Huff is a graduate of the University of Texas with a degree in business administration. He is a World War II and Korean War veteran and is retired from the Naval Reserve as lieutenant commander.

Huff is married and he and his wife, Zelma, are the parents of two children, Cathy Oliphant, 27, and Ken Huff, Jr. 22. The Huffs live in the University Hills area of Austin where they are members of the Windsor Park Baptist Church.

Huff has previously served on the Board of Directors of the TPEA Capitol Chapter No. 2, and served two terms as state chairman of the finance committee of the association.

Charles T. Ramsey, a previous member of the board of directors of the State Board of Insurance Chapter No. 79, will be taking Huff's place. Ramsey will be installed at that position at the close of the 31st annual meeting of the association Aug. 17.

Teen faces murder rap

DECATUR, Ga. (AP) — DeKalb County authorities say extradition proceedings are under way to return a teen-ager to Georgia from Houston, Tex., to face a murder charge in the slaying of a Florida veterinarian.

Calvin Cooley, 18, described as a transient with no known address, is charged in the stabbing death July 29 of Harry R. "Doc" Ball of Orlando, Fla., a spokeswoman said Tuesday.

They were two of the last group of public witnesses called to testify as to the need for Southwest's proposed expansion to the Corpus Christi, Midland, Odessa, Austin, Lubbock and El Paso.

The hearing has recessed until Aug. 16 when it will re-open for Southwest's rebuttal of testimony by Braniff International and by the City of Fort Worth, which are opposing the application. Texas International's at-

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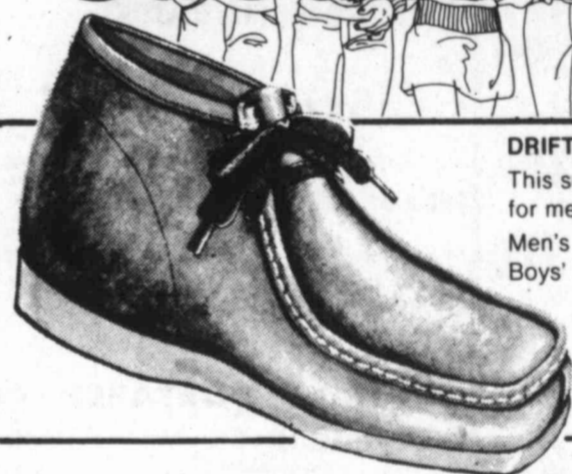


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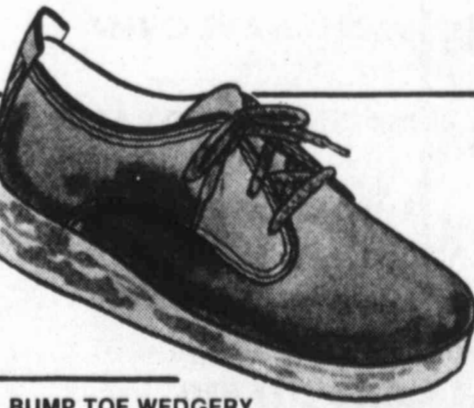
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August: dog days for Jones

By The Associated Press
The dog days of August have not been kind to Randy Jones.

The Padres' ace left-hander entered August with an 18-4 record and visions of a 30-victory season. Then things got sticky. A disappointing 5-4 loss to Cincinnati. A heart-breaking 1-0 defeat by Atlanta. And a run-in with a telephone pole that resulted in 30 stitches and one demolished Datsun.

"The telephone pole came right up into the car," explained Jones. "I was only going about 50 miles per hour, about as fast as my fastball."
Jones made his first appearance since the Aug. 4 accident Tuesday night and his streak remained intact. He lost to the New York Mets 5-4 on John Milner's pinch single in the eighth inning.

"This game was psychologically very, very important to me," said Jones. "I was up, hoping to do well in my first start since the accident. It's a shame to waste four runs."
Jones hooked up with Met lefty Jerry Koosman Tuesday night and both were tagged for four-run innings early. Koosman's two-run single helped New York take a 4-0 lead in the second but the Padres got even in the third with the help of Dave Winfield's three-run homer.

Jones and Koosman settled down after that and matched zeroes until the bottom of the eighth. Joe Torre led off with an infield single. Pinch-runner Leo Foster was sacrificed to second and took third on a single by Roy Staiger.
Then Milner lashed a single to right, scoring Foster and that was it.

"Kooz pitched a helluva game," said Jones. "He hung in there and I gave up the run first."
Braves 2, Phils 1
Phil Niekro picked up his 12th victory and doubled in a run in the seventh inning for Atlanta. The Phils rallied for a run in the ninth on Larry Bowa's infield single before reliever Adrian Devine put out the fire.

Dodgers 5, Pirates 1
Ron Cey belted a bases-loaded triple in the fifth inning as Los Angeles ended a six-game losing streak. Don Sutton, 13-9, won it with relief help from Charlie Hough. Jerry Reuss, 10-7, was the loser.

Cubs 6, Reds 3
Steve Swisher hit a three-run homer and Mick Kelleher added a two-run double as Chicago won for the sixth time in its last seven games. Joe Morgan and Dan Driessen homered for Cincinnati. Ray Burris, 9-11, bested Gary Nolan, 10-7.



CAN'T GET AROUND — St. Louis Cardinals Don Kessinger is tagged out by Houston Astros catcher Ed Herrmann as he attempts to score during the first inning Tuesday night at St. Louis. Kessinger was nailed at the plate on a throw from right fielder Greg Gross following a single by Cards Lynn McClothen. The throw was on target and on time to catch Kessinger short.

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Crawford inspired Hernandez leads Cardinals past Astros

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Whether it's the time of the year or the inspiration of a teammate is not entirely clear to Keith Hernandez.

What is more obvious, however, is that Hernandez — a slick-fielding young first baseman — is beginning to live up to the promise predicted for him as member of the St. Louis Cardinals.

A former minor league batting, Hernandez banged out a triple and a single to highlight a 13-hit Cards attack in an 8-1 triumph over the Houston Astros Tuesday night.

And afterward, in the glow of his three-RBI achievement, the 22-year-old infielder offered theories on a surge that has lifted his average to .253.

"In 1974, when I led the American Association and hit .350, I hit only 230

through May," explained Hernandez, who three months ago was benched by St. Louis while hitting only .203.

"But Willie Crawford's been a big help in bringing me back," he added. "Early in the year, while he was sitting on the bench, he was still out there taking batting practice and running hard before the game."
"He set a tremendous example for me to watch," Hernandez noted. "For me, he was more or less an inspiration and still is."

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THE YOUNG LION AND THE OLD PRO — Sam Snead, right, who has won every major tournament except the U.S. Open, looks over the shoulder of Jerry Pate, winner of this year's open, as the two walk to the practice green Tuesday at Congressional Country Club, the site of the 1976 PGA. Pate is one of the favorites in the tournament.

Palmer says be cocky but not big-headed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Arnold Palmer sees a little bit of Arnold Palmer in Jerry Pate, the newest potential super star to burst onto the golf scene.

"He's cocky — you've got to have some cockiness in you to make it in this game," the graying, 46-year-old fairway legend from Latrobe, Pa., said as the old and the new prepared to tee it up in the 58th PGA Championship.

A field of 141, headed by defending champion Jack Nicklaus, will set out Thursday on the four-day, 72-hole tour of the Congressional Country Club.

Pate, 22-year-old rookie pro from Pensacola, Fla., who already has won the U.S. and Canadian Opens this year, is one of the favorites. Hope is dimming for Palmer, three times a runner-up but never a winner in the pros' private competition.

It rates with the frustrations of the great Sam Snead in the U.S. Open as one of the tragedies of the sport.

Bridging two eras, Palmer and Pate arrived on the scene almost simultaneously Tuesday for practice rounds. Both were mobbed by autograph seekers. Both were the center of attention when they went to the practice putting green.

"I would surely like to see that guy win — if it can't be me," Pate said, motioning toward Palmer. "He has done so much for golf, has been such an ambassador over the years."

Pate said he had been paired with Palmer at the Westchester Classic in early July and in the Canadian Open later in Windsor, Ontario.

"What a great guy to be paired with," the young rookie continued. "He's so loose and pleasant. I enjoy

playing with Nicklaus, too, but Jack is so much more serious, even in practice rounds."

Pate said he had first met Palmer when Arnie was at the peak of his game and he, Pate, was a 10-year-old just beginning to dream about making the pro tour.

"I lived in Anniston, Ala., at the time," he said. "I went

up to the Memphis Open and Palmer agreed to pose with me and some other kids. I was the smallest, I remember, and in front, Arnie had his hands on my shoulder."

"I still have the picture at home."
"This kid has a great swing and a wonderful temperament," Palmer said.

No leads Three Razorbacks reported missing

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP) — Lon Farrell, assistant athletic director at the University of Arkansas, said Tuesday the coaching staff has no lead in the disappearance of three missing football players.

He said Mark Lewis, Steve Imhoff and Phil Davis have been missing for about four weeks.

Farrell said UA officials had been working closely with the parents of each of the players.

"We've put our heads together and checked with practically every person they might have told where they were going," Farrell said. "We've checked with every girl they've gone with, all their close friends. They just didn't mention anything to anybody about their plans."

Farrell said the UA could not involve authorities in the search since no charge is pending against any of the three players.

Lewis' mother, Mrs. Don Lewis of Plano, Tex., said the players had personal reasons for disappearing.

"They think they're in serious trouble, but they're not," Farrell said.

He refused to elaborate on what prompted the players to believe they were in trouble.

Lewis, a 261-pound defensive tackle from Houston, started all 12 games as a sophomore for the Razorbacks during last year's 10-2 season. He figured prominently in plans for this fall.

Imhoff, from Norman, Okla., and Davis, from Tulsa, Okla., were redshirts last year.

Palmer one-hits Twins

By The Associated Press
Baltimore's second baseman Bobby Grich could kick himself. On second thought, Jim Palmer might do it for him.

"If I had moved two steps," said Grich, "I might have had a shot at the ball with a dive. As it was, I almost left my feet."

The object of Grich's displeasure was a ground ball by Mike Cabbage that just eluded his glove in the second inning of Tuesday night's game with the Minnesota Twins.

As it turned out, it was the only hit that Palmer gave up while posting a 2-0 victory. Instead of pitching the second no-hitter of his career, Palmer had to settle for his fourth one-hitter.

Before Cabbage got the hit, Palmer had moved Grich toward first base. Grich complied, but only moved a step.

"I was behind 2-1 and I wanted him to hit it at somebody," said Palmer. "It was a low fastball and he just hit a grounder."

Actually, Palmer had nothing to complain about where his defensive support was concerned. Shortstop Mark Belanger made three outstanding plays behind the two-time Cy Young winner

and Grich and third baseman Doug DeCinces also made fine defensive plays.

"Anytime you have a low-hit game, you're lucky unless you have overpowering stuff and you strike out a lot of guys," said Palmer after winning his 15th game, tops in the American League. "They were hitting rockets. I'm the first to say I'm lucky."

The Orioles kept pressure on the New York Yankees in the American League East with their victory. The Yankees maintained an 8½-game lead over Baltimore with a 2-1, 11-inning victory over the Kansas City Royals.

Yankees 2, Royals 1
Thurman Munson hit a two-out, two-strike home run off reliever Steve Mingo in the 11th inning to life New York over Kansas City.

Munson's clout over the left field fence, his 13th homer of the year, enabled Yankee starter Dock Ellis, 12-6, to post his first victory in nearly a month.

A's 2, Brewers 1
Pinch-runner Matt Alexander scored all the way from first base on a sacrifice bunt and an error in the ninth inning to give Oakland its victory over Milwaukee.

Joe Rudi opened the ninth with a single, the 1,000th hit of his major league career.

Angels 5, Red Sox 4

Bob Jones' sacrifice fly tied the game and an error by third baseman Butch Hobson allowed the winning

run to score as California rallied for two runs in the last of the ninth to beat Boston.

Lucchesi bites lip during Tiger split

DETROIT (AP) — Texas Manager Frank Lucchesi had to bite his lip in the first game because his Rangers didn't get clutch hits.

"Crawford deserved better fate," Detroit Manager Ralph Houk said. Lucchesi figured the Rangers deserved better fate in the first game.

"You have to bite your lip many times when you're a manager," he said.

He called 33-year-old

Horgan, a veteran of 11 major league seasons, an "unsung hero."
"Anytime you call on him to be a spot starter he does the job... He does a good job in a quiet way."

In his quiet way he silenced Tiger bats when he had to bear down. Neither Staub nor Willie Horton could knock home Ron LeFlore from third in the opening inning. Detroit stranded a runner on third in the second and eighth innings also, with nine left in all.

SECOND GAME
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BSHS coaching staff complete

Don Robbins' Big Spring athletic coaching staff has been completed with the addition of four men.

Tommy Collins moves in as head baseball coach and will coach the offensive backs in football. A graduate of Black Hills College in South Dakota, Collins has coached in Arizona and Florida and comes here from Northwestern University in Nacitoches, La. The 31-year-old Collins has his master's degree.

Larry Hoefler, who was an all-district football player in the Jack Mildren era at Abilene Cooper, joins the Big Spring staff as coach of the offensive receivers. He also has his master's and will teach government in high school.

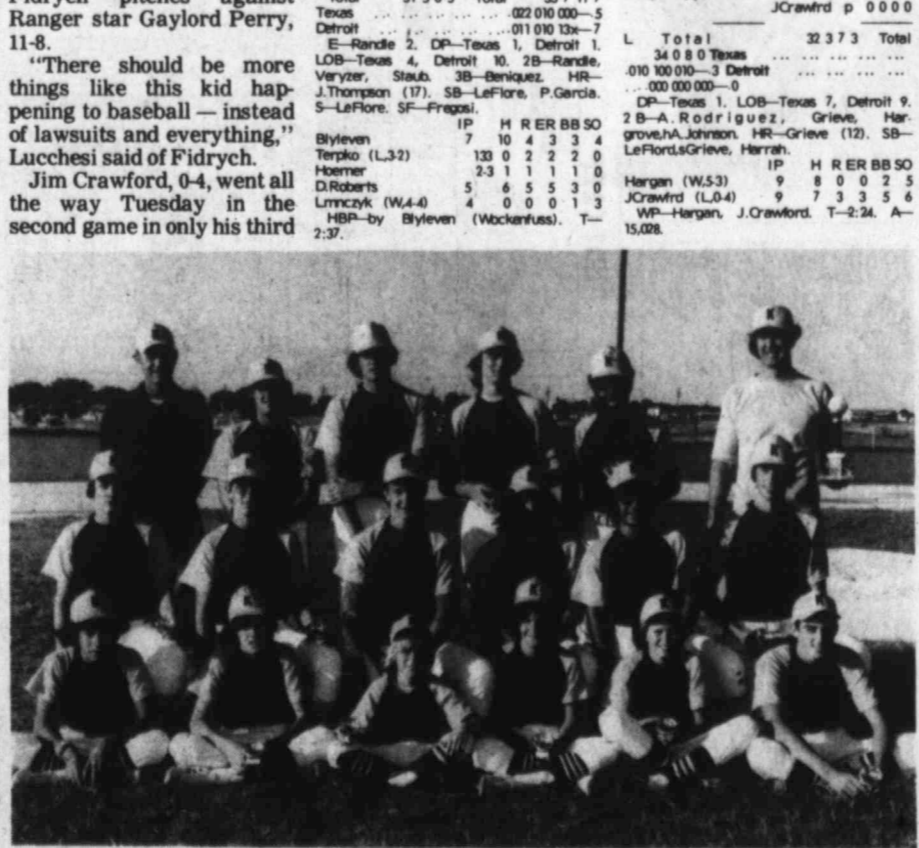
Hoefler is single. He was a graduate assistant coach at Tarleton State University in Stephenville before coming here.

Jerry Carter will be an assistant in both football and track. In addition, he will teach Math. Single, he has had three years of coaching experience.

He played high school football and competed as a long jumper in track while in high school in Arlington, proving good enough to win a track scholarship to Rice University.

Eddie Shell, a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin, will be an assistant coach at Runnels Junior High and will teach Social Studies. He played football at Navarro Junior College and got his degree at UT Austin. Married, he is the father of a son.

Dennis Smiley, a teacher and coach at Runnels Junior High last year, has been promoted to the high school coaching staff. He will help Dave Smith with the tennis program and will teach Physical Science. Single, he has a BS degree and boasts three years experience as a coach.



BIG SEASON FOR KNIGHTS — The Knights of the Big Spring Junior Teenage League concluded their season last weekend with a 19-4 record. They beat the Red Sox in a play-off to win the league crown, won four straight to win the district title in Clyde and finished fourth in the state tournament in Brownwood. Snyder beat Brownwood 12-6 to win the state title.

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Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:

JUMBLE — that scrambled word game

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

GAMLE **TRIVE**

PERTIL **ASHIMP**

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

Answers tomorrow!

Yesterday's Jumble: GIVEN MINUS LOCATE ECZEMA
Answer: Certainly the last flower you'd expect to find in a catalogue! — ZINNA

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GENERAL TENDENCIES: A day that can best be spent by making an honest appraisal of the past, and then making plans for having a more prosperous future.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Find the data you need to make your operation more successful. Try to be more helpful to your mate. This will bring more accord.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Take steps to be more cooperative with associates. Attend the social tonight and be charming with everyone. Show that you have poise.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Try to contact influential persons who can give you the backing you need. Make sure you take care of credit affairs wisely.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Obtain the information you need so you can be successful in your line of endeavor. Strive for happiness.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Use your intuition and have better accord with mate. Handle those responsibilities in which you have been neglecting. Be more alert.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) If you tactfully ask direct questions to associates, you will come to a better understanding. Steer clear of one who opposes you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Attend to routine tasks early in the day so that you will have time for leisure later. Show more cooperation with fellow workers.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Plan the recreations you want to have for the coming weekend. A thoughtful gift for your mate will bring more accord at this time.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Plan what has to be done to make your life at home more harmonious. Tone down any arguments that may arise.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Make those appointments that can be helpful to you in career matters. Use more teamwork and tact with family members.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Ideal day to get your monetary affairs in better shape. Cut down on expenses that are nonproductive. Stand up for your rights.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Personal goals can easily be attained now by using sensible methods. You need the help of a trusted friend so contact this person without delay.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... he or she will be one of those interesting young persons who early in life will need religious and ethical training in order to bring out the fine promise in this chart. A good environment is very important here. Permit to participate in healthful sports.

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While Thomas recedes for Bronco battle...

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. (AP) — When the Dallas Cowboys offense lines up against the Denver Broncos at Texas Stadium in Irving Saturday, an old and controversial face will be set as running back.

Duane Thomas is back, and Coach Tom Landry, to whom Thomas once referred to as a "plastic man," says Thomas will probably start in the backfield with Roger Staubach and Ron Johnson.

Thomas scored the first touchdown in Texas Stadium back in 1971, scampering 56 yards against New England in the first game played at the Dallas Cowboys palatial ballpark.

A lot happened to Thomas since 1971, including tours of duty and non-duty with other NFL clubs and a hitch in the

long-gone World Football League. There was a period when Thomas lashed out at Cowboy management, including General Manager Tex Schramm and Landry.

But the Thomas who will line up in the backfield with Ron Johnson has changed his ways, and when Landry said he saw "flashes of the old Duane Thomas" Saturday against Los Angeles, he was referring to the player who led the Cowboys to the 1972 Super Bowl.

Thomas' return to the Cowboys has been well publicized, and he has said he is a more mature person now than he was when he gave sportswriters the silent treatment and gave Dallas management the tongue-lashings.

Thomas has been working hard. "I'm comfortable where I am now," he said after Saturday's game. "I'm not there yet, however. A lot of things have changed and I can't fly until I can walk."

Jets play 2 games in 3 days

NEW YORK (AP) — The New York Yankees, a baseball team, the New York Cosmos, a soccer team, they could kick a ball around Tuesday night. So the New York Giants and New York Jets, football teams, are going to play their game tonight.

Huh?

Well, it all comes down to a blustery lady named Belle who blew into town Monday night and ran roughshod over Yankee Stadium, doing more to damage the turf than any 22 pairs of cleats could have done.

And when Hurricane Belle left for points north, the Giants and Jets still hadn't played their National Football League exhibition match for the so-called "bragging rights" to the city.

Tuesday night at the Stadium belonged to the Cosmos of the North American Soccer League — if the Yanks, concerned over the field's condition, approved. If not, the Cosmos had a rain date, namely tonight. But the approval came through and the Cosmos' rain date wasn't needed. So tonight belongs to the Giants and Jets.

After the game, the Giants will have a couple of days to rest up and, at the same time, prepare for a Saturday night encounter against the Oilers in Houston.

The Jets, though, have only one day's rest before the Oakland Raiders hit town Friday night for another Yankee Stadium exhibition. Considering the recent past performances of the two teams, the Jets may well think of Belle has returned.

Lou Holtz, the Jets' new head coach, viewed the dilemma realistically, if not optimistically. "You know," he said, "football is not for the timid and the weak, and you'll never get a better example of it than right now. Something good will come out of this. I don't know what it is yet, but I feel sure it will."

... QBs Staubach and Longley have their own battle

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. (AP) — Some of the Dallas Cowboys are angry, and while they wait for the Denver Broncos, they are fighting each other.

"Actually it was just another drill," quipped substitute quarterback Clint Longley after he and starter Roger Staubach came to blows Tuesday following a training session in the National Football League team camp.

After exchanging words during a passing drill that followed the regular practice session, Staubach and Longley met behind a nearby baseball dugout. A witness said Longley swung and Staubach answered.

Assistant coach Dan Reeves said Staubach had Longley down when the fight was stopped.

"We hadn't had enough contact in training camp," Longley deadpanned. "It is over now."

Staubach added, "As far as I am concerned the whole thing is over. Clint's doing a super job. I just want to forget the whole thing."

Coach Tom Landry dismissed the incident, saying, "At this stage of camp everybody is very tired and tempers flare up. It happened on the field and that's where it stays."

Witnesses said trouble began when the quarterbacks and receivers were working late on timing and Staubach fumbled a snap as Drew Pearson ran a pattern. Longley, holding a football, went ahead and threw toward Pearson who had stopped. Longley apparently commented to Pearson and Staubach told him to calm down.

Longley and Staubach shook hands after the slugging incident.

The Cowboys, who play Denver at Dallas Saturday, are 0-2 in preseason games.



SEX-CHANGED TENNIS PLAYER — This is a shot of Renee Richards, alias Richard Raskind, after winning a women's tennis tournament in La Jolla, Calif. last month.

Sex-changed tennis star causes U.S. Open hassle

NEW YORK (AP) — Officials of the U.S. Open tennis tournament are still undecided whether Renee Richards, formerly Richard Raskind, a ranking male tennis player who underwent a sex change operation, will be allowed to play in the women's singles next month at Forest Hills.

"The tournament committee has the application under consideration," a spokesman for the U.S. Tennis Association (USTA), which will make the decision, said Tuesday.

Dr. Richards, 41, is an ophthalmologist who lived in New York City and now resides in Newport Beach, Calif. As Dr. Raskind, she played in the junior veterans division at Forest Hills just two years ago. In 1953, Dr. Raskind won the Eastern Juniors men's title.

Some tennis buffs have speculated that Dr. Richards, strong and mobile as a nationally ranked men's single player, could overplay even the likes of Chris

Evert in the women's field.

The USTA's indecision has angered Dr. Richards. In a statement issued through World Tennis Magazine, she said she had the "same right to play" at the prestigious Forest Hills "as any other woman — more than most because I have already won a major singles event and I have been training for that tournament all summer."

The sex change was disclosed earlier this month when Dr. Richards won a women's title in a tournament at La Jolla, Calif. She already has been cleared for play in the Tennis Week Open starting Aug. 23 at the Orange Lawn Tennis Club in South Orange, N.J. The Tennis Week Open is the last big tuneup before the U.S. Open, the most important tennis event in the United States.

Gene Scott, who accepted DNO Richards' bid to enter the New Jersey tournament, said, "I am convinced that the tests she has undergone establish that she

is a woman. I am expecting to receive the gynecologist's report as further evidence."

Scott, a former Davis Cup tennis player, said he talked recently with Dr. Richards, "and I take people as I find them."

Scott said that before the sex change operation Dr. Richards had weighed about 180 pounds but has lost muscle tissue due to the operation and now weighs about 147 pounds. "I noticed many more differences which helped to convince me," he said.

"I had no intention of making a cause celebre out of my participation in tennis tournaments," Dr. Richards said. "But this whole issue has become so publicized that I now feel I owe it to myself and to all others whose rights are infringed on in similar fashion, to insist on my legitimacy."

Scorecard

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	73	37	.664
Pittsburgh	60	51	.541
New York	58	58	.500
Chicago	52	62	.452
St. Louis	47	67	.410
Montreal	39	68	.364

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pct.
New York	65	44	.596
Baltimore	56	52	.519
Cleveland	53	56	.486
Boston	52	56	.481
Detroit	53	58	.477
Milwaukee	47	67	.410

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

BATTING (275 at bats) — Griffey, Cin. 332; A. Oliver, Pgh. 331; Rose, Cin. 330; Madlock, Chi. 329; G. Foster, Cin. 326.

RUNS — Rose, Cin. 98; Griffey, Cin. 92; Morgan, Cin. 88; Schmidt, Phi. 82; Monday, Chi. 82.

HOME RUNS — G. Foster, Cin. 24; Monday, Chi. 20; Morgan, Cin. 20; Kingman, N.Y. 17; Lutzinski, Phi. 17; HITS — Rose, Cin. 151; Montanez, Atl. 139; Garvey, La. 138; A. Oliver, Pgh. 135; G. Foster, Cin. 132.

DOUBLES — Madlock, Chi. 29; Johnstone, Phi. 27; Zisk, Pgh. 27; Rose, Cin. 27; G. Adcox, Phi. 25.

TRIPLES — D. Cash, Phi. 10; Tyson, SFL, 7; D. Parker, Pgh. 8; Geronimo, Cin. 8; W. Davis, S.D. 8.

HOME RUNS — Kingman, N.Y. 32; Schmidt, Phi. 30; G. Foster, Cin. 24; Monday, Chi. 20; Morgan, Cin. 20; Kingman, N.Y. 17; Lutzinski, Phi. 17; HITS — Rose, Cin. 151; Montanez, Atl. 139; Garvey, La. 138; A. Oliver, Pgh. 135; G. Foster, Cin. 132.

PITCHING (9 Decisions) — C. Metzger, SD, 10-0, 1.000, 2.08; Rhoden, La., 9-1, .900, 3.05; Norman, Cin. 11-2, .846, 2.25; Garber, Phi. 7-2, .778, 2.53; Alcala, Cin. 10-3, .769, 4.36; Zachry, Cin. 10-2, .769, 2.67; Carlton, Phi. 12-4, .745, 3.23; Candelaria, Pgh. 11-4, .733, 3.05.

STRIKEOUTS — Seaver, N.Y. 171; J. Richards, Min. 145; Messersmith, Atl. 128; Montefusco, SF, 126; P. Niekro, Atl. 124.

American League

BATTING (275 at bats) — McRae, K.C. 351; G. Brett, K.C. 342; Bostock, Min. 328; LeFlore, Det. 327; Carew, Min. 328.

RUNS — Rivers, N.Y. 74; North, Oak. 74; R. White, N.Y. 71; Ota, K.C. 70; LeFlore, Det. 69; G. Brett, K.C. 69.

RUNS BATTED IN — Munson, N.Y. 74; Chambliss, N.Y. 73; Mayberry, K.C. 71; Yastrzemski, Bos. 70; Burroughs, Tex. 68.

HITS — G. Brett, K.C. 155; LeFlore, Det. 138; Rivers, N.Y. 137; Munson, N.Y. 132; Chambliss, N.Y. 131; Carew, Min. 131.

DOUBLES — Ota, K.C. 31; Carty, Cle. 25; Rivers, N.Y. 25; McRae, K.C. 25; G. Brett, K.C. 24.

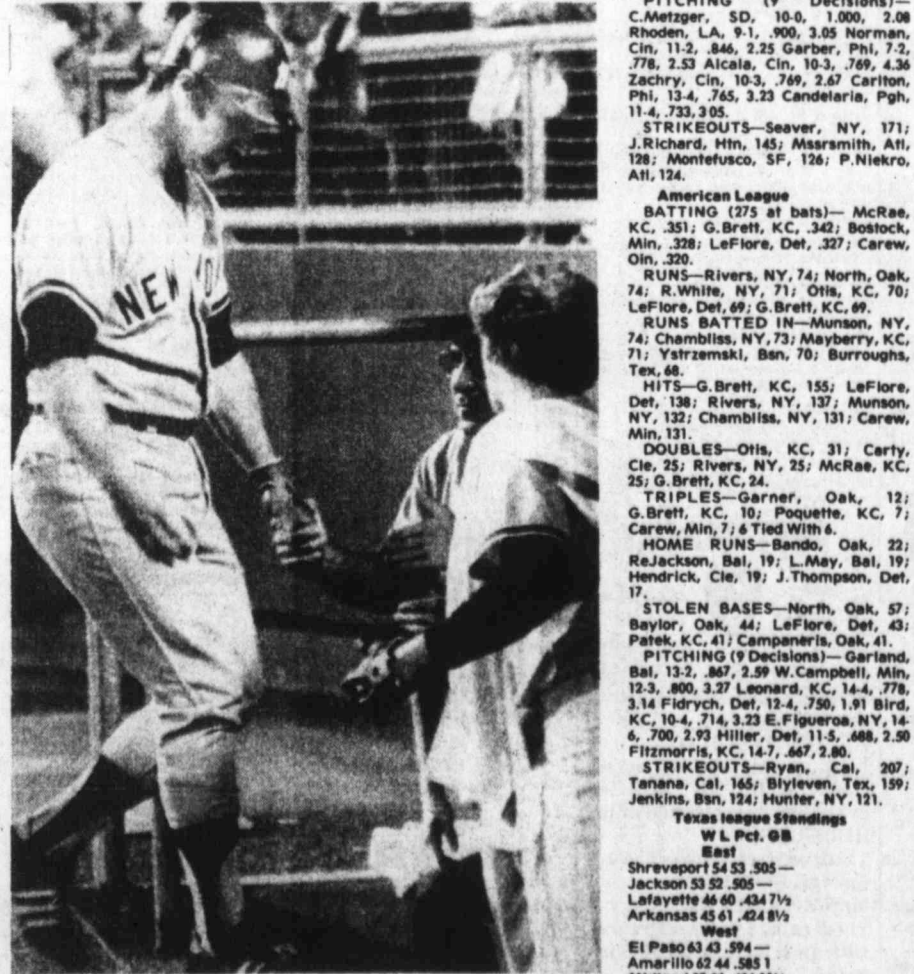
TRIPLES — Garner, Oak. 12; G. Brett, K.C. 10; Pocquette, K.C. 7; Carew, Min. 7; 4 Tied With 6.

HOME RUNS — Bando, Oak. 22; ReJackson, Bal. 19; L. May, Bal. 19; Hendrick, Cle. 19; J. Norstrom, Det. 17.

STOLEN BASES — North, Oak. 57; Bayler, Oak. 44; LeFlore, Det. 40; Patek, K.C. 41; Campaneris, Oak. 41.

PITCHING (9 Decisions) — Garland, Bal. 13-2, .857, 2.59; Sampedro, Min. 12-3, .800, 3.27; Leonard, K.C. 14-4, .778, 3.14; Fildych, Det. 12-4, .750, 1.91; Bird, K.C. 10-4, .714, 3.23; E. Figueroa, N.Y. 14-6, .700, 2.93; Miller, Det. 11-5, .688, 2.50; Fitzmorris, K.C. 14-7, .667, 2.80.

STRIKEOUTS — Ryan, Cal. 207; Tanaka, Cal. 165; Blyleven, Tex. 159; Jenkins, Bos. 124; Hunter, N.Y. 121.



CONGRATULATIONS — New York catcher Thurman Munson receives congratulations as he returns to the dugout after blasting an 11th inning home run that gave the Yanks a 2-1 victory Tuesday night over the Kansas City Royals. Munson's shot came with two out to break the 1-1 deadlock. Yankee coach Yogi Berra clasps Munson's hand and shortstop Fred Stanley extends his hand.

Playing a round with the pros

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Par five, 472-yard, hole five's fairway slopes in a gradual rise to the top of a hill, about 285 yards from the tee, then it turns to the right and falls quickly down and flattens out at the tree encircled green.

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When the wind is against you it plays more like a natural par five, but it is still not a difficult hole. A drive and a three-wood second shot should put you within chipping or pitching distance of the green. Your drive probably won't reach the crest of the hill when its into the wind so your second shot will be a blind one.

Many golfers used to make this an even easier hole by playing to the right of the fairway, behind the fire station, but this area is now out-of-bounds. There are also

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HOLE 5

472-YARDS FOR MEN
410-YARDS FOR WOMEN

OB areas to the right and lower-left sides of the green (the corner of Wasson and Parkway).

When a player hits a ball into an OB area he has to play another ball from his original lie and take a stroke penalty.

Editor's note: I got into trouble with the water last Friday on hole one — and so will you if you put a ball into it. The correct procedure for a ball into the water trap (when it's filled with water) is a one-stroke penalty and a drop behind the water. — F.B.

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Arkansas at Lafayette
Shreveport at Jackson

Riding herd Time to shape up

By FRED BREWER
September 3 will be here before you know it. That is the date of the Big Spring Steers opening game of the 1976 season versus Andrews.

Steer coach Don Robbins says it's imperative for the players to begin working out seriously this week. "That's the problem with opening with a 3-A team," Robbins said. "They don't have spring practice so they're allowed to begin fall work-outs earlier than 4-A squads."

"Our players should have their shoes (they are being issued at the high school gym this afternoon) and be working on their speed and wind. They should be running wind sprints and doing their agility drills. We just won't have time to work on those things when practice starts — and we won't be able to wait for someone to catch up."

Big Spring will begin two-a-days Monday, August 16, and continue with them until Friday, August 20. On Friday, August 20, equipment will be issued and there will be contact drills that evening.

Two-a-days will be from 8:00 until 9:15 in the morning sessions and 6:00 until 7:30 in the evening sessions. It's back to school Monday, August 23, and the regular afternoon practices.

The Steers will travel to Sweetwater Friday, August 27, to take on Coach Joe Marlett's Mustangs in game-like scrimmage. The JV scrimmage will be at 6:00 p.m. and the varsity scrimmage will follow 7:30.

Oilers looking for middle guard

HUNTSVILLE, Tex. (AP) — The Houston Oilers are looking for help at the middle guard position as they prepare for their Saturday game against the New York Giants and Larry Csonka.

Backup John Little filled in for the injured Curley Culp, but Little has a sore knee and is on the sidelines.

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MOVING SALE: \$700 Velvet couch for \$200; \$160 velvet chairs for \$60 each; \$400 Dinette set for \$150. Shag rug and \$400 \$50. Braided oval rug \$20. Miscellaneous, 4106 Muir after 5:00 p.m. 263-3625 or 263-8019.

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GARAGE SALE: Thursday - Friday and Saturday. Furniture, T.V., washer, clothing, miscellaneous and luncheon. 1801 Duquoin.
YARD SALE: Boat, odds and ends, clothing, lamps. Wednesday and Thursday, 1721 Purcell.

Household Goods L-4
GARAGE SALE: 2707 Cindy. Thursday and Friday. Clothes, furniture, lots of miscellaneous.
INSIDE SALE: 304 West 19th, between Gregg and Lancaster. Wednesday 8:00 a.m. Saddle, luggage, swing chair, apartment stove, clothing, carpet, dishes, collectibles, etc.

Household Goods L-4
GARAGE SALE: 1011 Bluebonnet. Wednesday and Thursday. Clothes, dishes, books, miscellaneous.
FIVE FAMILY backyard sale: Clothes, dishes, miscellaneous. 709 Douglas. Friday, Saturday - Sunday, 9:00 to 5:00.
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Pine beetle

hits Arkansas

ASHDOWN, Ark. (AP) — South Arkansas forests are being hit by an influx of the destructive Southern pine beetle, and state Forestry Commission officials are trying to combat the bugs.

The beetles have been known to destroy 169,000 trees a day, Jim Northrum, a commission entomologist, said. He said most of the affected areas are in Little River County.

The beetle bores into the bark of the trees and feeds on the inner bark, where it then lays its eggs.

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Energy

Cause, cures of increase in gas prices debated

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AUSTIN — Everyone agrees that natural gas prices have risen the past three years, but a Texas Railroad Commission hearing the past week revealed sharply different viewpoints on the causes and cures of the problem.



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increases in gas cost, he said.

Some critics claimed the hearing was a public relations gimmick attempting to silence criticism of the fuel cost pass-through and commission policy toward it.

In suggesting the hearing to the commission several months ago, a staff member pointed out that the fuel cost pass-through "continues to be grossly misunderstood by Texas rate-payers." And, he continued, the public needs to understand that the pass-through is "a pure expense to the utility and that only the actual cost — with no profit or return — is flowed through to the rate-payer."

This view corresponds with the bulk of testimony by industry spokesmen in the hearing. Some of those testifying for the other side disagreed.

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Oil discovery showing promise in Dawson

A Fusselman oil discovery showing great promise is completing three miles southwest of Patricia in Dawson County.

It is Miller Exploration Company's N 1 W E. Beam, 660 feet from the south and 1,980 feet from the east lines of Labor 12, League 262, Borden CSL Survey.

The well flowed 40-gravity oil at the hourly rate of 120 barrels of oil over a period of four hours.

Flow was through a 25-64 inch choke and open hole section at 12,110-110 feet. Testing is continuing.

Murphy H. Baxter, Midland, plans to drill No. 1 Ellwood Estate as a proposed 7,500-foot wildcat in Mitchell County.

The well is located 22 miles south of Colorado City, spotting 660-feet from the northeast and 2,350 feet from the southeast lines of Section 20, Block 15, SP survey.

Garland, Lone Star Gas feud continues

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Garland asked the railroad commission Tuesday to dismiss an appeal by Lone Star Gas Co. that Garland reduced gas rates and refused to act on the company's request for higher rates.

Garland contended that Lone Star waited too long—71 days—to challenge rates adopted in a city ordinance Jan. 20. Lone Star lawyer Dale Gillette made the point, however, that Garland waited approximately 150 days from the date of the company's application for higher rates until it adopted the ordinance.

The Jan. 20 rates are lower than those sought by the company.

A rate hearing set for Monday was postponed indefinitely to allow Garland and Lone Star to argue the city's motion to dismiss the appeal. If the motion to dismiss is overruled, the rate hearing will be rescheduled.

Hearing examiner Paul Herrmann of the commission told both sides to get final briefs in the mail by Sept. 7.

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