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Gromyko collapses

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko was taken ill while speaking to the U.N. General Assembly today and was helped from the podium. But it was announced shortly afterward that he was feeling better and would resume his address.

The 69-year-old Gromyko was standing at the lectern at the front of the large, high-ceilinged assembly hall, reading his speech in the Assembly's general policy debate, when he suddenly slumped forward.

He was helped from the podium and out of the room by Assembly President Indalecio de Colombia, U.N. Undersecretary-General William B. Buffum and others who had been sitting nearby.

He collapsed as he began the 11th page of a 16-page address. Gromyko stopped to take a sip of water but could not go on. He was taken to an office behind the podium, where he was given medical attention.

The Assembly was thrown momentarily into confusion.

Gromyko was Soviet delegate to the assembly at its first session in New York in 1946. He has returned almost annually since. He has been foreign minister for 20 years despite various changes in the top Soviet leadership. He is now a member of the Politburo.

Food prices increasing

WASHINGTON (AP) — Food prices barely increased in August, but housing and medical costs pushed consumer prices up 0.6 percent, the Labor Department said today.

The August increase was larger than the 0.5 percent gain in July, but fell short of the average 0.8 percent monthly increase in prices that have hit shoppers all year.

The department also said the average worker's earning power fell by 0.4 percent in August. Workers got pay increases averaging 0.2 percent, but were hit by price boosts that more than offset wage gains. The average work week also was shorter.

The August increase in consumer prices would translate into a 7.2 percent inflation rate if it continued for a full year. President Carter's economic advisers predict that consumer prices will be 8 percent higher this year than in 1977.

In August, food prices went up 0.2 percent, but most of the gains were at restaurants. Prices at grocery stores were unchanged.

Prices for fresh vegetables declined 6.7 percent, and chicken and turkey prices declined for the first time this year.

Beef prices, which turned down in July, declined again last month and pork prices fell for the third straight month. Coffee prices declined 4.8 percent.

However, egg prices rose sharply in August and fresh fruit suddenly became more expensive. Prices for cereal and bread continued to rise rapidly, as they have during most of the year.

Charges for medical care went up 0.9 percent in August, the largest increase this year.

6.7 per cent boost urged

Rate request is denied

By JAMES WERRELL
The Big Spring City Council voted at today's regular meeting to deny Texas Electric Service Company's request for a rate increase.

City Attorney James Gregg informed council members that consultants hired to represent several rural cities during rate discussions recommended only a 6.7 per cent increase. Texas Electric has asked for a 24 per cent hike.

"It would be better to deny the hike altogether than go through the formality of granting only a 6.7 per cent increase. Either decision will be appealed to the PUC (Texas Public Utilities Commission) and they will have the final word," recommended Gregg.

The city attorney listed three options open to the city regarding the request: to grant the requested 25 per cent increase or an increase of a smaller amount; to deny the hike altogether; or to do nothing, in which case Texas Electric could institute a hike of its choosing.

Recent heavy rains resulted in a damage bill to the city when sewers backed up inside businesses on the 600 block of Main. Members approved a \$766.53 request by Doris McMinn for damages to Connie's Fashions, 600 Main.

Assistant City Manager Bill Brown



NOT IN MOURNING — When the sun shines brightly, sunflowers turn their blossoms to the sky. These plants on the Big Spring State Hospital grounds looked as if they were mourning as the light rains continued in the area today. The sunflowers, like everything else, will benefit from the moisture and live to beam another day.

Rainfall is drizzling close to average level

Rainfall is drizzling its way toward even with the average precipitation level, with 14.45 inches officially accumulated for the year at the Big Spring Experiment Station.

Highest total for the near week-long spell of overcast, drizzling days that sometimes turned to soft rain was 7.3 inches measured at Luther. Just less than one inch of that amount fell between 8 a.m. Monday and 8 a.m. Tuesday.

Elsewhere in the county, levels were slightly lower for the most part. The east side of Big Spring reported 1.1 inches for the past 36 hours with a 4.3 inch total since Wednesday when the rains began.

Coahoma reported 1.1 inches for the last 24 hours, bringing their total to 4 inches even.

Ackerly fared slightly better, getting almost 1.5 inches in the last 24 hours and totaling about 5.5 inches of rain, with a few reports varying up to 6.0 inches nearer to the Knott Community.

Glasscock County and Garden City seemed to be on the tip edge of the rain, with a "constant drizzle" falling since Wednesday and never seeming to increase. Six days of drizzle, however, did yield between 2.0 and 2.5 inches of moisture, and the saturation

with no hot sunshine to evaporate the water should benefit range land in that county.

Hillman named to BSSH post

The appointment of Jack B. Hillman, M.D. as clinical director of Big Spring State Hospital has been approved by Jimmie Clemons, M.D., the Deputy Commissioner for Mental Health Services, Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, Austin.

Dr. Hillman was recommended for the position by BSSH's acting superintendent, Adolph Supak, MHA, who in announcing the appointment said, "We are fortunate to have obtained a physician with the ability, experience, and dedication of Dr. Hillman to take over as clinical director."

He has done an outstanding job as unit physician since his employment here Nov. 1, 1977 and we are looking forward to continued progress in our efforts to provide the best of care for our patients."

Probers want to know why

Collision kills 150

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Investigators want to know why two planes — a Boeing 727 passenger trijet and a tiny Cessna — collided in clear skies over San Diego after both pilots had radioed they could see the other plane.

The coroner said at least 150 persons died in what was the worst disaster in U.S. aviation history.

A Pacific Southwest Airlines jet with 135 persons aboard and a rented Cessna 172 carrying an instructor and a pilot taking advanced training collided at 9:03 a.m. Monday, killing everyone on both planes.

At least 13 more persons died on the ground when bits of bodies and burning wreckage tore into homes in the North Park neighborhood about three miles northeast of Lindbergh Airport.

At dawn today emergency crews fanned out through the devastated neighborhood. Authorities said they believed more bodies might still be in the rubble.

San Diego police said they booked at least 22 persons for investigation of looting and impeding authorities at the crash site Monday. Police spokesman Dan Hall said many of those arrested were juveniles and most were picking up pieces of wreckage as souvenirs.

Officials had no immediate explanation for the cause of the crash. Visibility at the time was 10 miles.

"Both planes were given air traffic advisories that they were in the same area and both aircraft acknowledged that they had the other plane in sight," said Federal Aviation Administration spokesman Bruce Chambers in Los Angeles.

Tape recordings from the airliner cockpit and the airport control tower were given to the National Transportation Safety Board for analysis.

In Washington today, the chairman of a House panel looking into airline safety said the disaster "perhaps could have been avoided" had the government required a proposed collision avoidance system.

Rep. John L. Burton, D-Calif., made the statement in opening a series of hearings by a Government Operations subcommittee into airline safety.

In written testimony prepared before the collision, John O'Donnell, president of the Air Line Pilots Association, had criticized the FAA for not pushing development of such warning equipment. He said the technology has been available for many years.

He said ALPA wants a collision avoidance system, known as CAS, installed in aircraft to give pilots direct, immediate knowledge of any impending threat.

"There were pieces of body

everywhere," said W.T. Bradbury, a police officer at the crash site. "Parts of bodies were sticking into a wall. I hope I never see anything like it again."

Emergency crews worked through the night, separating corpses from the still smoldering wreckage in the streets.

"I think we have all the major portions of bodies picked up," said Warren Chambers of the San Diego County coroner's office. "I know the death toll is upwards of 150."

"I anointed at least 50 bodies myself," said the Rev. Thomas Bonica of St. Augustine High School.

Salaries of 2 JPs here are raised

By BOB BURTON

Howard County commissioners moved swiftly Monday afternoon in raising the salary paid Justice of the Peace for precinct one, places one and two.

Despite debate over the salary paid the County Treasurer, the commissioners made no move to adjust that salary. But they raised the salary paid J.P.'s from \$9,168 to \$12,000, effective October 1.

The raise affects only the offices held by Bob West and lame-duck Gus Ochotorena. Ochotorena will be replaced by Lewis Heflin in the Justice of the Peace, precinct one, place two slot in January, 1979.

The action followed approval of county salaries for the coming fiscal year. The only changes made from last year's budget, other than cost-of-living increases, is in the creation of three new positions.

Elected officials were given a \$60 per month salary increase, and county employees were given a \$50 per month raise.

Car allowances increased from

\$1,500 to \$1,800 for both city justices of the peace, the county attorney, county judge, each county commissioner, and the county welfare department. The juvenile probation officer's car allowance increased from \$1,900 to \$2,100. The district attorney's office gave up its county auto, and received a car allowance of \$4,300 for two officials. The county agent's auto allowance increased from \$3,900 to \$4,800 for a staff of three.

Court coordinator, a newly-created position in addition to the secretarial help in the county judge and attorney's offices, will be paid \$7,572.

The county clerk's and the tax assessor-collector's offices also picked up one new slot apiece. The jobs will pay \$7,392. The new slots are the sixth and tenth for the county clerk's and tax assessor-collector's offices, respectively.

In other action, the court instructed County Attorney Harvey Hopper to file an answer to the second lawsuit brought by county inmates against the commissioners' court in protest of jail conditions.

Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Contact BBB

Q. I ordered some children's books through a magazine advertisement. When they arrived, they were not as advertised and I returned them. I keep getting a bill. What should I do?
A. Contact the Better Business Bureau by writing Box 6006 in Midland, 79701 or call a toll free number, Enterprice 84027.

Calendar: Snyder-Big Spring film

TODAY
Coahoma Booster Club meets at 7:30 p.m. at the high school cafeteria for a film report on the Coahoma-Crane game and a progress report on Merkel, their next opponent.

The Booster Club of Big Spring will meet tonight at 7:30 in the high school cafeteria. Films of the Snyder game will be shown.

Meeting of the Big Spring Quarterback Club, 7:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. The booster club will continue to meet on Tuesday evenings regularly.

Offbeat: R2-D2 prevails again

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "Star Wars" toys have done battle with "Spacewar" toys and come out victorious.

A federal court judge has ruled that Arco Industries, Inc., must stop manufacturing "Spacewar" toys because they violate the copyright under which "Star Wars" toys are produced.

Judge Irving Hill ruled Thursday that toys based on the characters from the movie "Star Wars," the most profitable film in history, may be manufactured only by the Kenner Products Division of General Mills.

"Star Wars" was produced by 20th Century Fox Film Corp., which granted the copyright to General Mills to make toys based on the film. Fox had filed a \$1 million lawsuit here against Arco in June for alleged copyright violation.

The plaintiffs claimed that by copying their line, Arco had significantly damaged possible profits on the toys.

Hill's decision left a monetary award to be determined should Fox or General Mills pursue it further.

Tops on TV: Baseball dandy

LeVar Burton plays Ron LeFlore, the Detroit Tiger centerfielder who went from prison inmate to baseball superstar, at 8 p.m. on CBS. Or, catch the lightly humorous "Taxi" at 8:30 p.m. on ABC.

Inside: Cheer up

MAMMA LENA spent Christmas 1977 alone, weeping under the trees near the still-smoking rubble of her fire-gutted house. Nobody noticed. Now City Council members in San Antonio have cleared the way for the 72-year-old indigent woman to rebuild her home. See p. 5A.

THE MIGHTY OKLAHOMA Sooners are No. 1. See p. 10A.

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Outside: Rain

Light southerly winds and clearing skies are forecast for Wednesday by weather service experts. High today should reach the mid 60s, low tonight in the upper 50s, and high Wednesday in the mid 70s. Winds will be light and variable tonight, with an 80 per cent chance of rain today decreasing to 20 percent Wednesday.



DR. JACK HILLMAN

City water fund almost in black

The City Water and Sewer Fund is almost in the black, according to Tom Ferguson, director of finance.

"It's down to a little over \$8,000 in the red, and I think we can take care of it this month," said Ferguson.

Although two other city funds showed deficits, Ferguson said that both would be covered within days.

Due to costs of maintenance, fire protection and security at the Big Spring Industrial Park, the city's Municipal Airport Fund is \$17,022.20 in debt. This will be compensated for with a check for over \$23,000 from the Federal Government in the beginning of October, according to Ferguson.

The Capital Improvement Fund shows a deficit of \$6,724.63. Ferguson stated that a check for over \$10,000 will arrive either today or Wednesday to cover it.

Digest



IF YOU SAY SO! — A warning sign placed on the lawn of Boulder Memorial Hospital uses hospital style language to warn passersby of some re-seeded grass areas.

Left his heart in Bangor

BANGOR, Maine (AP) — Erwin Kreuz, the West German brewery worker who left his heart in Bangor while trying to find San Francisco, is back in town. This time, however, townsfolk are making sure he doesn't get lost.

The affable, ruddy-faced Kreuz flew in Monday night and celebrated his second visit by downing a beer.

The 50-year-old bachelor speaks no English but said through an interpreter at the airport he was overjoyed to be back in his "hometown."

Last October, Kreuz mistakenly got off a chartered flight to San Francisco during a stopover in Bangor. He spent three days wandering around Bangor before he realized he was not in California.

When his dilemma became public, Kreuz turned into an instant celebrity. He eventually made his trip to San Francisco, courtesy of the San Francisco Examiner, but admitted he preferred Bangor.

He is here this time courtesy of an insurance company and the owner of a mall he will dedicate Oct. 5. He departs Oct. 20.

Extinguishing confusions

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — The state fire prevention agency wants to extinguish Bicentennial fire hydrants.

Firefighters, it seems, can't tell if they're pulling up to a hydrant or a miniature statue of a Minuteman, comic strip character or W.C. Fields.

The state Division of Fire Prevention and Control says in the September issue of Newsweek, a state publication, many hydrants have been accidentally camouflaged by the Bicentennial decorations. Thus, it's difficult for fire units to find hydrants in emergencies.

Hacking the record

KADOKA, S.D. (AP) — Two Alabama men have a hefty tip to reckon after taking what they claim is the world's longest taxicab ride to try to set a new Guinness record.

Driver Freddie Hamby and passengers Charles Dailey and Herbert Sedinger, all of Lanett, Ala., reached the mark of 6,752 miles early Monday in the city limits of Kadoka, located between Rapid City and Sioux Falls.

They were scheduled to go on to West Point, Neb., today.

The Nebraska town is the second of eight West Pointed towns they will visit to bring greetings from Mayor Johnny Barrow of West Point, Ga.

The taxi left West Point Dam on the Alabama-Georgia state line Sept. 9 after Dailey paid a \$3,800 fare in advance. They also are scheduled to visit 41 states and parts of Mexico and Canada on a trip of more than 12,000 miles.

The 1977 edition of the Guinness Book of World Records lists the longest taxi journey on record as having begun from the Tarabya Hotel in Istanbul, Turkey, by Joseph Murphy. On Oct. 18, 1969, he wanted to get to 13 Hasebury Road in London, England. The mileage driven was 2,098 1/2.

Markets

Table with market data including Volume, Index, 30 Industrials, Transportation, Utilities, and various stock indices like Adobe, Allis Chalmers, American Airlines, etc.

Police Beat Thug departs with \$40

A woman who lives on Wood Street had a rude shock today at 1:15 a.m. She awakened to find a black male standing next to her bed holding a knife to her throat. The man left with \$40 cash from the woman's purse. The woman suffered a minor wound on her finger.

Phillip Christensen, 1301 Wood, reported Monday afternoon that someone had sprayed his automobile with black spray paint causing \$250 damage between 6 p.m. Sunday and 6 a.m. Monday.

Joe Herrick, 1500 Nolan, reported that a battery valued at \$50 was stolen from under the hood of his automobile between Monday and Saturday of last week.

A vandal caused a lot of noise breaking out a small door glass valued at \$3 around

1:13 a.m. today. Rudy Rodriguez, 311 N. Scurry, owner of the residence, reported he saw someone running toward the alley immediately after the incident.

Linda Peanda Rodriguez, 1804 Hamilton, was admitted to Malone-Hogan Hospital in stable condition after a major accident in the 600 block of North 87. Rodriguez was bruised and cut when the auto she was driving struck five traffic signs and a light pole causing \$600 damage to the stationary objects.

Vehicles driven by Ray Norman Lewis, Abilene and William Charles Coleman, 1100 Lloyd collided in the 300 block of S. Bell at 11:22 a.m. Monday.

Vehicles driven by Vickie Carole Fulfer, Vincent Rt.

Coahoma and Paul Edward Abundez, 1010 N. Gregg, collided at the intersection of Hwy. 350 and the South Service Road of IS-20 at 1:15 p.m. Monday.

At 1:55 p.m. Monday, vehicles driven by Cynthia Pearl Fryar, Rt. 1, and Bobby Joe Osburn, 2108 Warren, collided in the 200 block of W. 18th.

In the 800 block of S. Gregg, vehicles driven by Timmy R. Trawick, Rt. 1, and Michael K. Pitts, 614 Bucknell, collided at 7:40 p.m. Monday.

A vehicle driven by Johnny W. Mayo, 1807 Settles, went out of control on Hwy. 87 South at 9:50 p.m. Monday, striking a guard rail and posts and causing \$500 damage. Mayor was uninjured.



ONE INJURED — Pauline Barrington, driver of one vehicle involved in an accident in the 800 block of S. Birdwell, is shown on the left and Gordon Grinnan, driver of the second vehicle involved, is shown on the right at a wreck at 11 a.m. today. Dana Sancedo, a passenger in the Barrington vehicle, received injuries and is being taken to a local hospital for emergency treatment.



GEORGIA BOYS — President Carter sits on the South Lawn of the White House Monday night, with his grandson James Earl, and son Chip, enjoying the entertainment of the "Atlanta Rhythm Section" as they provided music for a "Georgia Barbecue." The party was hosted by the Carter children for friends and workers in the 1976 Democratic Presidential Campaign. The jacket Carter is wearing was presented to him by the musicians at the start of the show.

TESCO's bid for rate hike nixed

(Continued from page one) Ms. McMinn countered, saying that the carpet "was parting at the seams and shrinking," and that she "didn't see how there could be any question about whether the carpet should be replaced."

The council agreed, and approved the entire request. Brown told the council that check valves had been installed to prevent the sewage from backing up again.

Water has already been pumped from insurance offices operated by Jerry

Mancill, 600 Main, and damage claims will be submitted at the next council meeting by Modesta's Gift Shop, 602 Main, according to Gregg.

Over 100 Big Springers were appointed to terms on a variety of boards in the city. A complete list of appointments is provided below.

Council members gave formal permission to Mayor Wade Choate to enter into a lease agreement with

Lockheed Aircraft Services

for operations at the Big Spring Industrial Park. Lockheed will use the facilities in the event it is awarded a contract to modify U.S. Navy fighter planes.

Minutes of a meeting of the Structural Standards Board were approved by the council. The meeting initiated the demolition or improvement of 19 pieces of property in the city, and called for a step-up in the cleaning and weeding of vacant lots.

In other business, council members:

—Gave final approval for the adoption of the tax

assessment roll for 1978.

—Approved the final reading of an ordinance changing the zoning of two blocks on West Fourth from Single Family Residential to Heavy Commercial. The area will be used by Rayford Gilliland to operate a detail shop for automobiles.

—Granted a request by Dealy Blackshear for a temporary variance to allow the installation of a mobile home next to 1411 Johnson.

—Approved minutes of meetings of the Parks and Recreation Board, the Big Spring Steering Committee and the City Council.

Table listing various city boards and committees, including names of members and their terms. Boards include Juvenile Board, Joint Airport Zoning, Detoxification Steering Committee, Advisory Board, Tourism Development Council, Economic Advisory Council, Audit Committee, Tax Appraisal Board, Potton House Committee, Advisory Council, Accident Review Board, Board of Equalization, Structural Standards Board, Emergency Medical Service, and Board of Directors.

Rail strike snags traffic

WASHINGTON (AP) — A clerks union on strike against a Virginia-based railroad threw up picket lines today at 43 other lines, snarling rail traffic across the country and leaving thousands of commuters stranded.

A spokesman for the striking Brotherhood of Railway and Airline Clerks estimated that as much as two-thirds of the nation would be affected by the strike action.

The Association of American Railroads said industry officials planned to go to federal court wherever there was picketing to obtain injunctions against the activity.

Amtrak, the national rail passenger line, said service was normal along its heavily traveled Northeast corridor between Boston and Washington. But all other operations were shut down this morning except for one train running on the West Coast. Amtrak operates some 250 trains a day.

Conrail, the nation's largest freight carrier which

also operates some commuter passenger service, was not affected by the picketing.

But Dan Lang, a spokesman for the railroad association, said several major freight railroads were hit, including the Burlington Northern, Union Pacific and Southern.

According to initial

reports, members of the clerks union began picketing other railroads shortly after 5 a.m. EDT, forcing a shutdown of operations when regular employees refused to cross the picket lines.

The union, which has been on strike against the Roanoke-based Norfolk & Western Railway for more than 11 weeks,

First Presbyterian Church in Coahoma maps workshops

The First Presbyterian Church in Coahoma is planning a series of workshops designed to help people strengthen their management of resources.

The overall goal of the workshops which are to be held on Wednesday evenings are to help anyone who wishes to participate to help in some specific way by using some of his personal resources to contribute meaningfully to the ministry of his church, according to the Rev. Charles Murphy.

Entire families are urged to participate. The leaves and the fishes story will be used as one scripture and other scriptural texts will be added during the weekly workshops.

They will be held on Wednesday from 7:30-9 p.m. starting this Wednesday. The first session will be on

family and personal money management and will be led by Mr. Cheryl Oren of State National Bank.

This one is expected to continue on Wednesday, Oct. 4. On the night of Oct. 11, the theme is "You Really Can't Take It With You" and will include a discussion of wills and bequests. This workshop will be led by Mrs. Joy Boyd, State National Bank and John Ferguson, a local lawyer.

The workshops on Oct. 25 and Nov. 1 will be on "I Just Don't Have Enough Time". Leading the discussion Oct. 25 will be Mrs. Johnnie Lou Avery and on Nov. 1, Bill Albright.

The themes on Nov. 8 and 15 will be "Live Better Using Less". This will be on being a less wasteful consumer. The theme of Nov. 29 and Dec. 6 will be "What Makes You So Special?"

Deaths

F.M. Padron

Florencia Molina Padron, 66, died at 6:30 a.m. Tuesday at a local hospital after a lengthy illness.

He had resided in Coahoma for 37 years and resided at 104 Main in Coahoma at the time of his death.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Coahoma with Rev. Allen Brevelte, minister, officiating. Rosary will be at 8 p.m. Wednesday at Sheppard Chapel of Memories.

Burial will be in Coahoma Cemetery under direction of Larry D. Sheppard Funeral Home.

Born Oct. 28, 1911 in Mexico he married Martha Cruz in Gonzales in 1933. A retired railroad man, he had also worked for Price Construction Co.

He was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Coahoma.

Survivors include his wife, Martha, of the home; four daughters, Mrs. Lupe Martinez, and Mrs. Delia Salazar, both of Coahoma and Mrs. Julie Hernandez and Mrs. Mary Cunningham, both of Fort Worth; three sons, Susano Padron, Coahoma, Carlos Padron Fort Worth, and Tony Padron, Big Spring; three sisters, Mrs. Martina Molina and Mrs. Norisca Arquello, both of Coahoma and Mrs. Gomacinda Canales, Gonzales; two brothers, Carlos Padron, Big Spring and Evaristo Padron, Coahoma; and 27 grandchildren.

Grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

26, 1927, in Mesa, Ariz. He was a self-employed brick mason. He had resided in Tye since the past July.

His wife, Lorene, preceded him in death in February 1978.

Survivors include three daughters and two sons.

Tot Coen

Tot Stalcup Coen, 82, died Monday morning in a Brownwood hospital. Services will be held 2 p.m. Wednesday in Brownwood.

Burial will be in a Brownwood cemetery.

Mrs. Coen had been a resident of Big Spring for over 40 years, operating a real estate business here. In her later years, she had resided in Santa Fe, N.M., and had resided in Brownwood for the past two months.

Survivors include two daughters, Pat Rivard, Brownwood, Emily Boynton, Lincoln, Neb.; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Coen was preceded in death by a daughter, Alta Mary Denton.

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Ray Russell

Ray M. (Sonny) Russell, 50, Tye, died at 7:30 p.m., Sunday in the Big Spring VA Hospital following a brief illness.

Services will be at 2 p.m., Wednesday in the Elliott-Hamil Chapel of Faith in Abilene. Burial will follow in the Drummond Cemetery in View.

Mr. Russell was born Dec.

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PTA works to benefit the family

"It is important to know what's happening in our daughter's school and in our town, because outside of our home, the two can have a powerful influence on her life."

So say John and Jacquie Spenner, Lafayette School PTA in Medina, Ohio.

"In our area, everyone—parents, teachers, children, grandparents—attend PTA meetings. So, in effect, belonging to the PTA has put us in touch with our whole community as well as our local school. We've personally seen solutions to local problems developed because of action we took as members. And, by participating in PTA activities, we've established a strong rapport with our daughter's teacher and her principal and can easily communicate our interests to both," the couple added.

PTA is a partnership of parents and teachers whose interests lie in the education and general well-being of children. The organization gives parents the opportunity to meet teachers informally and get to know them, learn more about instructional materials and facilities available, and work together with other parents to benefit the children and the community.

PTA is an advocacy group that represents the interests of children and youth. The organization's central focus is on the school but their concerns extend beyond it.

PTA activists lobby for legislation that can benefit the family, and they do it at local, state and national levels. They attend school board meetings to represent the interests of parents and students, and work to achieve a balance between the need for adequate salaries.

Locally, PTA sponsors many activities within the school and works with teachers and school administrators to recommend improvements.

To join the organization, parents or others can contact local schools or Sherry Wegner, president of the Big Spring PTA Council. Dues are only \$1 per person per year.

Raiders stymied

LONDON (AP) — A security crew sat tight inside while armed raiders tried to get into their security van. The raiders fled when they couldn't open the barred and reinforced doors.

Weather

West Texas flash flood alerts axed

By the Associated Press. The rains that have saturated much of West Texas were due to move eastward today.

Rainfall during the night was light enough to prompt many West Texas flash flood watches to be canceled. Flash flood watches remained posted, however, in parts of Southwest Texas.

The rains have been heaviest in the Guadalupe Mountains. Steady rains in excess of five inches have been reported for a 48-hour period in some mountain locations. Officials said Monday 15.9

inches of rain had fallen in McKittick Canyon since last Thursday. Elsewhere in West Texas, the accumulated rainfall was generally in the 1-inch to 3-inch range.

Skies were mostly clear around the state this morning, but the forecast called for rain and cloudy skies later in the day for the entire state.

Temperatures at 7 a.m. included Wichita Falls, 68; Corpus Christi, 71; Port Arthur, 70; Austin, 68; Del Rio, 65; Midland, 61; Lubbock, 59; El Paso, 58; Amarillo, 59; and Tyler, 65.

Forecast: WEST TEXAS — Rain likely today and occasional rain most sections tonight. Occasional rain south, partly cloudy north Wednesday, warmer except southeast. Highs today 45 to 75. Lows tonight low 50s Panhandle and southwest to low 60s southeast. Highs Wednesday in the 70s.

Extended Forecast: WEST TEXAS — Slight chance of rain in extreme south Thursday. Otherwise slow clearing Thursday through Saturday with gradually warmer afternoons. Highs in the 80s and low 90s. Lows in the 50s and 60s.

Forecast: Wednesday. A map showing weather conditions across Texas.

WEATHER FORECAST — Pleasant, sunny weather is expected for most of the nation during the forecast period, today until Wednesday morning. Rain is forecast for the Northwest, the upper Great Lakes and the Mississippi Valley.

Guardianship case is being heard in court

A motion to declare Chon Rodriguez incompetent and place guardianship of his property in the hands of one of his children is being heard in county court this morning before County Judge Bill Tume.

Petitioners in the motion are Tony Rodriguez, Aurora Harris, Guadalupe Rodriguez, Jimmy Rodriguez, Charles Rodriguez, Albert Rodriguez, Juanita Whaley, Nacho Rodriguez and Raul Rodriguez. The motion was filed Sept. 11 with County Clerk Margaret Ray. Their attorneys are Gerald Fugit and Wayne Burns.

The defendants, Chon Rodriguez and his wife, are represented by Wayne

Military band brings 'big sound' to town

The audience lived through 70 years of music and pictures at the United States Army Forces Command concert Monday night in the city auditorium. The start of concert week.

On Friday night, the Falconaires, the band from the Air Force Academy, will perform. The Community Concert Association is selling memberships for its program during the week.

The two free band concerts, scheduled Monday and Friday, were jointly sponsored by the Civic Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Commerce headed by Mel Prather and the Big Spring Herald. Tom Watson, Herald publisher, gave the welcome Monday night.

The first portion of the program included several medleys and songs from the days of the big bands such as Glenn Miller's "String of Pearls".

The scene then shifted, beginning with the turn of the century, and included a triple screen of pictures constantly changing as the band played the appropriate music to take the audience through 70 years of memories.

They were separated into decades and included "Yankee Doodle Dandy" in the early 1900s with "When the Saints Go Marching In" and the "Charleston" in the 20s.

Among the sounds of the 30s were "Old Man River", "Little Brown Jug" and "Stormy Weather" with "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy" bringing in the World War II days.

This sequence included "Moonlight Serenade", "There Is Nothin' Like a Dame" and "I'll Be Seeing You" as the War ended.



OMAR BURLESON

Fund raiser for Stenholm set Oct. 21

Charles Stenholm, Democratic nominee for Congress, will be honored in Big Spring, Oct. 21 with a fund-raising dinner.

Speaker for the event is to be the present Congressman, Omar Burleson. Burleson has served 32 years as Congressman and has often been commended highly by American leadership in Washington.

When Gerald Ford appeared in Big Spring last week, he tributed Burleson as a longtime friend who was "across the aisle from me in Congress and we often discussed Big Spring."

Burleson has already officially endorsed Stenholm for his position in Congress and will speak locally on the night of Oct. 21.

Details of tickets and plans for the dinner will be discussed here Friday at a breakfast meeting with the Stenholm for Congress Steering Committee. Stenholm plans to attend this planning breakfast Friday.

U.S. spending is criticized

LUBBOCK — George Bush, candidate for the Congressional seat being vacated by George Mahon, labeled inflation as the country's number one problem, while speaking to Texas Tech University students recently. Bush said the biggest cause of inflation is government spending.

"Inflation is eroding our purchasing power and further burdens family budgets by pushing us into higher tax brackets," Bush told the students.

"Inflation is a tax," emphasized Bush. "Because of the government's constant spending practices, high tax rates have resulted."

This is a review function for the agency due to the fact that the state medical facilities plan will be used by the Texas Health Facilities Commission in their issuance of certificates of need for health institutions over the entire state.

The agency will scrutinize the document carefully since 1/2 of the population in the Permian Basin Region lives in rural areas where access to health care is limited.

Governing body members will be particularly interested in "Definitions" (licensed and survey beds) and "Assessment by Medical Trade Area" (how many hospital beds we have and how many we need).

Adjusted national guidelines were used by the State Health Planning and Development Agency using a linear regression methodology to make projections for the five-year plan. The horizon date for the State Medical Facilities Plan is 1983.

Other actions to be taken by the governing body will be the review and comment on the Texas Department of Health Continuation Immunization Grant Application for 1979. The governing body will also consider a resolution recommending a common planning and funding cycle for all Texas HSA's.

The decisions made by the Permian Basin Health Systems Agency Governing Body on October 4 will most certainly affect the expansion of institutional health services in our Region for the next 5 years and possible affect the future of health planning in the State of Texas.

The meeting will be held at the West Texas Education Bldg. Midland Air Terminal, Midland, and is open to the general public. Affected parties are encouraged to attend. Further information can be obtained from the Permian Basin Health Systems Agency, P.O. Box 6391, Midland, Texas 79701, 915-563-1061.

Linda White to campaign

Linda Gale White, wife of Mark White, Democratic nominee for Attorney General of Texas, will campaign on behalf of her husband Oct. 3-5 on a 13-county tour of West Texas, and will be in Big Spring at noon, Oct. 4.

Flying from Austin to Abilene, her first campaign stop, she will travel by car to visit Sweetwater, Roby, Snyder, Colorado City, Robert Lee, Bronte, San Angelo, Sterling City, Big Spring, Lamesa, Seminole, Andrews and Midland.

Mrs. White will be accompanied on her 3-day trip by Ann (Mrs. John) Mobley of Austin. She will be introduced to voters in each town by county coordinators for the Mark White for Attorney General Campaign and by other friends in the area. Local coordinator is Mrs. Glenna Mouton.

Mrs. White has maintained a busy campaign schedule this summer in spite of her other obligations as a wife, mother of three, real estate salesperson, and community volunteer. This trip is one of many she is making before the general election Nov. 7.

Vera entering race in Dawson

LAMESA — Two candidates have filed as write-in candidates for the Dawson County Justice of the Peace spot.

The first to announce was John Parchman and this week Fred Vera announced his candidacy.

The name of Richard Nelson will appear on the November ballot. Nelson was suspended without pay from the JP position in July pending outcome of four indictments against him.

The trial for Nelson is set for Oct. 23. Several motions were heard on the case during the pretrial hearing before District Judge George H. Hansard Jr., on Thursday.

Motions to quash the indictments against Nelson were denied. The case is set for jury trial Oct. 23 with docket call at 10 a.m.

Dollar makes small gains

LONDON (AP) — The U.S. dollar made small gains in most European money markets and in Tokyo today after President Carter's new pledge to defend it.

The price of gold, which hit a record high of \$220.25 an ounce in London Monday, dropped back to \$217.40 in London at mid-morning. In Zurich, Europe's other major bullion market, the morning price was \$219.375, Monday's closing rate.

Kennedy hearings

'Umbrella man' quizzed

WASHINGTON (AP) — By his own description, Louie Steven Witt is an exceedingly private person. But once, just once in his 53 years, he slipped out of the mold to stage a modest political protest.

For that, his name will be forever recorded in the annals of the investigation of President John F. Kennedy's murder. This mild-mannered fellow has turned out to be the "sinister umbrella man," but he seems not to have a sinister bone in his body.

The "umbrella man" theory lay in ruins after Witt's testimony Monday before the House Assassinations Committee. Today the committee was to examine other conspiracy theories which have arisen despite the Warren Commission's conclusion that

Lee Harvey Oswald, acting alone, killed Kennedy. The "umbrella man" theory was the oddest of all. But the committee, realizing that many apparently wild spy tales have turned out to be true, felt it could not be dismissed out of hand.

The theory was based on photographs showing a man raising and twirling an umbrella near Kennedy's limousine at the time he was shot to death in Dallas on Nov. 22, 1963. It wasn't raining, so conspiracy theorists argued that the man had to be either firing a poison dart through his umbrella or signaling someone else to fire a rifle.

The "umbrella man" remained anonymous until the committee distributed the pictures and issued a public appeal for information about him last

July. Witt, a Dallas warehouse manager, saw the pictures and news stories and realized to his chagrin that he was the "umbrella man."

Having no particular interest in the assassination case, "I drifted along all of these years without coming across any of these theories. I would never have found me. I would have been far happier than I am at this moment," he lamented.

Well, what exactly was he doing with the umbrella anyway? "I was carrying that stupid umbrella intent upon heckling the president with it," he explained.

Witt had heard that umbrellas "were a sore spot with the Kennedys" dating from the years family patriarch Joseph P. Kennedy was the U.S. ambassador to England.

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Happier days for Mamma Lena

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Mamma Lena spent Christmas 1977 alone, weeping under the trees near the still-smoking rubble of her fire-gutted house. Nobody noticed.

The indigent, gritty 72-year-old widow no longer cries. But she continues to live among the charred ruins in the rugged Southwest San Antonio neighborhood. And still practically nobody noticed — until last week.

The plight of Lena Webb, known to everyone as Mamma Lena, has finally come to the attention of volunteers and authorities, who are joining together to rebuild her home.

City council members cleared a legal path for the San Antonio Development Agency to do the work and volunteers are collecting donations for the \$1,000 in back taxes that must be paid before it can begin.

"Mamma Lena's got a spirit you just can't break," said Ruth Mahl, president of the Lackland Chaplain's Assistance Committee. "We just wish we'd known about her trouble sooner."

"This is all just wonderful," said Mamma Lena. "I didn't ask anybody for help before because I didn't know where to go or what to do."

It was early last Dec. 22 when a short circuit ignited

flames that roared from the ceiling and engulfed her shabby, small stucco house.

Mamma Lena barely escaped, leaving behind even her false teeth and

eyeglasses. She refused to move in with a neighbor — "I wanted

to stay on my property and watch after my dogs and cats" — and moved back into the tiny enclosed porch, the only portion of her house left intact.

"How'd I spend that Christmas? I spent it cryin' right there under those trees," she said Monday.

Neighbors donated clothes and some other items, but Mamma Lena does without water, plumbing or electricity and sleeps on a stack of old clothes.

She cooks over wood in a converted oil drum in the yard and has even had to buy the wood. "Don't call that an oil drum, young man; that's my cookstove," she scolded in mock anger.

Rain regularly pours through the charred ceiling in the porch. "I'd just pile old clothes on me, cuddle up and pray to my Jesus for it to stop rainin'. That's all I could do," she said. "And I've been afraid that roof is gonna cave in on me."

In winter's sub-freezing temperatures, Mamma Lena huddled around a fire in her yard or pile on all of her blankets and clothes. She lights a campfire now to chase off mosquitoes.

Her only income is \$177 per month in Social Security and the few dollars she can scrape together from pre-dawn searches for aluminum cans.

Mrs. Mahl hopes to quickly secure a mobile home until Mamma Lena's house is rebuilt. Meanwhile, Mrs. Mahl's husband and State Rep. Don Cartwright have temporarily set up a tent in the yard.

"That tent sure is lovely when it rains," said Mamma Lena.



HOPE LINGERS — Lena Webb, known to everyone as Mamma Lena, stands in front of the charred ruins of her house, where she's been forced to stay for nine months because she has no other place to go. Community groups and authorities are joining together, however, to rebuild the house for the indigent 72-year-old widow.

Fifth fiery day of dome tragedy

HACKBERRY, La. (AP) — They stood back and let the gushing oil burn Monday as they awaited delivery of a special expansion plug which they hope will stop the flow from a huge underground oil storage vault.

It was the fifth fiery day here at the showcase of the unique \$20 billion federal

program to store a billion barrels of oil in the cavern would go up in black smoke before the fire is extinguished. A barrel is 42 gallons.

Pressure within the cavern was reported down to a mere 17 pounds per square inch, compared to the 650 pounds when Thursday's explosive blowout started the fire. A crewman on a workover drilling rig, burned in the fireball, died a few hours later at a hospital.

Department of Energy anti-pollution equipment was trying to clean off part of nearby Black Lake. An estimated "several thousand barrels" spilled into the water and was corralled on a crescent shaped section of the lake by floating booms hastily thrown up after the oil started spewing last Thursday.

Coast Guard anti-pollution specialists estimated the area covered by the thick brown skin of crude at 1,000 by 150 yards.

The oil was being pumped out of the lake into ditches, where it was vacuumed into tank trucks, and then emptied into a barge.

Boots and Coots Inc., which specializes in taming wild oil wells, expects to foam out the fire in a small area around the well shaft Tuesday, and insert the expansion plug in the 9½-inch wide shaft.

Hopefully, when they operate the plug it will expand outward so the rubber rim will snug up against the steel wall of the casing and lock in place.

Until then, the well shaft, which extends down 3,042 feet to the top of a huge storage cavern, was expected to keep pouring high grade Arabian crude into the lake of fire, contained within earthen dikes.

A spokesman estimated that from 50,000 to 70,000 barrels of the 6 million

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Highway 87 meet called

The Highway 87 Improvement Association will hold its 21st annual meeting in Big Spring Friday and Saturday.

Registration will begin at the Holiday Inn from 2-6 p.m. Friday. An information reception will be held at the Big Spring Country Club from 6:30-7:30 p.m. — with dinner at 7:30 p.m.

The annual business meeting will be held Saturday, Sept. 30, in the north meeting room of the Holiday Inn, beginning at 8 a.m. and will include breakfast.

The meeting will include progress reports, election of officers and business related to the association and will conclude at 10:30 a.m., according to Travis Floyd, president of the association.

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Son of Galveston police chief sentenced to 25 years in pen

GALVESTON, Texas (AP) — Ernest Galvan Jr., 27-year-old son of the Galveston police chief, has been sentenced to 25 years in prison for aggravated kidnapping.

Galvan, sentenced Monday, still faces charges of attempted capital murder and aggravated assault on a police officer.

All the charges stem from an incident last April in which two policemen were shot and wounded and a man kidnapped.

Galvan was convicted of aggravated kidnapping in August and found mentally competent later.

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Brass Nail to feature Rodriguez in 2 shows

Johnny Rodriguez will appear at the Brass Nail Showcase here Sunday at two performances, at 8 and 10 p.m. Sunday.

Rodriguez, who was raised in Sabinal, and says himself that he has progressed from "goat stealing to stardom" will probably make a half million this year by his own estimates.

He gets between \$6,000 and \$10,000 per performance and that's why the tickets are as high as \$12.50 each or \$25 a couple in Big Spring and available first to the Brass Nail membership, which is over 2,000 persons.

Rodriguez still has a difficult time comprehending what has happened to him during the past three years.

Born John Raul Davis Rodriguez, he was the youngest of nine children living in a small home in Sabinal.

His father, who worked in San Antonio, came home on weekends. Three years ago he died of cancer.

Johnny sings haunting love songs which he says are about a school teacher out in Texas who found herself another boyfriend.

His newfound wealth has produced a bumper crop of so-called friends for Johnny. His manager worries about him because he falls for every sob story among the musicians who are struggling to get ahead.

While Johnny was waiting to be bailed out of jail for goat-rustling, a Texas Ranger heard him singing. The ranger called Happy Shahan, was to become Johnny's manager.

Shahan arranged for Rodriguez to sing for Tom T.



JOHNNY RODRIGUEZ

Hall, composer-singer who was well established.

Johnny got tired of waiting for his opportunity and went to Nashville with \$8 in his pocket. But Tom T. came by and picked him up in a Cadillac. Rodriguez says, "I never will forget it. I couldn't think anything but 'Wow.' So the next week I went to work for him playing lead guitar. Then I started fronting the band and eventually recorded my first hit, 'Pass Me By.'"

That first hit rose to number four on the country charts, which was quite an accomplishment. His second single was "You Always Come Back to Hurting Me."

He also had his first album, "Introducing Johnny Rodriguez" go all the way to the top.

Rodriguez is reported to be bilingual like Freddy Fender, but bicultural like Fender is not.

Johnny is young and sings with his eyes shut, sometimes smiling as though he's just told himself a secret. And he puts on a good show.

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OFFICERS UNDER STRESS — Some of the thinner officers on the Big Spring police force are shown here taking the stress test given by Jerry Zambrano (right), YMCA recreation director. From left to right, James Van Ness, David Cauble, Pat Fuller, Jerry Pruitt and Mike Crawford check their cardio-vascular fitness.

Wilderness letters keep coming

LUFKIN, Texas (AP) — Texans are writing more than 100 letters per day expressing their feelings over possible inclusion of more than 78,000 acres of East Texas forest land in the federal wilderness program.

U.S. Forest Service spokesman Rich Lendell said Monday his office here has received more than 1,000 letters since mid-June expressing opinions about the wilderness proposal.

The deadline for sending the letters, which are being analyzed by a task force in Salt Lake City, is Oct. 1.

East Texas' four national forests contain a total of 78,655 acres of land in 16 separate areas that are being considered for designation as wilderness.

The areas nominated for inclusion in the wilderness program were decided by the public and were released in a Forest Service environmental statement June 15.

Lendell said the letters take one of two positions on the wilderness proposals.

"One side is for producing goods and services in a coordinated balance while perpetuating the forests, and the other side is simply for preservation," he said.

"That sounds like a lot," said Zambrano, "but when you have 50 to 60 people, it isn't so hard."

Big Spring reserve fire officer and safety and personnel director Emily Wiggins said that the program was designed by the city to reduce on-the-job accidents.

"Probably we'll have something for the winners of the contest," she said. "Maybe the loser's could give a barbecue. But it would have to be dietetic."

Stress tests are being performed on the officers this week, and classes will begin next week.

Bogard pointed out that this was just for certified and reserve officers, not office help.

"We'll go through the program and then evaluate where we are," he said. "I plan on something like an obstacle course or some other kind of action we can test our people on, but right now I'm not sure."

Bogard took his stress test Monday afternoon.

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Farm Prime farmland vanishing

WASHINGTON (AP) — Serner, federal measures are being put into effect to help slow the loss of prime farmland to urban development and other non-agricultural uses.

The Environmental Protection Agency said Monday it will look over its own regulations and programs to see if it can reduce what the agency called the "disturbing rate" of loss inflicted on the nation's most productive farmland.

ERA administrator Douglas M. Costle said roughly 31 million acres of productive farmland have been lost to development or other uses in the last decade.

"The causes of this agricultural vanishing act are many," he said. "They include private development of new homes and shopping centers, higher costs for farm equipment and the energy to operate it and in some cases the desire of young people to pursue non-farm careers."

"But some of the responsibility lies with the federal government."

Farmers now are cultivating about 400 million acres of cropland, down from 431 million in 1967, Costle said.

"Of these lost acres, 17 million have been consumed by urban growth or other development — 8 million of which were prime-quality soil — another 7 million acres have been converted to ponds or other water bodies, and the remaining acreage is rural land no longer being cultivated," he said.

Background figures were based on surveys and studies

Farm markets

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

The average price for strict low middling 1 1/8 inch spot cotton advanced 90 points to 65.56 cents a pound Monday for the 10 leading markets, according to the New York Cotton Exchange.

Midday afternoon prices were 50 cents a bale higher to 85 cents than the previous close. Oct. 52-55, Dec. 44-83, and Mar. 47-02.

Holster named postmaster

Sectional Center Manager Postmaster D.E. Holster of Midland has announced the appointment of Nicolai J. Lackey as the new postmaster at Gail, Texas effective last Saturday.

Lackey has served as postmaster at Mentone for the past two years and previous to that, as Distribution and Window Clerk at Goldsmith. Her postal career began in 1961 at Goldsmith.

Postmaster selections are made on the basis of merit from a list of qualified candidates submitted to the Regional Selection Board. The Board, composed of a representative of the United States Civil Service Commission, a Postal District Manager and two postmasters, selects and recommends to the Postmaster General the best qualified person for appointment to each vacancy.

Accused killer of five seeking venue change

BEAUMONT, Texas (AP) — Criminal District Court Judge Larry Gist indicated he may decide today whether to grant a change of venue for the trial of Joe Dugas, accused of killing five people in July.

Gist recessed a hearing on the change of venue motion until 11 a.m. today, but he told reporters to check with him before that this morning. That meant the venue change could be decided by the time the hearing resumes.

Dugas is charged with killing five members of the Bishop Phillips family after abducting them from a farmhouse near Winnie in southeastern Texas.

Motel gunman give up; kidnap victim unhurt

ABILENE, Texas (AP) — Hearing a gunshot inside, police rammed a motel door with their rifle butts. But the gunman, who had fired into the ceiling, opened the door and surrendered without a struggle.

A woman held hostage in the motel for several hours was released unharmed.

A 46-year-old Abilene man was held for questioning today in the abduction of that

by the Agriculture Department which also has warned in recent years of the disappearance of prime farmland.

USDA experts say there is no danger of the United States running out of cropland in the near future and that potentially there are millions of acres not now being cultivated that could be brought into crop production.

But the department, like EPA, is concerned that much of the most productive land in the country is being irretrievably lost from farming.

"There is no package of federal laws currently that sets up national land-use policy or restrictions. Congress has shied away from adopting national curbs on how land is used."

Costle said federal funded construction of highways or sewers "often drives up the value of farmland to the point where taxes on it exceed what a farmer can earn from cultivating."

At the same time, he said, developers "often are pressuring the owner to sell." And many owners do because of financial difficulties.

Costle said EPA's agricultural land-protection policy will require employees of the agency to:

— "Support state and local farmland protection efforts and strengthen technical assistance to state and local governments for the protection of agricultural land."

— "Consider in agency enforcement actions the local significance and economic value of farmlands to communities."

— "Encourage regional water quality management and solid waste disposal plans that safeguard fertile soils."

— "Identify additional areas for research on the environmental roles of farmland."

— "Increase public awareness of the environmental value of agricultural land."

Costle said EPA influences farmland in a number of ways including "decisions on the location of sewage treatment plants" and related facilities, rulings on where new sources of pollution may build up and

financial assistance to local governments to plan wastewater treatment in river basins.

"The practical effect of the new policy will be to limit the adverse impacts our programs may have on farmland," he said in a statement. "EPA does not want to subsidize the creation of additional environmental problems which require additional funding to resolve."

Thus, Costle said, EPA regional heads and program chiefs have been ordered "to consider during their rulings and decisions whether they are having a good or bad effect on farmland loss. Where the effects are negative... we will consider other courses of action if possible."

Life lives

NEW YORK (AP) — A reincarnated Life magazine went on sale Monday, with the same logo, the same glossy, oversized pages and the same attention-grabbing pictures that fascinated a generation of readers.

But it "will not be the Life that people remember," says Ralph Graves, managing editor of the earlier magazine and now a corporate editor.

Managing editor Philip Kunhardt says the main thing that remains from the old days is "the ability to surprise readers with pictures."

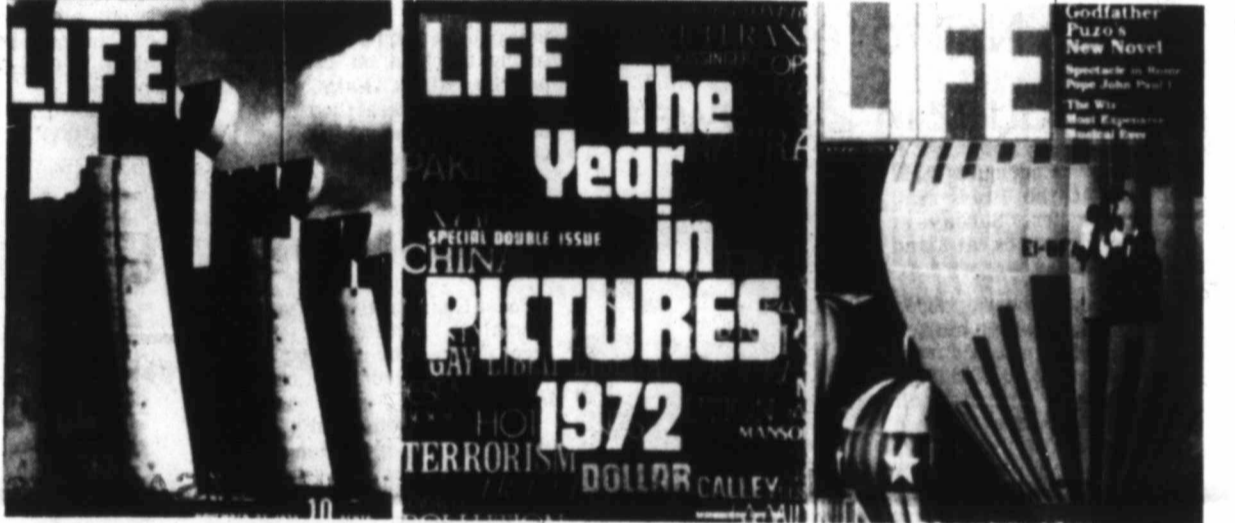
The price is now \$1.50, making Life no longer the "biggest and best package of pictures for a dime," as creator Henry Luce boasted when it first appeared at newsstands on Nov. 23, 1936.

Editors say the magazine, which ceased publication six years ago after 1,864 weekly issues, will still have what Luce called "picture-magic: to astonish, to teach, to delight, to touch."

The October issue features ballooning, family reunions, the Shah of Iran, Antarctica and fashion designer Halston. There are pictures of Jackie Kennedy Onassis, snapped by Alfred Eisenstaedt, now 79 and one of four original Life photographers.

The magazine will be monthly this time instead of weekly, and 40 persons will do what once required 340 staffers.

The first issue has a press run of 700,000 — compared to a 5.6 million circulation in 1972. And 56 of its 140 pages are filled with advertising, for a total \$848,000 revenue. That's a record for any first issue of a magazine.



A NEW BREATH FOR 'LIFE' — LIFE, the magazine that ushered in photo journalism and was a weekly showcase from 1926 through 1972, made its debut as a monthly Monday. The initial circulation will be 700,000

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'Quarter of coverage' reviewed by Minyard

Don Minyard, branch manager of the local Social Security Office, reviewed today the way a "quarter of coverage" is earned under Social Security. The change reflects provisions of the Social Security Amendments of 1977.

Before any benefits can be paid to an individual or his or her dependents or survivors, the person must have enough credit for work covered under Social Security. A quarter of coverage is the measure used by Social Security to determine the amount of work a person needs.

Beginning this year, employees and self-employed people will earn one quarter of coverage for each \$250 of covered earnings in a year, up to a total of four quarters for the year based on annual earnings of \$1,000 or more.

The \$250 measure will be increased each year automatically under a formula to take account of increases in average wage levels nationally.

Under the old law, most employees earned a quarter of coverage for each calendar quarter in which they were paid \$50 or more in wages covered by Social Security. Agricultural workers earned one quarter of coverage in a year. Self-employed people earned four quarters of coverage if they had \$400 or more in net earnings from self-employment for the year.

The old \$50 per quarter rule was established in 1939. The new measure was adopted to take account of the great increase in wages since that time. In general, the new measure will not

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For starters, the Midway has a host of activities beginning at 8:30 a.m., followed by pre-show entertainment inside the rodeo arena at 12:30 p.m. Rodeo time is 2:00 p.m.

Reserved seat tickets are \$4, \$5, and \$6, and may be obtained at all Top Ticket locations in Houston, plus at Sears stores in most principal cities in Texas.

Tickets may also be purchased at the gate or by writing to the Texas Prison Rodeo, P.O. Box 99, Huntsville, Texas 77340, enclosing check or money order.

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make it more difficult for workers to gain Social Security credits. The change in the quarter of coverage measurement was accompanied in the 1977 legislation by a conversion to annual reporting of wages by most employers. Prior to 1978, employers were required to report employee wages quarterly to the Internal Revenue Service. Now most employers can report wages annually. Annual reporting is expected to reduce the paperwork burden on employers.

TESCO employees due honors

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Texas Electric President Bill Marquardt will be the featured speaker at the banquet to be held at the Big Spring Country Club.

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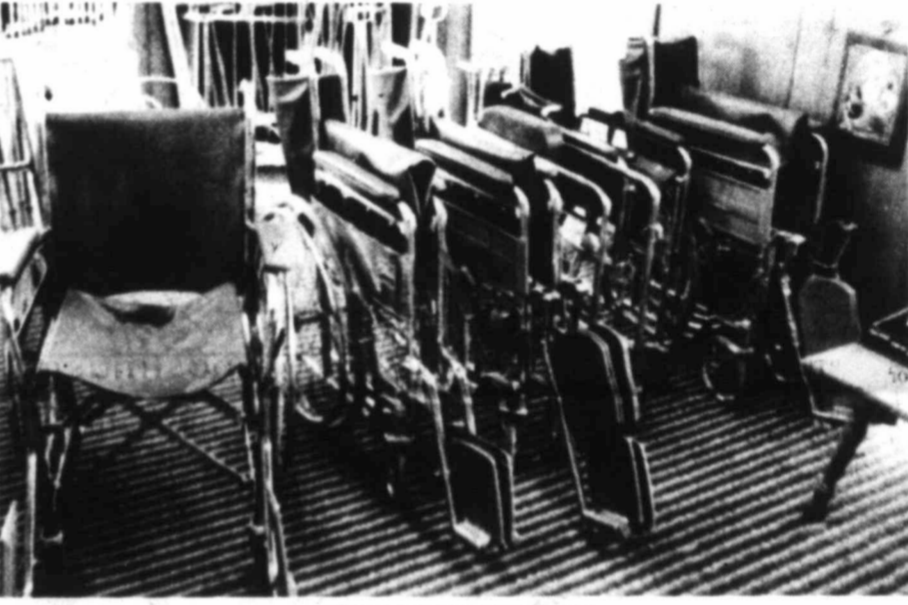
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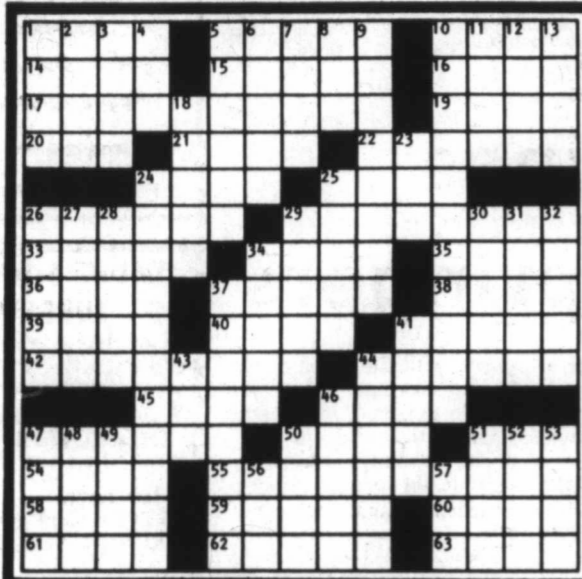
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ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Consult with one who is most successful in your line of endeavor and get good pointers for your own advancement.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Know what family members desire and try to help them gain their aims. Be sure to maintain good health.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Ideal day to gain knowledge that is important to your welfare. Discuss with allies how to be more successful.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Find the right way to gain the cooperation of others in pursuits that can be mutually beneficial. Think constructively.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Go after your personal aims in a highly objective way and you get good results now. Not a good day to deal with higher-ups.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Quietly gain the support of influential persons that can be helpful to you in career matters. Relax at home tonight.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Good day to get together with friends during spare time and express ideas. Be careful in the handling of money.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Steer clear of a foe who is jealous of you. Contact an influential person who can be helpful in planning the future.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) A good time to put those inspired ideas to work and get fine results. Make sure you act with conviction.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Take care you follow through on promises made and don't permit a worrier to hold you back. Show that you have wisdom.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Praise your associates for any exceptional work done and gain their respect and loyalty. Strive for increased happiness.

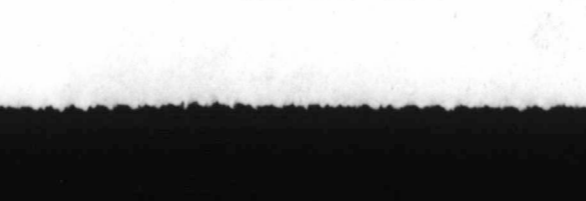
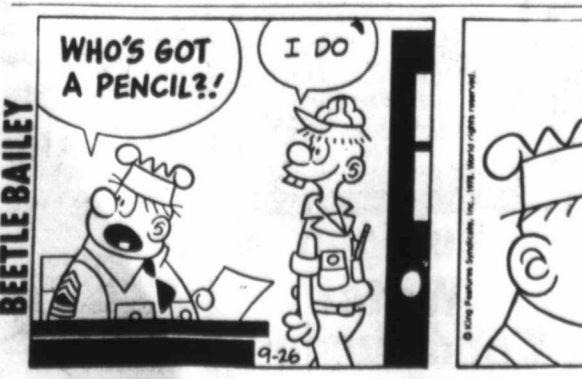
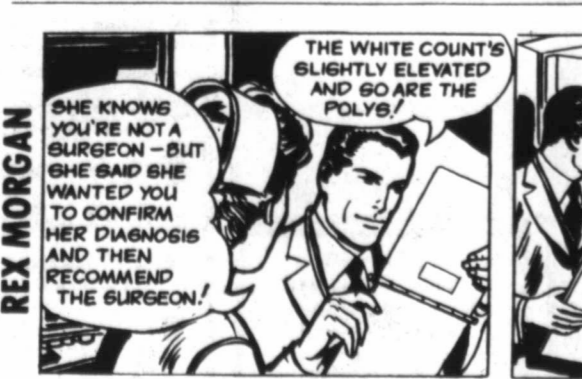
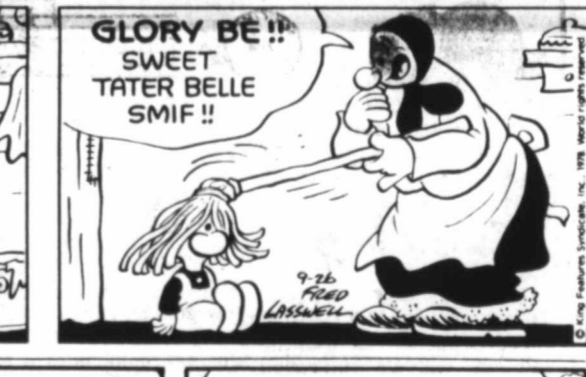
PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Listen to suggestions of a co-worker and you can improve environs considerably. Don't let others impose on you.

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POCKET TELEVISION — Model holds a pocket-sized television set introduced in Tokyo Thursday by Matsushita Electrical Industries of Japan which says it is the smallest set in the world. The set, black and white only, is 4 1/2 inches long, 4 1/2 inches wide and 1 1/4 inches high and weighs about 1 1/2 pounds. The picture is 1 1/2 inches by 1 1/4 inches and is a liquid crystal display instead of the normal television vacuum tube. The company plans to put it on sale in about two years at an approximate price of \$225.00.

Four tell why they do it

Women moonlighters on the rise

By The Associated Press

Betty Rogam of New York has two jobs as "a matter of survival."

Jean Seiler of Pierre, S.D., took a second job because "I wanted to buy a car."

Pam Ashley of Kansas City works extra hours so "I can open a savings account."

And Ellen Frank of Pittsburgh juggles family life, two jobs and graduate studies "out of love."

The four are among a rapidly growing number of women who hold more than one paying job. Labor Department figures show that from May 1976 to May 1977, the number of women multiple jobholders rose by more than one-third to over 1.2 million.

Men still account for most of the multiple jobholders, but the picture is changing. In May 1977, women represented 27 per cent of all multiple jobholders. Seven years earlier, they represented 16 per cent. Half

the female multiple jobholders are married; 69 per cent are between the ages of 20 and 45.

Why do they do it?

"I've got more bills than I've got money," said Susie Williams, 21, who works during the week for the Nashville, Tenn., Police Department and spends six hours every Sunday giving directions and information to customers at a new shopping mall.

Labor Department figures show 53.8 per cent of the women holding more than one job do so for financial reasons. About one-third need the extra work to meet regular expenses; the others want to buy something special, save for the future or, like Miss Williams, pay off debts.

Here is a look at what working two jobs can mean:

Betty Rogam — her name and some of the details of her life are disguised at her request — earns about \$8,000 a year as a teacher at a private, Montessori-method School in Bayonne, N.J., about an hour's drive from her home in Manhattan. Three nights a week, she is a waitress in a restaurant in New York's theater district. She works from 4:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thursdays and from 4:30 p.m. to 1 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, earning \$150 to \$180 a week.

Miss Rogam, 30, says teaching is "something that I really love" and she plans to continue after she gets married sometime in the

next year. She does not feel the same about the restaurant work. "There's such anxiety. This is the most horrible job in the whole world."

Miss Rogam works two jobs "because I'm on my own. It's...survival." The extra money helps make ends meet, but the two jobs mean she spends more than she otherwise would. "I never clean my own house. I hire a maid...Transportation costs \$100 a month..." Miss Rogam's biggest regret is "that I didn't have time to start a family earlier." Is she looking forward to the prospect of quitting her job as a waitress? "I can't wait."

Jean Seiler, 22, spends eight hours a day, five days a week as an offset printer for the state of South Dakota, earning \$7,800 a year. She works at least 16 hours a week as night manager at a Super Duper grocery store, earning \$3.50 an hour and adding a minimum of about \$3,000 to her annual income.

Miss Seiler says two jobs "really cut down on your social life," but she manages to find time to play softball

on a team sponsored by a local business. "You've just got to watch what you do."

Miss Seiler started at the supermarket in April 1977 so she could buy a car. The car is paid for, but she will keep both jobs. "I'm getting used to the money. It's almost worth it. It's the first time I don't have to sit around worrying about where the money will come from if the car needs repairs or wondering about what happens if I get sick."

Pam Ashley, 25, spends her days as a speech therapist for the Kansas City school system, earning \$10,500 a year. From 6 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, she tends bar at Blayney's Restaurant, making \$3 an hour, plus \$40 to \$70 a night in tips.

Ms. Ashley worked as a teacher after graduation from college, then quit. She got the job at Blayney's and, when she went back to teaching, did not want to give it up. "You develop friends that you work with and they've really become important to me."

The extra money also is important. "I can save a lot more," she says, noting that she spent 10 days in the Virgin Islands this summer. Ms. Ashley has a boyfriend she sees regularly and she works out at a health club three afternoons a week. Can she keep it up. Probably, she says. "I might just play it by ear."

Ellen Frank, 34, is the host of "Woman Is," a weekly half-hour talk show on KDKA-TV in Pittsburgh. She does research in the psychiatry department of Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic and is studying for a Ph.D. in clinical psychology. She is married with two daughters, 7 and 9; three stepdaughters and a stepson visit several times a week.

Ms. Frank spends "probably 50 hours a week at the hospital." The TV show, taped Thursdays and aired Saturdays, takes four or five hours. She prefers not to reveal her income, but says the TV work accounts for about a fourth of it. "I love everything that I'm doing," she says. "I have always been the kind of person who is happier the more I have to do...This is really out of love."

How does she manage? A housekeeper comes in two mornings a week and a university student who lives with the family helps out. "My kids are very understanding and my husband is extremely supportive. I also have an ex-husband with whom we have a very...cooperative relationship and he spends a good amount of time each week with my daughters." Can she see going on this way indefinitely? "Well," she says, "I'll be real relieved when I'm done with my Ph.D."



(AP WIREPHOTO)

AN ANGRY CONSUMER-ADVISER — When Commuter Airlines tried to bump Esther Peterson from a flight to Corning, New York, it did more than anger a passenger. Mrs. Peterson is the White House consumer adviser, and her experience caused her to open an investigation into why small airlines are not covered by overbooking rules, requiring carriers to compensate bumped passengers.

4-H activities offer something for everyone

By SANDY STRETCHER, Asst. County Extension Agent

In 4-H, young people and their parents get involved. This is why 4-H is often billed as a family affair.

There are two general ways parents can become involved — by helping their children plan and carry out a 4-H project and by working as a 4-H volunteer leader.

Ideally, the 4-H member, his or her parents, and the volunteer leader sit down together to develop a plan for the 4-H member's project. The parents provide guidance in the scope of the project and gain some knowledge of the objectives of 4-H.

Many parents become involved with their boys and girls in 4-H in a leadership role. They may become organization, project or activity leaders; but specifically, their responsibilities are directly related to the 4-H unit as a whole.

For parents, 4-H provides an opportunity to work with young people, doing things they, themselves, often find exciting and rewarding.

Boys and girls have the most successful experiences in 4-H if their parents know and understand the activities that are connected with their individual experiences. Parents can provide the needed morale as well as financial support in the development and evaluation of projects. Above all, 4-H is an opportunity for boys and girls and their parents to improve themselves and have a good time doing it.

Get your family involved in 4-H. Contact the County Extension Office in the basement of the courthouse for details on the 4-H program and the learning experience.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic levels, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

TWEEN 12 and 20 — The world needs mechanics, too

By Robert Wallace, Ed. D

Dr. Wallace: I'm 20 and I have a 13-year-old sister who is a neat kid but she has a very special problem. She is very slow in her schoolwork, and is terrible in math, science and English. But she is good in mechanics.

My parents want her to "be a lady" and refuse to allow her to even tinker with a lawn mower engine or buy a model car. My sister will be going into high school soon and my question is regarding the route she should take.

Should she be allowed to take auto shop or follow the domestic business route? — Wanda, Everett, Wash.

Wanda: I'm a firm believer in encouraging a student to the maximum to pursue any and all talents.

Your parents not only are fooling themselves, but also they are hindering the emotional and educational growth of your sister.

Dr. Wallace: I'm a 14-year-old girl and my problem is that boys are always spanking me or pinching my rear. I've done everything I can think of to make them stop from jabbing an elbow into their ribs to quietly asking them to control themselves. Nothing works.

I don't wiggle or wear tight pants so I don't ask for it. I'm too embarrassed to ask a teacher or my parents for help. So I'm turning to you. — Kim, Yuba City, Calif.

Kim: Boys go through a very immature stage where they think it's cute and grown-up to spank and pinch girls. Fortunately for everyone concerned, they grow up and act like young gentlemen.

The best way to eliminate the problem is to talk to the boys, one by one, alone, and ask them to please stop bothering you. Never yell or chase them in front of their friends. That's just what they want you to do.

Dr. Wallace: I'm 19 and my 16-year-old girlfriend lives 100 miles away from me.

We met at a church camp and have strong feelings for one another, but because we live so far away, this controls our relationship. I really love her a lot and stay in touch with her through visits, letters and phone calls.

One of our major problems is that she has two years of high school to complete and of course I am out of high school. I want her to keep following God as I am doing, and I know she needs me and my prayers.

I would like to know your feelings on this situation. — R, Columbus, Ohio

R: I see no reason why you cannot continue to see your girlfriend occasionally, write to her and make an occasional phone call. But I would not at this time consider myself going steady with her.

Encourage her to date other boys and tell her that you will be seeing other girls. It would not be fair to either one of you to limit your social life so strictly.

If it is intended that you will be together after she graduates from high school, it will be.

Send questions to Dr. Robert Wallace, TWEEN 12 and 20, in care of this newspaper. For Dr. Wallace's teen booklet, "Happiness or Despair," please send \$1 and a 28-cent stamped large self-addressed envelope to Dr. R. Wallace, in care of this newspaper.



Dear Abby

It Costs To Be Dishonest

DEAR ABBY: I work at a motel, and I hear complaints daily about the high cost of accommodations.

Following is a partial explanation for the benefit of the innocent, who are unfairly penalized, and the guilty, who go unpunished. I speak on behalf of all motel and hotel owners who have no choice but to increase their rates.

I am convinced that honesty has become as out-dated as high button shoes and buggy whips.

Our motel has 170 rooms. When a guest checks out, it's not unusual for the room to be partially or wholly stripped of all towels, wash cloths, toilet tissue, Kleenex, light bulbs, and even bed spreads, sheets, pillows and cases!

On the average, we lose \$2 per room per rental. This does not include the cost in time, labor and paper work to replace the stolen items.

Perhaps if the public were informed of these facts, they might think twice before collecting souvenirs and household supplies. If not, the next time they visit our fair city, they can expect the rates to be even higher than before.

DISGUSTED IN S.C.

DEAR DISGUSTED: Thanks for a good letter. Also for reviving some vivid memories of my high school days.

My twin and I learned a lesson in honesty after returning from a football game at Sioux Falls, S.D. (We made the trip with about 100 other Central High School students on a special train from Sioux City, Iowa.

When our parents discovered that we had brought home several "souvenirs" from a hotel in Sioux Falls (ashtrays, silverware, bath mat, etc.), they ordered us to pack up all the loot and mail it back to the hotel manager with our apologies. (We had to pay the postage, too!)

We also got a long lecture on honesty, and we have never forgotten it.

DEAR ABBY: I was an only child. When I was growing up, my parents moved around a lot, so I was practically raised by my grandparents. I really think of their family home as my family home.

They are getting along in years, and even though I am now married with children of my own, when I go to visit my grandparents I notice a lot of household items that bring back wonderful memories of my childhood. For example, an old water pitcher that was always on their table. It's not particularly valuable, but I'm sentimental about it.

I wouldn't want my grandparents (or anyone else) to think I am grabby, but I would just love to have that pitcher one day. My problem is, I don't know how to go about asking for it.

Any ideas?

SENTIMENTAL

DEAR SENTIMENTAL: The next time you see your grandparents, let them know that you are sentimental about that old water pitcher, and if your grandparents are like most grandparents, you'll have it tomorrow!

CONFIDENTIAL TO "NO BUTTINSKY - YET": If your daughter-in-law doesn't want her husband to know that she gets weekly massages from a man in the nude (her, not him), that's her business. Butt out.

Do you wish you had more friends? For the secret of popularity, get Abby's new booklet: "How To Be Popular; You're Never Too Young or Too Old." Send \$1 with a long, self-addressed, stamped (28 cents) envelope to Abby, 132 Lasky Drive, Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212.

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Shower fetes bride-to-be

Donna Parrish, of Coahoma, bride-elect of Richard Bumgarner, was the honoree of a bridal shower held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Joe Horton, 809 Mountain Park.

Additional hostesses were Mrs. Bill Draper, Mrs. Jack Murdock, Mrs. Herb Miller, Mrs. John Preston, Mrs. Stan Ballou, Mrs. Joe Whitten, Mrs. S.M. Smith, Mrs. Jim Gregg, Mrs. Bill Estes and Mrs. Warren Wise.

Corsages were presented to Miss Parrish; her mother, Mrs. Charles Parrish; and the prospective groom's mother, Mrs. Jim Bumgarner.

The hostesses gift to the honoree was some serving pieces to her pottery selection.

A cake decorated in the bride-elect's chosen colors was served with nuts, mints, and punch. The table was centered with an arrangement of mixed pastel flowers in a silver candelabrum which also held candles. Crystal appointments were used.

Miss Parrish and Bumgarner will be married Oct. 21 at First Baptist Church.

Therapists to meet here

The West Texas Rehabilitation Center at San Angelo was the site of the Sept. 23 district meeting of the Great Plains West Occupational Therapy Association.

Members attended from Abilene, Fort Worth, Big Spring, Odessa and Midland.

The program, "Post-Operative Treatment Procedures for the Arthritic Hand," was presented by Dwain Klosterman, OTR, and Lynn Soisson, OTR.

The State Occupational Therapy Conference slated for Nov. 2-5 in Austin was discussed.

Big Spring will be the site of the next district meeting on Nov. 11. The tentative program is "Treatment Procedures for the Mentally Retarded Adult."

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Public is invited to Fall Bridge-Luncheon

The public is invited to attend the popular Fall Bridge-Luncheon, sponsored by the West Texas Republican Women.

The event takes place Thursday from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Dora Roberts Community Center. Tickets may be purchased for \$4 from Wrights Pharmacy.

Jane Thomas, president of the local club, urges everyone to get a partner and join in on the fun and games.

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Pokes, Skins renew rivalry

WASHINGTON (AP) — The seeds of contempt were sown early this NFL season between Dallas and Washington. The two NFC East powers resume their rivalry Monday night as the Cowboys attempt to blemish the Redskins' unmarked record. Washington quarterback Joe Theismann has tabbed the game a "mini-Super Bowl." Redskins defensive tackle Dixon Talbot simply refers to the encounter as "war."



SLUGGER AT WHITE HOUSE — Cincinnati Red Pete Rose chats with President Carter Monday during his visit to the White House. Rose is in Washington to be honored for his 44 game hitting streak.

KENYA'S RONO THROWS IN HIS HAND — Kenya's Henry Rono, holder of four world records, throws up his arms, background, Monday as a pulled muscle forces him to drop out of the Dubai Golden Mile race at Tokyo. Britain's Steve Ovett (907) won the race. Others were Gerald Jones (705) of U.S.; Conzalez Francis (105) of France; Rod Dixon (903) of New Zealand. Race was among the events in eight nation Athletic Games, the biggest sports event in Japan, since the 1964 Tokyo Olympics.

Connors over Borg

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina — Jimmy Connors staged a replay of his U.S. Open mastery over Sweden's Bjorn Borg, defeating him 5-7, 6-3, 6-3 for first place in a four-man round robin tennis tournament here. It was Connors' third win over Borg in their six meetings this year. Romania's Ilie Nastase took third place with a 6-7, 6-3, 6-1 victory over Jean-Louis Clerc of Argentina.

BSHS volleyballers open district action

Steer volleyball action tonight, the varsity opens their district season in Abilene, seeking to repeat as district representatives to the state tourney. Both varsity and junior varsity beat Andrews last Thursday. High varsity scorer was Cathy Birdwell, and high j.v. scorers were Marianne Paredes and Karen Kimble. The varsity volleyball team has been defeated twice in pre-district competition, by Seminole and El Paso teams. The junior varsity remains undefeated. Coach Carol Bartasek said the team is looking better each outing, and hopes for a good season as high. The freshman volleyball team won first place in the Ft. Stockton tourney last weekend. The frosh defeated Andrews, Alpine, and Ft. Stockton to grab the top spot. High scorers were Pam Caudill, with 44 points, and Elise Wheat with 21 points. Their next game is tonight at Garden City.

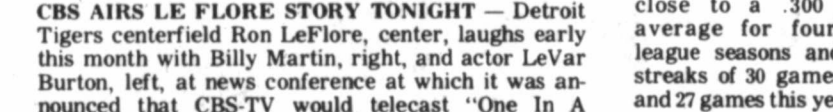
Sports Digest

Lady in Yanks locker

NEW YORK — A federal judge shattered baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn's policy of barring women sports writers from major league clubhouses, ordering the New York Yankees to open the doors of their stadium locker rooms. The order does not directly apply to other major league teams. The order by U.S. District Judge Constance Baker Motley applied to Melissa Ludtke, a Sports Illustrated reporter denied access to Yankee Stadium locker rooms during the 1977 World Series. Motley issued an injunction preventing Kuhn, the Yankee management and city officials from closing the stadium locker room to Ludtke. PHILADELPHIA — A federal judge ordered baseball's two major leagues and the Major League Umpires Association to submit their contract dispute to arbitration. U.S. District Court Judge Joseph L. McGlynn, citing the possible loss of millions of dollars in revenue to major league clubs in the event of a new umpires' strike, also issued a preliminary injunction against any umpires' job action "interfering with the conduct of their (the clubs') business."

LeFlore story airs tonight

By HAL BOCK AP Sports Writer Billy Martin, the once and future manager of the New York Yankees, smiled one of his infectious smiles, giving notice that he was about to say something outrageous. Martin was chatting with newsmen at a preview of the television movie "One In A Million," the dramatic story of Ron LeFlore, center fielder for the Detroit Tigers. LeFlore made it to the big leagues after spending time in prison for armed robbery and got his chance only because of Martin, then manager of the Tigers. Veteran outfielder Mickey Stanley of the Tigers, playing interviewer instead of interviewee, asked Martin what seemed a perfectly harmless question. "When you're as involved with a guy's career as you were with Ron's, does it affect your feelings when you manage against him?" Martin loaded up for the answer. "Oh, sure," he said. "When I like a person, I don't throw at you like I should." Billy the Kid strikes again. Martin plays himself in the film which stars LeVar Burton as LeFlore and will be shown over the CBS network tonight. Did the manager feel comfortable portraying himself in the movie role? "Well," he said, "they tried to get that other guy... what's his name?... Redford... but he was tied up." His departure from the Yankee dugout obviously was not doubled Martin's tongue.



CBS AIRS LE FLORE STORY TONIGHT — Detroit Tigers centerfielder Ron LeFlore, center, laughs early this month with Billy Martin, right, and actor LeVar Burton, left, at news conference at which it was announced that CBS-TV would telecast "One In A Million." The TV film is the story of LeFlore, who made it to the big leagues after spending time in prison for armed robbery. Burton, plays LeFlore.

Coryell replaces Prothro

SAN DIEGO — Tommy Prothro resigned as head coach of the San Diego Chargers and was immediately replaced by former St. Louis Cardinals' head Coach Don Coryell.

Big 3 dominate SWC

DALLAS (AP) — The remaining undefeated football teams in the Southwest Conference are the big defensive leaders. Texas, Texas A&M and Arkansas are all 2-0 and a glance at the defensive statistics released Monday show why. Texas is the SWC's defense leader with an average yield of 117.5 yards per game and 1.8 yards per play. The Texas Aggies are second at 149.0 while allowing foes only a 2.3 yards a try. Arkansas stands third at 188.0 yards per game, while Houston (1-1) is a distant fourth in giving up 321.5 yards a game. Offensively, Houston took the lead and is averaging 449 yards per game. Houston has averaged 277.5 yards on the ground and 171.5 passing. Baylor is next at 143 running and 213.5 passing. Texas is 216 rushing and 125.5 passing and Texas Tech is 121 and 134.5 passing. Texas A&M, the only Wishbone team left in the league, is rushing for 317 yards per game and passing for only 87. However, the Aggies have completed 54.2 per cent of their passes and two of their 24 efforts have gone for touchdowns. Individually, Texas A&M's Curtis Dickey has the rushing lead with 133 yards per game while Baylor's Steve Smith leads SMU's Mike Ford with 16 completions per game to 15.7.

Watson increases PGA lead

WASHINGTON — Tom Watson, winner of the \$40,000 top prize Sunday in the PGA golf tournament in Napa, Calif., increased his leading four wins this year to \$343,429. Andy Bean is second with \$258,440, followed by Jack Nicklaus, \$249,772; Lee Trevino, \$223,073; Hubert Green, \$202,406; Hale Irwin, \$183,666; Bill Kratzert, \$177,233; Gary Player, \$170,736; Jerry Pate, \$167,999, and Gil Morgan, \$167,459.

Lyle posts bond

LAKEWOOD, Colo. (AP) — Heavyweight boxer Ron Lyle posted \$1,500 bond and was released after being jailed on suspicion of assault of his common-law wife, Jefferson County authorities said. The woman apparently jumped from a second-floor window of the fighter's Lakewood home and claimed he had assaulted her, police reported Monday. Authorities said Pattie Jean Lyle was taken to St. Anthony Hospital Central and underwent surgery for a ruptured spleen. Investigators said it wasn't known whether she suffered the injury in the fall or in the reported altercation. He was to have appeared Monday in District Court in Golden on a warrant accusing him of assaulting his common-law wife Sept. 10 during an argument.

'Pistol Pete' getting loaded

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Pete Maravich played just 22 minutes and made them count for 21 points as he led New Orleans to a 128-101 National Basketball Association exhibition victory Monday over Washington. The Jazz iced the game in the third period by pouring in 47 points. Mitch Kupchak led the Bullets with 19 points. New Orleans opened its exhibition season with the victory, while the loss was the third in as many outings for the defending NBA champion Bullets. More than 5,500 fans turned out for the game at the Texas-El Paso special events center.

Dallas, Saints sold out

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys announced a sellout Monday for their National Football League game Nov. 19 with New Orleans, giving the defending World Champions a sellout for all their home games. It's the first time in the 18-year history of the club that Dallas had soldout all of its regular season games.

Scorecard

Baseball			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Montreal	73	83	.468
St. Louis	68	90	.430
New York	63	94	.401

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pct.
New York	92	63	.596
Boston	90	67	.572
Milwaukee	86	69	.555
Baltimore	84	72	.538
Detroit	84	72	.538
Cleveland	86	85	.444
Toronto	79	94	.450

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	87	68	.561
Pittsburgh	83	72	.535
Chicago	77	79	.494

Box scores

Team	W	L	Pct.
Seattle	2	2	.500
Kansas City	1	3	.250
San Diego	1	3	.250

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Ridin' fence Mysterious graves
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be helpful. But I called several Nixes to no avail. So I'm hunting information from any of you old Sparenburg area folks (and I mean old Sparenburg not new Sparenburg) who might know about those graves.

are short of land and many now have a practice where after 30 years, graves are re-soled and used again. The people in them don't mind.

Another story is that there were a blind man, a wife and daughter living in the area. It is reported that the wife died first, and then the little girl, leaving the blind man.

PALO PINTO, Texas (AP) — Three escaped prisoners were back in the Palo Pinto County Jail here today, facing serious new charges stemming from their four days of freedom.

misdeemeanor marijuana possession. As many as 150 law officers and volunteers using helicopters, airplanes and horses had hunted for the men.

Park turnout slumps a bit
COLORADO CITY — Attendance at Colorado City State Park for the fiscal year ending Aug. 31 totaled 282,337, according to Park Manager Bill Griffin.

Huffman will speak tonight
The American Institute of Chemical Engineers, Permian Section, will feature guest speaker George L. Huffman who is with the Environmental Research Laboratories of the E.P.A. in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Rate increase to be studied
COLORADO CITY — The city council here will consider an ordinance granting a rate increase to Texas Electric Service Co., look at a request for motel occupancy tax funds made by the Colorado City Chamber of Commerce and approve a hangar ground lease agreement for the Colorado City Airport when it meets at 7 o'clock here this evening.

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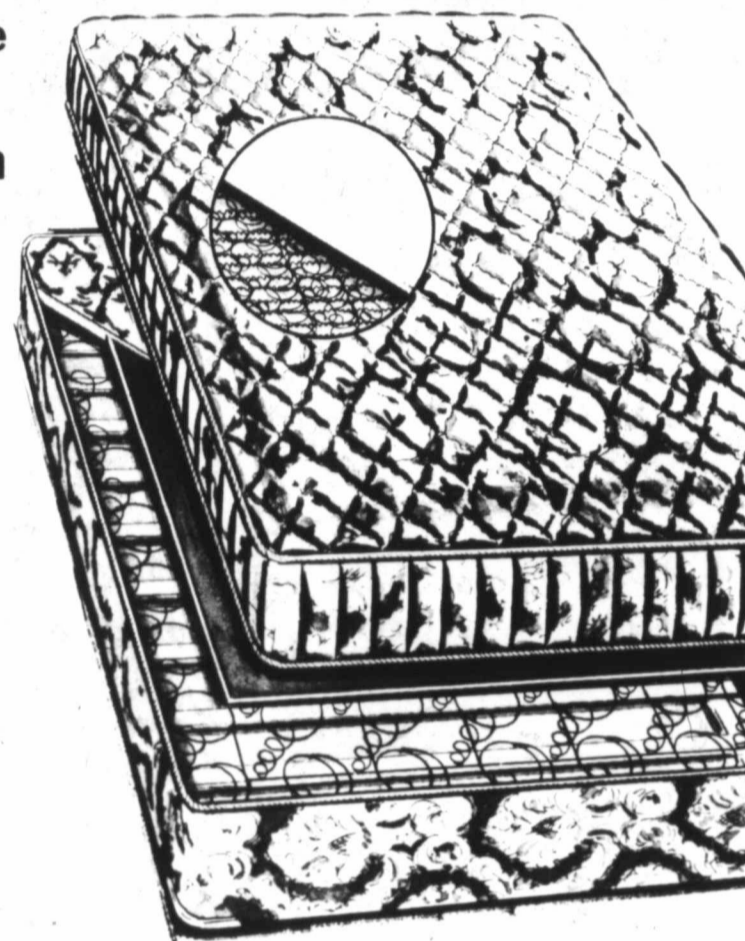
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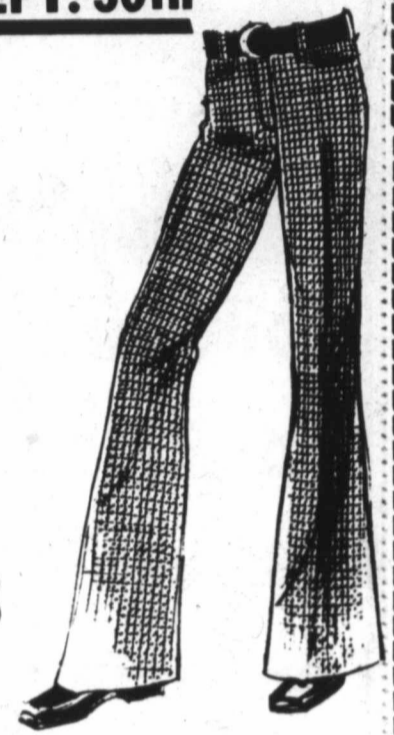
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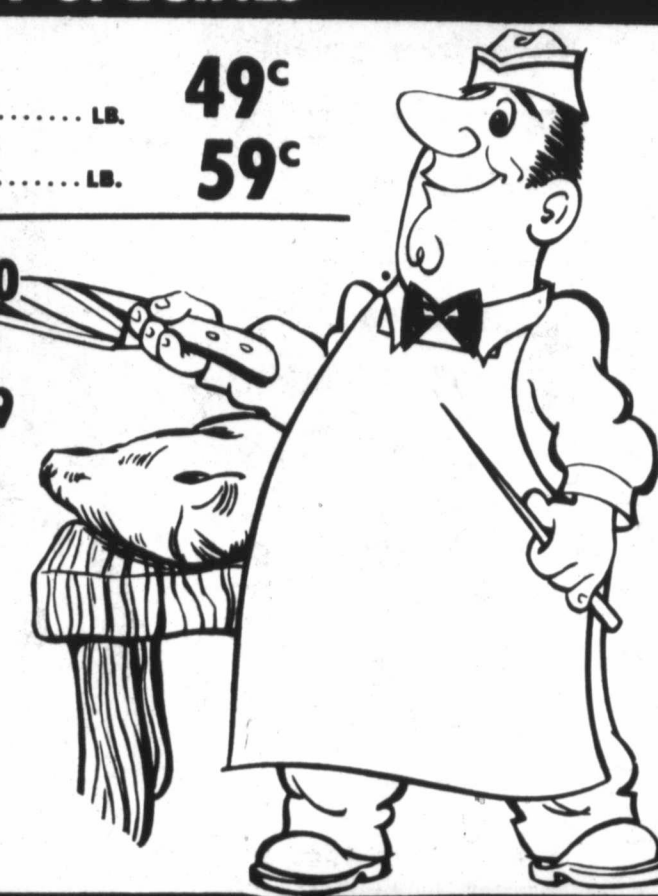
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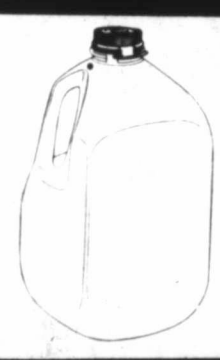
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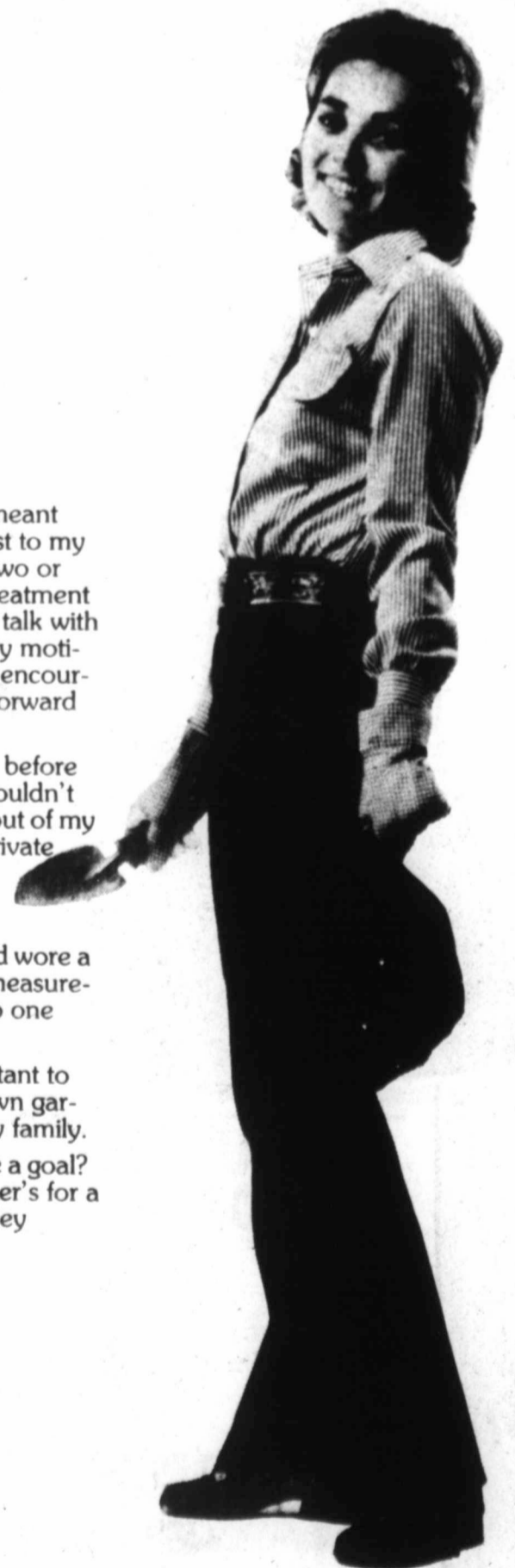
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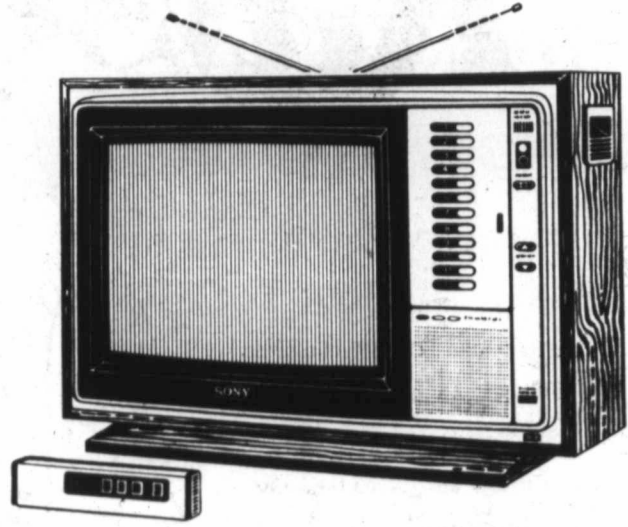
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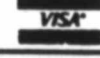
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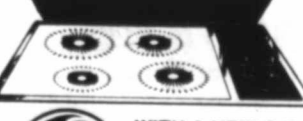
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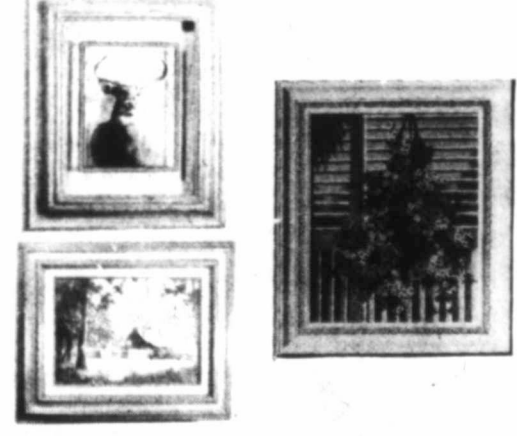


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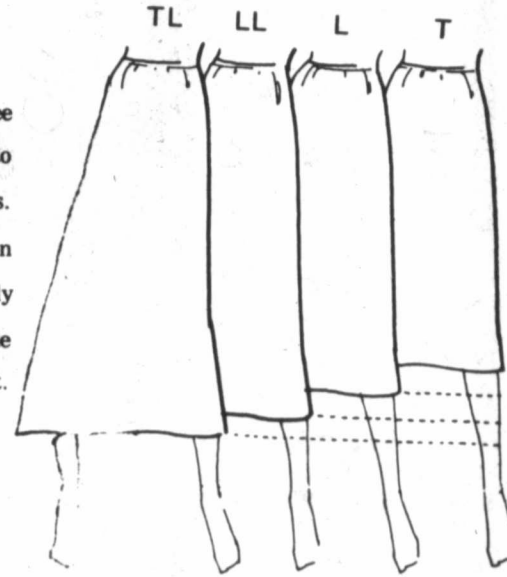
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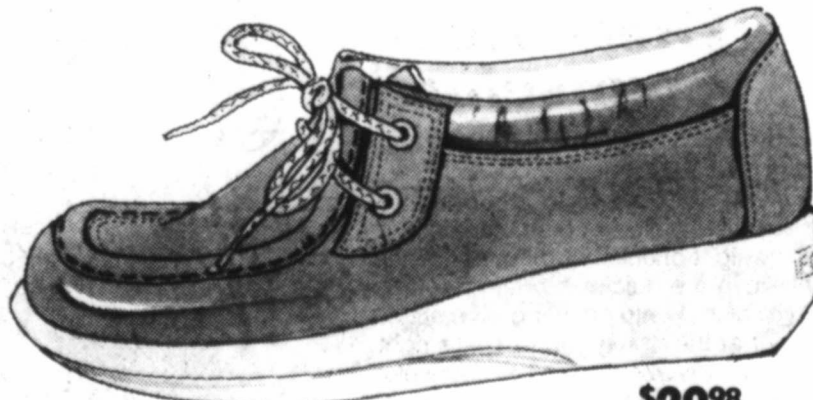
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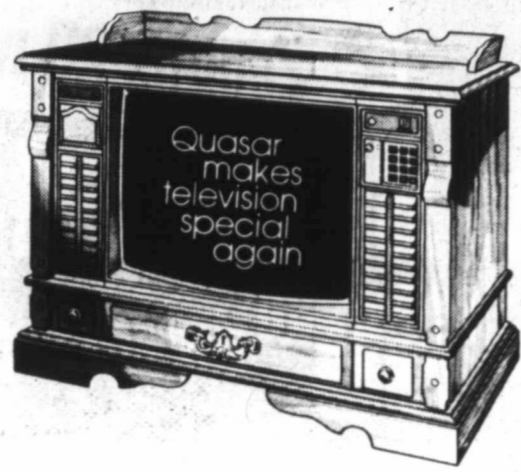
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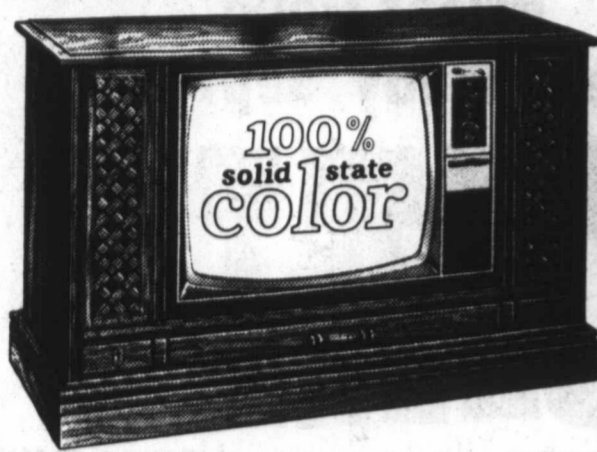
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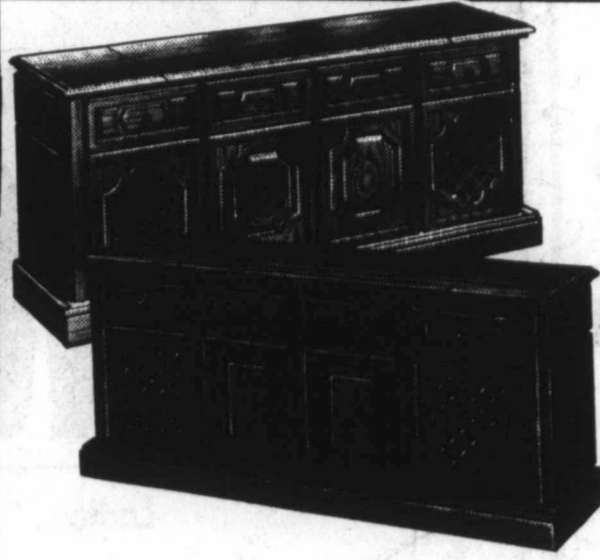
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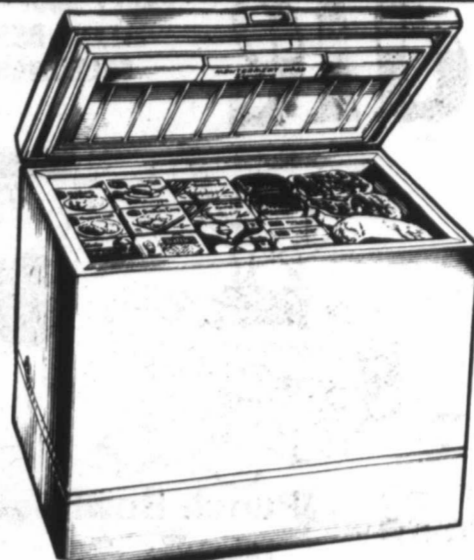
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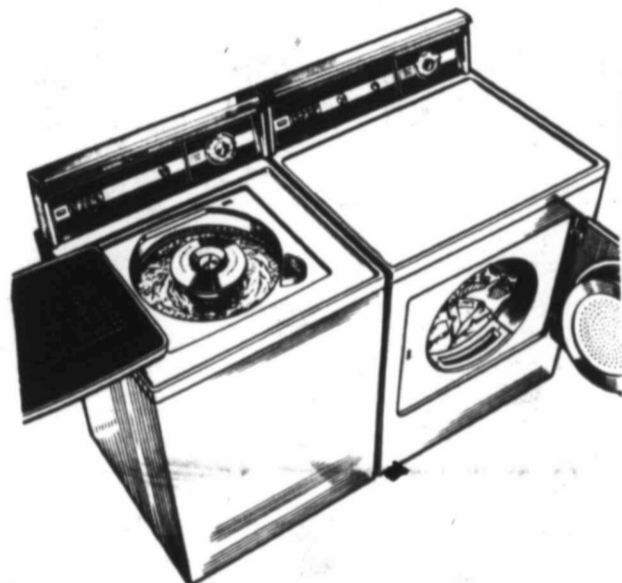
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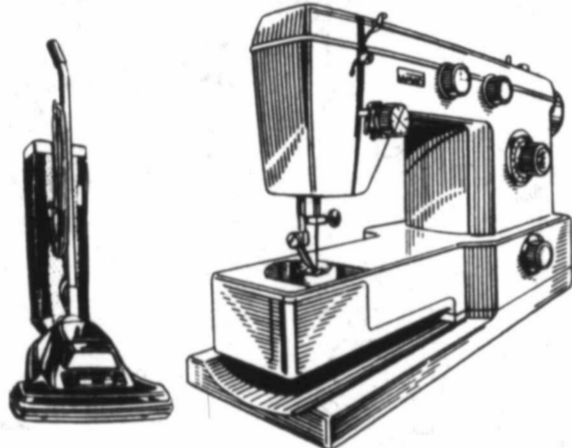
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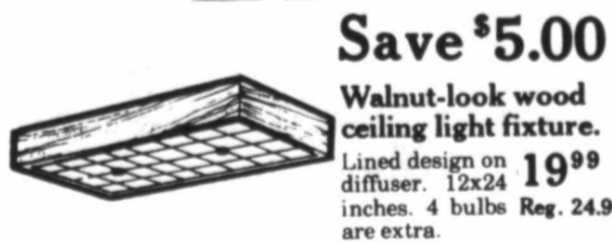


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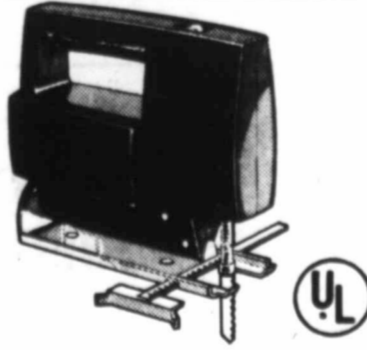


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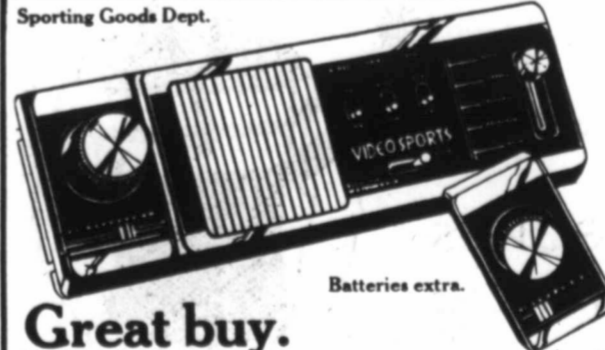
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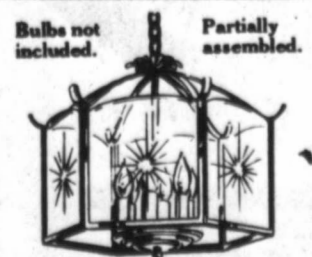
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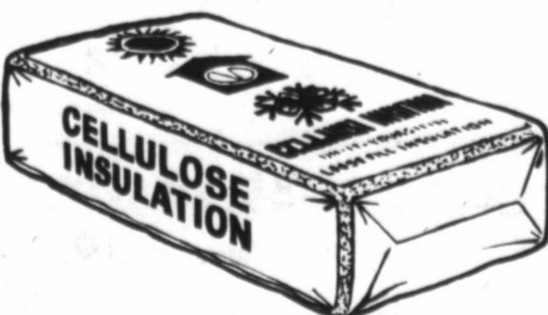


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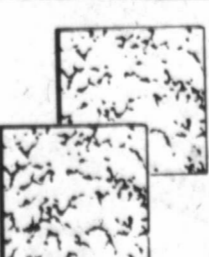
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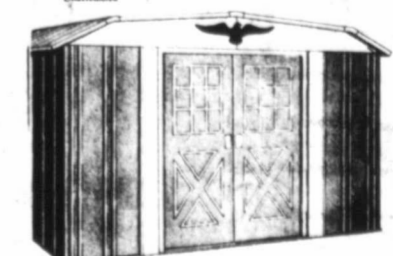


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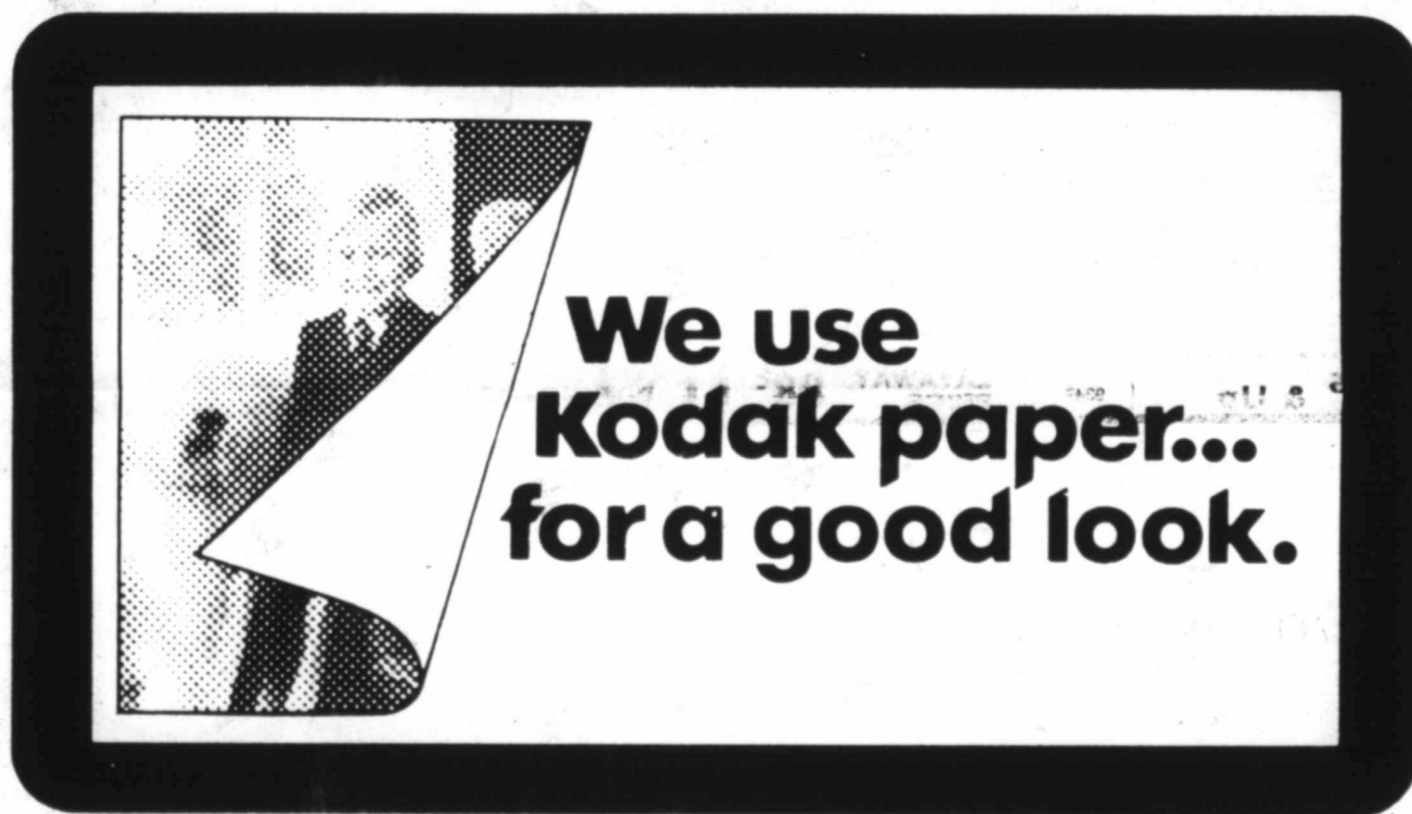
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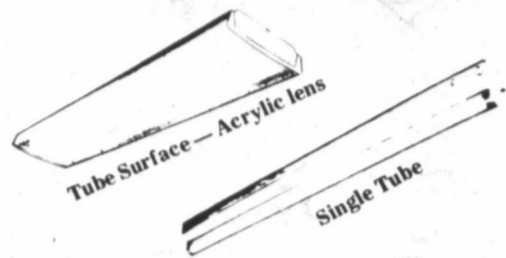
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