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Coal summit convenes

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter summoned congressional leaders and the governors of four coal-rich states to the White House today as efforts to negotiate an end to the 80-day coal strike appear to have faltered.

The meetings were announced amid speculation that the president was planning to intervene more forcefully to attempt to end the strike.

Carter asked seven senators and five House members to meet with him, and he invited the governors of West Virginia, Kentucky, Pennsylvania and Ohio to a later session at the White House.

The purpose of the White House meetings was unknown, although one possibility was that the president was seeking to increase public pressure on both sides in the dispute to reach a settlement.

The White House has prepared legislation to impose a settlement in the United Mine Workers strike but has made clear its preference that both sides in the dispute reach a negotiated settlement.

The strike's latest snag developed when the coal industry rejected the UMW's "bottomline" contract proposal as unfit for a nationwide agreement.

The Bituminous Coal Operators Association said early today it remained ready to resume talks with the union, but declared that in view of the UMW's bargaining position, more

negotiations "hardly seemed fruitful."

Wednesday night, administration officials said privately the outlook for the talks was not promising.



PARK TO LEAVE FOR UNITED STATES — South Korean businessman Tongsun Park, right, shakes hands today with skater Lee Young-Ha at the opening of a national skating championship on the outskirts of Seoul.

Park was to leave Korea today to give testimony in the United States in connection with allegations of influence peddling in Congress.

Domino tourney to be held here

The ancient and royal game of dominoes will be elevated to a new plateau in Big Spring this summer, when the first annual Texas-Style Domino Tournament will be conducted in the Howard College Coliseum.

A total of 192 teams, representing several states, will compete in the Aug. 3-4-5 event, probably the biggest of its kind in the nation. Prize money will total \$12,000. The first place team earns \$5,000. Entry fee will be \$100 per team.

In addition to the cash awards, suitable trophies will be presented to the sponsor, American-Petrofina Inc.

The tournament is the brainchild of two Big Spring men, George McAlister and Lloyd McLeod, who recently authored a book entitled "Dominoes Texas-Style."

McAlister and McLeod, realizing there are national tournaments for golf, bridge, tennis and even darts, felt it was time one of the oldest games in America be given national recognition. (Dominoes date back to about 1800.)

The two took their idea to Paul Meek, president of American Petrofina, himself a former Big Spring resident. Meek is also a domino enthusiast. He agreed that Fina would sponsor the tournament.

Rules of the game, as printed in the book, "Dominoes Texas-Style," will be used for the tournament. Because they will be serving as co-directors of the tournament, McAlister and McLeod will not play in the tournament.

There are basically three styles of dominoes played in this country. One version, called 5-Up, is played mainly in the Bay Area of California. Advocates of that game already have their own

tournament. McAlister and McLeod say they feel that the "Texas-Style" version of the game is definitely more scientific and by far the most popular version of the game.

The co-directors say they believe the "Texas-Style" Tournament will become the true national tournament mainly because of the greater degree of skill in the "Texas-Style" of play.

They will use a "round-robin" concept, matching each team with as many others as time permits. This should result in the more skillful teams progressing to the finals. For example, the four teams in the semifinals will have faced 44 teams of the 192 teams entered in the meet.

Entry forms and rules can be obtained without charge by writing to Tournament Committee, P.O. Box 2345, Big Spring, Texas 79720.



FRONT ELEVATION OF NEW K-MART STORE AT FM 700 AND BIRDWELL

Construction begins on \$1.4 million K-Mart

Construction will begin Monday on a new K-Mart Store at 1701 E. FM 700.

The \$1,400,000 discount department store will measure 68,337 square feet, and will contain a large auto repair center, a garden center, a cafeteria, a pharmacy, and merchandise ranging from clothing to cameras.

Construction is scheduled for completion, Sept. 15, and a grand opening has been slated for Nov. 17. M.J. Lang Construction Co. of Tucson and Phoenix, Ariz., has contracted for the job, but Lang officials have indicated that subcontracting will be done locally, according to Mark Campbell with the city inspection department.

"This looks as if it will be a really super store for Big Spring. It will pretty much allow one-stop shopping," said Campbell.

K-Mart will occupy an eastern corner of the full shopping area planned for the site. Construction is also possible for two more large department stores connected by a covered mall at the site.

Behind the wall at Mountain View

Local singers provide moving experience

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first in a series of three articles of how it is behind the walls of three of the prisons in the Texas Department of Corrections system when a Baptist youth choir goes inside for a special program.

By MARJ CARPENTER

In the well-guarded prison that used to be the hell hole of the hardest juvenile cases at Gatesville, Mountain View Prison for Women battles the odds in attempting to rehabilitate women criminals in Texas.

Sixteen students from the First Baptist Church and their leader, Joe Whitten, were to present a program there Sunday afternoon.

They were keyed up at the prospect, since this group called "His Children" had been allowed to present the very first program of this type ever inside of Mountain View last August.

THEY HAD set up their microphones and equipment and were standing on the platform in the big chapel on the 42-acre campus, inside of high wired and electrified fences, with well-placed spotlights and guards in the towers at the corners.

The singing group was watching close to 250 of the 388 women in the prison voluntarily arrive for the program.

Prisoners filed into the auditorium in their starched white uniforms, some in pants and some in short dresses, reminiscent of another era of fashion.

At Mountain View, they are allowed to wear colorful handknit caps or turbans and wear gay knit stoles around their shoulders, and a lot of them do, adding a touch of femininity to a group that is programmed to look alike.

The woman warden, Lucile Plane, called Mother Warden, walked briskly into the hall and went to the back to whisper something to a woman inmate.

THE INMATE SUDDENLY gave a sharp and piercing scream that jerked everyone in the hall to the edge of their seats.

The warden began to walk out with her arm around the prisoner's shoulder, looking back at the crowd and saying, "These are happy tears," as the woman sobbed loudly.

The sobs tore at her, like they came from the bottom of her soul, and every person in the room was turned in stunned disbelief watching her walk toward the door.

Suddenly she stumbled and fell to the floor as the racking sobs continued. She suddenly screamed, "Oh Lord God. Thank you. I prayed and prayed, and for the first time in over two years I have a visitor. He's come."

The inmates broke into cheers and applause. More than

one of the women, with stern faces and bleak eyes, wiped away tears.

Word moved through the group like wildfire that Dorothy, who had never had anyone in her family to care about her; who had not had a single visitor of any kind in over two years, had a long-lost uncle as a caller in the visitor's room. She was a two-time loser and it was apparently well-known in Mountain View that she needed somebody to whom she could relate.

PAROLE, VISITORS and letters are the three things that inmates live for, and the black inmate named Dorothy, was no exception. Over 56 per cent of the women inmates in Texas are black.

A little less than 13 per cent are Mexican-American. And the additional 21 per cent are Anglo.

The Mountain View prison apparently rather successfully avoids too much racial controversy. The women sat together more as friends from dormitories than in racial groups.

Some of the friendships, of course, are probably made in real desperation, and possibly some in fear because there definitely seemed to be leaders within each group who wielded a little power all their own in a kind of prison status system known only to the inmates. There are a few who apparently cling to each other in homosexuality in spite of what anybody can do.

With an opening such as Dorothy's emotional joy, the success of "His Children's" concert was assured. The emotional barriers all cracked at the beginning of the program when Dorothy got a visitor and they welcomed the first song "We Came to Praise the Lord" with welcome applause.

THE YOUTH OF the group had a definite appeal because the average age of women in the prisons is in the late 20s. The range of crimes in this prison range from theft over \$200 to murder, with one statutory rape included in the group, an unusual charge for a woman. The inmates themselves condemn child molesters with their own special vengeance if that charge becomes known behind the walls.

They sat as if spellbound and listened to the music, "I was trapped in the failure of yesterday," the youth choir sang in a modern beat, accompanied by a stereo tape background. Women inmates in the audience nodded to the words, and the choir intoned "Then Jesus showed me a better way," as the hour-long concert continued.

"I was trapped in the games that I had to play" ("Amen" said a woman two rows from the front) and "Jesus took all my sins away," followed in the song.

The group had them in their collective hand. Gospel singing inside the prison walls is something only recently allowed and only a few groups are approved.



NO WAY OUT FOR MANY ...Big Spring youth sing at Mountain View Prison

Another airplane stolen from airport

A 1974 Cessna single-engine airplane valued at \$70,000 was reported missing from the Howard County Airport today.

The plane, which is owned by Bob and Charles Wash, Forsan, was apparently stolen sometime Wednesday by unknown persons and flown out of the airport.

According to Sheriff's reports, R.E. McClure of Trans-Regional Airlines reported the plane missing at 6:45 a.m. today. The owner was contacted, and the theft was confirmed at 7 a.m.

According to Sheriff A.N. Standard, the loss of the plane went unobserved and the investigation is starting with a clean slate.

"We will be using the knowledge

gained in our last investigation of an airplane theft," said Standard. "We will be dealing with the same people and using the same methods to try to recover this plane. It seems likely that the theft was intended to get a plane for drug-smuggling activities. This kind of plane is ideal for that purpose. We have already contacted the Federal Aviation Administration, and the Texas and national computer systems."

Investigation of the theft is continuing. The theft is the second in recent months, recalling the September 16, 1977 loss of Trans Regional's \$180,000 twin-engine Cessna. The plane was recovered October 26, 1977 in Alabama by narcotics officers.

Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Plans changed

Q. Several cars of our group will be going to Odessa Friday. Do we have to watch for (Brown Beret) marchers on the highway? Will they stay on the pavement?

A. The Brown Beret march from Odessa to Big Spring has been changed to a car caravan. As such, you should not meet any marchers when you drive to Odessa.

Calendar: Heart drive

TODAY

Heart Association Heart-Home Campaign through Sunday. Welcome volunteers when they call. Even a penny will help.

Meeting of the American Agriculture movement, 7 p.m., Lubbock Auditorium, featuring Arnold Paulson, research analyst who spoke at the county fairbarns here.

The All-American Red Heads will play a collection of the Coahoma Bulldog coaches tonight at 8 o'clock in Bulldog Gym.

The Howard College Hawks and Hawk Queens end regular season Western Junior College Athletic Conference play tonight in Snyder against Western Texas College. The Queens open action at 6 p.m., and are immediately followed by the Hawk tilt at 8 o'clock.

The Big Spring Slow Pitch Association is holding an organizational meeting in the Texas Electric Reddy Room at 7 p.m.

The Sands girls team (Fillies) will meet the Klondike squad in Lamesa Middle Gym at 7:30 p.m. in a District 9-B playoff game.

The Air Force Sergeants Association meets at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Post.

FRIDAY

Presentation of a one-act play, "Monsters," at the Howard College auditorium, 7:30 p.m., no admission charge.

Big Spring Detoxification Center conducts an industrial alcoholism seminar at the Detox Center, formerly fire station six, 9:30 a.m.

TV's best: Love story

"Once Upon a Classic" features the old love story, "Lorna Doone" at 7 p.m. on Channel 13 and 5. Barney Miller, at 8 p.m. on Channels 4, 13 and 8 is puzzled by a new young woman detective. If your nerves are good, you might enjoy the movie "Duel" at 9 p.m. on Channel 11 which is the tale of a vengeful truck driver who tries to force a highway motorist off the road.

Inside: Escapee captured

AN ESCAPED PRISONER was back in custody today after the hostage he held in two automobiles for more than 24 hours disarmed him, ending a tense, two-state standoff with police. See p. 3A.

GNAWING THEIR WAY through limestone bedrock 200 feet below the streets of Chicago, giant machines are carving out a mammoth sewer called the "Deep Tunnel." But above ground, a debate is raging over whether the multibillion-dollar project should continue. See p. 11A.

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Outside: Mid 70s

Clear skies, fair forecasts, and warm afternoons are predicted for Big Spring. High today is expected near 70, low tonight in the mid 30s, and high Friday in the mid 70s. Winds will be from the southeast at 10 to 15 miles-per-hour decreasing to light and variable tonight.



Digest



The Franklin Mint in association with Gerald R. Ford is proud to announce

ENDORSES PRESIDENTIAL MEDALS — This is a photograph of the cover the booklet that accompanies the sets of medals depicting various presidential events to be sold by the Franklin Mint, a private manufacturer located in Delaware County, Pa. Former President Gerald R. Ford has accepted a fee for his endorsement.

Anti-Nazi rules nixed

CHICAGO (AP) — A federal judge today struck down three ordinances enacted by the predominantly Jewish suburb of Skokie in an attempt to prohibit a group of Nazis from marching there.

The decision by U.S. District Court Judge Bernard M. Decker lifted another legal obstacle to the plans of the National Socialist Party of America and its leader, Frank Collin, to march in the village of 70,000, home of numerous survivors of World War II Nazi death camps and the relatives of others who lost their lives there.

The march has been tentatively scheduled for April 20, the 89th anniversary of the birth of Adolf Hitler.

Decker declared unconstitutional ordinances which would have banned the wearing of Nazi uniforms, would have banned the distribution of "offensive material," such as Nazi banners and leaflets, and would have required heavy insurance to cover any damage resulting from a rally or demonstration.

Coal delivery slowed

Limited supplies, bad weather and uncertain security are among the problems keeping the nation's railroads from delivering coal to areas hardest hit by the 80-day-old United Mine Workers' strike, railroad officials say.

Some coal is being produced by Western mines that are having problems shipping it east because of the weather and threats of destruction of railroad equipment. It is not clear exactly how much coal is available.

Emergency shipments of coal could reach 200,000 to 300,000 tons a week, Department of Energy spokesman Frank Kelly said Wednesday.

First vote has no clues

WASHINGTON (AP) — The outcome of the Senate's first procedural vote on the Panama Canal treaties gives no sure indication whether the pacts eventually will be approved or rejected.

By a vote of 67-30, the Senate agreed to stick to its plan of considering the treaty to insure the waterway's neutrality before dealing with the proposal to actually hand the Canal Zone over to Panama.

The vote Wednesday came on a proposal by Sen. James Allen, D-Ala., a leader of the treaty foes, to reverse that order.

Cyprus chief understands

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — President Spyros Kyprianou said today he understood the "justifiable psychological state" which led the president of Egypt to sever diplomatic relations with Cyprus after the Larnaca airport shootout between Cypriot forces and Egyptian commandos.

Kyprianou said in a statement he wished to "overlook the insulting and abusive language" used against him by President Anwar Sadat because it wasn't proper for heads of state to exchange insults and abuse.

Sadat made an emotional speech to Egyptian troops Wednesday after funeral services for 15 commandos killed in the attempt to rescue 11 Arab hostages and capture two gunmen aboard a commandeered DC-8 at the airport. He called Kyprianou a "dwarf" and said he was withdrawing recognition of Kyprianou as president of Cyprus.

Markets

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

CETA probe grows

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Wednesday by investigators at the federal courthouse here. One of four U.S. attorneys in Texas says alleged misuse of federal Manpower funds may involve officials and job-training programs statewide.

"There may be statewide implications," said U.S. Attorney John Hannah of Tyler following a briefing Wednesday by investigators at the federal courthouse here.

Deaths

A.A. Chandler

Aaron Albert Chandler, 79, of Stanton, died 10:45 a.m. Wednesday in a local hospital following a lengthy illness. Services will be held 2 p.m. Friday in the First Baptist Church of Stanton with the Rev. Charles E. Carter, Midland, officiating. The Rev. Mack Alexander, Forsan, will assist.

Burial will be in the Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of the Gilbreath Funeral Home.

Mr. Chandler was born April 13, 1898 in McClennan County. He moved to Martin County in 1926.

He married Georgia Mae Morgan in Sweetwater on June 11, 1921. He was a retired farmer.

Survivors include the widow, Stanton; three sons, Norman M. Chandler, Dallas, Ivan Wayne Chandler, Irving, Vernon R. Chandler, Midland; a brother, Price Chandler, Lubbock; a sister, Mrs. Josie Armstrong, Lubbock; 12 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Bobbie Coleman

Mrs. Joe A. (Bobbie June) Coleman, 49, died Friday in a Hobbs, N.M. hospital following a short illness.

Services were held Saturday in Hobbs. Burial took place in a Hobbs cemetery.

She was born June 11, 1928 in Rosewell, N.M. but she grew up in Big Spring and finished high school here in 1945.

She married Joe Coleman Oct. 12, 1957. He is owner of Coleman Petroleum Engineering Co. in Hobbs.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Mark Coleman, attending college in Austin, Texas; two daughters, Marta Coleman, and Nancy Coleman, both of Hobbs. She is also survived by her mother, Mrs. Lou Baker, Alpine; one sister, Rhonda Rose Clark, Lubbock; her father George E. Bobb, Big Spring.

Angel Gonzales

Angel M. Gonzales, 59, died at 9:25 a.m. today in a local hospital. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home.

He was born August 2, 1918 in El Paso. He was employed by Pearl Distributing Company, retiring after 27 years.

He married Gregoria Villareal, February 12, 1938 in Big Spring. He was a member of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Gregoria, Big Spring; two daughters, Mrs. Albert (Linda) Gonzales and Mrs. Joe (Jovita) Trevino, Big Spring; one son, Joe Angel Gonzales Jr., Big Spring; his mother, Mrs. Jesuita Gonzales, Big Spring; four sisters, Mrs. Simon Chavez and Mrs. Joe Mata, Big Spring, Mrs. Juan Lomas, Houston, and Mrs. Delores Sapata, Wichita Falls; two brothers, Carmen Gonzales, and Manuel Gonzales, Big Spring; and nine grandchildren.

Henry Douglas

Henry Douglas, 82, died at 5:09 a.m. today in a local hospital.

Services are pending at River-Welch Funeral Home.

Survivors include two sons, Henry Douglas, Tulsa and Arthur Douglas, Teague; two daughters, Tessie Bowes, Hubbard, and Aileen Medlock, Mart, a stepdaughter, Mrs. James LaBrew, Big Spring, 10 grandchildren and a number of great-grandchildren.

Eliza Harden

Eliza Harden, died at 10:45 a.m. in a local nursing home.

Services are pending at River-Welch Funeral Home.

Houston — one of the more loquacious participants in the afternoon briefing. Canales would say no more.

CETA is the federal Comprehensive Employment Training Act, which funnels tens of millions of dollars into Texas each year to provide training and public service jobs for unemployed persons.



BACK TO SCHOOL — Black youngsters at a primary school near Salisbury, Rhodesia, wave to the photographer on the first day of classes earlier this month. Some 90,000 other children are reported to be out of school due to their schools being in combat areas of the continuing guerrilla war with militant black nationalists.

U.S. may buy plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — After months of hostility toward white Rhodesia's efforts to find an internal solution to its racial problems, the United States is edging closer to accepting Prime Minister Ian Smith's plan.

Rhodesia announced last week an agreement between Smith and three black moderate leaders on a formula for transferring power from Smith's white supremacist government to Rhodesia's black majority.

Britain, the former colonial power in Rhodesia, and the United States have been promoting a rival settlement plan under which Smith would surrender power to the British, who would then arrange for elections within six months.

But the administration on Wednesday called Smith's latest efforts a "step in the right direction," a sharp turnaround from more than six months of uninterrupted administration hostility.

The internal settlement plan announced by Rhodesia calls for a transition to black majority rule with no British role and with whites retaining certain privileges for a temporary period.

In a move one U.S. official attributed to "incompetence," the State Department initially denounced the accord. But it then retreated to a position of neutrality.

Wednesday, the department went still further by conceding that the agreement had some merit.

The movement reported in Salisbury is a significant step in the right direction," department spokesman Hodding Carter III said.

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Webster takes charge of FBI

WASHINGTON (AP) — William H. Webster officially takes charge of the FBI today, hoping to polish the bureau's tarnished image and make it a model of law enforcement once again.

President Carter planned to attend the afternoon swearing-in ceremony in the FBI building that is named for J. Edgar Hoover, the symbol of the bureau's past.

Chief Justice Warren Burger was to administer the oath of office.

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Farm

Bergland's trip 'kind of hairy'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Back from two hectic days of trying to sell his programs in the farm belt, Agriculture Secretary Bob Bergland said today he will continue to promote a three-year grain reserve and acreage controls as the best way to help farmers out of their financial crunch.

The trip was "kind of hairy" at times, Bergland said. At Amarillo, Texas, he was met Tuesday with snowballs and eggs thrown by a few protesting farmers who want immediate government action to boost prices of wheat and other commodities.

At Sioux Falls, S.D., on Wednesday, a small group of farmers wearing American Agriculture strike jackets and buttons heckled Bergland.

"These programs are generally being bad-mouthed by a lot of people," Bergland said in an interview. "But I took it head-on and told them they're wrong."

Bergland said the American Agriculture group is among the loudest in criticizing programs he has worked out under the new farm law but that some other groups, including the National Farmers Union, also are highly critical of administration farm policy.

Despite the heckling and a travel schedule aborted because of bad weather in Fargo, N.D., where he was supposed to end his two-day trip, Bergland said he thought the venture was worthwhile and that his programs "received good press coverage."

The trip was intended to attract news coverage of the grain reserve plan, which Bergland said "is the most immediate" action farmers can take to help themselves.

The plan calls for some 1 billion bushels of wheat, corn and other grain to be stored by farmers — subsidized by annual federal payments of 25 cents a bushel — for three years to help drive up market prices.

Through Feb. 15, however, farmers had signed up to put only 91.5 million bushels of 1976-crop wheat in the three-year reserve, plus much smaller amounts of corn and other grain. Bergland said

he thought the reserve program would begin to enlarge substantially over the next few weeks.

In addition, farmers will enroll March 1 through May 1 in acreage set-aside programs aimed at reducing the amount of grain produced this year to help stem the buildup of wheat and corn surpluses, currently the largest since the early 1960s.

The stockpiles weigh heavily on prices of grain and Bergland restated his view that the three-year reserve would help boost farm prices by removing some of the excess from the open market for an extended period.

Bergland said he plans to make a similar trip to plug his programs in major corn states next month, probably including Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and possibly one or two others.

Bergland contends that the good weather of recent years is not likely to continue in major world grain areas and that farmers need to store excess grain now so they can take advantage of rising demand and higher prices later on.

This is the second transfer of Mexican and American prisoners held since the two countries signed an agreement last year.

A first batch of more than 230 Americans was exchanged for 36 Mexicans in two groups in December.

The embassy spokesman said the prisoners will be transported in a Texas International Airways chartered jet which will take off from Houston.

The charges were filed Wednesday in Peace Justice Bob West's office against James Thomas Averette, 32, 2302 Marshall.

The charges were filed by Sheriff's deputy Bill Shankles in connection with the Feb. 13 burglary of a residence belonging to Tom McCann.

Averette has posted \$3,000 bond on the charge, as well as \$7,500 on other charges which have not yet been filed.

Matthis posts \$7,500 bond

Ralph D. Matthis, 27, Dallas, was arrested Wednesday by Dallas County deputies on a Howard County warrant for theft.

The warrant was issued by Peace Justice Gus Ochotorena after charges were filed Feb. 1 by Detective John Burson.

Matthis was released from custody after posting \$7,500 bond, set in Dallas.

Bandit draws 13 in prison

James Thomas Monroe, 17, Indianapolis, Ind. pleaded guilty Wednesday to armed robbery, and was sentenced by District Judge Ralph Caton, 13 years in the Texas Department of Corrections.

Monroe was filed on for the robbery charge earlier that day by Assistant District Attorney Don Richard in Peace Justice Gus Ochotorena's office. The charge was filed in connection with the recent attempted robbery of the Ramada Inn. The crime was foiled when the cashier slammed the cash drawer on Monroe's hand and sent him fleeing from the building.

Monroe was held under \$75,000 bond set by Peace Justice Bob West.

Beef prices skyrocket

WASHINGTON (AP) — Consumers are seeing beef prices climb to their highest levels in two years and not much relief is in sight, according to the Agriculture Department.

Preliminary figures show that the average retail price of beef, measured on an all-cut basis, climbed to almost \$1.47 a pound last month, a two-cent gain from December.

According to USDA records, the January price was the highest since beef averaged more than \$1.48 a pound in retail stores in January 1976.

The January price was up 5.7 percent from last September when beef nationally averaged less than \$1.39 a pound.

Pork prices also have climbed from their low marks of last fall to more than \$1.32 a pound in January, a 4.3 percent gain from less than \$1.27 last October.

Together, beef and pork make up a major part of the American food budget. Thus, when their costs increase, the family food bill is usually affected right away.

Department economists

Farm markets

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures No. 2 were higher in midday dealings today.

The average price for strict low middling 11-16 inch spot cotton declined 23 points to 52.70 cents a pound Wednesday for the 10 leading markets, according to the New York Cotton Exchange.

Midday afternoon prices were \$2.00 to \$4.25 a bale higher than the previous close, Mar. 55-10, May 56-93, and July 58-05.

have been predicting for some time that 1978 meat prices would be higher, particularly for choice cuts of beef which USDA includes in its price analysis. That is meat from choice-grade cattle which have been fed grain before slaughter.

Despite the sharp increases in recent months, no one is predicting that retail beef prices will climb to the record levels of a few years ago. In July 1975, the average all-cut retail price of beef was \$1.61 a pound.

The underlying reason for rising beef prices is that cattle producers, financially hardpressed for several years, voluntarily undertook to reduce their herds by sending surplus cows, calves and other cattle to slaughter.

This resulted in consumer beef prices being held in check the past two years, averaging less than \$1.39 a pound over the entire 24 months against the record annual average of \$1.46 in calendar 1975.

By the beginning of this year, the U.S. cattle inventory was pared to 116.3 million head, a 12 percent reduction from the Jan. 9, 1975, peak of more than 132 million.

Thus, USDA says there will be 2 to 4 percent less total beef on the consumer market this year than in 1977.

But there will be perhaps 10 percent more pork than in 1977 and broiler production may be up 6 percent or more. That means more competing meats for consumers to choose from this year. It also will help temper future beef price increases.

Further, inventories of feedlot cattle — the kind that produce the choicest beef — are up substantially from last year, meaning that retail prices could ease back a bit later this winter and early spring if the live cattle market weakens enough.

But the report said "the full effects of the prolonged dry winter will be known only when higher temperatures and sunshine prevail in the area.

Prisoners swap shapes

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Between 60 and 70 American prisoners will be transferred to the United States from Mexico March 6 under a new agreement between the two countries allowing them to finish their sentences at home, a U.S. Embassy spokesman said Wednesday.

That same day, between 40 and 50 Mexican prisoners convicted in the United States will be brought to Mexico to complete their sentences in this country.

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The charges were filed by Sheriff's deputy Bill Shankles in connection with the Feb. 13 burglary of a residence belonging to Tom McCann.

Averette has posted \$3,000 bond on the charge, as well as \$7,500 on other charges which have not yet been filed.

Matthis posts \$7,500 bond

Ralph D. Matthis, 27, Dallas, was arrested Wednesday by Dallas County deputies on a Howard County warrant for theft.

The warrant was issued by Peace Justice Gus Ochotorena after charges were filed Feb. 1 by Detective John Burson.

Matthis was released from custody after posting \$7,500 bond, set in Dallas.

Bandit draws 13 in prison

James Thomas Monroe, 17, Indianapolis, Ind. pleaded guilty Wednesday to armed robbery, and was sentenced by District Judge Ralph Caton, 13 years in the Texas Department of Corrections.

Monroe was filed on for the robbery charge earlier that day by Assistant District Attorney Don Richard in Peace Justice Gus Ochotorena's office. The charge was filed in connection with the recent attempted robbery of the Ramada Inn. The crime was foiled when the cashier slammed the cash drawer on Monroe's hand and sent him fleeing from the building.

Monroe was held under \$75,000 bond set by Peace Justice Bob West.

Yater's right to run for JP job questioned

STANTON — A justice of the peace candidate was questioned concerning his right to run by one citizen in Stanton this week.

Carroll Yater, seeking the position of justice of the peace, precinct one, was questioned by one source as to his residency since he had been residing in Midland in recent months.

However, the former county judge, has kept his legal address in Martin County, where the old family home is being renovated.

He is a registered voter in the precinct and living temporarily in Midland while work was done on the house. He recently moved back to the home.

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Local police spent a slow Wednesday.

Jack H. Barrett, 1005 E. 14th, reported that burglars had visited his home while he was out of town for the past two weeks. Stolen were a pair of Ostrich leather boots, a 30-caliber rifle with a

scope, \$70 worth of eight-track tapes and \$500 worth of clothes.

Total loss was estimated at \$920.

Vandals broke the bathroom mirror at the North Highland Texaco Station, 2501 S. Gregg, sometime recently. The looking glass was valued at \$20.

Two fender benders were reported Wednesday.

Vehicles driven by Cordelia Castle, 2100 Main, and Dorothy Keel, Levelland, collided at FM 700 and U.S. Highway 87, 4:38 p.m.

Vehicles driven by Susan Hull, 1425 E. 6th, Emma Leo, 411 N. Scurry, and Peggy Newton, Snyder, collided at 4th and Scurry, 5:26 p.m.

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Rep. Flood peddled his influence for \$59,000?

WASHINGTON (AP) — Newly released documents show Rep. Daniel Flood, D-Pa., took an interest in State Department contracts granted to a foundation head who allegedly paid Flood \$59,000 for his influence.

It was also disclosed Wednesday that the FBI is examining the contracts in what appears to be a widening investigation into allegations of influence-peddling and obstruction of justice by Flood, a senior

House Democrat. The latest investigation involves \$16.6 million in contracts granted by the Agency for International Development, without competitive bidding, to Airlie Foundation and an

arm of George Washington University, both groups headed by a Dr. Murdock Head.

Former Flood aide Stephen B. Elko has told federal prosecutors that between 1971 and 1974 Head paid \$59,000 to Flood, \$18,000 to Elko and \$10,000 to former Rep. Otto Passman, D-La. Flood, Passman and Head have denied the accusation.

Elko turned state's evidence after being sentenced to three years in prison for taking payoffs. He is considered a key witness in several investigations, including a probe of Flood and Rep. Joshua Eilberg, D-Pa.

News accounts dating back to 1975 had stated that Passman, then head of the House subcommittee handling AID's budget, pressured the agency to keep money flowing to Head's organizations. Wednesday a new document surfaced showing Flood also took an interest in Head's contracts.

The letter, released by AID under the Freedom of Information Act, was dated June 25, 1973, from then-AID Administrator John A. Hannah to Passman.

"In recent conversations you indicated that Congressman Flood had inquired of you as to the status of the Airlie Foundation projects," it said. "You can assure Congressman Flood that all of these projects will be funded through to their conclusion."

Flood has declined to respond to Elko's allegations, except to issue a

blanket denial. Passman, who has retired, said he is too sick to answer

questions about the matter except to deny taking money from Head.

James Sharp, an attorney for Head, said Wednesday that Head never gave anything of value to Passman or Flood. He said neither the FBI nor the Justice Department has contacted Head about the matter.

According to former AID officials and to the newly released documents, Passman made repeated calls to AID officials on behalf of Head's projects in the early 1970s.

One AID official, Jarold A. Kieffer, resigned in 1975, complaining of improper influence by Passman. He said he was asked for his resignation when he refused to drop his objections to granting Head a new \$5 million contract.

Kieffer's bosses at the time say his resignation was unrelated to Head's projects.

Head's work for AID involved birth control — producing films and training materials, conducting seminars for Latin American leaders and publishing a multilingual magazine. Their quality has drawn mixed reviews, including high praise for some of the films.

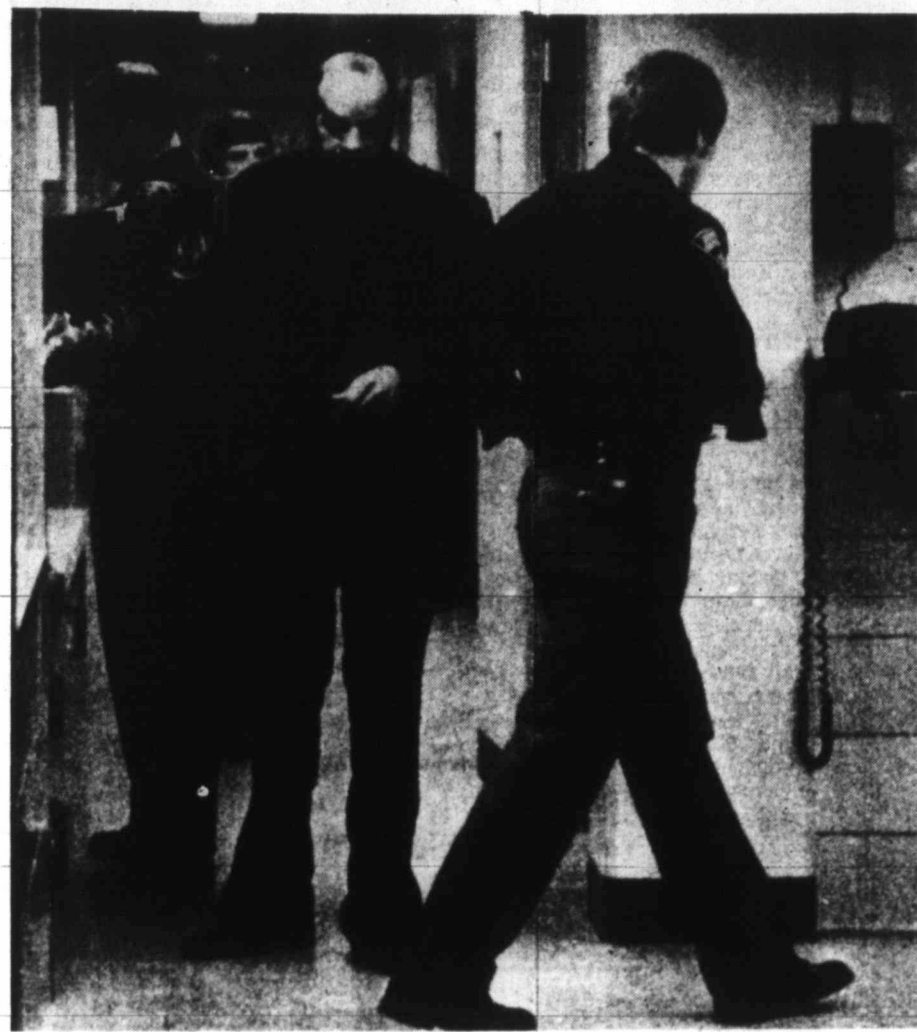
However, the General Accounting Office said in 1976 that Head's organization showed "repeated apparent non-compliance" with terms of its agreement.

More recently, AID officials allowed a Head contract to lapse on grounds that the work was not needed.

AID is negotiating with Head over nearly \$400,000 in what the agency said were possible excess charges for films and seminars.

Kieffer, head of AID's population control projects, described pressure by Passman to fund a \$5 million project Head was pushing in late 1974, even though other population projects were being reduced by Passman's subcommittee. A \$2 million version of the project was approved more than a year after his resignation.

Kieffer said Murphy had told him earlier of "congressional intervention."



BOOKED INTO JAIL — Byron Ball turns away after being fingerprinted in the Montgomery County Jail in Dayton, Ohio, early this morning. Ball was seized by police while allegedly holding Robert Herrmann hostage in a car in Springfield, Ohio, Wednesday night. Earlier, police said Ball had released Herrmann's two sons near Eaton, Ohio, where he had taken the trio after an aborted bank holdup in Richmond, Ind., Tuesday.



NO EASY CHAIR — United Mine Workers President Arnold Miller reads over telegrams in his office today in Washington. Miller's union is in its 80th day of a strike against the Bituminous Coal Operators Association. Both sides refused to meet face to face Wednesday. Secretary of Labor Ray Marshall met with President Carter early today to decide what steps the government would take next to end the strike.

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Hostage disarms con

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio (AP) — No one was more surprised than the police when hostage Robert Herrmann seized an opportunity to grab his abductor's gun and end a 30-hour ordeal with a bank robbery suspect.

"We had no idea he was going to do that," Lt. Roger Evans said in describing how Herrmann went for the 38-caliber pistol Wednesday night while Evans and an FBI agent sat in the back seat of the hostage car negotiating with the gunman, who was in the front seat.

"We had made our plans that if we got the opportunity I was to go for the weapon and the agent was going to go for the suspect," Evans said.

The abductor was identified as Byron R. Ball, 40, wanted for bank robberies in New Jersey and Ohio.

Evans said Ball had put the weapon down on the seat to light a cigarette when Herrmann made his move.

"The hostage took the gun and gave it to me and the agent grabbed him (Ball) and that was about the extent of it."

Ball was "surprised and shocked, too," Evans said. "He had been relaxed and I'm pretty sure he was fatigued because he had been up numerous hours. I don't think he had been asleep since this whole thing began."

Evans said Ball told him that "he couldn't give up because of his past life." Ball offered no resistance after his gun was taken.

Herrmann, a 38-year-old postal worker from West Manchester, told reporters he was treated "okay" by his abductor. "My greatest concern was last night with the boys," he said, referring to the first 17½ hours of the ordeal when his sons — Rob, 10, and Mike, 7 — also were held by Ball. They were released by Ball on Wednesday in exchange for another car provided by the FBI.

"After that, everything was a lot better," Herrmann said, adding that he talked little with his captor.

Asked if he ever considered jumping out of the car, Herrmann said: "Yes, I thought about it many times. But then I thought not."

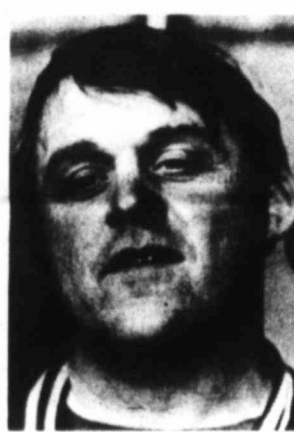
When Ball was arrested, he and Herrmann were seated in a car in this west-central Ohio city of 83,000 people. Riflemen were on the roofs of nearby buildings and other police officers were within 25 feet of the vehicle. The capture ended an

ordeal that began Tuesday when Ball commandeered Herrmann's car in Richmond, Ind., after a bank robbery. Ball was being pursued by police in a chase during which his partner was shot and captured along with most of the robbery money.

Ball fled east into Ohio with Herrmann and his sons but met police road blocks and turned around. He was stopped when police shot out the car's tires.

Negotiations Tuesday night and Wednesday centered on Ball's demands for a new car and a 45-minute head start. After Ball released the boys Wednesday, he was given a car and a 20-minute head start.

Ball and Herrmann traveled nearly 60 miles before being boxed in by police in Springfield after the car sideswiped another auto. This time Ball demanded a 45-mile head start and said he would release Herrmann later if authorities kept the bargain.



RELIEVED — Tired after being held hostage for more than 24 hours, Robert Herrmann contemplates a question during a news conference after his release in Springfield, Ohio, Wednesday night. Herrmann and his two sons had been taken hostage Tuesday after an aborted bank robbery in Richmond, Ind.

Weather

Skies remain clear in Lone Star State

By the Associated Press
Skies remained clear across the Lone Star State early today, but temperatures remained well above the recordbreaking levels of early Wednesday.

Forecasters indicated that temperatures would remain mild in the afternoon and cool at night, but said a warming trend would likely begin Friday and possibly continue for at least part of the weekend.

The only weather activity in the state during the pre-dawn hours was

FORECAST
WEST TEXAS — Fair through Friday with warmer afternoons. Highs in the 60s. Lows near 30 north to near 40 south except lower 20s mountains. Highs Friday upper 60s to upper 70s.
EXTENDED FORECAST
WEST TEXAS — Dry Saturday through Monday with slightly below normal temperatures most sections. Highs near 50 Panhandle to the lower 60s south and the mid 70s lower elevations of the Big Bend. Lows 20s north and 30s south.

the slow movement of a weak cool front nearing the Texas coast. There was no precipitation with the front and no precipitation in the forecasts.

Early morning temperatures were mostly in the 30s and 40s with pre-dawn extremes ranging from 24 at Marfa in Southwest Texas to 50 at Brownsville in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

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Sun sets today at 6:39 p.m. Sun rises Friday at 7:19 a.m. Highest temperature this date 85 in 1918. Lowest temperature 14 in 1960. Most precipitation .36 inches in 1970.



WEATHER FORECAST — Cold weather is forecast today for most of the country. Milder weather is expected in the West. Snow is forecast for the St. Lawrence Valley.

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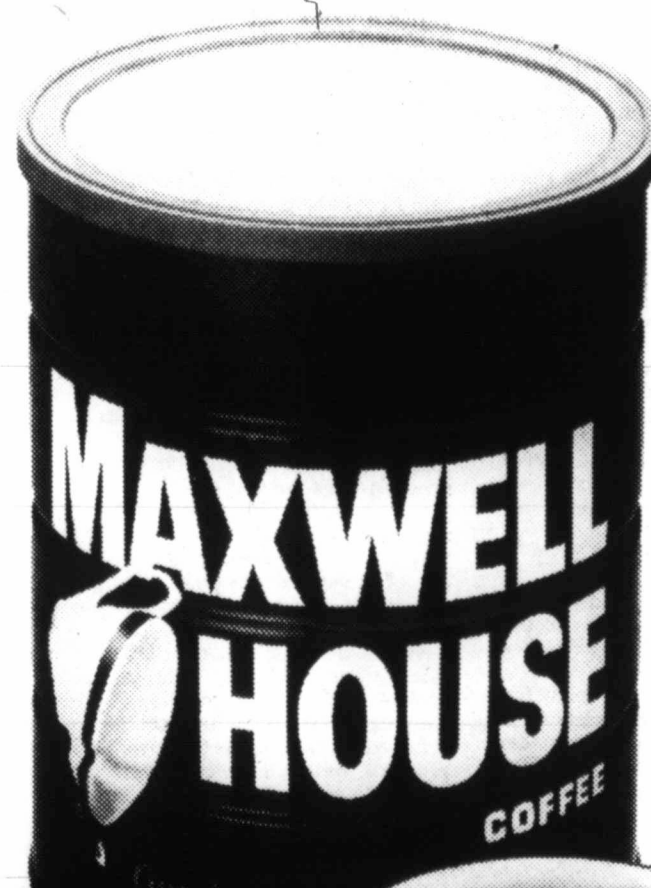
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Unusual issue looms in state fight

Texas Cong. Bob Krueger, who doesn't discourage easily, has undertaken a Mission Impossible—that of trying to reverse the runaway spending pattern of the federal government.

It won't be easy. The government got such a tremendous head start, but Krueger, acknowledging the fact that his campaign will be charged off as campaign rhetoric by some (he's now campaigning for the U.S. Senate seat held by Republican John Tower, said that "someone has to do something.")

There's a potential crisis at hand, Krueger reminds, adding that the manner in which it is met is far more important than any campaign in which he or anyone else is likely to be involved.

The congressman, who represents Glascock County and the 21st District in Congress, says we've reached the point where we must impose a ceiling on federal spending.

"Beginning as one person," Krueger says, "I am committed to making that occur."

Krueger wants the help of newsmen in evaluating the economic decisions being made in Washington which, he reminds, affect every facet of American life.

The representative from New Braunfels says he plans to offer an amendment to the First Budget Resolution, calling for a specific ceiling. That amendment will call for an immediate halt in the growth of the federal budget, which already stands at half a trillion dollars. The only increases that would be allowed under Krueger's amendment are boosts caused by inflation, or in case of national emergency. Large increases for new and unproved programs would stop.

This amendment would not mean that new programs could not be

generated, according to Krueger. It does not mean that people and places in need would go without federal help; but it would mean that the explosion the nation has experienced in federal spending over the past ten years would come to an overdue halt.

The congressman cautions that the deterioration in the economy and the lifestyle which has occurred in recent years in the Northeast could be repeated in the Sunbelt if something is not done to brake the dangerous trend that had such a negative effect on northeastern states.

It is a downturn in spending in the private sector — by industry and business — that concerns Krueger most. He says he is convinced it will take a new approach to federal spending priorities to reverse this trend.

Krueger cites the economic problems encountered by 30 cities, adding those problems may be mushrooming. Growth of employment

is occurring within government bureaucracy, not outside of it.

Krueger would re-emphasize in federal programs the need for additional incentives for the private sector. One such incentive would be the President's proposed tax cut. We need much more, Krueger reasons.

Krueger appeals for input in dealing with an economic crisis which the country must work, now, to avert.

Economists have been warning about the shocking spending policies of the government for years. Citizens in the private sector have seen the problems shaping up for years, yet their cries of alarm have invariably fallen upon deaf ears.

Krueger is right. Something had better be done before the country goes over the falls. Government has no appetite for policing its fiscal policies. Someone is going to have to do it for the bureaucrats.

Not bad trash

Around the rim

James Werrell



"The Betsy" is trash. But it's not bad trash.

The assemblage of actors and actresses that show up in this movie is astounding. We have Sir Lawrence Olivier, who some call the greatest actor in the world, Robert Duvall, one of the best supporting actors in the business, Edward Herrmann and Jane Alexander, who helped cop Emmys for "Eleanor and Franklin," as its stars, Lesley-Anne Down, lively and gorgeous Georgina on "Upstairs-Downstairs," Joseph Wiseman, a veteran character who oozes style, and Katharine Ross, a charmer too long absent from movies.

and Winston Churchill talking at the same time.

TO HIS FURTHER embarrassment, the movie has Olivier involved in a tacky subplot, bouncing off to bed with his own daughter-in-law (Ross). This is just part of what, if the ads are correct, "you dream about" and "they do."

Let's hope not! As a matter of fact, you'd have to be pretty loony to dream about getting beaten up, shot at, blown up, disenfranchised, divorced, becoming indebted to the Mafia or hopping into the sack with someone you're not too crazy about to begin with, which is what "they" are supposedly doing.

The movie is also a glaring example of an inequity that occurs frequently in movies in this liberated day and age. As I exited the theater, I overheard several women grumbling that although plenty of feminine anatomy had been displayed in the flick, there was nary a bare, male tush in sight.

Man or woman, this has to offend your sense of fairness. Aren't women entitled to a little voyeurism?

All things considered, you are better off saving two-and-a-half bucks, and catching this particular piece of celluloid (with a few strategic snips) on the TV, where it is sure to turn up soon.

WHY DID THEY appear in this movie? For the money? For the chance to work with Olivier? For the fun of acting in a piece of nonsense? Or possibly for the money?

All in all, the players add a flavor of competence to the enterprise even though nearly everything about the story is ridiculous.

Even newcomer Tommy Lee Jones, as racing driver Angelo Perroni, managed to breathe a little life into a role that consists of plastic-man-paws-princess-playfully.

But don't get me wrong: As I said, this is trash.

Olivier, as British as fog, struggles to maintain a nasal Detroit accent throughout the film. When it falters, Olivier sounds like Walter Brennan

Felt in Pentagon

Jack Anderson,



WASHINGTON — It has been a tragedy of our times that the Pentagon has actively aided and abetted the rise of military dictatorships in the Western hemisphere. There have been U.S. whisperings into the ears of Latin American generals who have suddenly seized power.

An influential clique of generals and colonels in the Pentagon could also be counted on to circle the wagons protectively around any Latin American dictator whose U.S. benefits were challenged.

But now President Carter is breaking down the "old soldier" relationships that have existed so long between our military brass and the Latin American despots. "There's a new wind blowing," said a top State Department official. A White House source agreed. "The trend is clear," he said.

During the backstage budget planning, the Pentagon cooperated in setting human rights guidelines for military aid recipients. A source said all arms, weapons and training programs were evaluated on human rights terms.

THERE WAS SOME resistance from those who have built their military careers upon promoting arms sales to other nations. But a participant in the inter-agency budget sessions told us: "The Pentagon has come around to accepting that we can have a policy that serves both our defense commitments and the President's human rights concerns."

The change in attitude is an historic development. For years, the Defense Department has maintained military advisers in most Latin American countries. They have developed close personal ties with the top military brass who have taken over these countries.

In 1963, only four small Latin American nations — El Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua and Paraguay — were ruled by military dictators. Then Brazil fell to a junta in 1964. Panama and Peru went military in 1968. The armed forces took over Bolivia in 1969, Ecuador in 1972, Chile and Uruguay in 1973, Argentina in 1976.

And behind most of the military dictatorships could be found former classmates in the Pentagon. The military rulers usually came out of training schools in the United States or the School of the Americas

established by the Pentagon in the Panama Canal Zone.

As evidence of the new attitude toward Latin America's tin-pot tyrants, we have been watching the Pentagon's dealings with the harsh regime that rules Uruguay. Last June, a top U.S. military man, Maj. Gen. Richard E. Cavazos, bluntly informed his Uruguayan counterpart that further aid was jeopardized unless his government rectified human rights abuses.

There was a significant sequel in December involving Gen. Dennis P. McAuliffe, sons of the late World War II hero, Gen. Anthony McAuliffe, who at Bastogne rejected a German surrender demand with the terse reply of "Nuts." As head of the U.S. Southern Command, the son is now the senior U.S. military officer dealing with Latin America.

On a special mission to Uruguay, he delivered a message straight from the shoulder that the Pentagon is behind President Carter on human rights. In a toast at a luncheon hosted by Uruguay's defense minister and other junta officials, McAuliffe said that U.S. military men had a legal and moral obligation to support human rights.

The desire for liberty is universal and irrepresible, he said. The degree to which the Uruguayan government supports this cause would have direct bearing on future relations, he declared.

As McAuliffe concluded a toast wishing progress and prosperity for the two nations, the senior host officials rose and stalked out, visibly bristling. Later that evening, the top military officers in the Uruguayan army boycotted a U.S. embassy reception for McAuliffe. Government-controlled newspapers hotly denounced what they called his "interference" in Uruguay's internal affairs.

UNDER RICHARD NIXON'S foreign policy, dictatorships flourished throughout Latin America. He was interested in their commitment against communism. It didn't seem to matter to him that governments like Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Paraguay and Uruguay are governed by terror and torture. But President Carter is changing the old attitudes.

Farmers, White house

Evans, Novak

WASHINGTON — Yet another effort by President Carter to calm down the nation's angry farmers went awry when the militant American Agriculture Movement came away convinced he was preaching a new "survival of the fittest" doctrine for the diminishing farm population.

That was not the majority view after the nearly two-hour meeting at the White House Feb. 14 attended by 21 representatives of various farm organizations. For example, president Alan Grant of the conservative Farm Bureau Foundation nodded in agreement with most of what he heard from the President, Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland and White House domestic policy chief Stuart Eizenstat.

That was obviously just what the President had bargained for: approval of the administration's present farm programs by old-line farm outfits. Their support is intended to smother opposition of the American Agriculture Movement, organizer of the current farm strike.

FOR THIS reason, the National Wool Growers' Assn. was invited, although the impact of Mr. Carter's disputed wheat and feed grain subsidy programs has scarcely anything to do with the wool growers. The same is true of the national peanut growers and cotton planters, also attending the meeting.

Setting off the latest anti-Carter surge among Midwestern wheat and feed grain farmers was the President's "survival of the fittest" theme; farmers indeed are in some trouble, and some indeed may not make it given the rising cost of farm equipment. But, said Mr. Carter, his farm policy offers definite "dividends to those who survive the present crunch."

He also emphasized that the Carter farm bill, passed last year, was the most expensive in history. But what immediately affronted the American Agriculture Movement's three representatives present were the words "who survive the present crunch."

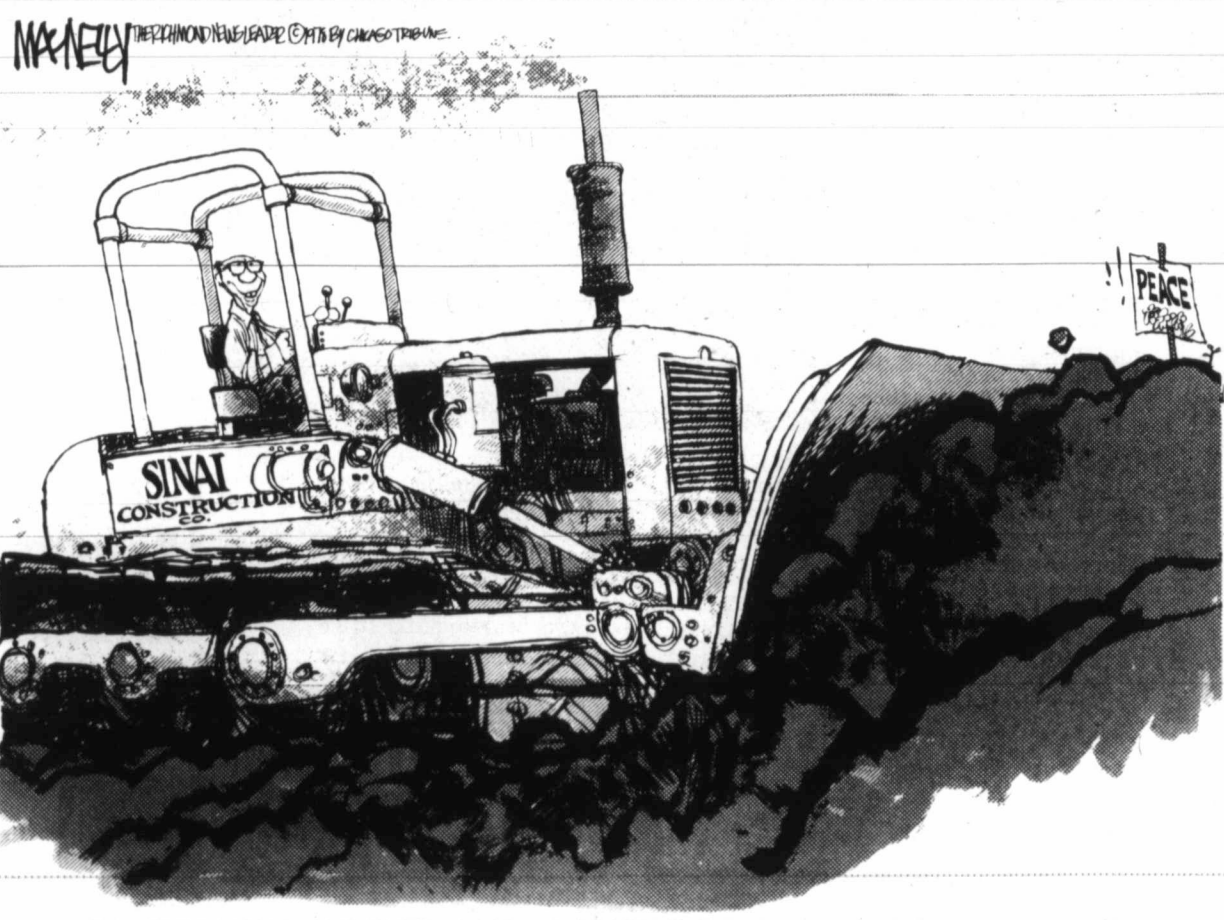
As a result, the Movement plans another march on Washington similar to, but perhaps bigger than, last month's tractor tie-up that angered Washington area commuters but won widespread support from Midwestern Congressmen.

ACTION'S END?

NOW THAT famed anti-Vietnam war activist Sam Brown has lost his battle with the White House to keep the Peace Corps in his ACTION agency, he may be getting ready for a grand political gesture: recommend termination of his agency to President Carter — and then return to the wars of elective politics in Colorado.

Elective state treasurer of Colorado before being named director of ACTION, Brown may have tipped his hand in a Feb. 7 confidential memorandum to a few top officials of ACTION. Explaining for the first time that he was supporting Mr. Carter's plan to move the Peace Corps to a new agency, Brown wrote: "It is inevitable that everyone, including me, will give some thought for his or her personal future."

Tom some of Brown's colleagues, was a clear hint that he is preparing to sever his one year's service to President Carter and go home. Terminating an agency (even if its component parts continue in other departments) would be highly popular in today's political climate. Brown denied to us any such intention, but key officials in ACTION insist otherwise.



"I JUST LOVE GARDENING!"

No food truly constipating

Dr. G. C. Thosteson



Dear Dr. Thosteson: Are some foods more constipating than others, and can you give me a list? I am trying to beat a constipation problem without the use of laxatives, which my doctor wants me to stop taking. He said I could help myself by watching what I eat, but didn't elaborate. — D.J.

You're wise to try to do it without laxatives. Readers of this column know how strongly I feel about laxatives being counterproductive in many cases of so-called constipation. But that's another story.

You ask which foods are constipating. In truth, no food is. Food usually acts as a mild laxative, either because of its content (certain salts, etc.) or because of its natural irritation that causes the necessary movement along the digestive tract. Many laymen miss the point that bulk can help correct a constipation problem.

Now some foods are more laxative than others. I discuss this in my booklet, "The Way to Stop Constipation." Sugar is quite laxative. So is fat, which can irritate the bowel and promote bowel activity. There is reason to praise the prune's laxative effect, as that of other fruits.

The problem is relying on natural laxative methods is that not enough time is allowed. If true constipation is not present (that is constipation caused by such conditions as bowel obstruction, an allergic reaction, or nervous colon) then matters can usually be brought under control with patience and adjustment of eating habits. You'll find this, too, discussed in the constipation booklet. Send 35 cents and a stamped, self-addressed envelope to me care of the Big Spring Herald. The fact that too little food can cause constipation is borne out in the mail I receive from those who report the problem while on stringent weight-loss programs.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I am 73, a male. About a year ago after some heavy lifting my right shoulder started giving me a lot of pain. After X

rays my doctor gave me shots, which did no good. He said it was a frozen shoulder. Another doctor said it was arthritis in the neck causing the shoulder pain. I also have neck pain. What do you think? — E.S.

Shoulder pain can be caused by arthritic changes in the neck, and one would suspect this as the problem because you do mention pain in the neck area, too. I can't go along with the frozen-shoulder idea. That is usually due to changes in the shoulder joint itself. It would show on X rays. A frozen shoulder would produce a great deal of pain on the slightest motion of the joint.

In another part of your letter you mention traction. Neck traction is often helpful when the arthritis involves the neck spine, which seems likely in your case. Your physician or a rehabilitation unit could instruct you in this.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I would appreciate information on the dangers of overexposure to the sun. Could this cause mental problems? — R.N.

For those of us in the northern part of the continent it's nice to contemplate any kind of sun exposure at this time of year. But, in answer to your question, the serious effects are heat exhaustion and sun stroke. Next are the effects on the skin from excessive exposure, a condition called actinic keratosis. That can be malignant. Next are lesser effects, such as the coarse, dry skin people who tan deeply develop in later life from too much sun.

A very high fever can occur with severe sun stroke (108 degrees) and might cause brain damage. But we

don't consider sun exposure as a cause of "mental problems" in the sense I think you mean.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Please define ankylosing spondylitis. — K. Arthritis that affects the spine.

Arthritis sufferers can be helped. Dr. Thosteson's booklet discusses many types of arthritis and related joint diseases as well as effective treatments and medications. For a copy of "How You Can Control Arthritis," write to him in care of the Big Spring Herald. Enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 35 cents.

Getting smaller

Quite likely, the 95th Congress will consider a Treasury Department recommendation that a \$1 coin be minted that would eventually replace the \$1 bill.

The new coin would be the same size as a quarter, which should give you an idea of how inflation has been galloping lately.

The \$1 coin would be convenient for consumers, primarily because of its size.

Only a few decades ago, clothing manufacturers had to make men's pockets extra durable because the males were carrying those giant "cartwheels" around in their pockets. Now, Kennedy half-dollars are considered too big for men to take with him on his person.

The size of the dollar, is shrinking. So is its buying power.

My answer

Billy Graham



DEAR DR. GRAHAM: My mother died a few weeks ago after a prolonged illness. I can't believe in God, when He lets people suffer so. My mother had a strong faith in Christ, which she kept to the end. — Mrs. M. A. C.

DEAR MRS. C.: It must seem strange to you that your mother kept her faith, although she was the one who was suffering, not you. Why do you suppose that was the case? It was because she knew God in a personal way, and she knew He was with her even in the midst of her suffering.

No, we can't always understand suffering. Suffering is part of our lives, and none of us is immune from it. Jesus said that God "maketh his sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust" (Matthew 5:45). We know that sickness and suffering were not meant to be part of God's creation; after God created the universe, He looked on it and said that "it was very good"

(Genesis 1:31). But sin entered the original design. Sickness, suffering and death are now part of mankind's lot.

We may not understand why someone may suffer, but the Bible tells us that God is with us even when suffering comes. In fact, suffering is made easier by knowing the presence of God. Remember, Christ suffered far more than we ever will, because He not only suffered physically but spiritually when He took our sins on Himself. "For Christ also hath once suffered for sins, the just for the unjust, that he might bring us to God" (1 Peter 3:18).

If your mother could speak to you now, she would urge you to accept Christ as your Saviour and Lord, and learn to trust Him every day whatever may come your way. Some day we know that all the suffering of this world will be over, because we will be with God in Heaven if we have accepted Christ.



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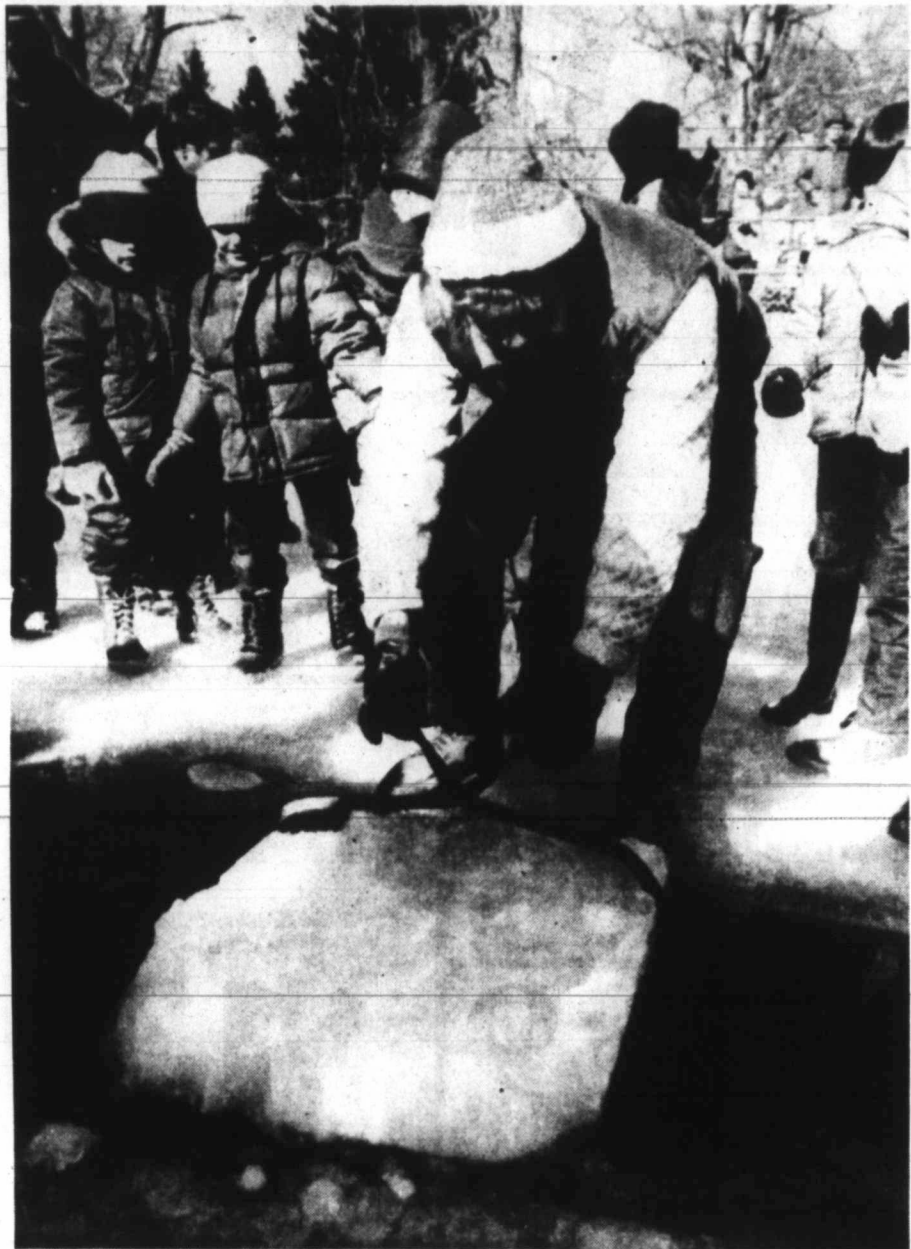
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HOW IT WAS — Bob Boone pulls a block of ice from a pond at the Stamford Museum and Nature Center recently during a demonstration of ice harvesting done with antique tools. Looking on are two interested youngsters. The tools belonged to Charles Clarke of Old Greenwich.

Teaching young how to harvest ice

STAMFORD, Conn. (AP) — The items spread before him were artifacts of Americana, mere curiosities of a more innocent age. The edge in his voice, though, betokened urgency, not nostalgia.

"These tools," Charles Clark said, "represent the highest form of their development. It took years for them to evolve. What a shame if we had to go through that process all over again."

Charles Clark's lonely crusade is to teach young Americans how to harvest ice, a long forgotten art. His reasons are practical.

"When we run out of oil — I do not say if we run out, but when — ice will be as necessary as it was before the days of the electric refrigerator. I'm one of the last remaining who knows how to harvest it, and I'm 75. There isn't much time left."

So Charles Clark, the other day gathered about 200 people, mostly youngsters, to the Stamford museum and explained how to work ice plows, breakers, hand cutters, saws, grapples and other "exotic" and fast-disappearing ice tools he has scoured New England to collect.

"Did you know that ice was once a leading American export, second only to cotton? We shipped ice to 50 countries, as far away as India.

"Harvesting ice commercially was a big business up until 1925. We made do well enough with refrigeration before we had electricity and I believe we will have to again."

As a teen-ager growing up in the nearby town of Old Greenwich, where he still lives, Clark earned Christmas money by working for the local ice house getting about 10 cents an hour.

"It wasn't easy work. We went at it from dawn to dark in bitter cold. The trick was to get two ice harvests a year, if possible, and we also had to cut it just at the right time.

"The ideal was a 12-inch-thick block. We started cutting when the ice was 10 inches thick and had it harvested before it was 14 inches. Any thicker and it

became too difficult to get."

Clark explained how the horse was hitched to the ice plow, how the plow cut all but the bottom two inches of the ice in a checkerboard pattern, how the plowed ice was rafted to the ice house, broken into the pre-cut squares, stacked in cubes and insulated with marsh hay.

"I'm not interested in sentimentality, really. I want somebody around in the next generation who knows how to use these tools. Look at them. Look at the curve of the teeth in that plow, how each tooth is a different size. That design

didn't develop overnight. If it is lost, it will have to be redeveloped."

That was Clark's fear three years ago, at the height of the energy crunch, when he began searching for the ice tools he knew as a lad.

He discovered a few here and there in antique shops, but at last hit the jackpot. "I located a 90-year-old man in Vermont who had been a commercial ice man and had inherited the business from his father. That put his knowledge of the business all the way back to the 1880s, the heyday of ice harvesting."

"We went out to his barn and found all the old tools.

They had been stacked there, unused, for 52 years.

"Here they are. They are in as good condition as they ever were. Now someone has to learn to use them after I'm gone to a warm climate."



Read the Garage Sale First in the Classified Section.



ANTIQUE ICE TOOL — Charles Clarke of Old Greenwich tells an audience at the Stamford Museum and Nature Center the workings of an antique ice plow. The plow was on view during a demonstration of ice-harvesting at the center. Clarke is a collector of antique ice harvesting tools.

PERMIAN BASIN HOME SHOW

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Court of inquiry to study evidence

EDINBURG, Texas (AP) — Amid courts of inquiry that are compiling potentially damaging testimony against him, the indicted director of a local anti-poverty program has asked for a leave of absence.

Eliseo Sandoval made the request in letters to the 45 board members of the Associated City County Economic Development Corp. (ACCEDC).

In recent weeks the board has given two votes of confidence to Sandoval despite felony theft indictments against him in neighboring Cameron County.

Sandoval's private business dealings with Nick Ramirez, the indicted director of the Hidalgo County Manpower program who is now on leave of absence, have been among the targets of the court of inquiry here and in Brownsville.

State District Judge Joe Cisneros said here Wednesday that his court of inquiry will end Friday. Cisneros said he plans to submit evidence he has gathered to a grand jury.

In Brownsville Wednesday, State District Judge Darrell Hester re-convened

his inquiry and heard testimony about a \$25,000 contract ACCEDC had with a Harlingen-based union.

Arturo Trevino, ACCEDC comptroller, told the court the money was paid to the Plumbers and Pipefitters Local 823 although the migrant worker study contracted for was never performed.

The comptroller said the contract was canceled three months after it was signed in December 1976.

Hester noted the contract was signed by Don Gray as president of the local although Gray never held that position.

Gray and his brother Clarence were among the 19 persons indicted in January on charges stemming from Hester's inquiry.

The Brownsville judge had re-opened his investigation to ask about a bracelet, reportedly valued at \$2,000, that an ACCEDC auditor was thought to have brought for Sandoval's wife.

McAllen jeweler Rudy Mantalvo testified the bracelet cost only \$159 but confirmed that auditor Ed Romberos purchased it and that it bore Sandoval's wife's first name.

Carterites 'spewing diplomatic bunk'

HOUSTON (AP) — New Hampshire Gov. Meldrin Thomson Jr., says the Carter administration has been "spewing diplomatic bunk" throughout the nation about the Panama Canal.

Thomson was the guest speaker Wednesday night at the 35th annual George Washington Birthday Dinner of a local chapter of Texas Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

About 300 persons attended the ceremony during which Thomson was presented the chapter's "Good Citizenship Award."

Thomson urged the group to oppose the signing of any treaty that would take control of the Panama Canal away from the United States. He urged his listeners to send cards to their congressmen urging them to vote against a treaty with Panama.

Thomson said President Carter is hypocritical in his human rights stand because the government of Panama, Cuba, Red China and others with which he is trying to improve relations have no regard for human rights.

He said the Carter administration is trying to convince the public that the canal zone has always belonged to Panama and never to the United States. He called the effort a "brazen attempt to distort history."

Thomson's arrival in Houston came on the heels of a visit to Panama where he said he spoke to persons who expressed their desire for Panama to remain under United States control.

NY Mayor names most desirable

NEW YORK (AP) — "I am the sex symbol," said Mayor Edward Koch after learning that 84 percent of the New York women questioned by Forum magazine consider him to be the most desirable male in the Big Apple.

"It restores my ego somewhat," he said, in responding to the poll that found single women feel the mayor should have a wife to share his Gracie Mansion home and his bachelor pad.

"Mary Lindsay said I am not sexy and to have 84 percent of the eligible women refute that restores my confidence," Koch said Wednesday.

Mary Lindsay's husband, John, had been voted the "sexiest man" in a British newspaper poll when he occupied Koch's City Hall seat.



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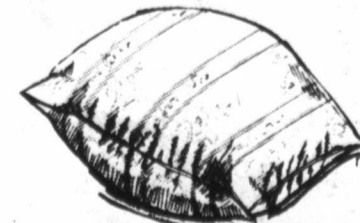
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Crime statute 'traps' nine

PUEBLO, Colo. (AP) — Four Coloradans, including an inmate at the State Penitentiary, were among nine persons indicted by a Texas grand jury on charges of conspiracy to smuggle or import heroin into the United States from Mexico.

Clemente Marquez, who has been in prison since October 1976 on a narcotics charge from Denver District Court, was

charged in the conspiracy despite his confinement.

Agent Ron Pietrafesa of the Colorado Attorney General's Organized Crime Strike Force said the investigation leading to the indictments was unique because it took place here, but was taken to a Texas grand jury for deliberation.

"We figured the case would be easier to prosecute in Texas because the overt acts

allegedly were committed there," said Pietrafesa.

The grand jury in Brewster County, Texas, also indicted Marquez' mother, Elvira, 57, and his brother, Miguel, 26, both of Denver.

Also named in the indictments last Friday but not yet taken into custody were Selentina Carreon, Weldon, Colo.; John O. Smith and Cecelia Herrera, both of

Albuquerque, N.M.; Chuey Carrasco, Presidio, Texas; Felipe Herrera, a Mexican national, and Gary Goforth, who died last October in an automobile accident.

All nine are being charged with a new Texas organized crime statute, conspiracy to import or smuggle narcotics into the United States. Bonds were set at \$75,000 each.

Midland books Larry Gatlin

Larry Gatlin will appear in concert March 15 at 8:30 p.m. Midland High School Auditorium to benefit the Midland-Lee Youth Centers.

Tickets are on sale at both Youth Centers and will be available at the doors on performance evening, reserved seats are \$15 and general admission is \$6.

In 1977, Larry Gatlin won the Grammy Award for Best Song Writer in the Country Western Field at which time he was also nominated for Best New Talent. At the Country Music Association Awards, he was nominated for Best Male Vocalist of the Year. This year he has been nominated for a Grammy Award as the Best Male Vocalist in the Country Western Field. The Awards Program will be aired on television tonight.

Larry has appeared on Johnny Carson, Dinah Shore, Merv Griffin and Mike Douglas shows and on Hee Haw. In December, Larry was featured on NBC's Tribute to Elvis Presley and was a star on the T.V. Special, Fifty Years of Country Music. At present he is preparing a tape soon to be seen on the Midnight Special.

Larry Gatlin with Brothers and Friends is appearing live this month in Las Vegas. They have also appeared in Tahoe and Reno. Four of their best hit songs are "Broken Lady," "Love is Just a Game," "I Don't Wanna Cry" and "I Just Wish You Were Someone I Love." Support of this concert will help defray much of the maintenance and operational expenses of the Midland and Lee Youth Centers for 1978.

Daily News demise is near

CHICAGO (AP) — The Chicago Daily News, noted for a history of excellence in writing and foreign reporting, will cease publication with its March 4 edition.

Publisher Marshall Field made the formal announcement Wednesday, less than three weeks after he said the board of directors was "contemplating" a shutdown of the city's last remaining afternoon newspaper.

The Daily News, with an accumulation of 15 Pulitzer Prizes during its 102-year history, reported losses of \$11 million in the last year and \$21.7 million since Sept. 30, 1974. Its average daily circulation declined from 397,598 in 1974 to 329,078 last September.

The Daily News' demise will leave two dailies in Chicago.

The Tribune Co. shut down Chicago Today, the Daily News' only afternoon competitor, in 1974 and extended the morning Chicago Tribune to "24-hour" publication including afternoon editions.

Field Enterprises canceled a Daily News promotion campaign early this month, giving notice to some 985 employees that the newspaper's long-rumored demise was near.

Nugent succeeds Dick Slack as speaker pro tem

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Rep. Jim Nugent, D-Kerrville, has been appointed speaker pro tempore or assistant speaker of the House during 1978.

Nugent succeeds Rep. Dick Slack, D-Pecos, who served for 1977.

Speaker Billy Clayton said Wednesday the position is filled by appointment one year at a time.

Nugent has been a member of the House since 1960. He currently is chairman of the House Transportation Committee and serves on the Public Education and Calendars committees.

Duties of the speaker pro tem include serving in the absence of the speaker in calling the house to order, performing all other duties of the chair, presiding over deliberations of the House and exercising other responsibilities as may be assigned by the speaker.



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2 cups cooked, dried white or pea beans (or 1-16 oz. can)	2 stalks celery, chopped
small piece of salt pork	2 carrots, chopped
2 1/2 basil	handful of fresh stringbeans or 1/2 pkg. frozen stringbeans
1 T chopped parsley	1/2 head cabbage, thinly sliced
1 T olive oil	1 10-oz. pkg. frozen peas
1 onion, chopped	5 T raw rice
1 garlic clove, crushed	salt and pepper to taste
3 tomatoes, peeled, seeded, chopped	2 T butter
2 potatoes, peeled and diced	1/4 cup grated parmesan cheese

In a large kettle, saute onion, garlic, celery, parsley, basil and salt pork in olive oil until the onion is soft. Add 10 cups salted water and add all the vegetables. Cook the soup over low heat, uncovered, for about an hour and a half. Twenty minutes before the soup is ready add rice and continue cooking until rice is tender. Add butter and 1/2 cup of parmesan. Add salt and pepper to taste. Serve with bowl of grated parmesan.

Banking panel to quiz Miller

WASHINGTON (AP) — Textron Chairman G. William Miller's chances of heading the Federal Reserve Board rest on whether the Senate believes he told the truth about a Textron payment to an Iranian firm. The issue has nothing to do with monetary policy, bank regulation, interest rates, inflation or unemployment — matters that Miller must deal with if he is confirmed to succeed Arthur Burns as the nation's central banker. Rather, the Senate Banking Committee wants to question Miller about his sworn testimony at his confirmation hearing last month that he knew nothing about the role of the Iranian air force's commander-in-chief in the award of a \$500 million contract to Bell Helicopter, an important

Textron subsidiary. The committee also wants to know if a \$2.95 million Bell payment to a firm in which the Iranian general had a silent interest was a legitimate corporate expense or an improper payoff to secure business eventually worth more than \$1 billion.

On Wednesday, the committee heard the results of a month-long staff investigation, then decided to call Miller and other witnesses for two more days of open hearings next week. Miller will be asked to explain what some committee members called "contradictions" between his testimony and what investigators have learned.

Miller, 52, was Textron president and head of its aerospace division from 1960 until 1974, when he became chairman. His nomination by President Carter as chairman of the Federal Reserve was widely hailed in the business community.

In the early 1970s, Bell negotiated with the Iranian government the largest helicopter sale in Bell's history. Air Taxi Inc., Bell's agent for helicopter sales in Iran, received a \$2.95 million payment from Bell, allegedly to settle commission claims arising from

the helicopter sale. Banking committee members are asking whether the 1974 payment was legitimate or was channeled to Iranian government officials. A payoff at the time did not violate U.S. law. But later disclosures of payments by U.S. firms to foreign officials to clinch sales have led to the recent passage of a law barring that type of payoff.

Iranian public documents obtained by the U.S. State Department show that Mohammed Khatami, the Shah of Iran's brother-in-law and commander-in-chief of the Iranian air force, was an owner of record of Air Taxi from 1957 through 1965. Intelligence information gathered by the CIA and the Defense Department shows him as a secret owner at the time of the Bell sale. Khatami, who died in an accident in 1975, was referred to as "No. 1" in coded messages between Bell and Air Taxi, according to the banking committee's investigators.



DEEP TUNNEL WORK — Work goes on in the 200-foot deep Metropolitan Sanitary District's Deep Tunnel project under Chicago and surrounding communities. A citizen's group has asked for halt on the project, which is being constructed to control pollution and flooding. Cost of the project has risen from original estimate of \$1.6 billion to \$7.3 billion.

Critics dig 'Deep Tunnel' project

CHICAGO (AP) — Gnawing their way through limestone bedrock 200 feet below the streets of Chicago, giant machines are carving a mammoth sewer system called "Deep Tunnel."

Above ground, critics from here to Washington, D.C., are saying the project digs too deeply into tax coffers, and may cause more harm than good.

The Metropolitan Sanitary District of Greater Chicago, which is building Deep Tunnel, describes it as an innovative solution to two big problems: water pollution and lowland flooding. The project has attracted interest of other municipalities and officials in Milwaukee and San Francisco have begun studying it.

Deep Tunnel is a network of 132 miles of tunnels, ranging from 11½ feet in diameter to 35 feet, big enough for three railroad locomotives to drive side-by-side.

The system would take sewage and storm water from Chicago and 52 suburbs and channel it to underground reservoirs. The water would be hauled up and treated before being released into streams and rivers.

The system is being cut out of the layer of dolomite limestone that lies deep beneath Chicago. Moles, \$5 million to \$7 million machines that bore through the rock, leave behind corridors with smooth, almost polished walls.

Chicago always has been plagued by flooding because the land is low and flat, making it difficult to get rid of sewage. The current sewer system periodically backs up during rainstorms, sending a mix of stormwater and sewage into residential basements and, occasionally, into Lake Michigan, which the city and many suburbs depend on for drinking water.

Critics charge that Deep Tunnel will not clean the 75-mile stretch of the Illinois River now polluted with Chicago's waste. They fear sewage might leak through the tunnel walls to pollute groundwater, and that blasting for the tunnel might rock the foundations of

downtown skyscrapers. They also charge that the tunnel is just too expensive. The sanitary district acknowledges that the estimated cost has risen from \$1.6 billion in 1972 to \$2.6 billion. But a study by the congressional General Accounting Office says the true cost would be closer to \$7.3 billion by the time the tunnel is completed in 1983. If financing were to continue, the reservoirs would be built after 1983.

A GAO draft report recommended a halt in federal financing of the project. Federal money accounts for 75 percent of the current work.

Citizen and government watchdog groups have also called for a halt in construction.

The coalition has proposed an alternative plan including the creation of water retention ponds, redesigned storm sewers to slow water flow and increased water

Quads born premature

ALBUQUERQUE (AP) — The condition of the quadruplets born two months premature to an Albuquerque couple is being monitored closely by doctors and nurses at Bernalillo County Medical Center.

The three girls and one boy born Wednesday were listed

in guarded condition, a spokeswoman for Bernalillo County Medical Center said.

BCMC public information officer Patricia Sussmann said the condition report is "normal in case of premature babies."

She said the babies ranged in weight from two pounds, six ounces to one pound, two ounces. The boy was the smallest.

Their mother, Elaine Gross Dyble, 29, was listed as "doing fine."

Their father, Thomas J. Dyble, 32, a chemical engineer at the Air Force Weapons Laboratory at Kirtland Air Force Base, said, "Almost from the beginning I was expecting twins."

He said later, however, tests indicated it might be triplets.

"That was quite a shock," Dyble said, but helped prepare him for another test

done just before Christmas, which showed quadruplets.

"It wasn't as much of a shock to go from three to four as it was from two to three," he said.

The babies had not been named.

The hospital information officer said the first baby was born at 8:42 a.m., and the others came very rapidly afterward.

Girl A weighed two pounds, six ounces; girl B weighed two pounds, two ounces; girl C weighed two pounds, one and a half ounce, and the boy weighed one pound, two ounces, the hospital said.

The information officer said Mrs. Dyble's doctor was aware it would be a multiple birth and had her admitted to BCMC because of the hospital's newborn intensive care unit.

The Dybles also have a 2-year-old daughter.

Howard College players to present 'Monsters'

Howard College players will present two performances of the William K. Gleason short play, "Monsters," 7:30 p.m. Friday and 2 p.m. Monday. The play, a modern melodrama, liberally spiced with comedy, was written for mature audiences.

It is an original, as yet unpublished, Gleason work. The playwright should be remembered by local audiences as the author of the successful comedy, "They'd Hang You In Dallas," presented almost

two years ago in a dinner theatre by Howard College's Hawk Players.

Gleason has now published "Dallas," as well as six other plays. The Howard College thespians will take the play Tuesday to Wharton for the State One-Act Play Festival, where it will compete with 14 other junior college presentations.

The cast includes, Adriana Underhill as Carrie, Shane Brockman as Bryon, Laurie Choate as Mona and Ken Carney as Ted.

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- 1.2 Communist soldiers for each NATO soldier.
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- 2.4 Communist land-based, fixed-wing tactical airplanes for each NATO warplane.

Kremlin building up military might

LONDON (AP) — The Soviets are building up their land, sea and air forces faster than the NATO allies, the British government warns.

"Soviet forces have in many areas been strengthened in size and quality on a scale which goes well beyond the need of any purely defensive posture," a Labor government report said Monday.

It said Moscow spends 11-13 percent of its resources on building up its military might, and that the Kremlin can deploy its forces easily "in support of its political interests in the Third World."

The report said despite a British slowdown in defense spending, 4.9 percent of its gross national product goes

for defense, compared to 3.4 percent for the West Germans, and 5.5 percent for the Americans.

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Texan feels weird playing one of Fun City's finest

By JAY SHARBUTT
AP Television Writer
LOS ANGELES (AP) — Joe Don Baker usually is on one side of the law or the other in films. He was a convict in "Cool Hand Luke." As Sheriff Buford Pusser, he battled Tennessee baddies in "Walking Tall."

After that, he was a Mafia hit man in "Charley Varrick," then a gunslinger who hit the Mafia in "The Outfit." Now he's back with the good guys in a four-hour NBC movie to air March 20-21.

It's "To Kill a Cop." He plays a New York detective trying to nail a black radical who kills cops. Baker, down-home of manner, was asked if it doesn't feel weird playing one of Fun City's finest.

"For a Texas boy, a small-town Texas boy? Yes, indeed," drawled the 6-foot-2, 200-pound native of Groesbeck in central Texas. Baker may be an industrial-strength tough guy in films, but in the flesh he's an articulate, soft-spoken, pleasant man. He even holds a degree in business, of all things, from North Texas State.

It was there, he said, he got into the business of acting. The decision was preceded by much indecision, he added: "When I was a fresh-

man, I said, 'Well, next year I'll know what I want to do.' Sophomore year, I said the same thing.

"Finally I got to be a senior and I still didn't know what in hell I wanted to do. Then a friend got me in a college play, two or three lines, and I got bit by the acting bug."

It stuck with him through a two-year Army stint at Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D.C., where in his spare time he studied at an acting workshop led by Logan Ramsey, an actor he greatly admires.

In 1960, Baker went to New York to seek acting jobs and continue his studies at the Actor's Studio. He kept body and soul together working at jobs that ranged from waiting on tables to greeting the public as night clerk at the Hotel Manhattan.

He said his studio work led to roles in two plays, "Blues for Mr. Charlie" and "Marathon 33," but pickings were so lean he got fed up and moved here in 1965

"because I was starving to death."

"I got tired of working at those other jobs, of not being able to do what I wanted to do, which was act."

He's had few gripes on that count here. In fact, he's just finished a new theatrical movie, "The Pack." It's due out in April. He calls it "Jaws' with paws."

In it, he plays a marine biologist on an island terrorized by once-tame dogs who've banded together and gone wild. While making his NBC movie, he went back to New York for location work. It's his first trip there since his discouraged departure in 1965.

"The city's not all that different," he said. "It might be a little dirtier, a little weirder, but not all that different."

"It was sort of nice, though, to stay in a real good hotel on Central Park South and be able to afford taxis..."

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Texan's \$65,000 used car sleeps 12, never burns gas



(AP WIREPHOTO) ONE-MAN RAILROAD — James Stillman of Brownsville, is owner of the one-car Texas Cannon Ball Railroad. Amtrak tows the car for \$1.50 per mile.

BROWNSVILLE, Texas (AP) — James Stillman's used car sleeps 12, has a full-sized dining room and has never burned a gallon of gas. Stillman, 74, bought the luxury car in 1976 for a measly \$65,000. He heard about it through a magazine advertisement. "I wasn't looking for any railroad car. But my brother saw an ad for it in Trains magazine. He said, 'You're always going up to New York with your cats and dogs and children. You can take them all in that,'" the retired physician recalled. So he headed for Chicago,

looked over the vintage railroad car and "in a weak moment of my brain called my broker to see if I had \$65,000 in cash." The private car is now the entire rolling stock of Stillman's Texas Cannon Ball Railroad. For \$1.50 per mile Amtrak will haul Stillman's car on any of their routes—usually. "I thought it would be great. I could go hither and thither but I found out it's not that easy with all those damn regulations and specifications," he said. But despite the paperwork — he must file his travel

plans two months in advance — the Cannon Ball has rolled on about a dozen trips. The vintage car was built in 1922 for the president of the Wabash Railroad. It's fitted with two bedrooms, several bathrooms, a dining car and a sitting room. The \$1.50 per mile Amtrak fee is only part of the rising prices that make private rail travel expensive. It costs \$50 per night in a railroad yard, usually in a decaying part of town. Each time the Cannon Ball is switched to another train it costs Stillman \$160. And because of the lack of

passenger train service in the Rio Grande Valley, the car must be hauled by freight train to Houston or San Antonio for trips. The 90-ton car sits on a siding in Port Brownsville when not in use. The longest sojourn to date carried the Stillmans from Houston to Chicago to Toronto to Montreal to New York to Washington D. C. to New Orleans and back to Texas. "Most rail travel in the East goes through the most boring country but in the West it's beautiful," he said.

The train took its name from a railroad run on Stillman's youth in New York. The Long Island Cannon Ball once carried a 6-year-old James Stillman from Brooklyn to Montauk Point on Long Island. The doctor laments the passing of the railroad era. But he said there is some hope that train travel will not vanish. "When you think of the European railroads and how fine they are and how popular they are ... and the

Canadian rails are like being on a piece of butter," he said. Rail travel offers a leisurely pace Stillman said cannot be found in the friendly skies. "You take your time. You eat a little more than you should and you drink a little more than you should."

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Cliche signs tax considered

By HUGH A. MULLIGAN
AP Special Correspondent
PUNTA GORDA, Fla. (AP) — Towns and villages at their wits' end over where to find more revenues might consider a cliche tax on retirement cottages named "Wits End" or "Dun Roaming" and holiday

homes called "Lost Weekend" and "Second Mortgage." People who assault the public patience with cutesie sign posts should be made to pay for their insipidity. The town assessor might levy a \$20-a-year tax bite for a moderately unclear house sign like "Hell's Quarter Acre" and up to \$50 for a clinker like "Paradise Refinanced."

"Roe," or a "Hind" or a "Hart." At a seafood place, one is confronted with the doorknob decision of "Gulls" or "Buoys," while nightclub take delight in disguising their plumbing arrangements behind such frivolities as "Gusy" and "Dolls," "Laddies" and "Lassies," "Daphnis" and "Chloe" and "Romeo" and "Juliet."

There was a joint down in Greenwich Village that had "Damon" and "Pythias" marked on the alternate doors, and I'm still not sure what that was all about. Eateries that identify their rest rooms with caricature figures differentiating the sexes can be the cause of embarrassing choices like the Greek restaurant in Nicosia, Cyprus, where the male figure is adorned in a skirt. I understand one could have the same problem in Edinburgh.

If I were making out a tax schedule for cliche sign boards that cry out for public vengeance, I'd go the limit on road houses called "Dew Drop Inn" or "Snack Shack" or "Gnosh and Gobble" or "Steak Out." Or any cloying combinations like "Keg and Kettle," "Brew and Brisket" or "Beef 'n' Bottle." There was a roast beef emporium in London called "Rump and Roister" that went bankrupt but made a comeback as "Saddle and Siroin," which should have put the proprietor in double jeopardy of the tax man.

Jimmy's White House

Billy hurls softball glove at president

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House is fooling tens of thousands of tourists who troop through the famed Red Room each year.

To impress the visitors, decorators have lined up a couple of dozen authors in a glass-front bookcase. Those whose names are emblazoned in gold on red leather bindings include Adam Smith, Goethe, Edmund Burke, Locke, Berkeley, Hume and Dante.

There's only one jarring note to this impressive display calculated to induce visions of a hard-working president spending off hours devouring classical literature. These are bindings, not books. The space behind them is empty.

There are patches of snow around Washington, but in

some White House offices thoughts already are turning to spring and prospects for another busy season for one of the nation's most publicized softball teams.

"Please don't write anything about us," urged Mark S. Weiner, manager of the White House team. "After all the publicity last year, we got about a thousand requests for games from all around the country."

Weiner, a staff assistant to President Carter, deals with presidential appointments and scheduling — and with scheduling the team that carries the White House banner.

Looking forward to launching the new season in April, Weiner so far has set up a game here that month with employees of WDFW Radio, Marion, Ohio.

In 1977, visiting teams came from as far away as Indianapolis and Atlanta. Pressure of business bars the White House stalwarts from traveling.

In a season stretching from April through September, the White House team last year won 46 games and lost 24.

Although Carter is enthusiastic about softball as a form of exercise, he never has played with the White House group. One can only imagine the hubbub he'd cause were he to show up at one of the public park diamonds the team uses.

The president confines his playing — he's a pitcher — to games in his hometown of Plains, Ga., and at Camp David, Md., his Marine-guarded weekend retreat.

That Carter and brother Billy, another regular at games in Plains, are hotly competitive cannot be doubted. During one outing there last summer, the brothers, who always play for opposing teams, became so heated in arguing about a disputed putout that Billy hauled off and threw a glove at the president.

In Carter's absence, the best known regular on the White House team is press secretary Jody Powell, the shortstop. The pitcher is a woman, scheduling director Frances L. Voorde.

Law student sues school

NEW YORK (AP) — First-year law student Kevin Spivak probably won't get any special recognition from Columbia University, but he has won an out-of-court settlement.

Spivak sued the Ivy League school in Small Claims Court last fall, complaining that apartments in his dormitory were unpainted and the appliances didn't work.

The university had given tenants a week's rent rebate of \$38 while repairs were being made. Spivak asked for more because the work took three weeks.

Spivak asked for \$370. In a settlement, he got \$40 court costs and a \$20 rent rebate — which also went to 21 other tenants.

Spivak, who shares his apartment with four others, is working toward degrees in law and business administration.

Fire threatens to engulf block

TEXARKANA, Ark. (AP) — An early evening fire Tuesday destroyed a two-story frame apartment house in Texarkana.

For a time the fire threatened to engulf the entire block, officials said. Fire units from Arkansas and Texas departments fought the blaze for nearly 1½ hours.

Richard Olive, a resident of the apartment house, said the fire apparently started in the rear of the structure. A strong, northerly wind spread flames to the rest of the house, and firefighters struggled to keep the blaze away from a business next door.

Officials said the flames spread to the roof of the business, but the fire was brought under control before any damage was done there.

A structure to the east of the burning house, the St. Michael convent, was threatened briefly by fire, authorities said. The convent houses the Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word.

No estimates of damage to the apartment house were available.

Restaurant owners who insist on identifying their toilet facilities with precious titles are both a menace to public morals and an affront to the sensibilities of their patrons. A \$100 minimum might be in order here.

In a country inn or hunting lodge, I am often at a loss to determine in a jiffy whether I am a "Pointer" or a "Setter," a "Doe" or a

"Rump and Roister" that went bankrupt but made a comeback as "Saddle and Siroin," which should have put the proprietor in double jeopardy of the tax man. In the depression days,

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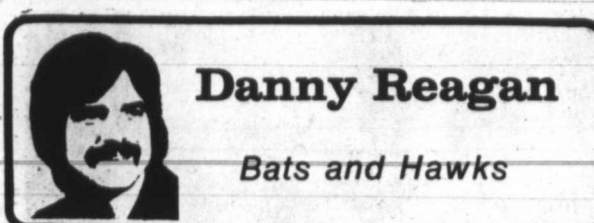
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Bats and Hawks

Attention: Whoever ordered up Wednesday afternoon, Steer baseball Coach Tommy Collins will take a month more of the same.

Wednesday was picture day for this year's squad of diamond men, and the weather had everyone in good spirits.

"Collins talked to the Amarillo coach yesterday," said assistant coach Rex Scofield, "and the guy told him that they haven't been able to get outside yet because of the weather."

"Yeah," Collins joined in, "I asked him if he'd like to come down and play. I hear Southern Ohio is looking for a few scrimmages too."

The good weather may have given the session an air of optimism, but Collins was realistic about his club's chances this year:



STEER COACH
Tom Collins thanks weather gods

The Steer batmen were handed a 6-1 defeat Tuesday in a scrimmage against Odessa Ector. The locals garnered five hits and played nine innings using all 17 varsity members.

"That (the scrimmage) wasn't a very good indication of what shape we are in, because we looked at so many people, including four pitchers," Collins offered.

In that scrimmage, returnees Kevin McLaughlin and Tony Mann were good for two singles and a double, respectively.

Mann and Vernon should give the locals power from the batting box, and Ricky Torres should headline the quick steppers. Once again, however, the niners aren't blessed with speed.

The Steers travel to Ranger Saturday for their next scrimmage, and open their regular season at home Wednesday, March 1, against Lamesa.

Barely catching their breaths, the locals then participate in the El Paso Tournament March 3-4, return to play Ft. Stockton on the 6th, and then enter the prestigious 16-team South Grand Prairie Tournament, March 9-11.

WHY ALL THE HAWK POWER?
You may have noticed that the Howard College Hawks have been playing basketball lately like someone tied live grenades to their shorts. Why this increased spirit or sense of purpose?

"I think two things have made the difference," said Head Coach Harold Wilder. "First of all, Joe Cooper has been playing with intentness the whole 40 minutes. I've thought all along that this would be the key to our play."

"He's been really getting with it, and recently he's been playing as hard as he can," Wilder added.

The second reason is the return to strength of sophomore Eugene Williams, according to Wilder. Williams had a severe bout with the flu much of last month, lost 20 pounds and could only play four or five minutes at a stretch due to the accompanying weakness.

Super sophomore Russell Sublet, the league's leading scorer, has tallied up 735 points in 30 ballgames for a 24.5 average. He has been a driving force on the club all season long, through slumps and through peaks.

Indications are that the Hawks will have a playoff with one of the northern teams in quest of a Region V tourney berth. The picture is fuzziest because of "Power Points" and standings positions which can juggle about considerably after tonight's conference finales.

If the Hawks finish fourth they would play the northern fifth place team, which happens to be Ranger. If HC takes fifth place, they would play the NJCAC fourth-place squad — Grayson.

Western Texas, Odessa and NMJC have clinched tourney berths in the WJCAC, and Cooke, Hill and McClelland (all 9-3) are in from the NJCAC.

The two remaining slots in the eight-member tourney will go to either Howard College, Amarillo, Clarendon of the WJCAC or Grayson (7-5) or Ranger (5-6) of the NJCAC.

Other standings in the NJCAC are: Weatherford (4-8), Southwest Christian College (3-8) and Cisco (1-11).

In the WJCAC, Frank Phillips (7-10), Midland College (7-10), South Plains (6-11) and NMJC (5-12) have already been eliminated for any chance of post-season play.

REMARKABILITIES
"An extensive survey of our players' shower room indicates a strong preference for Lady Bouquet and the pink Love Suds beauty bar. One of the players has a preference for Lava but he has to shower separately. Two players will only use the shower if a bathtub with Mr. Bubbly is not readily available. There are no Dial users at this time." — GARY LOH, Houston Rockets marketing director, on potential advertising campaign involving NBA-Dial soap.

Lemons, Hogs make AP listing

DALLAS (AP) — Arkansas' deadeye shooter, Ron Brewer, Baylor's slick, playmaking guard Vinnie Johnson, and Texas Coach Abe Lemons earned the top laurels on The Associated Press 1977-1978 All-Southwest Conference basketball team.

Brewer, a 6-foot-4 guard who averaged 17 points per game, was the catalyst to the first team ever to be ranked No. 1 in The AP poll. The Razorbacks stumbled at Houston to lose the top spot.

Brewer was a unanimous choice by the SWC coaches as Player of the Year.

Johnson, a 6-foot-1 junior college transfer who learned his basketball on the

playgrounds of Brooklyn, was named The Newcomer of the Year. Johnson led the league in scoring with a 21-point average and narrowly missed a berth on the first team All-Conference

apparently because of the Bears' second division showing.

Lemons, the folksy and foxy coach of the surprising Longhorns, was a runaway pick by his fellow coaches as

SWC Coach of the Year. However, Gerald Myers of Texas Tech and Rice's Mike Schuler each received one vote.

Such is the buildup in SWC talent that the second team could give the first team fits.

Arkansas landed Brewer, Sidney Moncrief and Marvin Delph on the first team.

Texas had guard John Moore and inside muscle man Ron Baxter.

Texas Tech's Mike Russell was in a tie with Delph for the final spot.

Johnson led the second team which included high-scoring Jim Krivacs of Texas and three University of Houston stars Cecil Rose, Mike Schultz and rebounding whiz Charles Thompson.

Baxter was the only sophomore on the first two teams.

Juniors included Moore, Moncrief, Johnson and Krivacs.

Brewer, Moncrief, Delph, and Russell were repeaters off the 1976-1977 team.

Lemons, 56, came off a 13-13 year to mold a 22-4 club that was ranked as high as No. 12 in the nation during the year. Texas split with Arkansas which breezed through the league unbeaten last year.

Lemons had said before he came to Texas after tours of duty at Oklahoma City and Pan American that he was looking forward to working at a place that had its own school song.

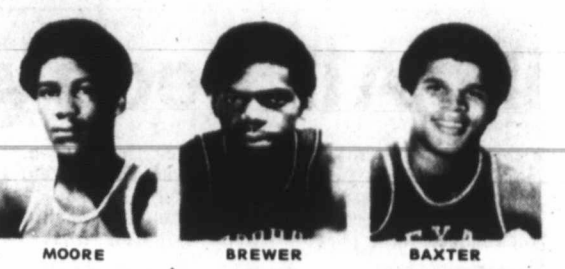
"I've coached teams that didn't have one," he said. "All I could do was sit around and hum."

DALLAS (AP) — Here is The Associated Press All-Southwest Conference basketball team as selected by the league's coaches for 1977-78.

FIRST TEAM
John Moore, Texas, 6-1, 170, Jr., Altoona, Pa.; Ron Baxter, Texas, 6-4, 205, Soph., Los Angeles, Calif.; Ron Brewer, Arkansas, 6-4, 180, Sr., Fort Smith, Ark.; Sidney Moncrief, Arkansas, 6-4, 185, Jr., Little Rock, Ark.; (tie), Marvin Delph, Arkansas, 6-4, 180, Sr., Conway, Ark. and Mike Russell, Texas Tech, 6-7, 220, Sr., Buffalo, N.Y.

SECOND TEAM
Vinnie Johnson, Baylor, 6-1, 200, Jr., Brooklyn, N.Y.; Cecil Rose, Houston, 6-5, 190, Sr., Nassau, Bahamas; Jim Krivacs, Texas, 6-1, 160, Jr., Indianapolis, Ind.; Mike Schultz, Houston, 6-9, 220, Sr., New York, N.Y.; Charles Thompson, Houston, 6-7, 230, Sr., Nassau, Bahamas.

PLAYER OF THE YEAR — Brewer, Arkansas
NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR — Johnson, Baylor
COACH OF THE YEAR — Abe Lemons, Texas



AP ALL-SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE BASKETBALL TEAM — These are the players named to The Associated Press All-Southwest Conference Basketball Team. Top, left to right: John Moore, Texas; Ron Brewer, Arkansas and Ron Baxter, Arkansas. Bottom, left to right: Sidney Moncrief, Arkansas; Mike Russell, Texas Tech and Marvin Delph, Arkansas. The six-player selection resulted in a tie in votes for Delph and Russell.



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Portland loaded with picks

By The Associated Press
In case the Portland Trail Blazers are unhappy with their present squad, which happens to be running away from the rest of the National Basketball Association, they can do some instant rebuilding in June.

They will have as many as three choices in the first round of the college draft, thanks to a series of trades involving Moses Malone, Wally Walker and Archie Clark — yes, the same Archie Clark who retired two years ago.

Besides their own first-round pick, the Blazers also own Buffalo's top choice, which they received in exchange for Malone last season. They also can exercise an option to take Detroit's No. 1 pick, which the Pistons had sent to Seattle for Clark several years ago, and which Seattle dealt to Portland in exchange for Walker this winter.

If Portland prefers, it can elect to take Seattle's 1979 first-round choice as payment for Walker. The Blazers would thus enter this summer's draft with "only" two first-rounders.

Is all that clear? If not, don't worry. The draft situation is so confusing the NBA recently sent a memo to all clubs in an effort to clarify who owns what pick.

Don't even bother trying to determine when your favorite team will get to pick, because so many clubs are bunched around the .500 mark that a team can move up or down as many as a half-dozen places in one week.

The number of first-round choices each club has is a bit simpler to figure out, although a total of 14 trades already have been made involving No. 1 picks in the

1978 draft. More are likely to be completed before the June lottery is held.

As of now, Atlanta, Boston, Milwaukee and Washington head into the draft with two first-round choices each. Seattle also can go in with two No. 1's, depending on what Portland elects to do regarding the Walker deal.

On the other hand, six teams presently are without first-round picks — Buffalo, Cleveland, Denver, Detroit, Houston and Los Angeles.

If the teams were to finish in the current positions in the standings, the coin flip for the right to pick first in the draft would be between Indiana and Kansas City. Indiana has the worst record in the Western Conference,

while Kansas City owns the No. 1 pick of the New Jersey Nets, as a result of the Tiny Archibald trade made in 1976, and the Nets have the worst record in the East.

An interesting sidelight, as the draft nears, will be the final value of the draft picks NBA Commissioner Larry O'Brien awarded as compensation when teams signed players as free agents last summer.

Golden State received Los Angeles' highest No. 1 choice as partial compensation for the Lakers' signing of Jamaal Wilkes and New Jersey received Houston's first-round pick, which had been obtained by Buffalo for Malone, as compensation for the Braves' signing of Mike Bantom.

Hawks close out season

The Howard College Hawks and Hawk Queens end regular season play tonight in Snyder against the Western Texas College quints.

The Hawk Queens, 24-5 on the season and 9-2 in conference play, have already been seeded first in next week's Region V tourney to be held in Abilene. The local women have already assured themselves a first-place tie in the WJCAC no matter what happens tonight.

The Hawks, 19-11 on the year and 9-8 in league action, will be after their 11th 20-win season out of the past 12 years. The locals finished with 19 wins last year.

With a win tonight, the Hawks could also clinch a share of fourth place in the conference and a right to playoff game with a Northern Lubbock College Athletic Conference team.

The Queen's game begins at 6 p.m., and will be followed at 8 o'clock by the men's contest.

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WJCAC STANDINGS

Team	W	L	W.L.
Western Texas	12	5	23.7
NMJC	11	6	22.7
Odessa College	11	6	22.8
Howard College	9	8	19.11
Amarillo	9	8	18.12
Clarendon	8	9	14.13
Midland College	7	10	16.14
Frank Phillips	7	10	13.15
South Plains	6	11	14.15
NMJC	5	12	13.17

TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE
(Final regular season games)
HOWARD COLLEGE at Western Texas, Clarendon at Amarillo, Midland at NMJC, Odessa at Frank Phillips, NMJC at South Plains.

Raiders-Aggies on TV

DALLAS (AP) — The Southwest Conference announced today that the postseason tournament basketball game between Texas A&M and Texas Tech in Lubbock Saturday will be regionally televised with the tipoff at 3:10 p.m.

Other games and times announced by the SWC include Southern Methodist at Baylor, 3 p.m.; Texas Christian at Arkansas, 7:30 p.m. and Rice at Houston, 8 p.m.

The winners of the first-round games will travel to Houston for the finals of the postseason tournament in the Summit. The survivor of the round robin plays Texas in the Summit Saturday, March 4, for the right to represent the SWC in NCAA playoffs.

Texas and Arkansas tied for the regular season championship but Texas got a bye through the league's intricate tiebreaker system.

The league, which has been experimenting with a rule that eliminates tipoffs, will go back to them to get the teams ready for NCAA tournament games.

Spinks drawing stares

NEW YORK (AP) — The black gunfighter's hat was enough to draw stares when he walked through the lobby of a midtown hotel, but there were also tentative glances of recognition for the new heavyweight champion of the world.

It was a week ago today that Leon Spinks awoke as the heavyweight champion of the world, conqueror of "The Greatest" and he says now "I haven't really gotten used to it. I still got a lot of things to learn."

But the 24-year-old veteran Spinks' approach is much more subdued than his clothes: "Try to understand me and you'll like me."

He was loose Wednesday night during an interview for which he wore all black plus two false teeth that plugged the now-famous gapped tooth grin that can spell malice as well as friendship.

"The whole world seen it," Spinks said of his stunning victory. He had nothing more to say about it.

But of the responsibility that victory assigned to him, he said: "New things are happening now that I have to adjust to. I have to pay more attention to business."

Business, moneyness and attentiveness, is about to become brisk for the man from a St. Louis housing project, who warned the world with a devastating march to the Olympic light heavyweight championship in 1976, then still caught it off guard by beating Ali.

He got \$300,000 for becoming heavyweight champion. The real gold is still to come. Figures for an Ali rematch are being put at \$5 million apiece.

Ali, who has talked much more since his loss than before, has a rematch very much on his mind. "It's almost certain that I'll be fighting Spinks in three months," the ex-champ said Wednesday in London. Ali mentioned Madison Square Garden.

"No way," Butch Lewis, vice president of Top Rank, Inc., said of the Garden as a site for the rematch.

Stewart named PHS head coach

PETERSBURG — A former Midland Lee coaching assistant, Jim E. Stewart, has been named head football coach at Petersburg High School.

Stewart, 31, is a graduate of Southwestern Oklahoma University. He replaces Gary Gaines, who resigned to become head coach at Denver City.

Anti-Kuhn tune hits charts

NEW YORK (AP) — A bloc of baseball owners is working slowly behind the scenes to send Commissioner Bowie Kuhn back into the full-time practice of law.

An Associated Press survey indicates that nine of the 26 owners today would vote in a secret ballot to fire Kuhn, who has five years remaining on a seven-year term. But one owner who was identified as being against Kuhn said his team was standing firmly in the commissioner's corner.

The private lobbying against Kuhn hasn't reached the roll call stage yet, but owner Brad Corbett of Texas is known to have approached several of his colleagues about dumping the commissioner.

Corbett had Kuhn's head in his hands three years ago in a meeting in Milwaukee

when the commissioner's contract came up for renewal. The Rangers' owner was one of four American League executives aligned against Kuhn at the time, enough opposition to make him one-term Bowie.

But in an 11th-hour gambit, Los Angeles owner Walter O'Malley convinced Corbett and New York Yankees owner George Steinbrenner to change their votes.

The other nay-sayers in 1975 were American Leaguers Charlie Finley of Oakland and Jerrold Hoffberger of Baltimore. Ray Kroc of San Diego was adamant in his opposition, but was coaxed to change his National League vote at the last minute for the sake of unanimity.

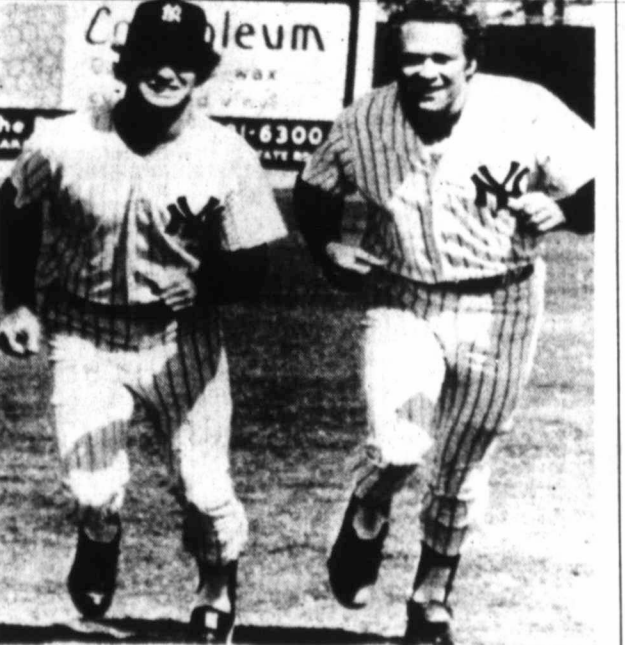
Contacts with several ownership sources have

provided a list of at least nine owners who are opposed to Kuhn today. They are Finley, Corbett, Hoffberger, Steinbrenner and Kroc — the same owners in opposition in 1975 — plus four more: Gene Autry of California, Bill Veech of the Chicago White Sox, Ted Turner of Atlanta and Bob Hunsam of Cincinnati.

But Steinbrenner asserted in a statement the Yankees would have "absolutely no part" in any "Dump Kuhn" plan.

"No one in baseball has been penalized more, with the possible exception of Charlie Finley, than we have ... I certainly don't agree with every decision the man makes and there may be differences in our philosophies on some things, but he has one of the toughest jobs in the world, trying to

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TROTTLING TIME — New York Yankee pitchers Don Gullett, and Andy Messersmith jog about the outfield during spring training at Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. Wednesday. The two were limbering up prior to the workout.

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Like Ali, Leon will avoid his fellow Marine

LAS VEGAS—Some years ago, an earthy gyrene, sore at his drill instructor, changed the Marine motto from Semper Fidelis to "Screw You, I Got Mine." Which brings us to the relationship between Leon Spinks, former USMC, and Ken Norton, former USMC.

Ken Norton was the most famous Marine alumnus in the boxing game until a man in a tux stood in center ring at the Las Vegas Hilton the other night and said, "Ladies and Gentlemen, the winner and new heavyweight champion..." Right then and there, Leon Spinks became the most famous Marine alumnus in the boxing game.

Does this mean that Champion Spinks will show proper partiality by giving challenger Norton the first shot at his new crown? It most certainly does not. It means that, from the Halls of Montezuma to the shores of Tripoli, Leon Spinks will avoid Ken Norton. This is carrying on the finest tradition of the previous champion, Muhammad Ali, who wanted no further part of Norton.

Don't Even Know Ken Norton

On the first day of Leon Spinks' life as heavyweight champ, there was a traditional press conference. Somebody asked about Ken Norton. The response, roughly, was "who's that?" You'd have thought the Spinks people had been asked about an entry in the sub-division of the Golden Gloves, not the man recognized by the World Boxing Council as the No. 1 challenger.

Bob Arum has a plan that he expects to put into operation. Bob Arum is president of Top Rank, Inc., the promotional outfit which, in effect, made Leon Spinks champion by offering him as pushover bait to Muhammad Ali. Arum, no schmo, tied up Leon Spinks for the next 3 to 6 fights—3 for sure, 3 more at Arum's option. This was "if-money" — if Spinks were to upset The Greatest, which he did.

Arum's plan calls for a match between Bernardo

Mercado and Kallie Knoetze, to produce a No. 1 challenger for Leon Spinks.

The Mercado-Knoetze match will take place in March, with the winner to fight Spinks in May. If Spinks still is champion after that, he will, in September, give Ali a return shot. Nowhere there do I see Ken Norton's name mentioned.

If there is someone from Mars who has never heard of Bernardo Mercado, or for that matter Kallie Knoetze, let me hasten to explain. Kallie Knoetze is a South African who recently hit Duane Bobick on the top of the head in the third round and knocked him



YOUNG IDEAS

By DICK YOUNG

out, Bernardo Mercado is a Colombian whom Ali recently pushed around the ring in an exhibition.

The WBC probably will say the Arum plan is a joke, but that is nothing compared to what Arum has to say about the WBC. Arum Wednesday night called Joe Sulaiman, president of the WBC, a fool, ripped Sulaiman's notice for a post-fight press conference off the bulletin board, and had the Hilton Hotel refuse Sulaiman a room for said conference—which was canceled.

Sulaiman had planned the press conference with the expectation that Ali still would be champion. It was the WBC's intention to announce that Ali was being stripped of his crown for not honoring a return match with Norton. When Spinks complicated Sulaiman's life by upsetting Ali, the WBC intended to transfer the Norton obligation to the new champ.

The WBC had agreed to put its good housekeeping seal of approval on the All-Spinks match only if the winner would agree to fight Ken Norton. Both agreed, and there is supposed to be a piece of paper to that effect. It is traditional in boxing that such agreements are conveniently written on Charmin tissue.

What it amounts to is this: Bob Arum, Top Rank, Leon Spinks, et al, will do as they please. The man who controls the heavyweight title controls boxing. That is axiomatic. Leon Spinks will do as he pleases, any WBC proclamations notwithstanding.

Leon Spinks, boy champion, is enjoying the expansive feeling. He says he wants to relax and do some traveling. He wants to take a cruise, and wind up in England. For reading matter, he is taking along a stack of telegrams just received, many of them from Marines vicariously thrilled.

"Congratulations champ," reads one. "Marines all the way." — Richard Blanchin, maj. USMC, Woodridge, Va.

There's another from the commandant of Marines at Klamath Falls, Ore., offering the beauty of Crater Lake if Leon wishes to rest up there, and no KP, promise.

A Hearty Salute

One wire offers him \$100,000 for an automobile commercial, and there are lots of God-bless-yous. One Ali die-hard wires: "You're the champ, but you're a punk, and The Man will be back to nail you."

"Congrats for restoring boxing to an honorable profession," wire Dick and Paula Atkinson, "Don't change your name."

"Congratulations, a Marine can always beat a draft dodger," is the sentiment of Mrs. Ruth Barlow of Merchantville, N.J.

And then there's Lou Elkins of Concord, Calif., who wired Spinks: "31 years ago I left the Marines. I haven't saluted since. I salute you today, with all my heart."



PREPARATION — Greenbelts Tom Nelson, left, and John Wilson practice for this Saturday's belt examinations to be held at the YMCA. The two lads will be after their blue belts at that time. All other color belts, including black, will be tested beginning at 2:30 p.m. Instructor Lee Yu Son has invited the public to view these tests and karate demonstrations. Lee teaches the Tae Kwon Do form of martial arts, and is a 7th degree Black Belt.

Comatose boxer dies in Spain

MADRID — Spanish middleweight boxer Rubio Melero died five days after he was knocked unconscious in a professional bout in Madrid.

Doctors said the 23-year-old fighter, in a coma since being knocked out by Spanish middleweight champion Francisco Rodriguez, died of heart failure.

Sports Digest

Coach's card abused?

AUBURN, Ala. (AP) — Auburn University officials are trying to determine whether student athletes are responsible for unauthorized calls made on basketball coach Bob Davis' telephone credit card.

It was disclosed Wednesday that Davis' secretary, Dot Dennis, ordered the coach's credit card canceled because of possibly fraudulent use of the card number by student athletes.

Mrs. Dennis said telephone operators in Birmingham alerted her to the possible abuse.

Davis said he knew nothing about the unauthorized long distance calls, and vowed that those students responsible, if caught, would have to repay the university and face other disciplinary action.

The National Collegiate Athletic Association outlaws such "fringe benefits" as credit cards.

Record teams enter meet

PRINCETON, N.J. (AP) — A record 78 colleges have entered the 57th Intercollegiate ICA indoor track and field championships at Princeton's Jadwin Gym, March 4-5, meet director Art Farnham said Wednesday.

Farnham said 1,176 athletes have been nominated for the 15 events for the Saturday and Sunday afternoon meet.

Angels slapped with fines

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — The California Angels were hit with a \$5,000 fine by Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn for tampering with Kansas City Manager Whitey Herzog. Neither the Angels nor the commissioner's officer would verify reports of the fine.

Lawrence sues Post

SAN FRANCISCO — Larry Lawrence, a former Oakland Raiders quarterback, filed a libel suit Thursday against the Saturday Evening Post, asking in excess of \$500,000. The suit contends a March 1977 article included false statements about his football career which ridiculed him and "greatly injured his reputation."

Southwestern coach resigns

GEORGETOWN, Texas (AP) — John Edwards resigned Wednesday as basketball coach at Southwestern University here after a successful three year career.

The former Big State Conference coach of the year said he was resigning because of problems he was having with some of his players.

The 44-year-old coach posted a 47-31 record at Southwestern, with a 17-6 record this season. He announced no future plans.

Casals beats Hunt

DETROIT — Fifth-seeded Rosemary Casals beat Australia's Leslie Hunt 7-5, 6-3 in the second round of the \$100,000 Women's Professional Tennis Tournament's six-day Detroit stop.

DENVER — Nick Saviano defeated Swiss newcomer Heinz Gunthart 6-3, 3-6, 7-6 in the second round of a \$125,000 men's tennis tournament.



TAKING IT ON THE CHIN — You have to take a lot to get to the top in boxing but Leon Spinks, the world's new heavyweight boxing champion probably found that most of it was not as pleasant as a buss from Finnish actress Mina Sappinen at New York's Studio 54 Wednesday night.

Congress to begin major NCAA investigations

By TOM SEPPY
AP Sports Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress, after more than five months of investigation, will begin public hearings Monday into the powerful police arm of the National Collegiate Athletic Association, the major governing body of intercollegiate athletics in the United States.

The House subcommittee on oversight and investigations will hold the first of what should be eight days of hearings into the policies of the NCAA, particularly the enforcement of its rules and regulations.

The subcommittee staff has visited seven of the some 100 colleges and universities involved in official inquiries by the NCAA since January 1970, the period covered by the Congressional investigations, as well as having studied thousands of documents.

First-day witnesses include J. Brent Clark, an attorney who resigned from the NCAA enforcement unit last Dec. 30, and representatives of Mississippi State. On Tuesday Jack Fusak, a past NCAA president, and officials of Michigan State are scheduled to testify.

Mississippi State was suspended two years for alleged recruiting violations. The suspension expired last season. Michigan State was suspended three years for alleged football recruiting violations. The suspension ends after the 1978 season.

Clark, an Oklahoma lawyer who now works for the committee staff, is expected to testify that the NCAA has a policy of "selective punishment" under which certain major colleges are never investigated or penalized by the association when they

are suspected of having violated NCAA rules.

Clark also plans to testify, according to the New York Times, that the NCAA selects for penalties those major colleges that do not fully cooperate with the NCAA.

In its March edition, Sport Magazine says

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keep peace among 26 of the most cantankerous individuals in the world, and he has done a pretty damn good job.

"He has given stature and strength to the office of commissioner and it is about time some owners stood up and supported him and gave him the credit that is due instead of trying to undermine the office," said Steinbremer.

There is disagreement over how many more negative votes would be needed to fire Kuhn. Some owners say five more anti-Kuhn owners would produce a simple majority of 14 (out of 26 clubs), tipping the balance against the commissioner. Since there is no procedure for dismissal, however, other owners contend the rules for renewing the commissioner's contract must apply.

Those rules mandate that the commissioner receive positive votes from at least three-quarters of the owners in each of the two leagues.

"I think it would take far more than a majority vote," said American League President Lee MacPhail. "If the commissioner was convinced that a large number of clubs were against him, I think he would resign."

Kuhn has refused to

First of a series

congressional investigators are encountering witnesses "terrified" of testifying against the NCAA.

The subcommittee, headed by Rep. John E. Moss, D-Calif., is studying whether the investigative methods of

the NCAA provide for due process, whether the association is violating antitrust laws and whether it levies fair penalties against member colleges, their coaches and athletes.

The investigation of the NCAA enforcement program was instigated by Rep. James D. Santini, D-Nev., a

comment on the matter. Kuhn lobbyist, did not return the calls of The AP. But earlier in the week, Corbett was quoted in the Dallas Times-Herald as saying: "We're gonna get him (Kuhn)."

Kroc said Corbett approached him about buying out the remaining five years on Kuhn's contract.

"We had conversations on other subjects and it came up in conversation," Kroc said from Chicago.

"I would participate, and Brad has indicated that there are a number of other people who would participate."

Finley, the biggest thorn in Kuhn's side, has been calling for the commissioner's ouster for some time. Wednesday, he was happy to do it again.

"I'd stand on top of the Sears Tower — the largest building in the world — waving a sign, 'Fire Bowie!'"

Finley says Kuhn's interventions in Oakland operations have ruined him financially and forced him to try and sell his troubled club. In 1976, Kuhn canceled Finley's \$3.5 million sale of three of his top players, saying the deals were not in the "best interests of baseball." Last month, Kuhn voided Finley's trade of

pitcher Vida Blue to Cincinnati.

With his latest decision, Kuhn apparently lost the support of Howsam. A source said Howsam circulated to all the owners and general managers transcripts of the Blue hearing, Cincinnati press releases on the subject and Howsam's opinions.

One baseball executive said Howsam's presence in the anti-Kuhn camp was significant since he is one of the sport's most respected and influential officials.

Scorecard

College

Division	Team	Score				
EAST	Boston Col 76, Connecticut 74	OT				
	Bridgeport 87, Adelphi 68					
	Cheyney 51 59, E. Stroudsburg 45					
	Delaware 87, W. Chester 79					
	Georgetown, D. Co 51					
	Ohio 81, Washington 77	OT				
	Hartwick 80, Potsdam 51	60				
	Lafayette 96, Bucknell 82					
	Pittsburgh 72, Duquesne 65					
	Rutgers 81, Villanova 78	OT				
MIDWEST	St. Bonaventure 108, LaSalle 95					
	Syracuse 70, Niagara 69					
	Vermont 70, Middlebury 66					
	Yale 74, Brown 57					
	SOUTH	Duke 78, Clemson 62				
		E. Carolina 71, Richmond 53				
		Florida Tech 103, Rollins 66				
		Livingston 95, Delta 57	75			
		Maryland 91, Wake Forest 89				
		S. Carolina 67, William & Mary 54				
Virginia 91, Tulane 70						
W. Virginia 89, Virginia 80		80				
MIDWEST		Akron 80, Wright 51	85			
		Dakota 51 71, Black Hills 70				
	DePaul 54, Air Force 41					
	Detroit 121, St. Francis, Pa 89					
	Loyola, Ill. 85, Chicago 54					
	Miami, Ohio 78, Cent. Michigan 74					
	Oral Roberts 70, Austin Peay 66	OT				
	Toledo 64, Kent 58	46				
	Tulsa 77, New Mexico 51	73				
	W. Michigan 88 Ohio U 82	OT				
FAR WEST	Xavier, Ohio 68, Butler 60					
	E. Montana 95, W. Montana 79					
	LaVerne 84, Fresno State 64					
	Portland St 84, Seattle Pacific 62					
	NBA	NBA District 25				
		Seminal				
		N. Georgia 65, LaGrange 56				
		Southern Tech 73, Shorter 59				
		WESTERN	Denver	37 22 627		
			Chicago	31 20 528		
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	Los Ang		31 28 525 17			
	Seattle		31 27 534 16 1/2			
	Glenn	28 31 475 20				
	WEDNESDAY'S GAMES	Detroit 119, Houston 108				
		Portland 105, Washington 97				
		Seattle 94, New Jersey 83				
		Atlanta 107, Phoenix 95				
		New Orleans 116, Golden State 91				
Kansas City 127, Los Angeles 122						
Indiana 99, Denver 96						
Thursday's Game						
Atlanta at San Antonio						
Friday's Games						
Boston at Buffalo						
Houston at New Jersey						
Phoenix at Washington						
Golden State at Atlanta						
Milwaukee at Chicago						
Cleveland at New Orleans						
Portland at Kansas City						
Denver at Los Angeles						
TRANSACTIONS	HOCKEY	National Hockey League				
		MINNESOTA NORTH STAR	—Recalled Bill Hopbam, center, from Fort Worth of the Central Hockey League.			
		WASHINGTON CAPITALS	—Activated Ron LaLonde, center.			
		FOOTBALL	National Football League			
			TAMPA BAY BUCCINERIS	—Announced the resignation of Ron Wolf, vice president of operations, effective after the college draft.		
			WASHINGTON REDSKINS	—Named George Dickson, offensive backfield coach.		
			CANADIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE	MONTREAL ALOUETTES	—Signed Nat Jackson, running back.	
				BASKETBALL	National Basketball Association	
					BOSTON CELTICS	—Released Zaid Abdul-Aziz, center.
					BASEBALL	American League
BOSTON RED SOX	—Announced the resignation of Dr. Thomas Tierney, team physician.					
CALIFORNIA ANGELS	—Named					
COLLEGE	SOUTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY					—John Edwards resigned as basketball coach.
	HOCKEY	National Hockey League				
		WALEES CONFERENCE				
		Norris				
		W. L. T. Pts GF GA				
		LA	41 7 9 91 252 132			
		LA	23 24 12 58 177 169			
		Pitts	20 23 15 55 190 220			
		Drif	22 8 6 52 175 192			
		Wash	11 27 11 33 131 228			
ADAMS DIVISION		Boston	27 12 7 81 226 142			
	Buff	32 12 13 79 208 149				
	Trot	31 16 10 72 200 140				
	Cleve	19 24 6 47 170 222				
	CAMPBELL CONFERENCE	NY 18	18 12 11 83 248 148			
		Phila	23 14 10 76 221 144			
		Alinta	22 22 16 60 186 196			
		NY Rng	19 29 11 49 192 206			
		SMYTHE DIVISION	Chgo	24 18 16 64 161 142		
			Vancvr	15 21 13 43 174 226		
Calo			12 13 11 39 181 224			
Minn			14 37 6 34 149 228			
S. Louis			12 28 8 32 120 226			
WEDNESDAY'S GAMES			St. Louis 2, Pittsburgh 2	tie		
	New York Islanders 3, Atlanta 3		tie			
	Toronto 5, Cleveland 3					
	Chicago 3, New York Rangers 2					
	Minnesota 4, Los Angeles 1					
	Boston 6, Vancouver 4					
	THURSDAY'S GAMES	Chicago at New York				
		Rangers at New York				
		Washington at Detroit				
		Philadelphia at Buffalo				
Cleveland at Montreal						
FRIDAY'S GAMES		Minnesota at Colorado				

NBA

Division	Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
EASTERN	Phila	41	16	.719	—
	New York	40	28	.588	11 1/2
	Boston	20	34	.370	19 1/2
	Buffalo	19	35	.352	20 1/2
	N. Jersey	13	46	.282	29
CENTRAL	S. Anton	35	22	.614	—
	Wash	29	28	.509	6 1/2
	Cleve	29	29	.500	6 1/2
	Atlanta	27	31	.466	8 1/2
	N. Orlns	27	32	.458	9
WESTERN	Houston	23	36	.390	—

Colton Nash, manager, of Quad Cities of the Midwest League. Named Deron Johnson, manager, of Salt Lake City of the Pacific Coast League. Named Ruben Rodriguez manager of Idaho Falls of the Pioneer League.

MINNESOTA TWINS—Signed Roy Smalley, shortstop, to a one-year contract.

NEW YORK YANKEES—Signed Dell Alton, outfielder, and Steve Heindl, pitcher, to one-year contracts.

SOCCER

North American League

DALLAS TORNADO—Signed Kyle Rote Jr., forward, to a two-year contract.

MEMPHIS ROGUES—Named Eddie McCreadie, head coach.

COLLEGE

SOUTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY—John Edwards resigned as basketball coach.

Hockey

Division	Team	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
ADAMS	Boston	27	12	7	81	226	142
	Buff	32	12	13	79	208	149
	Trot	31	16	10	72	200	140
	Cleve	19	24	6	47	170	222
	Wash	11	27	11	33	131	228
CAMPBELL	NY 18	18	12	11	83	248	148
	Phila	23	14	10	76	221	144
	Alinta	22	22	16	60	186	196
	NY Rng	19	29	11	49	192	206
	SMYTHE	Chgo	24	18	16	64	161
Vancvr		15	21	13	43	174	226
Calo		12	13	11	39	181	224
Minn		14	37	6	34	149	228
S. Louis		12	28	8	32	120	226

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DESERVING BOSS — Truett Thomas is the 1978 Boss of the Year for the Cactus Chapter of ABWA. In her letter nominating Thomas, Lahoma Clark revealed that his motto is to "Try to help someone each day." Truett has served as administrator of Cowper Clinic and Hospital for the past 18 years. Mrs. Clark received a charm for her nomination and Thomas was awarded the coveted Boss of the Year plaque.

Cactus Chapter ABWA names Truett Thomas Boss of Year

By DUSTY RICHARD
Truett Thomas, Cowper Clinic and Hospital Administrator, was named 1978 Boss of the Year at the Cactus Chapter American Business Women's Association Annual Boss Night Dinner.

The dinner took place Tuesday night at the Big Spring Country Club after a reception in the lobby beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Following a buffet dinner, Esther Trantham, toastmistress, led the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. She then welcomed and introduced guests, and told all present that the Cactus Chapter of ABWA is dedicated to the education of women.

"Our theme this year is Scope Unlimited. Women are in every sort of business now, from workers to supervisors to bosses to heads of businesses. We strive to help young girls go to college, and have given \$1000 so far this year in scholarships. We know that we're the best organization there is."

Ruth Manuel, president, was introduced as the vocational speaker. Ms. Manuel spoke of her job at Pioneer Natural Gas which she started in 1960 as a bookkeeper and assistant cashier. After the company went to computers, she was out of a job, but changed to other departments with the company such as the service department and new accounts and collections. She is now senior distribution office clerk.

Ludie Dean, program chairman, introduced the guest speaker, Bill Albright, executive vice president of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce.

After congratulating the club for a fine program, Albright began his talk, which he titled "Update Big Spring 1978."

Albright gave a summary of what the chamber had accomplished in 1977 and what they hoped to accomplish in 1978.

In January of 1977, he began, the chamber put out the first "Volunteer," a booklet on voluntarism in Big Spring, and Albright began his column in the Herald, "Hustle 3" which is also broadcast on the radio. At that time, the chamber published a questionnaire in the Herald, asking the citizens of Big Spring what they thought the chamber should be doing. He said that they had a good response.

In March, 1977, Albright and other members of the chamber participated in West Texas Chamber of Commerce Washington Reception, at which they had dinner with representatives and senators from Texas to inform them of problems that West Texas was having and what the politicians should be doing about those problems. The Big Spring area chamber also gave the solons brochures of Big Spring, and many of the pieces of legislation suggested in the brochures later came to pass, he said.

At that time they also talked to the Department of Defense about the closure of Webb Air Force Base and asked them what to do; the chamber said that they wanted Webb to be closed quickly and cleanly so Big Spring could get off to a good start.

The chamber then went on a retreat to lay out what they should do in the next year. The questionnaires were used to determine a program of action.

"We talked to Gov. Dolph

Briscoe, too, and he promised us help, which we're still waiting for."

The chamber of commerce planned a membership campaign in May '77 and started it in June; 221 new members were brought to the chamber by the Ambassadors.

They attended a Military Industrial Development Conference in September, and in October the Cultural Committee of the chamber held their Arts and Crafts Fair. Albright said that they hope that this year's fair will be even better, as it will be held in the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum at Howard College.

In November, 1977, the head of the Chamber of Commerce Accreditation Committee visited Big Spring and was impressed by what he saw, and in December, Lockhead decided to come here if they get the government contract.

Albright added that presently the chamber is putting out a monthly calendar of activities in and around Big Spring, to be distributed in motels and other places where visitors are likely to congregate.

"1978 will be even better for Big Spring," Albright promised.

In the Annual Report of the Chamber of Commerce, there is a list of items and activities for 1978, sort of a blueprint for Big Spring, said Albright.

Among things they hope to accomplish in '78 are: getting all-weather track and better bleachers for the stadium; participating in the clean up campaign; installing self-guided tours for visitors to the Big Spring area; pointing out the highlights and historical sites in town; getting conventions to Big Spring, a big source of revenue and notoriety; improving the courtesy and service of local merchants, so that more people will want to "Shop Big Spring First"; promoting our system of free enterprise; and emphasizing the importance of existing industries; getting more new jobs and more tax base; establishing a speakers' bureau; involving more people in the chamber of commerce — the goal is 100 members; honoring new teachers in Big Spring; providing a forum for candidates for local office; setting up a public and governmental affairs committee to keep Big Spring informed of what is going on in Washington; promoting crime prevention and a medical center; and getting a commercial air carrier.

"The list is not complete. We want the ideas and suggestions of the citizens in order to add to, modify or change our goals," said Albright.

He then listed some of the merchants who have expanded their businesses lately, calling them "the folks who put their faith in Big Spring."

Some of the businesses listed were Shepherd Funeral Home, 1st Federal Savings and Loan, Webb Federal Credit Union, Coors, Don Crawford Pontiac, Morris Robertson, St.

Thomas Catholic Church, Knott-Cotton-Gin, Morgan Miller, Kentucky Fried Chicken Commissary, Tompkins Oil, Young N' Alive, Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home, M&M Service Co., McCann Corp., Dairy Queen, and Rip Griffin Truck Stop, along with the renovation of Howard College and building the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

"We should all be proud of Big Spring," Albright concluded.

Frances Swann, vice president, then introduced the other officers, including Essie Jackson, recording secretary; Margaret Wiles, corresponding secretary; and Nelda Colclazer, treasurer.

She also recognized the Boss Night Committee, and Helen McDonald, chairman. Charter members of the club stood at their request, as did past Boss of the Year, Dr. J. M. Woodall and Bill Read, and the club's Woman of the Year for 1977-78, Lucille Brown.

Ms. Jackson then read the winning letter of nomination, written by Lahoma Clark, and announced Truett Thomas was the Cactus Chapter 1978 Boss of the Year. Thomas was awarded a special plaque commemorating the honor, and Mrs. Clark was given a charm.

Mrs. Clark's nominating letter read in part: "My boss completed schooling at Big Spring and graduated from Draughan's Business College in Abilene. After working in a hardware store, in the grocery business, managing a tire store and working at a radio station, he agreed to work temporarily at a clinic and hospital in Big Spring and has been there 18 years. He and his wife are interested in helping young people complete their educations and have aided financially several young people.

"He always has time to listen to troubles, gripes and other troubles of his employees. He reminds the workers that we are there to aid the people who come to the hospital. They aren't happy about coming to our hospital — sick people are never happy. We are reminded to be kind to them."

"He is on the Howard College Registered Nursing Board and has helped establish scholarships for nurse students. He has a special interest in Cal Farley's Boys' Ranch and helps that ranch financially."

"My boss is a member of The First Church of God. He is chairman of the board of Jack and Jill School."

"He is kind and considerate of all the employees and encourages all to try to improve their skills. If an employe wants to return to school, he will try to work out working hours so we can keep working and go to school too. He often underwrites the cost of schooling. His motto is 'Try to help someone each day.'"

"My boss has been administrator of Cowper Clinic and Hospital for 18 years."

"I think my boss, Truett Thomas, should be 'Boss of the Year.'"

And he is.

Clubhouse

Miss Fisher wins medal

The Elisha Mack chapter of the D.A.R. held a tea at the Dora Roberts Community Center from 3 to 5 p.m. Feb. 19, honoring the birthday of George Washington.

Mrs. Jack Lipscombe, vice regent, introduced Mrs. Stanley Reid, chapter history chairman, who introduced Michelle Fisher, winner of an award for her essay on "Growing Up in Colonial America."

Mrs. Richard Denham, state history chairman, presented Miss Fisher with a bronze medal.

Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Denham of Midland, Mrs. Vivian Crutcher, Mrs. C.W. Overhuler of Snyder, Jim Eiland of Stanton, and Michelle and Dr. Sue Fisher of Stanton.

Hostesses were Mrs. J.W. Tipton, Mrs. John Key, Mrs. Jack Thomas, Mrs. Curtis Driver, Mrs. L.J. Jeter, Lola Kilman and Mrs. C.G. Barnett.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Carl Strom, 501 Westover, at 7:30 p.m., March 6. Mrs. Strom will display some of her treasures and tell of her Indian heritage.

Rebekahs visit sick

Big Spring Rebekah Lodge No. 284 met Tuesday night with 30 members present, and Norma Newton, Noble Grand, presided over the

business meeting. It was announced that 18 visits to the sick were made by members, and that the lodge is collecting for an educational fund to help young people go to college. All members are urged to contribute.

Marion Savell gave a school of instruction and the lodge practiced opening and closing the Bible, carrying the flag and balloting. All participants were given report cards shaped like J. & P. train engines for attending.

The next meeting will be at 7:30 Feb. 28, and the Past Noble Grand Club will meet with Sheri Wilson at 7 p.m. Monday for a potluck supper and business meeting.

in the home of Mrs. Felton Smith, 1409 Runnels.

Two tables were in play, and Mrs. Smith was assisted in entertaining by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Felton Smith Jr., Lubbock, and by her granddaughter, Mrs. Jim Roberts, Dimmit.

A red poppy theme was used in the table arrangement and in the party favors. A salad plate was served, and pictures of the group were taken.

Mrs. G. C. Broughton was a guest.

The next meeting will be Mar. 17, hosted by Mrs. C. R. Moad.

Lodge honors Hazel Lamar

John A. Key Rebekah Lodge 153 will be honoring Hazel Lamar for her 59-year membership at the Odd Fellow hall, 3203 W. Hwy. 80 at 7:30 p.m., Friday. All Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and friends are invited to attend.

Nobles wins high score

Mrs. S. R. Nobles won high score at the Friday meeting of the Rook Club, which met

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A pink and blue sock and rattle corsage was presented to Ms. Coates along with individual gifts.

Hot spiced apple cider, coffee and nicknacks were served country style to 27 guests, including the mother of the honoree, Mrs. N. M. Hipp.

Hostesses were Mrs. Fred Franklin, Mrs. Phil Elliott, Mrs. Bernard McMahan,

Mrs. Joe T. Smith, Mrs. H. L. Kerby, Billie McKinney and Gayla Kerby.

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(AP WIREPHOTO) TRESSES TAKE A STRANGE TWIST — In a new wave of fashion, models wear their hair knotted, knotted, and impaled on various bones, knitting needles, and other devices during showing of Clovis Ruffin fashions in New York. Hairdos look more like they are from the National Geographic than coiffures from Fifth Avenue.

Successful weight loss based on facts, not fads

Those of us who yearn for a slender body are often on the lookout for some kind of magic that will remake us overnight. Since there is no magic way to shed pounds, retreating behind excuses is often the next step.

Nutritionists suggest looking into the facts and fallacies behind the most popular excuses as a way of getting motivated to lose that excess weight and keep it off.

"My fat cells are here to stay."

This common complaint is supported in part by recent research that suggests a person's fat cell count is determined during high growth periods in infancy and adolescence.

True, you are stuck with the number of cells you have. But fat cells are like sponges. They'll shrink if you don't provide them with extra dietary energy to soak up.

"Plumpness runs in the family."

Very few people have inherited actual conditions that could cause obesity. You might be born with a genetic predisposition to a larger than average bone structure. Or you could have a large number of fat cells (a cause of obesity only when they're overfed). It's also possible to be brought up with a fattening set of eating habits.

But more likely, double chins and extra bulges are the result of overeating and

not a case of hand-me-down weight.

"Diets don't work anyway."

After suffering through one newfangled diet after another, you may have lost your appetite for bananas, rice or grapefruit while your weight remains stubbornly the same.

The reason: gimmicky fad diets seldom work because regular eating habits are resumed after dieting on a crash program and the weight lost is quickly regained.

The most practical and nutritious way to shed extra pounds and keep them off is to diet with the Four Food Groups (milk, meat, vegetables and fruits, and breads and cereals).

Some pointers:

1. Eat only the minimum number of recommended servings from each group. Adults require two servings daily from the milk group (children need three servings, teenagers four), two servings from the meat group and four servings from both vegetables and fruits and breads and cereals groups.
2. Compare how much you eat per Four Food Group serving with the amount recommended. Most of us eat more than we need.
3. Choose low calorie Four Food Group foods.
4. Cut down on foods not classified into the Four Food Groups. Foods that don't fit

into any group are generally poor nutritional investments with more calories than nutrients.

5. Increase exercise. Physical activity burns calories which might otherwise be stored as fat.

'Rule of 72' is quick way

COLLEGE STATION — Use the "rule of 72" to determine the approximate length of time it will take to double savings dollars, says Dr. Carolyn McKinney, family resource management specialist.

Dr. McKinney is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

To use the "rule of 72," simply divide the interest rate into 72 — the number obtained is the number of years required to double the investment, the specialist continues.

For example, if \$1,000.00 is placed in an account earning 6 per cent annual interest, divide the interest rate (6) into 72 and find that it will take about 12 years to double the initial investment to \$2,000.00, Dr. McKinney explains.

Clothing money needs managing

Clothing is a necessity that provides much pleasure but, like everything else, it's becoming more expensive.

"Your Clothing Dollar," a brand new booklet from the Money Management Institute of Household Finance Corporation, was developed to help consumers get their money's worth from the clothing dollars they have to spend. Directed to both adults and teens of both sexes, it contains information and practical advice of value to singles as well as those buying for a family.

If you don't know how much of your income can be comfortably allotted to apparel, "Your Clothing Dollar" will help you to determine this. It also provides money-saving tips, discusses wardrobe planning (and provides a chart for your personal use), tells how to judge a garment's quality and get a good fit. Exciting new fabrics like synthetic suedes and furs are reviewed in the fibers and fabrics section, along with all the other most popular fabrics and real furs.

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Doctor questions worth of newborn

EDITOR'S NOTE — If it's true that you can't measure human life in terms of money, it's also true that medical resources and public funds are limited. At times, this presents an acute moral and ethical dilemma. Usually it's found on the upper scale of age, but — as this article shows — it's equally prevalent at the lowest.

David Youmans' life was \$5,000 — a bargain. But some medical authorities are questioning the worth of the highly specialized neonatal care needed to save premature babies like Matthew and Mark.

"One way to explain the problem is to pose the question: Just what is a newborn baby worth," Dr. Albert Jensen, associate professor of bioethics at the University of California School of Medicine at San Francisco, wrote in a medical article.

"While the cost-benefit

ratio of neonatal intensive care is difficult to establish, it is hardly too soon to ask whether the immense effort is warranted when the results, for individuals and for society, are so unclear."

At Variety Children's Hospital in Miami, Dr. Carol Hersh scoffs at such theories as the "kind of nonsense we get from doctors sitting at a desk who never deal with the baby and his parents."

In the Amis home in San Francisco, Matthew is now 1 1/2 years old and "perfectly normal" except for being a bit small for his age. He spent his first eight months in a neonatal care unit and had to have oxygen at home until August.

"Matthew's worth all of \$150,000 — although I couldn't really put a price on what he's worth to us," said his father, Albert, a warehouseman who paid about \$150, the deductible on the hospital bills. The rest was picked up by group insurance and California's Crippled Children's Society.

At the other end of the scale is Mark Youmans. Born a month prematurely, he was rushed from Titusville, Fla., to the neonatal unit at Variety, where he was successfully treated for hyaline mem-

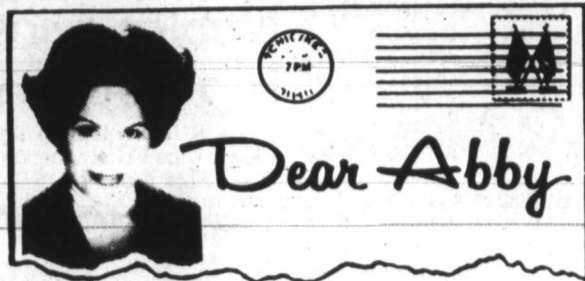
brane disease, a common lung condition of premature babies.

Whether the cost is \$150,000 or \$5,000, insurance frequently fails to meet the high cost of special care. While neighborhood blood drives, bazaars and cookie sales help some families over the insurance hurdle, public funds provide hospitals with money for neonatal care units.

In Florida for example, \$4.4 million in public funds

were appropriated for the year to help defray costs. But it isn't enough to pay all the bills.

Hilario Lazo ran up \$5,000 in bills in one month at Variety. "There is no system in the world that can measure the worth of a child's life," says his mother, Leina. "he's 22 months old now. We thought he wasn't going to make it. It's a miracle that we have him."



It Can't Be Rape If She's His Wife

DEAR ABBY: Here are the facts: A hysterical woman called the police to tell them that she had just been raped by her husband.

She was told that it wasn't possible for a man to rape his own wife.

She then explained he had held a knife to her stomach and forced her to have sex with him. (I'm omitting a few details which are too horrible to put in a letter.)

The police then told her that, according to law, it was a "domestic matter" involving a man and his wife — not a case of rape.

The woman then said that they had never been married, they were just living together, so actually he WASN'T HER HUSBAND!

She was then told, "Common law marriage is recognized in this state, so as far as the law is concerned he IS your HUSBAND."

End of conversation.

My question: What kind of justice is this?

THE WOMAN

DEAR WOMAN: Apparently, this kind of "justice" is still "in." And for an excellent book that deals critically with our legal system, I highly recommend "Injustice For All," by Anne Strick. It's published by Putnam and is well worth reading.

DEAR ABBY: I met a gal in a bar. (I'll call her Kit.) She was really pretty, only 19, and she sure had a rough life and a lot of bum breaks. She even confessed she had hustled for a while, but she said that was in the past and now she had a respectable job as a waitress. Well, I started liking her a lot even though she seemed to have a lot of crummy friends.

One day Kit called me at work and told me she had been beaten up and robbed. She asked me to come to her place and bring her some money to pay her bills.

When I saw her, she sure was a mess. She said a guy she had never seen before used a passkey to get into her flat. He beat her up and took all her savings, which is about \$300.

I took Kit to the hospital emergency room, and they fixed her up. (She told them she fell down some stairs!) I wanted to report it to the police, but Kit wouldn't let me. I gave her \$200 to pay her bills.

Now I am wondering why she didn't want to report the robbery to the police. What do you think?

PUZZLED

DEAR PUZZLED: Maybe she didn't want to report the robbery because there wasn't any robbery.

DEAR ABBY: I have a slight problem. The company I work for has instructed me to answer the telephone as follows: "Thank you for calling the Blankety Blank Company; may I help you?"

It seems to me that the "Thank you for calling the Blankety Blank Company" should be at the end of the conversation. If I am wrong, please tell me. I keep getting cut off in the middle of my greeting because most people think they have a wrong number.

WORKING GIRL

DEAR GIRL: I think you're right. Tell your bosses that your callers are confused by the "reverse English," that the first thing a customer wants to know when he calls is if he has the right number. If you want to thank him for calling the blankety blank company, do it when you say goodbye.

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COLLEGE STATION — Antiques can provide enjoyment today and outstanding investment tomorrow, says Sue Young, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

The value of antiques keeps on climbing while new furniture depreciates from the moment it leaves the store, she says.

For an "eclectic" look that emphasizes a variety of styles and periods, combine antiques with other pieces. They are equally at home in a contemporary or traditional setting.

In shopping for antiques, rely on a reputable antique dealer, who is the consumer's best asset, Mrs. Young says.

In comparing items, look for those that are in good condition, while avoiding excessively refinished pieces.

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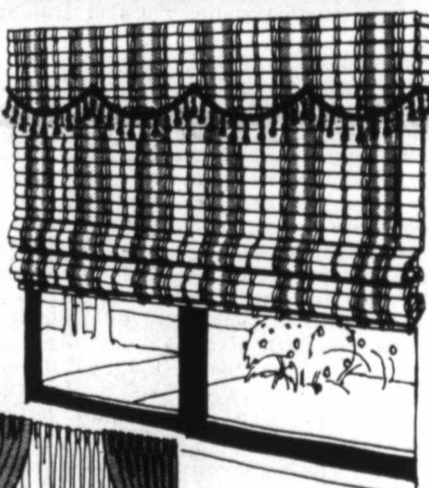
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The best cooks are those who enjoy it

Club-caterer is a self-taught cook

By EILEEN McGUIRE

For months, women around town have been raving about what a great cook Laura McEwen is. Some sampled her culinary expertise at club luncheons, others at showers. When the Family News decided it was high time to feature Mrs. McEwen in the food section, it was surprised to learn that this young cook, whose sought-after recipes have created quite a stir at social functions, is self-taught.

Though she comes from a long line of great cooks, Mrs. McEwen said her husband, Russ, was a little worried when they married as she couldn't cook anything. She set a goal for herself to learn how to cook — purchased some recipe books, borrowed recipes from friends, and came out not only an A student in the culinary arts, but half of a homemade catering business. Treva Fellous is the other half.

"I started out just baking a cake here and there and then began catering to club functions. Mostly we cater to the garden clubs, showers and meals up to 50 people," she said. "When I started to teach myself how to cook, I discovered that I enjoy it. I cater for fun and it allows me to work while staying home with my children. Cooking is a great way to meet people, too."

The McEwens have three children. Torbin, nicknamed after a Danish tennis player, is 7 and attends Washington Elementary School where Mrs. McEwen serves as P.T.A. vice president. Their daughter, Kisa Park, a combination of a German first name plus Mrs. McEwen's maiden name ("I wanted to keep my family name going, too.") is 4 and son Drew is 2.

In addition to her part-time catering service and participation in the P.T.A., Mrs. McEwen is active in the choir and several groups of her church, First Christian Church. She attends a real estate and speech class nights at Howard College and is always busy doing something for her friends, including witnessing the birth of a friend's child Tuesday night, visiting another friend giving birth yesterday and baking for another friend whose father passed away.

Her other activities include Yoga at the Magic Mirror, skiing when she and her husband can get away, and she has an avid interest in staining glass. Mostly, she enjoys living.

"I don't really have any hobbies. I get into whatever I feel like getting into. I've been wanting to learn how to sew for a long time, but while the kids were small, it wasn't too practical. I guess that'll be my next project."

"I just enjoy doing things but I tend to get over-involved and then I start feeling guilty about not spending enough time with my children. I get to the point, like now, when I need to start slowing down a little bit. I don't work because I enjoy being at home and I enjoy my friends. I might start doing some volunteer work."

Her days are filled with overworking with a well-planned home, husband, children, night school, cooking and catering, church and school activities, and her many friends, yet she says, "I don't know how working women do it." Mrs. McEwen is living testimony to the popular Ms. Magazine slogan that "Every mother is a working mother."

Both born and raised in Big Spring, the McEwens were married while attending Howard College.



FOR A FRIEND — Friends are a big part of Laura McEwen's life. The freshly baked Apricot Ladder Loaf she displays here, baked for a friend, is one of the recipes given below. She's had a good week this week — two of her friends had babies and she got to be in the delivery room with one.

Shortly after transferring to a university, Mrs. McEwen discovered she was pregnant and said, "I couldn't concentrate in my classes. All I could think about was having a baby."

"I never thought I would go back to school. But for the past seven years I've been raising children and now I want to do some other things as well."

She's not going after a degree and is uncertain as to where her present college courses will lead, but according to Mrs. McEwen, she's too busy enjoying the present to fret too much about the future.

"I've always been interested in real estate, so I thought I'd take a class. And I thought a speech class would increase my self-confidence. I'm having fun in both. I used to worry about my house a lot. I don't now. I drop everything and go to school and that's my time for myself. Of course, Russ helps a lot at home, making it easier for me to get out."

"One thing I have learned through real estate class is what a great place Big Spring is. I think the bad part about Webb closing was the waiting. But now that it's gone, I think this town is going to be better than ever before. I don't usually look much to the future, but in Big Spring's case, I'm looking forward to seeing what happens."

Mrs. McEwen's favorite recipes are those that come from friends. She makes them her own, however, by either omitting some ingredients or adding something of her own. Though she enjoys fixing fancy foods for catering events and elaborate dinners when she entertains, she sticks close to simple meat and potatoes when it comes to her own family because that's the way her children like it.

"San Angelo Junior League Cookbook" is one highly recommended by Mrs. McEwen because it features good but easy-to-do recipes. Another favorite is "Mother James' Cookbook."

For the novice cook, Mrs. McEwen has some simple advice.

"I think that in order to be a really good cook, you have to really want to be one. I'm sure that many women who don't care for cooking are good cooks anyway but the best cooks are those who really enjoy cooking. And I think that's true in just about anything a person does. Anything you really want to do, you'll be good at."

In picking out recipes to share with readers, Mrs. McEwen looked for good but easy ones. If the desire is there, she feels that anyone can learn how to cook.

For crispier chicken, Mrs. McEwen suggests soaking the chicken in buttermilk for about two hours before frying.

Generally, this means higher prices and fewer market specials as supplies decrease.

"For consumers who have facilities at home, it likely would save money to buy a good value chuck cut and grind it themselves. Be sure to save the bones for making soup stock," she advises.

Best beef values include chuck roasts and steaks, round and rib steaks and liver, she adds.

Mrs. Clyatt is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas AIM University System.

sides of 9-inch spring form pan. Bake in preheated 375 degree oven for 20 minutes. Cool.

Filling:
2 eggs, well beaten
½ cup sugar
8-ounce package cream cheese
½ teaspoon vanilla extract
1 tablespoon lemon juice
Add sugar to eggs. Break cream cheese into mixture and beat. Add vanilla and lemon juice. Beat until smooth and pour into graham cracker crust. Bake 5 minutes in 425 degree oven. Cool and chill.

LASAGNE
BEEF SAUCE
2 medium onions, chopped
1 clove garlic or ½ teaspoon garlic powder
1 pound ground chuck
1 teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon pepper
1 large can tomatoes
2 6-ounce cans tomato paste

1 tablespoon sugar
1 tablespoon oregano
Brown onion, meat and garlic in skillet. Add remaining ingredients and simmer 3 to 4 hours or in a crockpot, on low setting, all day.

SAUSAGE SWIRL
(This is a do-ahead appetizer. Make it, freeze it, then bake it just before serving.)

4 cups sifted flour
¼ cup yellow corn meal
¼ cup granulated sugar
2 tablespoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
2-3rds cup vegetable oil
2-3rd-1 cup milk
2 pounds hot Owens bulk sausage

Sift dry ingredients together. Blend in vegetable oil. Add enough milk to make a stiff dough.

Thinly roll out dough on a lightly floured board in two 18x18-inch rectangulars. Spread on sausage and roll up lengthwise. Freeze well and slice.

Bake in a preheated 350 degree oven 15-20 minutes. Yields 6 dozen.

APRICOT LADDER LOAF
Filling:
2-3rds cup apricot preserves

1-3rd cup softened butter or margarine
1-3rd cup chopped blanched toasted almonds
Combine ingredients.

Dough:
hot roll mix
1 egg
2 tablespoons melted butter or margarine

Soften yeast in ¾ cup warm water as directed on hot roll mix package. Stir into half of roll mix. Beat in egg and butter. Stir in remaining roll mix. Cover. Let rise in warm place until dough doubles, about 1 hour.

On lightly floured surface, knead about 1 minute.

Divide dough in half. Roll each half in a 9-inch square. Place on greased cookie sheets. Spread 3-inch strip of filling down each center.

With scissors, snip unspread sides toward center in long 3-inch strips, 1-inch wide. Fold strips over filling, alternating from side to side, ladder style. Cover, let rise in warm place until almost double, about 45 minutes.

Bake in 375 degree oven 20 minutes or until done. Cool slightly. Drizzle with confectioners icing. Trim with toasted almonds. Makes 2 loaves.



TWEEN 12 AND 20 She'll hire a man for 'wifely duties'

By ROBERT WALLACE, Ed.D.
Copley News Service

Dear Doctor:
Mom is a dear, sweet person but she is not in touch with the new generation. I'm a junior in high school and Mom now thinks it time to teach me the "wifely subservient duties" of cooking, mending, washing and ironing, cleaning and grocery shopping.

I've tried to tell Mom that these duties are not women's duties. They are simply duties.

I plan to be an opera singer, and if I do I'll hire someone (maybe a man) to do these duties. Do you agree?

Connie, Winterhaven, Fla.
Dear Connie:
I agree with you partially. Still, it would be nice to be proficient in cooking, mending, etc., until you become that opera star.

Then, when you hire that man for domestic help, drop me a line and send me your salary schedule.

Dear Friendless:
Janet is not your friend. When she calls again, tell her you are busy and hang up.

Avoid her at school but be pleasant and waste no time talking to her if she confronts you.

You are feeling sorry for yourself and you shouldn't. It appears that you think you cannot find other friends but you can and will. Join a club and get involved. Take a good look at your image. If it needs to be changed — change it.

Once school started in the fall, Janet met Mary and they became friends, leaving me out. I can understand this but now Mary is saying bad things about me and Janet is going along with it, doing her share.

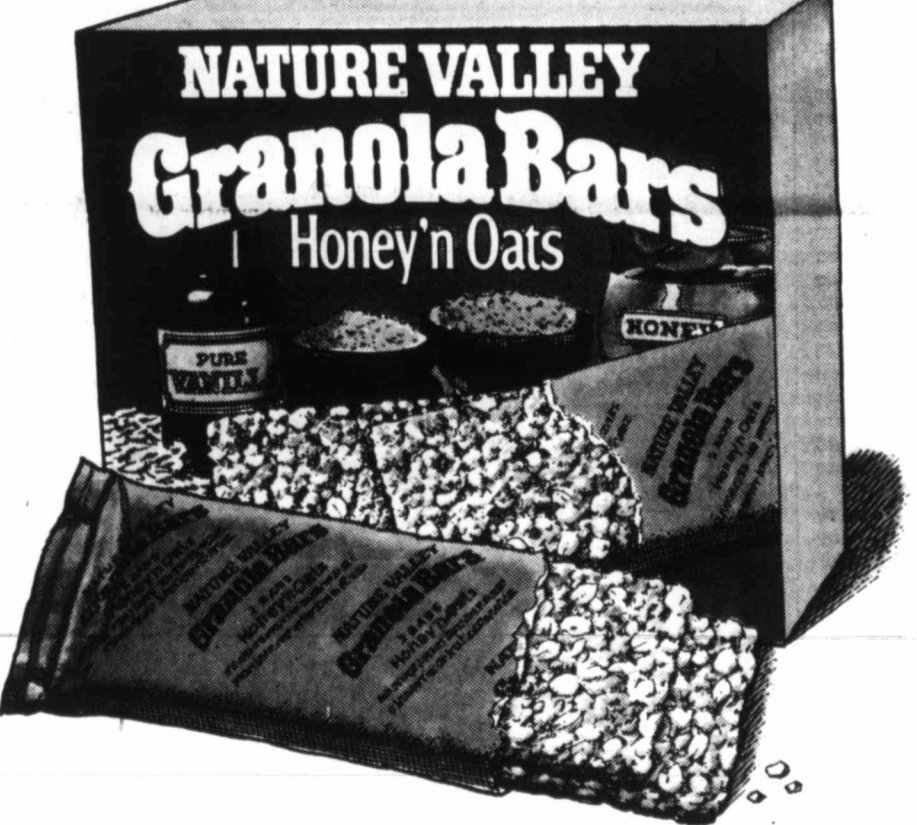
During the day Janet is rude and sassy to me but at night she phones and apologizes and I always accept because I want to be her friend.

I'm so lonely and I don't know what to do. My parents say it's a phase I'm going through and I will outgrow it.

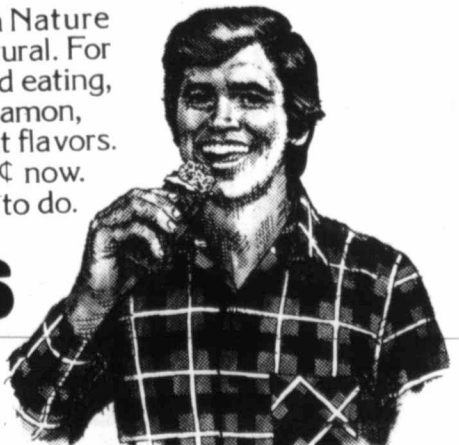
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A WOMAN'S WORK — is never done unless you put an end to it yourself, according to Mrs. McEwen, shown here with son Drew and daughter Kisa. After seven years devoted to her children, she's found her way back to college by learning to just drop everything and taking some time for herself. Her husband, Russ, makes it easier by pitching in.

Largest builder of offshore rigs fined \$1 million

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — J. Ray McDermott & Co., the world's largest builder of offshore oil rigs, has been fined \$1 million for violating federal racketeering, fraud and campaign-finance laws.

The New Orleans-based company pleaded guilty Wednesday to the charges in a seven-count bill of information filed by U.S. Attorney Gerald Gallinhouse.

U.S. District Judge Morey Sear accepted the guilty plea and imposed fines and penalties totaling \$1 million. Sear told the company to pay up by Monday.

Prosecutors charged that McDermott defrauded Tenneco Oil Co. of hundreds of thousands of dollars from 1971 to 1974 through a scheme made possible by

\$508,615 in bribes to Schacht V. McCollum, a Tenneco vice president.

McCollum, who lives in Texas and is no longer with Tenneco, has not been charged. However, U.S. Attorney Daniel Bent said the government investigation is continuing and that more charges may result.

"Part of the agreement under which McDermott was allowed to plead guilty was that McDermott would cooperate with the government investigation," Bent said.

McDermott also pleaded guilty to making illegal campaign contributions to Reps. David Treen and Henson Moore, both R-La., and to bringing in \$12,000 in cash from abroad without reporting it to customs.

Treen and Moore said the contributions were made through individual McDermott employees. The congressmen said they returned the money when they learned it was corporate contributions.

McDermott admitted making illegal contributions totaling \$1,200 to Treen in 1975 and \$1,000 to Moore in 1974.

McDermott admitted bribing the Tenneco vice president to obtain savings on cost-plus contracts for work done by Tenneco for McDermott in the Gulf of Mexico area.

According to the charge, McCollum agreed to deliver the contracts if McDermott would secretly pay him kickbacks totaling 2 1/2 percent of the jobs.

McDermott agreed to the deal and ad-

mitted paying the bribes to McCollum in five installments from 1971 to 1974.

Prosecutors said the contracts resulted in \$897,999 in extra profits to McDermott. Judge Sear ordered McDermott to forfeit that money, and he imposed additional fines totaling \$103,000.

The charges and guilty plea came a day after negotiators for McDermott and Babcock & Wilcox Co. announced they had approved terms and conditions for a corporate merger.

McDermott, which is based in New Orleans, recently acquired about 49 percent of the common stock in Babcock & Wilcox, a manufacturer of boilers and steam and nuclear generators.

Lady Bird's warning

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — They invited a former First Lady to this Mississippi River port city Wednesday, and briefly reopened a historic hotel in her honor.

The Peabody Hotel, banished into bankruptcy three years ago, returned for a while to its former splendor when Lady Bird Johnson, widow of President Lyndon Johnson, arrived to launch this year's beautification campaign by the City Beautiful Commission.

Mrs. Johnson sipped Bloody Marys with 325 civic and business leaders and spoke at a \$15-a-plate catered seafood buffet in the hotel ballroom. The facility was spruced up by city sanitation workers for the occasion.

She posed for pictures with ducks, brought back to the hotel fountain for the occasion from the Shelby County farm that took them in after the hotel closed. During the luncheon, plainclothes police and Secret Service agents patrolled the ballroom and halls.

Mrs. Johnson complimented the city, but sounded a warning.

"I think of your city as a beautiful and elegant lady who married King Cotton and lived happily ever after — well, almost," she said.

"Time is now putting lines on the face of Memphis ... this legendary Peabody Hotel, so soon to be restored, we hope."

Mrs. Johnson said restoration of the 52-year-old Peabody would be incentive to proceed with other rebuilding and beautification projects in Memphis. The hotel's owner, Belz Investment Co., has been working in recent months to finance the \$10 million restoration of the building.

Mrs. Ivy Trippeer, luncheon chairman, estimated it cost about \$5,000 to reopen the hotel for the event.

The Peabody's dishes were rolled in a cart across the street to the Ramada Inn for washing, brought back for the luncheon, then taken back to the Ramada Inn for washing after the buffet.

During her visit, Mrs. Johnson also planted a willow oak on a median strip on a parkway and toured the city by bus.

Richardson returns

WASHINGTON (AP) — For the first time since the "Saturday Night Massacre" of more than four years ago, former Attorney General Elliot Richardson returned to the Justice Department — this time for the unveiling of his portrait by British artist Harold Riley.

In a brief ceremony Wednesday with the current attorney general, Griffin B. Bell, Richardson called the unveiling "a happy denouement" to his brief tenure at the department.

The painting will hang in a hallway not far from the attorney general's office.

The "Saturday Night Massacre" took place on Oct. 20, 1973, when President Nixon fired Watergate prosecutor Archibald Cox and Richardson and Deputy Attorney General William French Smith quit.

Preston Smith visits 'home'

LAMESA — Former Governor Preston Smith, who calls the Lubbock-Lamesa area home, will appear at a coffee Friday in connection with his current campaign.

The candidate is seeking re-election to the post in the May Democratic Primary.

The coffee will be in the Caprock Room at Turner's Cafe from 9:15 to 10 a.m.

Smith served as governor four years, lieutenant governor six years; state senator six years and also was a member of the Texas House of Representatives.

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7,074 military personnel on welfare rolls

WASHINGTON (AP) — HEW Secretary Joseph A. Califano Jr. said Wednesday that a computer search has found 7,074 military personnel on welfare rolls in 24 states and the District of Columbia. A followup investigation will be made to determine if these persons are eligible for welfare or if fraud is involved, the secretary of health, education and welfare said. The 7,074 were among more than two million military personnel on active duty throughout the world whose Social Security numbers were checked against the Social Security numbers of welfare recipients. The computer check called Project Match previously has turned up 13,000 civilian government workers also receiving welfare

through the Aid to Families With Dependent Children program. Last year, HEW checked its own payroll against the District of Columbia's welfare rolls and found 216 employees on welfare. It later discovered that 95 were entitled to the benefits, 75 were ineligible, 43 were overpaid and three were underpaid. "As in the case of the civilian matches announced last November, the next step will be to document earnings and eligibility of the (military) personnel," Califano said in a statement. "HEW audit personnel will work with the military services in assembling the information on earnings, and with the state family assistance agencies to ascertain

eligibility." Some 78 percent of the nation's AFDC recipients live in the 25 jurisdictions checked. Califano said checks will be made against the other state welfare rolls within 90 days. Among the civilian cases, he said, 955 have been turned over to the district for eligibility review and 5,100 will be forwarded to the states in the near future. The 24 states are: Arkansas, California, Colorado, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, New Jersey, New York City, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Texas, Virginia and Washington.

Board gives up fight to keep records secret

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The Texas Board of Private Investigators and Private Security Agencies has given up its fight to keep secret its records of alleged illegal investigations. District Court Judge Jerry Dellana ruled Tuesday that the board must give up 55 of 56 disputed documents covering alleged illegal investigations and other questioned activity by its staff between 1973 and 1977. Clema Sanders, the board's executive director, told the Austin American-

Statesman she would turn the documents over to the newspaper today after the judge signs a formal order. "We will not appeal the decision," she said. Dellana's decision ends nearly six months of court action that began last Aug. 25 when the newspaper asked for mileage and expense forms that board staff members submitted after traveling to Fort Worth for a funeral. Later the newspaper and other reporters asked all records of an investigation that the board's staff did at the request of other state officials. The attorney general ruled Jan. 3 that most of the records should be made public. When the agency refused to release the records the attorney general filed suit against the board under the Texas Open Records Act.

'Coma' aids beer sales

DEARBORN, Mich. (AP) — Theater owner Martin Shafer has two criteria for judging movies — how they do at the box office and how they do at the bar. Shafer, who owns a movie house here and one in nearby Westland, sells cocktails and allows patrons to take them to their seats at both theaters.

"To me, this is another way of making the theater outstanding," said the 54-year-old Shafer, whose customers are as likely to come to the refreshment stand for beer and martinis as for popcorn and candy. Since April, when the first bar opened at Westland's Quo Vadis theater, "we've had no problem with people drinking too much," Shafer said. "That's because people don't come to the movies to drink, they come to watch the show. The cocktail is nothing except a little added pleasure."

Patrons agree. "I like the idea," said insurance salesman Jim Desy, who sipped a beer while watching the movie "Coma" at the Dearborn Entertainment Center. "When I'm home at night, I have a drink and watch TV and this is basically the same."

Added bartender Bill Williamson: "I haven't heard any complaints. They're all surprised when they walk in the door, but then they slip up to the bar and have a drink." Patrons tend to work up the biggest thirst during thrillers such as "Coma" and action-packed movies such as "The Gauntlet," Shafer said.

"If I could ever get a desert picture like 'Lawrence of Arabia' I'd have it made," joked Shafer, son of a former vaudeville performer. Liquor sales are slower at movies such as "Saturday Night Fever" which attract younger adults who don't have as much money, he said. Shafer said the cocktail lounges haven't cut into regular concession sales — on the contrary, he said, "People like popcorn to go with their beer." Nor have there been any problems with clean up — "scotch and soda doesn't make the mess that cherry pop does."

Jim Cummins stays fired

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The State Board of Insurance refused Tuesday to reverse its decision to fire Jim Cummins, former chief of the fire safety inspection division.

Cummins, a close friend of former board chairman Joe Christie, was fired Nov. 3 after the present board chairman Hugh Yantis took office. "The board still believes that your dismissal was a correct decision," said a letter issued by the board Tuesday after considering Cummins' appeal.

The board held a hearing Jan. 5 following Cummins' request that he be granted another chance to request that he be reinstated with back pay.

Soon after Yantis took office last Sept. 2 he reorganized the fire marshal's office, restoring the power of first marshal Charles Meadows, whom Christie had left with a title and few duties. Meadows then recommended that Cummins be fired or transferred and the board chose to fire him. Meadows announced recently he was resigning, effective May 1.

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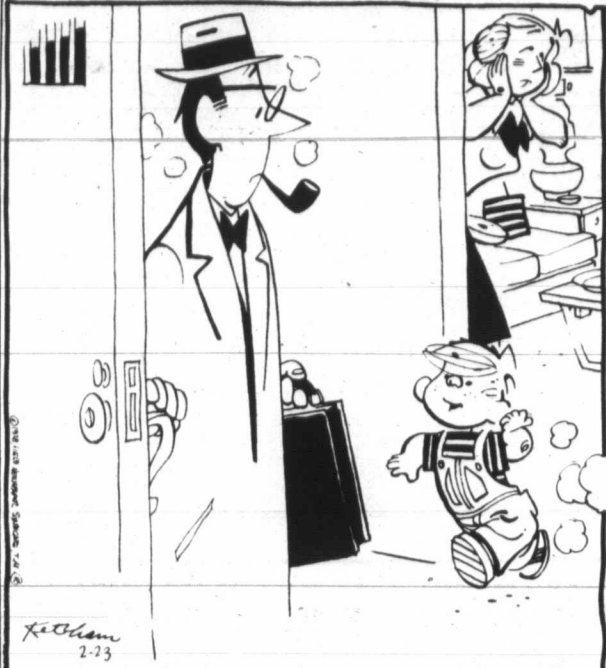
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 - 20 Rhumb pointing
 - 22 Exclude
 - 23 Cut
 - 24 Praises
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 - 3 Canned fish
 - 4 Woe is m!
 - 5 Be indisposed
 - 6 Lets loose
 - 7 Hinder
 - 8 - de mer
 - 9 "When I was"
 - 10 Sprints
 - 11 Glimpse
 - 12 Knights' tunics

Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:

1. MATT
2. MADE
3. OBOE
4. RIVER
5. SWISS
6. DELUDE
7. WAYSIDE
8. KHANS
9. CHAN
10. CHAPLIN
11. PROS
12. NATIVE
13. CATHOLICISM
14. INNOCUOUS
15. PILL
16. WAVES
17. SPAIN
18. RHUMB
19. POINTING
20. EXCLUDE
21. CUT
22. PRAISES
23. WIZEN

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DENNIS THE MENACE



"MOM WANTS TO TELL YA IN HER OWN WAY HOW SHE DENTED THE FENDER."

JUMBLE

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

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GRUPE

SAUNAE

YETHIG

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

Print answer here:

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: ERASE ICING PILFER QUIVER
Answer: "I arrive—all mixed up—at a Mediterranean beach!"—RIVIERA

Your Daily HOROSCOPE

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FORECAST FOR FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1978

GENERAL TENDENCIES: A considerable number of problems are likely to arise, but you have the cleverness to work these matters out sensibly and intelligently. Avoid working to absurd lengths on any situation that arises for it could interfere with right decisions.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Get down to business and finish projects you have prolonged for too long. Don't let a troubled co-worker hamper you.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Don't even think about recreation until your work is done. Think of a new way to please loved one. Show more gumption, too.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) You can easily improve the situation at home provided you use reason. Security is most important now. Strive for more goodwill in the outside world, also. Handle business affairs wisely.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Get your own affairs settled before you think of helping friends and relatives. You have to be extra careful in motion of any kind. Take no chances where health is concerned.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Take care you do not commit yourself financially beyond your ability to handle it. Use common sense about money and don't rely so much on your intuition, which may be faulty now.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) You have to get rid of that prejudice you have if you are to make real progress in your career. Be true to loyal friends.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Whatever personal worries you have can be solved by sensible thinking and help from right persons. Get others to appreciate you more. Don't be a doormat.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Know who your real friends are and those who are only time and money wasters and weed them out. Get into the social whirl that interests you. Don't forget to pay pressing bills.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Any civic problems can be worked out to your benefit if you are clever in handling them now. You have work to do that you don't particularly like, but get it done just the same.

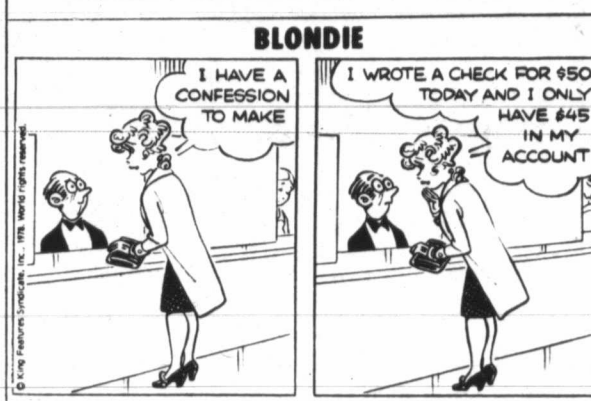
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Get stumbling blocks out of the way of your progress where some a new plan is concerned. Show that you are thinking constructively, wisely. Do something to improve health appreciably.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Find a more modern system through which to handle responsibilities more intelligently. Be more aware of the needs and desires of a loved one.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Showing more kindness and thought for partners will bring more accord and benefits as well. See what develops and then act at the right time.

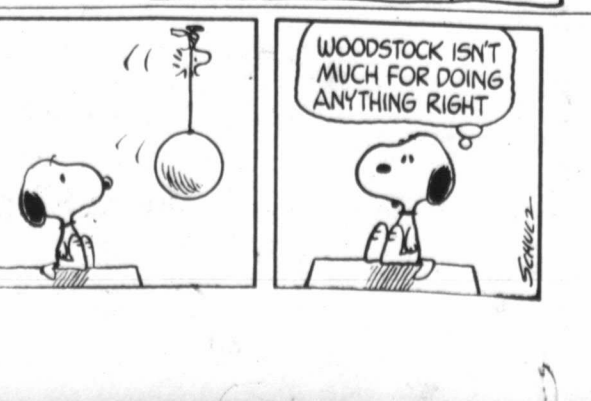
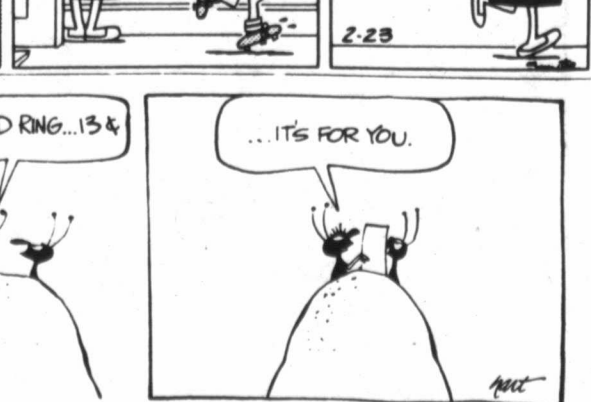
IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ... he or she will be so concerned with detail and precision that often the overall issues are neglected or forgotten. Teach early to keep an eye on the proverbial ball.

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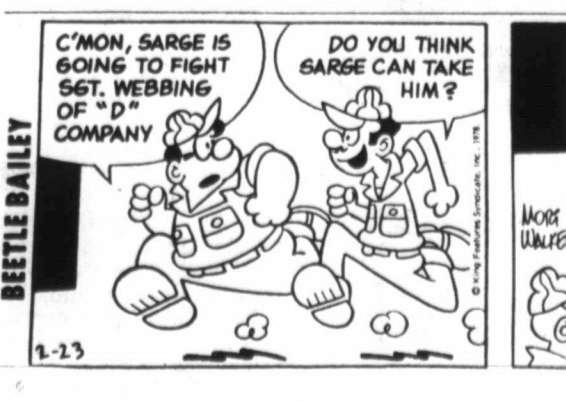
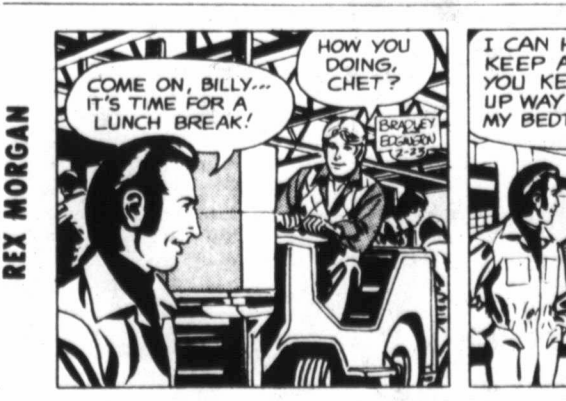
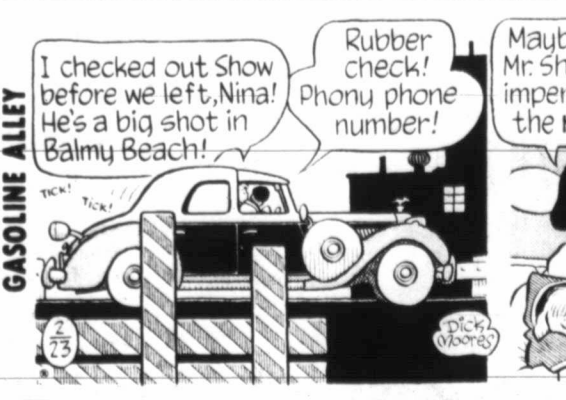


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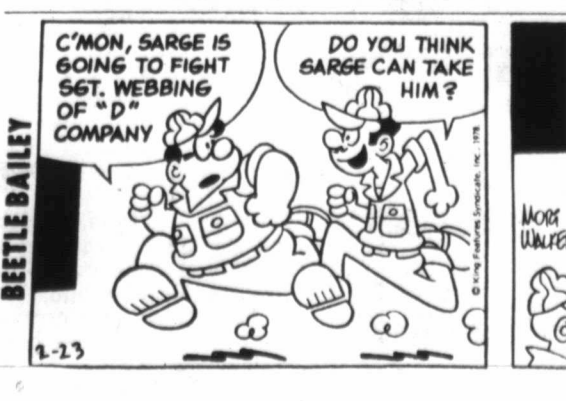
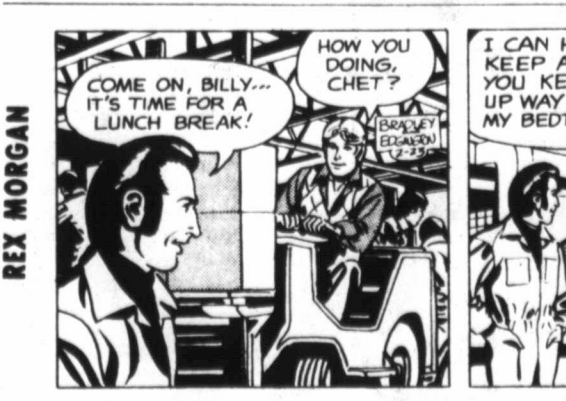
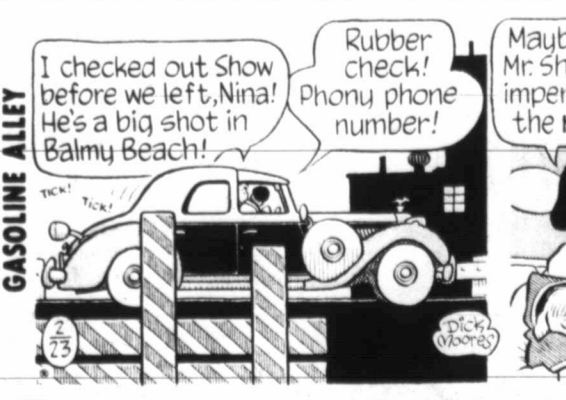
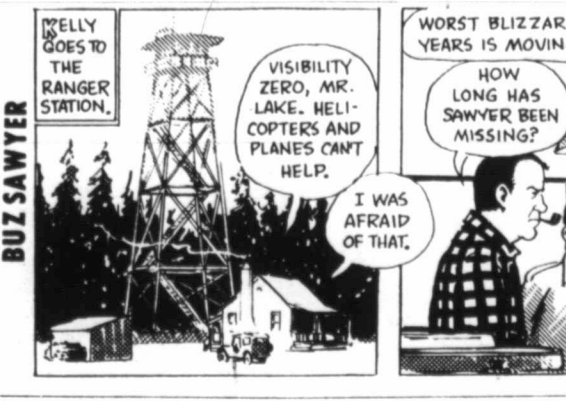
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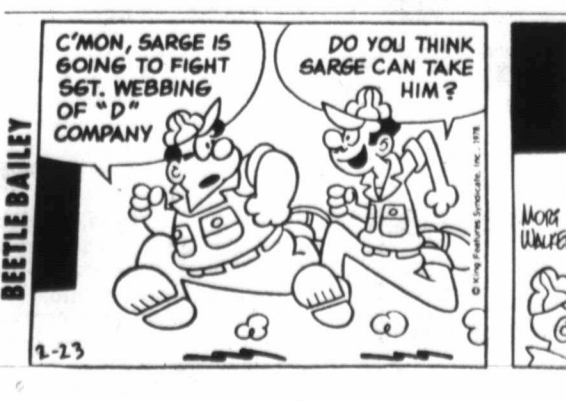
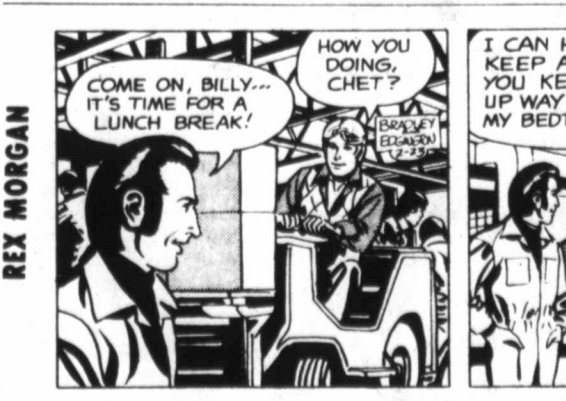
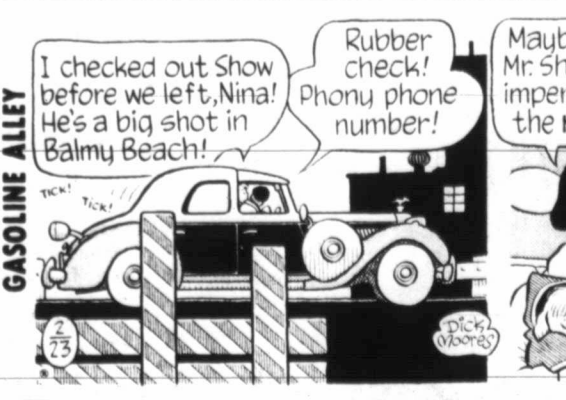
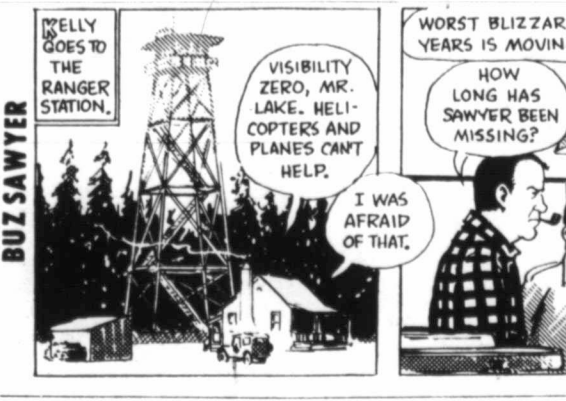
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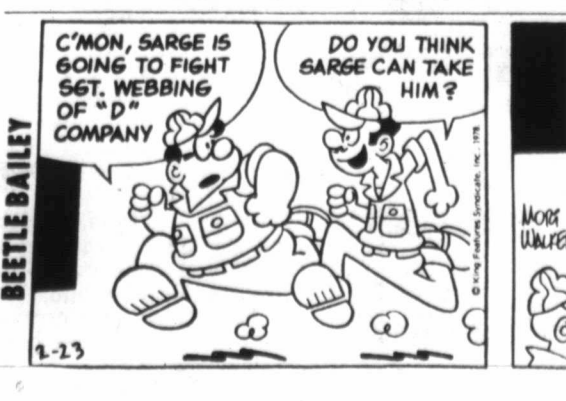
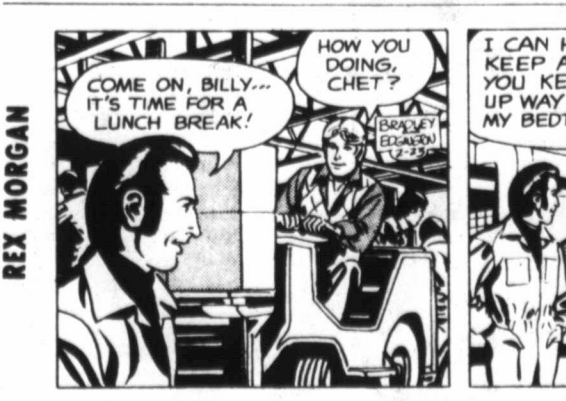
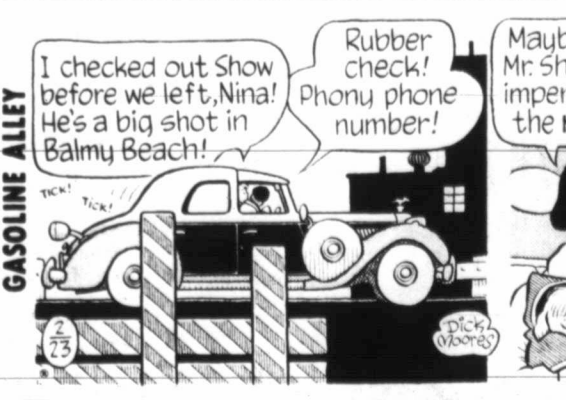
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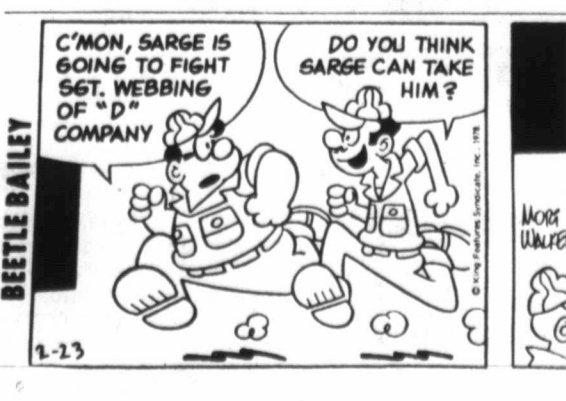
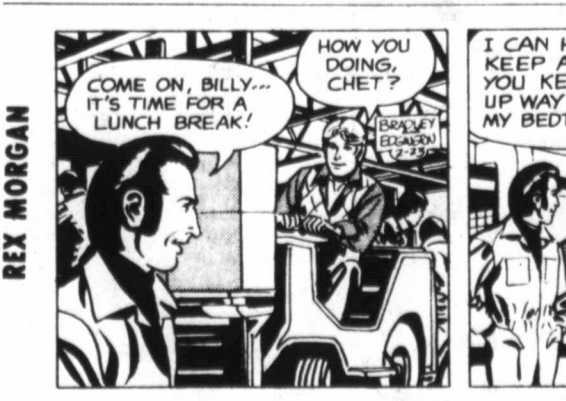
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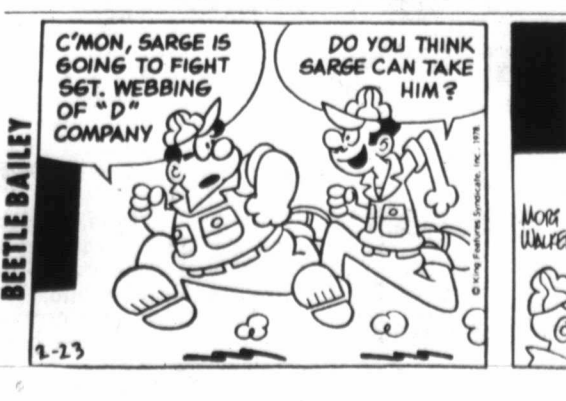
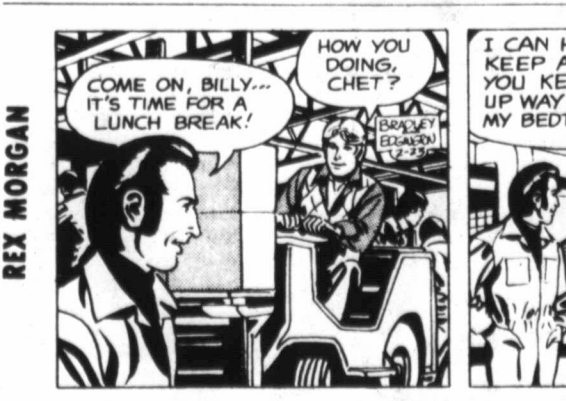
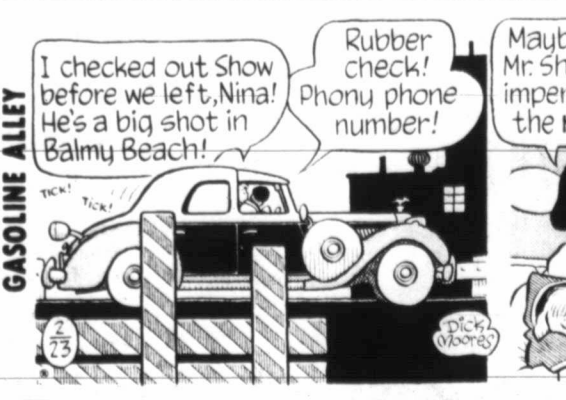
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SPRING CITY REALTY

300 West 9th JIMMIE DEAN, MANAGER 263-8402
George Flood, Broker
2 BRDM, liv. din., kit., fncd yd, gar, stor. rm. \$10,750 — owner will carry note for 10 yrs.
SOLD home. 3 brdm, 2 1/2 bath, lg — Livly patio. You must see this one.
FHA & HUD houses available. Contact us for latest list. We use this one.
LOTS up to 1 acre — both res. & comm — between Sand Springs & Coahoma — Call for information.

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SELLING BIG SPRING

HIGHLAND SOUTH
Pure Gold describes the quality of this gorgeous home. Massive formal live — din. beautiful den with wood burning fireplace. Complete custom kit, with radar-oven. Huge Master Suite. Basement playroom with fireplace. Custom decorated thru-out on lovely corner lot-appl. only.
HIGHLAND SOUTH
New offering in Highland South. Drive in the circle driveway to this fine home. It features a tri-level architectural design. Bedrooms view the city. Den overlooks Mountain. Huge kitchen with breakfast room. Relax next summer on the astro-turf covered patio — Call to see.
SILVER HEELS
Spend Your evenings before a roaring fire in this spacious Liv-rm den in suburban area. Split level game room with 2 bedrooms on one wing. Master Suite with office on the other. Nice loft room on 3rd level. Beautiful swim pool with redwood deck, all of 20 acres of wooded land.
GLASSCOCK FARM
720 acres, 450 in cultivation. Can take immediate possession. Price is excellent at \$150 per acre.
EAST BIG SPRING
Lovely little 2 bedroom home, near college and high school. Ideal for a retired couple or newly wed. Large living room and nice size kitchen. Tremendous buy.
CENTRAL CITY
3 bedroom, 1 bath brick, with wood burning fireplace in living area. Gold carpet in living area and all bedrooms. Built-in bookcase. This home has a lot to offer for the price, \$12,500.
NEAR DOWN TOWN
This home is well-built, with vinyl siding and comp roof. Two large bedrooms, a nice den, kitchen area, separate dining room. Location to shopping centers and school is excellent.
INDUSTRIAL PARK AREA
An ideal investment for the person who wants a return, or a darling first home for the young couple. This location is excellent for new industrial employee housing. A lot of space in this 2 bedroom, large living room, 1 bath home.

SCURRY COMMERCIAL

A 44 x 140 ft. lot includes 1 building, 2 storage buildings. Owner will consider financing with large down payment. A terrific price at \$22,500.

WEST BIG SPRING

If you think a neat, small home is hard to find, then see this large 2 bedroom, den with fireplace, big living room with dining room and new refrigerated air. Dishwasher and stove included, all painted. A great buy!

INDUSTRIAL PARK AREA

Double your money in 10 years if history repeats. Investor's special in this nice 3 bedroom, 1 bath, in a good resale location. Attractive frame with shingle roof — \$15,000.

DOUGLAS ADDITION

Immediate possession on this little jewel. Tired of apartments? Seller says bring offer on this little home. Living room has new carpet, built-in stove, central heat, is fenced on nice lot.

PARKHILL

Getting a refund this year? Then why not put it to good use on a down payment on this pretty home in a popular area. 3 bedroom with game room, built-in oven range. Total brick on a corner lot with tile fence.

HIGH SCHOOL AREA

Walk to high school or shopping from this street. Extra nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath home, on big lot with storm cellar. Asbestos and frame with textured interior.

MID CITY

Owner will carry paper on this rent home. Large 2 bedroom with 1 bath. Good value for the dollar.

SUBURBAN

3 acres on paved road, city water, 150 feet concrete tile barn built recently at a cost of \$25,000. Barn contains 3 stalls, a feed room and a tack room. Total package, \$35,000.

COLLEGE PARK SHOPPING AREA

If you are weary and tired of shopping — See this attractive 3 bedroom, 1 bath, with almost new kitchen. Carpeted and draped. Central refrigerated air, new hot water heater.

WESTERN HILLS

A time for quiet when you return to this home on a secluded street. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, den, and sitting room are the things a family needs when they enjoy staying at home. 40'.

OWENS AND 6TH STREET

Two homes on one lot, one a 3 bedroom furnished, the other a 2 bedroom. Total for both, \$16,000.

LOTS — NORTH BIRDWELL

2 lots, one with water well. Priced at \$12,500.

NORTH SUBURBAN

Beautiful lady in the word for this elegant home several miles from the city. 4500 square feet of livability, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, formal living and family area. Lovely landscaping, with 2 covered patios.

COLLEGE AREA

You will love this immaculate home. No work to do. Just move in and enjoy!!! 2 bedroom, 1 living area, 1 bath. Pretty yard, with large trees.

WASHINGTON PLACE

It's not easy to save money on today's market, but it can be done with this home in good area. 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, refrigerated air. Immediate possession on this one.

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LIST WITH US AND START PACKING FORSAND SCHOOL DISTRICT — Brick, over 2350', 4 bedroom, 3 baths, den, fireplace, formal living room and dining, fenced, extra large storage. \$35,000.
NICE 3 BEDROOM, 2 baths, beautiful hardwood floors, utility room, fenced, carport, choice location, vacant. Only \$15,800.
EXTRA GOOD BUY, near college. 20' paneled den, fireplace, huge formal living room, 4 bedroom, sunroom, huge kitchen, double carport, central heat & air, only \$45,000.
COAHOMA SCHOOL DISTRICT — 2 bedroom, new carpet, fenced, \$14,800.
\$1398 DOWN — 2 bedroom, paneled, carpet, fenced, garage, workshop, vacant.
LARGE LAKE CABIN, carpeted, paneled, \$6,000.
2 BEDROOM, 1 bath, carpeted, fenced, garage, \$12,500.
INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY — Beauty Shop, \$5,000.
BRICK 3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, quiet, short street, formal dining room, large hobby room, plenty of parking space.

La Casa BEST REALTY

1108 Lancaster 263-2593

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LA CASA REALTY 263-1144
BARBARA BRYANT 263-8789
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BOCRABTREE 267-7049

171 ACRE FARM:
Some in pasture, some in cult., 4 wells, 3 stock tanks, 3 Br carpeted home with 81 kit & panelling. Barn & corrals, 10 Mi. from town. Forsan Schools.
HOME IN KENTWOOD:
Nice 3 br, 1 1/2 bath, red brick home in good area. Carpeted with breakfast room and compact kitchen.
TWO BEDROOM BEAUTY:
Good location, close to Goliad School, nice liv rm w/ fireplace, lg dining room, completely paneled & carpeted. 5m bldg out back. Only \$16,500.
HEATED POOL:
4 Br, 2 Bath, Huge paneled den w/ fireplace. Ref air & lots of X-tras. Luxury Home.
UNDER 10,000
A real bargain for this 2 br cottage, completely carpeted, nicely decorated. Lg kitchen. Fenced backyard.
CLOSE TO COLLEGE
— 2 Br. Carpeted w/ floor furnace. Nice home w/ lots attraction power. ONLY \$14,500.
WASHINGTON PLACE BEAUTY:
3 Br, 1 1/2 baths, completely carpeted. Ref air.
COAHOMA AREA
— Brand new, Ranch style 3 Br, 1 1/2, Ref air, Nicely dec w/wallpaper throughout.
NICE LOT
— 1/2m & Birdwell.
GREAT PRICE:
\$9,000 for 2 Br, comp ctpd w-lots trees. See today!
REALLY AN INVESTMENT
Move now to prestigious Silver Heels for a home you will be proud of. 3 Br, 1 1/2, Red brick home, lg-den w/ fireplace.
BEAUTIFUL TRAILER
Early American decor, 2 Bars, Ref air, priced to sell.
TRUE BARGAIN
— Nicely dec 3 Br Home w/ cent heat & air, carpet, carport & lg yard \$13,500.

AREA ONE REALTY

267-8296 1512 Scurry 267-1032

LET US DO YOUR HOMEWORK

2,000	MINI-PRICE on this frame home. Needs work & some tender care.	1006 NE RUNNELS
4,500	GREAT house to move or remodel. Aluminum siding.	510 NW 11th
10,000	A RARE FIND for the money. Big kitchen, 2 bdrm home on private st. Pretty yd w trees.	1614 CANARY
12,500	LOOKING for a live lg area? See this neat 2 bdrm with front & back yd cyclone fenced. Carport in back.	1109 MULBERRY
16,500	REGINNE'S BARGAIN! Lovely gold cpt & a sunny & bright kit. New cent. heating. Stepdown den. New fence & stg. bldg.	1104 BARNES
17,500	NEW LISTING. A home you can move right into without doing a thing. 2 bdrm, w. large kit. Whole house newly painted, new blown ceilings, new water heater, plush shag carpet. Detached garage w. storage and utility. Pretty back yd w. tile fence and patio.	WASHINGTON PLACE ADD'N
18,500	A REAL CHARMER and so nice & clean you could move right in. Decorated nicely with paper and pretty cpt. Dream kitchen w-break bar. Huge utility. 2 bdrm 2 bath.	NR. HIGH SCHOOL
19,900	COUNTRY LIVING in the spacious home. Almost 1800 sq. ft. Formal livg rm, dining area in bkt in kit, huge den w-free stand flpr. Ref air & cent. heat.	SAND SPRINGS
20,000	CHOICE COMMERCIAL on corner situated on 3 lots. Paved grounds. Office bldg & garage & store room. Office furn. remains.	700 W. 4th
23,000	REDUCED & extra special 3 bdrm Brick. Huge kitchen w-lavety & abundant cabinets. All but new cpt throughout. Formal dining room. Single attached garage.	3217 DREXEL
24,000	GET AWAY FROM IT ALL and have breathing room outside city limits. Neat on a pin Brick, 2 big bedrooms, extra space in attached garage, could be 3rd bdrm, or study. Completely fenced. 85'x150' lot.	MILLER B RD. SAND SPRINGS
26,000	HAVEN FOR CHILDREN with schools across the street. Spacious & well arranged 3 bdrm, 1 1/2 bath with split bdrm arrangt. Approx. 1600 sq. ft. Liv cpt throughout. 18'x20 den. Nice kit. w-breakfast area. Dbl carport.	COAHOMA
28,000	TOTAL ELECTRIC Brick home. Furnace. Ref. air unit & dishwasher only 1 year old. 3 bdrm 1 1/2 bath, nice cpt. Single carport. Good loc in Wasson Add'n.	3607 LaJUNTA
37,500	SUPER INVESTMENT PROPERTY. Serv. Station Bldg., all equip. & stock. Good location. Established business.	KENTWOOD
39,500	ROOM FOR FAMILY GROWTH in this spacious home. Approx. 2065 sq. ft. of livg space. 20x42 den with wood burning flpr. brand new cpt., bit in bookshelves. Kit has bit in oven range & dishwasher. Garage.	SILVER HEELS
43,000	LOVELY VIEW 10 acres of rolling hills. Mobile home w. 2 bths, furnished, good water well, fences, barn w. feed stg. Dbl. carport & stg. bldg.	N. OF COAHOMA
48,500	MINI-FARM on 10 acres w-livly Brick, 3 bdrm 2 bath, home. Approx. 1900 sq. ft. of very livable livg area. Large den, bit in kitchen.	WILLIAMS RD.
58,000	ENCLOSED POOL will sell you on this extra nice 3 bdrm 2 bath Brick home on 1/2 acre. Bit in oven range, refrigerator, in pretty kitchen w-abundant cabinets. Formal livg rm, nice den & dining rm. Two water wells.	MIDWAY RD.

ACREAGE

1,500	BUY one acre or 10 acres. Good bldg. sites for home or industry.	VAL VERDE
3,100	1 acre tracts Sand Springs Restricted.	SEMINOLE ST.
3,300	Nice bldg. lot that is 85'x150' inside city limits.	VAL VERDE
4,300	4 1/2 acre tracts.	TODD RD.
20,000	20 acres, livg. bldg. site. Good water well, septic tank, mobile home hookups, Stable crib & stg. bldg.	ANDREWS HWY.
37,000	58.22 acres. Partially in cultivation.	

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COLL. SOLD
bth, cprt 1 yr. old. Gar.

GREAT FAMILY HOME
4 huge rms — elec. kit, dbl gar., 1/2 acre. Water well cares for 30 shade & fruit trees. \$140's.

LIVE IN THIS NICE
2 bdrm 2 1/2 bath mod. bit-in home and collect a profitable income. 54 trailer sp. part fncd & part cpts. Taxes only \$400 yr. \$80,000 Terms.

NEAR COLLEGE SHOPS
Attrac. red brick, 3-2 full bths, new cprt, best no wax brk con, in kit & din. area, mstr bdrm 13'x24', fncd bldg with 7 trees — 5 fruit, 2 pecans, gar. will make U a livly stpdown den. All for \$28,000.

10 ACRES IN
Forsan Sch. area. All util. & tr. hookups, fncd & crosscnd. Terms.

LGE CORNER LOT
ON Main st., 1 blk from New bank...now only \$13,500...value goes up with progress. Invest now.

EXTRA CLEAN
3 bdrm home for \$13,800 & 450 down closing 2 brks.

COLONIAL BRK
Unique split-level...3 bdrms 2 1/2 bths...den, handy bar. Cpt. draped. Fr. A. Heat. Dble gar. Atty: yd. in chat & little grass. Approx. 1/2 A. \$35,900. could not replace this Pr.

5/8 Acre grassland near town
30 and 40 acre tracts south of town — 3 Br. houses on 1 lot, good income property. We handle HUD houses. Warren Real Estate 263-2041 Marzee Wright S.M. Smith 263-4421 267-5981, 267-7862

NEAR GOLIAD SCHOOL
Older 7 rm house in choice spot for space & quiet. 1/2 ac. & extra lot w-water well. \$15,500.

HERE'S 2 IN 1
Comm. residence. 2 1/2 ac. water well. ideal for nursery, florist, bakery, grocery & so forth. Terms.

COMM. BLDG
150' West 3rd. Choice property & price.

VALOAN
5 rm. 1 bth home near Wash. Add. \$12,750.

COMM. PROPERTY
only \$12,500 for bldg — liv. area, 150' frontage, top value.

1800 SQ. FT.
2 1/2 ac. 28 ft. patio flp in each bth. 3 bdrm, cprt, draps, call for appl. \$120's.

\$24,900 HOME
Huge rms, 2 full bths, c-h-cooling, cprt. Nice family-size kit...Not the run-of-mill. Walk to Jr. Sr. & grade schs. Govers your pmts by cash down. Lge lot all in the best water values.

COMMERCIAL LOT
150' Frontages. \$40,000 terms.

1st come, 1st served.
1510 Bluebird \$9,400 — \$300 dwn.
1408 Bluebird \$9,600 — \$300 dwn.
1203 Mulberry \$12,800 — \$450 dwn.
3707 Calvin \$16,900 — \$400 dwn.

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1611 Hummel REAL ESTATE FIRM 263-4835

HOUSE IS HERE — owner is there needing his money to buy a new home. With employers assistance, owner can sell this home for \$16,500. 3 br 1 bath, brick, central heat, fenced yd. Similar homes in same block have recently sold for \$18,900. This is a bargain we believe. Just listed.

NEATI NEATI NEATI Such a nice home — 2 bdrm, den, 1 bath, new carpet, aluminum siding — near VA hospital-shopping. This home has a warm, comfortable, inviting personality. New on market. \$16,500

\$44,000 Executive home in one of Big Spring's very best neighborhoods. Near Howard College. Large spacious den, fireplace, formal liv. rm, separate dining rm, 3 br, 2 bath, oversized dbl garage. **\$8,950.00** 2 bdrm 1 bth, central heat plus 1 br cottage in rear (cottage now rented for \$90. per month). Combined square feet over 1200 at under \$8.00 per ft.

COMMERCIAL AND ACREAGE (1) 20 acre tract — FM 700 frontage, \$50 per acre (2) 1 acre country site near Big Spring. Water \$2,650. (3) Office Bldg. — Lomaso Hwy. \$20's. (4) lot — 15.20 — \$12,000.

WHAT COULD YOU DO with a large duplex? — divide your housing costs in half — & still have a fine, large 2 bdrm 1 bth place to live in a desirable, convenient n-hood. Double garage. \$16,000.

\$12,500 2 bdrms — large bedrooms — quiet area near Safeway-shopping & college. Fenced yard, ducted air, fenced yd, garage. A dandy place to live & a neighborhood you'll enjoy.

\$24,000 Brick, 3 br 1 1/2 bath, carpet, fenced yard, new paint, on quiet street in south east Big Spring. No down VA or \$450 down FHA, plus closing costs. You'll like this one.

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NEAR B.S. Ind Park, Nice 3 b 2 b brk, Central Heat, Ref. Den. Garage fenced yd \$130,000.
JONESBORO RD. — 1/2 acre lovely 3 b double detached Gar. Water Well good one. Must see low 20's.
AVIATION ST. close to Ind. Park. 2 b Carport workshop. Fenced yd quiet Nbrth this one only \$11,000. 2000 SQ. FT. BLDG in Dtown area, Ref air, offices. Good loc. for right Bus, Sale or Lease.
APPE 30 AC off Baylor Blvd. Just out of city limits. Ideal for Comm or Res. Development. \$1000 per acre.
Call us for info on Repo houses, now open for Bid.
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2000 Birdwell 263-8251

FHA HOMES: 3 BRDM, 1 1/2 bath, Gd Loc on Tucson, \$14,800, \$450 Down.
3 BRDM, 1 1/2 bath, \$300 Down.
3 STORY — 2 1/2 Bth, Dbl Gar, Ref Air. Choice Location. \$35,900.
3-2 MOBILE — Home, Gd Well, 5 Acres, Net Wire Fenced, \$17,900.
DUPELX — Furnished, Across Im H-sh. Owner carry note to go partly. \$1250 or make offer.
80 ACRES — Water Well, Tank, Root plowed, Reduced to \$200. A.
ACREAGE — Have 6, 14, and 17 Acre Tracts close in.
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FIRST TIME
on the Market — 2 large bedrooms, hardwood floors, duct air, aluminum siding, has a small 2 bedroom house in rear, good location, on Sycamore. \$3000 down, owner will carry papers at 9 per cent. Total \$12,750.

NEED EXTRA
income, then don't over look this nice duplex. 3 large rooms, 1 bath on each side, furnished, large lot, fenced, only \$10,000.

NEED A GOOD
location for a mobile home and garden space, I have 1/2 acre off Midway Road, just \$1000.

150 FOOT business lot at 411 Nolan — \$12,000.

HELP! CHECK WHO'S WHO FOR SERVICE

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A Reeder sign says considerably more to people in Big Spring than HOME FOR SALE. It says quality. It says good value. It says this home is represented by a real estate broker who specializes in providing the best possible transaction for both the buyer and seller.

SECLUDED in superb Parkhill area — This charming 3 bdr traditional features privacy plus sparkling new gourmet kitchen w. all bit ins & unique eating bar. Cent. heat & ref. air. Total Electric \$36,000.

HIGHLAND SOUTH — This elegant home has the warmth of a woodburning fireplace in massive living den, formal dining, plush master suite offers 2 walk-in closets & personal office. Under construction now. \$66,000.

A — IT'S ADORABLE — Charming older home in Washington Place area w. over 1800 sq. ft. 3 bdr, 2 1/2 bath, country kitchen Sep. gar. & tile fence. \$32,000.

A GREAT BUY for your family. This 3 bdr, 2 bth brick in Kentwood has pretty cprt, neat kit, w. bit in R-O, garage, & fence — Great investment. Low equity 20's.

COUNTRY PLACE — A couple. Neat 2 bdrm, cottage w. new cprt. Total \$9,900. Sand Springs area.

MORE FOR YOUR MONEY — See this 2 bdrm w. extra livg. room, good cprt, carport & fence for only \$10,000. Equity buy. Ideal for rental property.

BRAND NEW!!! with the luxury you want at an price you can afford. Energy saver home w. double pane windows & extra insulation. Big livden, frm. dining, sparkling kit, w. bit in R-O & dishwasher. Many extras, in best of locations. Now under construction. \$44,000.

INVESTOR'S JOY — Commercial zoning makes this a good investment. Nice older home with lots of room — completely furnished & only \$11,000.

A HOME THAT SAYS COME IN and surrounds you in luxury — 3 huge bedrooms — 3 baths — den with fireplace — large living & dining rms. Corner lot near college.

PLEASANT PAYMENTS — 1/2 equity & assume low payments for a 7' equity & a dishwasher. Garage too.

ALL DRESSED UP and ready for you — Lovely older brick home with lots of charm — 2 bdrms, w sun porch could be a 3rd bdrm. or den if needed. Double garage.

WHY RENT AND RAVET When you could be buying your own home. 2 bdr home on corner lot, double carport & water well — ref., stove, & dishwasher included.

ZONED FOR CHILDREN — room for everybody in this house — over 1800 sq. ft. — centrally located — \$12,000 total.

EVERYTHING BUT — YOU in this College Park beauty. 3 bdr bdrms — pretty carpet throughout — landscaped beautifully, tile fenced — garage.

PICK A WINNER — 8100 sq. ft. warehouse w. office space. Ideal location. Established business. **LET'S MAKE A DEAL** on 20 plus acres South of Big Spring. 2 water wells — low equity.

YOU'RE READY-WE'RE READY
Discover the new custom home you've been wishing for. Come in to see specs. and plans. Lots available in Kentwood, Highland South, Coronado, & Worth Peeler.

IDEAL BUILDING SITE in Western Hills, 1/2 acre lot on paved street. All utilities. \$2,600.

10 WOODED ACRES — fronts F.M. 700. One of the best investment properties available. Just \$9,000. Assumable note.

PRICE REDUCED on this home in College Park — Really neat 3 bedroom, brick, with den, separate living room, large rooms with pretty shag carpet. Fenced yard and large storage building makes this a great buy at only \$30,000.

UNBELIEVABLE! but true — \$11,000 for a 2 bdrm home, paneled and carpeted, with central heat and air. This home has an attached garage, basement, large storage building and concrete tile fence. See this.

ROOMY IN — POOMY OUT — Lovely location north of city includes 3 bdrm. brick home on 10 acres. Large rooms and nice carpet. Acreage and house for \$35,000.

CHEAPER BY THE PACKAGE — Pay yourself first from the income on the apartment included in this package deal in Forsan school district. Three bdrm, home, has ref. air, new siding and large rooms. Apartment has 3 rooms plus bath.

BUSINESS!!! Choice location on Gregg St. Established business plus 2 houses for additional income.

OUR NEW LISTINGS

EDWARD HEIGHTS Prestige lot — 1/2 acre with natural greenery, existing bldg. includes bedroom, game room, bath & storage. Foundation remaining from former house. Select building site. Call today.

REMEMBER WHEN — Rooms were large. We have one to be moved — 3 bdrm home, frame, surrounded by porch. \$6,000 total.

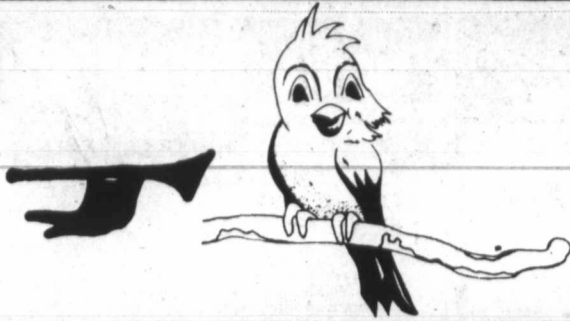
IN KENTWOOD — 3 bdrm, 2 bth, brk, beautiful bit in kit, ref. air. Homes are hard to find in the Kentwood area and this one is a super value at under \$30,000.

FOR UNDER \$20,000 you can own this adorable 3 bdrm brick. Completely carpeted, carport, fenced yard. See this soon.

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REAL ESTATE A

Business Property A-1

FOR LEASE: High volume service station. Must have good credit and some capital. If interested, call 915-232-2087 collect.

Houses For Sale A-2

ONE BEDROOM house. Completely redone with new carpet. Excellent location. Call 267-7655.

FOR SALE: Two bedroom, one bath, refrigerated air, dishwasher, attached garage. Low equity, \$2,500. Loan balance \$11,400, payments \$112 month. 267-1326 or see at 1309 Standford.

TWO BEDROOM home for sale. Floor turndown heat. 1500 Chicksaw. \$10,500. \$2,000 down, \$100 month. 267-7380 or 267-6241.

THREE BEDROOM, two bath, total electric, all built-ins, refrigerated air, fenced backyard, and storage on quiet street. \$23,500. Call 263-8789.

Farms & Ranches A-5

LA CASA REALTY NOW IN POSSESSION OF PRIME FARM AND ranch properties ranging from 80 acres to 670 acres. This property is located in Scurry and Kent Counties. For more information call 263-1166.

Acres For Sale A-6

TWO ACRES — East 120 North across road, near Moss Creek exit. Water well. 263-7202, 263-7627.

40 ACRES, 10 minutes from Big Spring, on pavement, excellent water, very good investment. 399-4233 days, after 6:00 p.m. 399-4751.

Real Estate Wanted A-7

WANTED TO Lease: Building with 3,500 square feet or more. Call 267-8270. After 5:00, 263-4708.

Houses To Move A-11

TO BE MOVED: Three bedroom stucco house near Ackerly. Call 353-4352 for appointment to see.

Mobile Homes A-12

DOUBLEWIDE MOBILE home on 100x150 fenced lot. Three bedrooms, 2 bath, large storage. Call 263-3493 after 4:00 p.m.

14x70 TRAILWAY, THREE bedroom, two bath, total electric. Four full years of insurance left. \$500 down take over payments, \$138.80. 267-8823 for more information.

HILLSIDE TRAILER SALES

Spaces for sale-rent. New & used mobile homes. West of refinery on IS 20 East of Big Spring. 263-2788, 263-1315 nights.

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NEW USED, REPO HOMES FHA FINANCING AVAILABLE FREE DELIVERY & SETUP INSURANCE ANCHORING PHONE 263-9891

RENTALS B

ONE AND Two Bedroom apartments and houses. Furnished and unfurnished. Call 263-4804. Bills paid and unpaid.

Housing Assistance Payment Program Available to low income families. This program assists eligible families with payment of rental costs. For more information, call 263-8311, the Office of Housing and Community Development. An Equal Opportunity Program.

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SANDRA GALE APARTMENTS

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Furnished Apts. B-3

NICELY FURNISHED three room garage apartment. Storage. Breakfast room. Carpeted. Couple only. No pets. 508 Nolan. 263-2279.

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FOR RENT: Two bedroom furnished apartment. Motel kitchen facilities. Refr preferred. Call 267-1416.

VERY NICE one bedroom furnished apartment. Wall to wall carpet. Drapes. No bills paid. 267-2265.

ONE BEDROOM furnished apartment and houses for rent. 267-8372.

FURNISHED ONE Bedroom apartment. \$100 monthly plus deposit. Water paid. Call 393-5321 or 393-5224.

NICELY FURNISHED Duplex. Carpeted in only one unit. No pets. Call 263-7811.

SOUTHLAND APARTMENTS. Air Base Road, office hours 8:00-4:00 Monday-Friday, 8:30-12:00 Saturday, 263-7811.

Furnished Houses B-5

TWO BEDROOM mobile home for rent. No children, no pets. Call 267-8345.

From Houses to Campers and Travel Trailers, check The Big Spring Herald Classified Ads.

Furnished Houses B-5

NICELY FURNISHED One bedroom house. No pets. Inquire at 2100 South Runnels after 5:00.

2 & 3 BEDROOM MOBILE HOMES

Washer, and dryer in some, air conditioning, heating, carpet, shade trees and fenced yard. TV Cable, all bills except electricity paid on some. FROM \$110.00 267-5546

Unfurnished Houses B-6

LARGE LOVELY and spacious two bedroom near Kentwood addition. Carpet, patio, and yard. \$200 month deposit and term. McDonald Realty Co. 611 Runnels. Property managers. 263-7616.

EXTRA NICE two bedroom unfurnished. Carpet, carpet, fenced yard, central heat, washer & dryer connections, 703 Lorrilla. Apply 702 Lorrilla after 4:30 p.m.

NICE ONE bedroom house. Range furnished. Mature couple only. No pets. Call 267-7074 for further information.

ATTRACTIVE BRICK Three bedroom two bath. Kentwood. Adults. Available March 1. \$275 month — \$250 deposit. Call 263-1434.

THREE BEDROOM, two bath and den, wall to wall carpet, newly decorated. Adults, no pets. 1609 Indian Hills.

Misc. For Rent B-7

WANTED TO rent or lease: Nice three bedroom house in Sand Springs or Coahoma area. 267-2923.

Business Buildings B-9

FOR SALE: 20x20 metal building with two steel frame, insulated. One left. 267-4107.

Mobile Homes B-10

FOR RENT nice large two bedroom mobile home. Bills paid except electricity. No pets and deposit. 267-7180.

Lots For Rent B-11

FOR RENT: Trailer space in Coahoma. Call 263-7008 for more information.

ANNOUNCEMENTS C

Lodges C-1

STATED MEETING Big Spring Lodge No. 1348 A.F. & A.M. 1st and 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Visitors welcome. 21st and Lancaster. W.M. Ron Sweatt, W.M.

CALLER MEETING: Staked Plains Lodge No. 598 A.F. & A.M. Friday, February 24, 1978 at 7:00 Work in the EA Degree. John R. Gee, Sec. T.R. Morris, W.M.

Personal C-5

BORROW \$100 on your signature. (Subject to approval) C.I.C. FINANCE, 406 1/2 Runnels. 263-7338.

LONELY? DEPRESSED? Need a listening ear? Call Bill anytime, day or night. 263-8016, 263-7471.

FOR HELP WITH UNWEDD PREGNANCY CALL EDNA GLADNEY HOME FORT WORTH, TEXAS 1-800-792-1104

Private Investigator C-8

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BUSINESS OP. D

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Education D-1

FINISH HIGH School at home. Diploma awarded. For free brochure call American School, toll free, 1-800-621-8318.

EMPLOYMENT F

Help Wanted F-1

EXCELLENT PART-TIME OPPORTUNITY Part-time hours between 5:00 and 9:00 p.m. five days weekly — Monday through Friday. Must be mature, enthusiastic with good telephone voice. Work can be done in your own home. For personal interview call 267-8421 between 9:00 and 4:30

Now taking applications for waitresses, bartenders, bar backs and other openings. Apply in person BOGARTS Formerly NCO Club

ROUTE DRIVER needed. Must have commercial license. Apply in person. Big Spring Refrigeration Company. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

AVON TURN TIME INTO MONEY

Sell popular Avon products, meet new people and enjoy being part of the fashionable beauty business. Earn up to \$150 a month part-time. Interest free! Call: Dorothy B. Christensen, Mgr. Tele No. 263-3230

Everyone reads Classified Section for Bargains! Call 263-7331 to list yours!

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Household Goods L-4
USED COMPLETE Pine bunk bed set \$139.95
 also pine single dresser \$139.95
USED BLACK vinyl sleeper \$99.95
USED RECLINERS \$59.95 and up
NEW TWO piece bed & chair — 2 velvets and 1 Her-culon \$139.95
GOLD VELVET sofa and love seat Sold new \$549.95
 \$299.95
NEW BLACK vinyl sofa, Close-out Sold regular \$249.95
TWO FABRIC covered poor boy sleepers \$159.95
SEVEN PIECE wooden dining room suite w-large buffet \$149.95
SPECIAL SET OF three living room tables, Maple or Spanish Oak \$49.95 for set
BIG SPRING FURNITURE
 110 Main 267-2631

Household Goods L-4
GOOD SELECTION new & used heaters.
USED OAK Bunk beds with bedding \$129.95
NEW ADMIRAL 15.5-foot free refrigerator \$418.95
FRANKLIN FIREPLACE \$374.95
66 INCH WHITE Metal cabinet with double sink \$189.95
20% off on all living room pit groups
COLONIAL STYLE Triple dresser, gallery mirror, six drawer chest, night table and Texas sized bed in Honey Pine \$798.95
FREIGHT DAMAGED Bunk bed with bedding and storage unit \$250.00
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USED SLEEPER \$69.95
USED STACKED Frigidaire washer and dryer \$189.95
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HUGHES TRADING POST
 267-5661 2000 W. 3rd

Miscellaneous L-11
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FOR SALE: Mesquite firewood. Seasoned. \$55 per cord — delivered and stacked. Call 263-7015.
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REMODELING SALE: New door, lumber, brick, door jams, striping, paneling, trailer hitch, tire, and etc. Call late p.m. or early a.m. 263-2507.
1970 SUZUKI MOTORCYCLE, 1960 Corvair, 1952 Plymouth. Come by after 6:00 on weekdays, all day weekends. Call 263-6124.
 100 lbs. HAMBURGER MEAT just processed and frozen. Call between 9:00-4:00 weekdays only. 267-6409.
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Autos M-4
1975 MALIBU TWO Door hardtop. Super sharp. Extra low miles. Call 267-1931 for further information.
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1973 CUTLASS SUPREME, 2 door hardtop, loaded and 1964 Chevrolet Malibu 55, 12 1/2 to 1 pistons, 4 speed and mag wheels. Call 263-1644 after 5:00 p.m.
1971 CHEVROLET IMPALA, 4 door sedan, 350, automatic, power brakes, power steering, air. \$1,100. 267-7551.
1975 FORD ELITE, 50-50 seats, AM-FM stereo. Clean. \$2,900. Call 263-7920.
1972 FIREBIRD, LOADED \$1,788.63. Call 267-1931 to learn more about this beauty.
1967 BUICK LESABRE hardtop. See 3203 Cornell. Make offer over \$100.00. Phone 267-6136 after 5:00 p.m.
FOR SALE OR TRADE: 1974 Cadillac Four door DeVille. Real nice. Call 263-8284 for information.

USED MAYTAG Automatic washer, 6 month warranty \$149.95
(1) CATALINA 36 INCH Gas range, real good condition \$149.95
All NEW MAYTAG built in dishwashers, 10 percent off.
NEW WOOD Burning stoves \$79.95 and up
(1) ZENITH REPOSESSED Quad sound AM-FM tuner and 8 track player \$299.50
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 115 MAIN 267-5265

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 Beautiful spinet console stored locally. Reported like new. Responsible party can take at big saving on low payment balance. Write Joplin Piano, 315 South 16th, Waco, Texas 76703.
PIANO Tuning and repair, immediate attention. Don Tolle Music Studio, 2104 Alabama, phone 283-8193.
Musical Instru. L-7
LEARN TO play country fiddle. One Roth, one Aubert, violin outfit Lessons and book included with purchase. \$263.8193.
FOR SALE: Apollo Drums. Two toms, one floor tom, Ride, Crash, High Hat additions. Ludwig Speed King pedal. New clear black dot Benco Batter heads. All new equipment \$950. Three months old. \$500. 263-1974.
SUNN CONCERT Lead guitar amplifier. Like new. Call 267-4948 after 5:00 p.m. for further information.

Antiques L-12
LOVELY OLD Twin Bedroom Suite with 3-drawer trestle-vanity and bench. Dark mahogany and cherry. Price \$500. See at Dutchover-Thompson Furniture, 503 Lamesa Hwy.
DUNCAN PHYFE Style mahogany 7 piece dining suite. Drop-leaf, four pedestal table, extends to 98 inches. Six chairs \$500.
DUTCHOVER-THOMPSON FURN. 503 LAMESA HWY
Wanted To Buy L-14
MOVING INTO Unfurnished home. Need good used furniture for livingroom, bedroom, kitchen appliances. 267-5425.
WANTED: USED 12 or 20 gauge shotgun. Double or single. Finish unimportant if mechanically sound. 263-8288 after 6:00.
Will pay top prices for good used furniture. Appliances. Call for conditions. Call 267-5661 or 263-2496.
CB Radio's L-18
FOR SALE: CB base station with antenna, Coax and telescope pole. Call 267-3460.
AUTOMOBILES M
Motorcycles M-1
FOR SALE: 1976 Honda 300T. Low mileage, two helmets included. See at 2284 Stanford.
1977 HONDA CB 550 SS. Blue and gold. Call 263-4345 after 5:00 for more information.
FOR SALE: Yamaha 60 Mini-Enduro. Good condition. For more information call 263-4825 or 263-8887.
Trucks For Sale M-9
1975 FORD F-100, short wheel, V-8, auto, air, CB radio, dual exhaust, tool box, 2 spare tires. 4106 Bilgore. 263-4549 after 6:00.
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FOR SALE: 1972 Chevy 1/2 ton pickup. Loaded. \$1995. Can be seen at 501 East 3rd, Monday-Friday: 9:00-3:30. 267-7884.
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Autos M-10
1973 PINTO THREE Door Runabout. Air conditioned, standard transmission. For more information call 263-4863.
FOR SALE: 1973 Honda Civic. Clean, new tires. Call 267-1058 for further information.
1971 OPAL MANTA. Four speed, good mechanically, new tires. \$888. Call 267-1935 for further information.
1975 CADILLAC ELDORADO, 18,800 actual miles, one owner, excellent condition. Brand new bunk beds. 263-0020.
FOR SALE: VW Beetle. 1969. 65,800 miles. Call 263-2707 before 9:00, after 6:00 call 267-2083.
1976 FORD TORINO Stationwagon. Two seat, one owner car, with air, power brakes, power steering, automatic, new tires. \$400 down, take over payments \$115 month. 267-3284.
FOR SALE: 1973 Ford Maverick, 4 cylinder with air conditioning. \$1395. 267-3241, Monday-Friday, 9:00-5:30.
ONE — 1970 FORD, \$400 and two — 1956 Rambler, best offer. By private owner 267-9093 between 1:00-4:00 p.m.
1974 MALIBU CLASSIC with vinyl top AM stereo. Good condition. Call 263-7208 or 267-9290.

1975 BUICK Electra 2-door Custom Local one owner 33,000 miles White with white landau roof Excellent Condition \$3995 Call 267-2392 after 5:00
IMPORT CAR OF THE YEAR
 1977 Honda Accord Accessories too numerous to list. Call 267-3232 or 263-1417 (Cinema) after 5:00 p.m.
1970 CHEVROLET CUSTOM Coupe. Clean, loaded, good condition. See to appreciate. \$750. 1604 Runnels. 267-6246.
Trailers M-12
16 FOOT STOCK trailer. Like new. Call 267-1058 for more information.
Boats M-13
TWO BASS Boats, two ski boats, two metal fishing boats. All have motors and trailers. 263-3221.
THREE 14 FOOT and two 17 foot aluminum boats, motors and trailers. Call 263-1050 or see at 3616 Hamilton.
Campers & Trav. Trls. M-14
1973 EXCELLA, 31 foot Air Stream. Fully Equipped. Excellent for hunting and fishing. 263-7208 — 267-9290.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Frank Marin, Sr. is appreciative and grateful for all the food, flowers and donations given to the Marin family during their moment of grief.
 Thank you so much from Mrs. Frank Marin, her family, relatives, and friends.

CARD OF THANKS

A special "Thanks" to all of our good friends and neighbors who have given so much material and moral support since our house fire.
 Larry, Barbara, & Becky Page

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT: Nicely furnished three room house. Adults only, no pets. Inquire at 408 West 6th.
1972 FORD LTD. Good condition. \$950 cash and firm. Call 263-6420 for further information.
PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
 By authority of the City Council of the City of Big Spring Texas sealed bids addressed to the Purchasing Agent, P.O. Box 391, Big Spring, Texas will be received until Friday March 10, 1978 10:00 a.m. For the city's consideration of purchasing Two New Automobiles. Bids will be opened publicly and read aloud at the foresaid time, then fabricated and submitted to the City Council for its consideration. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to accept the most advantageous combination of quotations unless denied in writing by the bidder. Bid specifications are available at the Office of the Purchasing Agent, East Fourth and Nolan.
SIGNED: Wade Choate, Mayor
 Thomas D. Ferguson, City Secretary
 February 16, 1978
 February 23, 1978
 March 2, 1978

Who's Who For Service

- To list your service in Who's Who Call 263-7331
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 Lomax 391-5499
 - Dirt Work**
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 - Insulation**
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 - Lamp Repair**
 SHADY LANE Lamp Shop — Repairs all types of lamps and chandeliers. 1617 East 3rd. 263-4922.
 - Painting-Papering**
 PAINTING Commercial & Residential All Types Mud Work Acoustic Ceiling Call Jerry Dugan 263-0374
 PAINTING, PAPERING, Taping, Texturing. Free estimates. 110 South Nolan. D.M. Miller. 267-5492.
 Professional Paper Hanging Vinals, flock, grass, murals Free Estimates Call David Kissel 263-6608
 - Roofing**
 ROOFING-REPAIRS-shingles-hot pot-gravel repairs. Gene's Roofing Company. 263-3934.
 - Tire Repair**
 MYER TIRE REPAIR 24 hour service. Trucks, Tractors, Cars, 3208 West 9th, Big Spring, Texas 77626, 915-267-5753.
 - Yard Work**
 FLOWER BEDS, tree removal, light hauling. We clean alleys, B & B Yard Service. Day — 267-2455, Night — 263-0429.
 EXPERIENCED TREE and shrub pruning, yard mowing. Will haul on Tues. Reasonable. 267-7162.

Fabric of lies confessed

Las Vegas, Nev. (AP) — Melvin Dummar admits he wove an intricate fabric of lies to cover up his involvement with delivery of a disputed Howard Hughes will.
 "I was trapped," he told jurors at the Mormon will trial Wednesday. "I told everybody a lie that I hadn't seen it or had anything to do with it and I didn't know how to stop it."
 In a probing cross-examination, attorney Paul Freese explored the conflicting stories Dummar invented in the months after the will was found naming him as heir to one-sixteenth of Hughes' fortune.
 The attorney cited the most damaging evidence yet in the effort to discredit Dummar:
 —That Dummar's wife liked to spell their name "Du-Mar," the same spelling used in the will.
 —That Dummar's aunt who worked for "Millionaire Magazine" would have known much about Hughes.
 —That Dummar's aunt and cousin pounced on his newfound fame and offered to start a business to sell Melvin Dummar promotional items.
 "I never was crazy about getting into any business with my relatives promoting what I'd gotten," Dummar declared.
 Freese also entered in evidence the book "Hoax," which Dummar admits reading after the will was found. Freese sought to show he read it long before that.
 Dummar admitted that he denied ever touching the will for many months although he was really the mysterious delivery man.
 "I knew from the very first day that the truth had to come out eventually," Dummar said.
 But under Freese's questioning, Dummar conceded he did not tell his current story until after attorney Harold Rhoden told him a previous scenario "wasn't going to fly."
 He reiterated that his current story is the truth — that the will was brought to his Utah gas station by a stranger, that he steamed it open, read it, revealed it and delivered it to the Mormon church.
 "I know I didn't write it or have anything to do with writing it," he testified.
 Freese, representing Hughes' relatives not named in the will, seeks to expose the document as a fraud.
 Rhoden represents former Hughes aide Noah Dietrich who is named as executor of the disputed will. He wants to have it admitted to probate.
 The will's authenticity rests heavily on Dummar's testimony.
 "The whole question is whether he's engaged in a pattern of deception," Freese told the judge.
 The jury must decide whether to believe Dummar's story of his 1967 desert encounter with an old man who said he was Hughes.
 It is the only explanation of why the eccentric multimillionaire might name an unknown gas station operator to receive part of his fortune.
 "You now believe this will may be valid because you may have picked up Howard Hughes in the desert?" Freese asked.
 "Yes," said Dummar.



MUSEUM BURNS — Fire destroys Aero-Space Museum and historic Electric Building in San Diego's Balboa Park as firemen turn water on it helplessly Wednesday night. The loss including historic planes is estimated at \$4 million.

Westbrook Lions Club

ANNUAL FARM CONSIGNMENT Auction Sale
 FRIDAY
 February 24, 1978
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Wrinkle 'bullish on Big Spring'

Lockheed key target

Merrill Lynch may be bullish on America, but Winston Wrinkle "is bullish on Big Spring."

Wrinkle, member of the Industrial Team and last year's chief of the unit, gave this reaction Wednesday to the Downtown Lions Club. Already 23 buildings at the former Webb-ACFB have been rented to business and industrial concerns; 12 others have prospects, and that does not include 23 more held in reserve for use by

Lockheed Service in event Lockheed lands the contract to modify the Air Force F4C.

Also at the Wednesday meeting, Matthew Malil, a native of India who is applying for U.S. Citizenship, made an appeal for support of an orphanage for girls in India. Malil is a nurse at VA Hospital, and may be reached there by anyone interested or who wants to help support this venture. "I don't have any idea how to go about it," he said, "but I have a goal of \$3,000 which will expand the present shack which accommodates 10 girls to one able to serve 50."

The orphanage, he said, is under the auspices of the Evangelistic Association of the East. While considerable progress has been made toward filling the economic gap left by closing of Webb, and more will be made regardless, Wrinkle said that the main target is the Lockheed contract because "it so perfectly fits our community."

Lockheed has picked Big Spring as the site for its 4 1/2-year contract of modifying 325 F4Cs. A decision has been promised not later than March 31. Bid reviews have been started within the Air Force procedures. To be ready, Big Spring has received bids for a new steel 90,000-sq. ft. hangar for \$524,000 (highest of six bids was \$802,000). Foundation slab, plumbing, electrical bids will be let separately. If the Lockheed project materializes, it will mean 600 to 650 jobs with a \$10 million payroll (a \$50 million roll-over community impact). Lockheed has extensive experience in modifications of every major U.S. and many foreign major aircraft models, having handled over 120,000, said Wrinkle. Big Spring has invested heavily in its efforts to aid Lockheed's efforts, and

Lockheed has invested large sums in its bid, he said.

Wrinkle mentioned Lubbock Manufacturing Company, making tanks and repairing heavy vessels, as an employer of more than 41 people based at Webb under Ned Crandall; Cotton Machinery Company, under Jerry Scoggins, with half a dozen employees and a potential of 50 in season for cotton module fabrication. He listed two other likely concerns, one with 75 employees, and the other with 25, who are immediate prospects. If and when these prospects materialize, Wrinkle felt a commuter airline service can be acquired here.

M.A. Barber, president, reminded of the new-member orientation Tuesday, 11:45 a.m. at Howard College, also urged members to be at the Senior High School cafeteria at 11:45 a.m. next Wednesday for a program observing Texas Public School Week.

Ridin' fence

In the maze



with Marj Carpenter

Back when I first moved to Big Spring, every time I would get a news assignment over in the area between Birdwell Lane and Blankenship Field, I'd get lost in there.

I sat at a freshman game one night at Blankenship Field laughing because a group of Andrews football fans had attended a JV game at the main football field and then became lost for a full 45 minutes trying to get to the other field for a freshman game.

I know the feeling. You lose your sense of direction in there. There are streets that have no ends, they just melt into other streets. You begin to feel like a squirrel in a rolling cage or a rat in a hopeless maze.

It reminds me of the traffic pattern around the Alamo in San Antonio. Everyone

knows that those avenues were cow trails which turned into streets.

I had an Irish dad who loved to travel and was quite proud of himself when he would get into a strange city because he could always find his way to any location with the greatest of ease.

He could find his way around New York City and Washington and Philadelphia and at one time rushed me all the way across St. Louis to a zoo.

But one day in San Antonio, he missed the turn to the Alamo and said, "Oh well, we'll go around the block."

An hour and 45 minutes later, he stopped at a service station and screamed at the attendant wanting to know the way to the Alamo.

It got no better when I married a young man from

Floresville who had lived 25 miles from San Antonio and visited in "Old San Antonio" every year of his life.

Before they had the highway loops around San Antonio, you used to go through it and have to find either South Presa or St. Mary's to get back out of town. If we ended up on one, we went to Floresville. If we got on the other, we just went on to Pleasanton.

Much to my delight, we were passing through San Antonio the day of the Battle of Flowers parade one April day and got lost and got caught in the traffic and had to stop for two hours to watch the parade.

But back to Big Spring. I did it again the other day. I cut through behind the high school baseball field and forgot to drive over to Stadium to cut across to the college.

I turned on Howell. I thought, "Oh dear. I know better than this, but I'll just keep turning right and I'll come to either Stadium or Wood or Sycamore that go on through."

I kept turning right and I came out on Sixth Street, which is left and right in front of the Ponderosa Apartments. I had to laugh as I went on to Birdwell Lane and thought about how dumb I was. . . . One theory about that section of town is that it winds around the hills.

Another theory is that the developer got lost in there without his compass. But whatever caused the pattern, it keeps life from getting dull — when you get caught in there when riding between this fence and that fence — out where I'm ridin'.

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Coahoma calls council meet

The Coahoma City Council will meet 7:30 p.m. today to discuss six items of business. Council members will discuss: —A sewer for Bill Easterling. —Insurance for city employees. —Hiring someone to serve as dog catcher and maintenance man at the city dump. —Purchase of a billing machine, and a filing cabinet for the city office.

Missiles can hit U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Russians have started deploying their fourth advanced land-based missile capable of hitting the United States, U.S. intelligence sources said.

The SS-16 is the lightest of the four new types of Soviet intercontinental ballistic missiles placed in firing position since late 1974. They are replacing older and less accurate weapons.

The most recent U.S. ICBM, the Minuteman III, was deployed between 1970 and 1975.

Defense Secretary Harold Brown and Pentagon research chief William Perry said recently that the Russians are developing a still newer generation of four missiles, with flight-testing expected to begin "at any time."

On the U.S. side, the Carter administration has slowed development of the MX, the only new American land-based intercontinental missile in sight.

U.S. diplomats have sought to curb development of new strategic missiles on both sides by proposing curbs on testing. But there is no evidence the Russians are interested.

So, while a new U.S.-Soviet agreement may put a lid on total numbers of the strategic missiles, it appears that the race for more potent

nuclear weapons will continue.

U.S. intelligence specialists have watched for the SS-16's deployment with interest because they have seen signs in the past that it might be Russia's first land-based missile on movable launch pads rather than in fixed silos.

Sources, who asked not to be identified, said the first SS-16s to be deployed are known to be in underground bases.

However, they note that

Bank fraud detection unit form

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Comptroller of the Currency John G. Heimann said Sunday he has started a bank fraud detection unit to stop such crimes as mail fraud, stolen securities and loan abuse.

At a meeting of the Texas Bankers Association, Heimann said the unit is composed of more than 30 national bank examiners with 10 to 15 years experience each, who have undergone a training program.

He said the examiners, from all over the country, were trained detecting bank fraud with help from various federal agencies.

"After completing the course, all return to their normal assignments," Heimann said. "Now, when a potential case of fraud is spotted, we call upon members of this corps to insure accurate documentation and efficient handling."

Heimann said some of the biggest problems of banking are abuses by insiders who use banks for their own benefit.

"We do not question the right of a national bank to make loans to its directors and their interests," he said. "But we do ask that these loans be granted on the same terms as would be given to others of comparable credit standing."

Wallpaper clinic Tuesday

Marianne Gilbert, decorating consultant for the Sherwin-Williams Company, will be teaching a wallpaper clinic Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Sherwin-Williams Paint Store at 1608 Gregg.

The last clinic, on Jan. 24, was a success in spite of snow and ice on the roads, since some 36 people braved the weather to attend the clinic.

There is no charge for the instruction, which includes filmstrips, personal instructions, a question-and-answer period, and do-it-yourself practice.

All supplies including refreshments are supplied courtesy of Sherwin-Williams. The program, including questions and experimentation, will last approximately two hours.

'Annie get Your Gun' later

COLORADO CITY — Due to illnesses and unforeseen circumstances, the production dates of the Colorado City Playhouse production of "Annie Get Your Gun" have been postponed until April 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15.

A picture night scheduled for next Monday has been cancelled and will be rescheduled at a later date. More information can be supplied by Mac MacKinnon, producer. He can be reached by dialing either 728-3413 or 728-3064.

Clendenin selected for postal position

Joe Bob Clendenin, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Clendenin, Coahoma, has been selected as Sectional Center Director of Employment and Labor Relations at the Baton Rouge Sectional Center of the United States Post Office.

Clendenin was formerly the labor relations representative at the Bulk Mail Center in Dallas. He is a graduate of Big

Spring High School, Howard College, and Texas Tech. He is married to the former Sandra Baker of Big Spring.

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