

U.S. successfully gets U.N. meeting

Soviets will veto Iranian sanctions

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — The United States was successful in its drive to arrange the Soviet Union before the General Assembly for its military intervention in Afghanistan...

Secretary-General Kurt Waldheim announced that the assembly, which ended its regular 1979 session on Monday, would meet at 3 p.m. EST today.

The resolution vetoed by the Soviet Union in the Security Council. The big-power veto does not apply in the assembly, but adoption of the resolution will have only moral and propaganda value...

procedural matter exempt from the veto of the five permanent council members — the United States, the Soviet Union, Britain, France and China.

A senior American official in Washington said if the Soviets vetoed the sanctions resolution, the United States would try to get its European allies and others to join it in a program of sanctions outside the U.N.

Police beat Vandals hit high school

Vandals hit the Big Spring High School early this morning. Patrolmen spotted the damage at the school at 2 a.m. today. The glass in two doors had been smashed with a rock, and four window screens had been cut.

314 N.E. 9th. The plate was valued at \$22.30. Milton Isiah Jr., 4100 Dixon, believes he knows the man who threatened his wife, his daughter and him, 2 p.m. Wednesday. Police will investigate further.

Retrial set Monday for accused murderer

Ismael Juarez Jr., 1003 NW 2nd, accused of the bloody robbery of a Winchell's Donut House employee in 1976, will be tried Monday in 118th District Court.

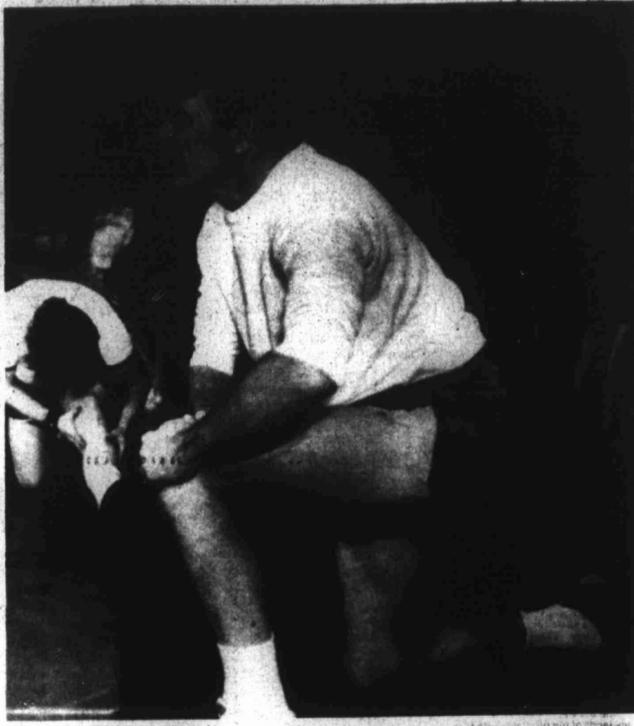
Juarez was sentenced to 20 years for the crime by a Howard County jury in 1976 but an appeal was granted because of the failure of the trial to the juvenile.

Juarez was 17 when he was tried, but certified to stand trial as an adult. Examining trials were not normally given at the time without the request of the defendant.

Repairs of YMCA gym, swim pool completed

The Big Spring YMCA officials announced today that repairs of the gymnasium and the swimming pool are completed. All racquetball-handball courts are open from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday thru Friday and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturdays.

Women's Health center, plus Men's and Women's Exercise rooms. Adult classes include: Aerobics (exercise by music), in the morning and evenings, racquetball lessons, guitar lesson, Kindergym, Women's Water exercise and Slim Living, a weight management course.



BUSH STRETCHES — GOP presidential hopeful George Bush at admittedly media event at the Concord YMCA on Wednesday stretches in exercise class. Bush, at 55, oldest in group of 75 aerobic exercisers, finished out of breath, but said he had fun in the New Hampshire presidential primary show.

Sneed seeks re-election

GAIL — Norman (Slick) Sneed has announced his candidacy for re-election to the office of sheriff and tax assessor for Borden County, subject to action of the Democratic Primary election scheduled May 3.

Midlander charged in aggravated rape

MIDLAND — The Midland County Grand Jury returned an indictment Wednesday charging a 44-year-old Midland man with the aggravated rape of a 20-year-old Stanton girl who had moved to Midland.

William Benjamin Logue was arrested Jan. 3 at his home in Midland following the girl's alleged rape in the early hours of that morning. He remains in the Midland County Jail in lieu of \$50,000 bond.

Caller reports screaming man

A caller reported a man standing in the west bound clothe and wearing one glove and one shoe and screaming very loudly, according to the Howard County Sheriff's Office logbook.

Deaths Zollie Boykin

Zollie Boykin, 65, died at 10 p.m., Wednesday in Lubbock Methodist Hospital. He had been in failing health the past two years.

Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home. Mr. Boykin was born April 10, 1913, in Sierra Blanca, Tex. He moved to Big Spring in 1929 from Fort Worth. He was married to the former Lucille True in January, 1938. He had been in the oil business since 1929.

Y has opening for ski trip

The YMCA has four openings for those interested in going on the ski trip to Ruudsoo on Jan. 18-20. The ski party will be traveling in the Y van and staying in the Starlite cabins.

Driver killed when truck flips

GREENWOOD — Victor Vance Schoonover, 31, of Stanton was killed near here early Wednesday when the truck he was driving overturned and exploded.

Vidal Garza, Jr.

Vidal Garza Jr., 33, died at 3 a.m., Thursday at his home following a sudden illness. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home.

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Digest

Ford withdraws name

BOSTON (AP) — Former President Gerald Ford has withdrawn from the March 4 Massachusetts presidential primary, election officials say.

Marcia Molay, state elections director, said a letter was received Wednesday from Ford saying, "I do not desire my name to be printed on the Massachusetts ballot."

Man adopts gay mate

MILWAUKEE (AP) — A judge has granted a petition allowing a 21-year-old man to adopt his 23-year-old homosexual lover.

The 23-year-old man, who agreed to an interview in return for anonymity, said adoption was the best and most economical way for the men to make each other heirs without drafting a will and to share the last name without hiring a lawyer.

Troupe cancels act

STATE COLLEGE, Pa. (AP) — A Soviet dance troupe that was scheduled to perform here Sunday has canceled a 54-city tour of the United States in response to President Carter's sanctions against the Soviet Union, a promoter says.

The Krasnyarsk Dance Company did not arrive for its opening performance in New York on Jan. 5, Samuel Niefeld, an executive with Columbia Artists Management in New York, said Wednesday.

Ryan Roger starts campaign for Precinct 3 Commissioner

Ryan L. Roger, Box 94, Garden City Route, filed his application Wednesday designating himself as treasurer in his campaign for Precinct 3 Commissioner.

Commissioner Bill Crooker, currently filling the office, has not filed for the race. Crooker has held the office for three terms.

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RIVER WELCH Funeral Home, 610 SCURRY BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Tradition stands behind Texas A&M Singing Cadets

More than 90 years of tradition stand behind the Singing Cadets when the all-male glee club ascends the risers to represent Texas A&M University.

The club will perform in Big Spring tonight at 7:30 at the First Baptist Church. Scott Sullivan, a native of Big Spring, is a junior at Texas A&M and is the president of the club.

The 67-voice group, directed by Robert L. Boone, traces its roots to 1894 and a predecessor known as the Texas A&M Glee Club.



SCOTT SULLIVAN

An extracurricular activity now as then, the Singing Cadets, as the organization became known in 1938, travels extensively with the goal of presenting Texas A&M, in song, to new friends of the university.

Guided by Boone since 1960, the Singing Cadets have continued to win friends across Texas and the Southwest in the manner of the early years, and have become a standard in campus events from the university's centennial in 1976 to the inauguration of President Jimmy Carter.

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Weather

East Texas goes from fog to rain

By The Associated Press
Scattered showers and thunderstorms were forecast for the eastern half of Texas and for some areas of Southwest Texas today.

The showers and thunderstorms were expected hours after a shroud of dense fog burned away from over much of the eastern half of the state.

Visibility during the early morning hours was near zero in some areas of South Texas and Southeast Texas. Drizzle was reported in the Hill Country and along the upper Texas coast.

Forecasts called for WEST TEXAS - Partly cloudy, windy and warmer this afternoon. Blowing dust mainly South Plains. Widely scattered thunderstorms south this afternoon. Southwesterly winds increasing to 25-35 mph with occasional gusts to 45 mph during afternoon and early evening hours. Partly cloudy tonight and Friday with decreasing winds tonight. Highs upper 50s north to upper 60s south. Lows upper teens north to near 40 south. Highs Friday mid 30s north to upper 50s south.

partly cloudy skies today and scattered showers and thunderstorms over the eastern half of the state and in Southwest Texas.

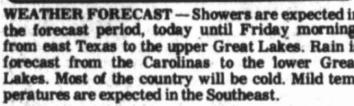
Highs were expected to be mostly in the 60s with a few readings reaching the lower 70s along the coast.

In addition to the fog, drizzle was reported in the Hill Country and along the upper Texas coast before dawn. Skies were clear to partly cloudy only in Northwest Texas.

Early morning temperatures were mostly in the 40s and 50s. Extremes ranged from 34 at Marfa to 57 at Brownsville.

CITY	MAX	MIN
BIG SPRING	57	32
Amarillo	41	30
Austin	51	30
Chicago	18	15
Dallas	54	43
Denver	31	14
Fairbanks	2	28
Houston	56	51
Las Vegas	55	51
Los Angeles	62	59
Miami	74	69
St. Louis	27	23
San Francisco	54	30
Tulsa	45	37
Washington, D.C.	40	26

Sun sets today at 4:00 p.m. Sun rises 1:11 at 7:08 a.m. Highest temperature this date 90 in 1942. Lowest temperature -5 in 1942. Most precipitation .57 in 1950.



WEATHER FORECAST - Showers are expected in the forecast period, today until Friday morning, from east Texas to the upper Great Lakes. Rain is forecast from the Carolinas to the lower Great Lakes. Most of the country will be cold. Mild temperatures are expected in the Southeast.

Big Spring's fixed charges for water will go up this year

Big Spring's fixed charges for water will go up modestly in 1980, but if consumption equals estimates, the rate per thousand gallons will be practically the same as paid last year.

This is the result of action of directors of the Colorado River Municipal Water District in a meeting here this morning. One reason for holding down increases is the application of \$600,000

Mrs. Griffice wins trip to Monte Carlo

Avon representative Dorothy Griffice, Gail Rt., Box 39, says she couldn't figure out why individuals in her group kept smiling at her at the monthly Avon sales meeting Tuesday.

Near the close of the meeting at the Holiday Inn, she found out. Division Manager George Purcell of Kansas City, Mo. announced that she was one of two representatives in all of West Texas and Southern New Mexico to win a trip for herself and her husband to Monte Carlo, Monaco.

In this area, 4,000 Avon representatives were eligible to compete for the "Tasha Flight to Fantasy" trip. According to Mrs. Griffice, the trip was the result of a sweepstakes which she entered each time she sold Tasha Perfume.

She and her husband, Grover, a Caden employee, will take their trip March 29 through April 4.

Mrs. Griffice serves this area under Mrs. Dorothy Christensen, district manager for Howard, Martin, Dawson, Borden and Andrews Counties.

earned from oil company deliveries to reduce rates to the member cities, to which most other rates are tied.

Fixed charges are apportioned to the cities in the ratio which their deliveries bear to the total estimated expense of the district, plus a factor for distance from Lake J.B. Thomas. The actual rate per thousand gallons of water cannot be computed accurately until the end of the year because it is based on the monthly fixed charges plus six cents per thousand gallons actually delivered.

Monthly fixed charges for

Big Spring will be \$71,487.33 in 1980, up \$2,982.08 over the 1979 charge, or only 4.32 per cent. Had not the oil company revenues been applied, monthly fixed charges would have been up by \$6,767, or 9.06 per cent.

Big Spring's rate for 1979 came out actually to 36.35 cents per thousand gallons, slightly higher than estimated because the city used 115,000,000 gallons less water than predicted due to erratic weather patterns. Based on the same annual estimate of 2,710,000,000 gallons, the calculated rate for 1980 will be 36.37 cents

per thousand gallons, only .02 of a cent increase over the actual rate for 1979.

Although the electric power bill for virtually the same volume of water as last year will be \$467,274 higher in 1980, adjusted rates to Midland and Stanton will overcome part of this. Their rates are the same as the previous year for Odessa, plus a differential of 3.227 cents per thousand gallons. Owing to sharp increases in power costs, the actual rate to Odessa rose 8.38 cents per thousand gallons from 1978 to 1979.

Energy

Getty Oil Co. will drill nine miles north of Garden City

Getty Oil Co., Odessa, will drill the No. 1-32 L.S. McDowell as a location north of to its No. 1 L.S. McDowell 41, opener and lone producer in the Deadwood, West (Strawn) field of Glasscock County, nine miles north of Garden City.

Location is 660 feet from

the south and 1,980 feet from the west lines of 32-33-28-T&P. Contract depth is 9,700 feet.

The discovery, drilled to 10,400 feet, was finished Oct. 25, 1979 to pump 65 barrels of 42.5 gravity oil, plus 10 barrels of water, with gas-oil ratio of 4,308-1, through perforations at 9,421-82 feet.

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Labor survey being conducted

The Permian Basin Private Industry Council (PIC) is conducting a labor market survey to determine what skills are needed and what programs should be developed by training the unemployed and relieving structural unemployment in the Permian Basin.

This newly-formed council has been established in accordance with Title VII of the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA), and includes business and community representatives from the 17 county PBRPC area. In an effort to improve communications between private business and the public sector, the Permian Basin PIC has been designed to serve as a liaison between area firms and government agencies.

One's participation in this survey will aid the PIC in making use of available funds and services in the development of meaningful local employment and training programs. Individuals can take a few minutes to fill out the survey and should return it to the PIC office by Jan. 18. All information received will be handled with strict confidence.

Albert Jones, at 563-1061, ext. 86, can supply additional information.



MANUELA CISNEROS A Young Woman Starting Her Career In Business At Howard College

The door to the business field is opening more and more to women and Manuela Cisneros is using Howard College as her key to that door.

Manuela began to unlock that door at Big Spring High School, where she took every business course offered. She was also enrolled in the Vocational Office Education Program. (V.O.E.)

But the business world might have lost her without the help of Howard College. "I wanted to continue my education in order to get a better job, but I didn't want to go out of town. When I looked into the programs offered at Howard College, I found what I was looking for. I discovered that the school had a good business degree plan and that is what made me decide to continue my education at Howard College."

Manuela really likes Howard College, the teachers, the excellent quality of instruction and the sensible economy of tuition costs. Howard College is proud of Manuela Cisneros.

Other business areas include computer programming, secretarial science, and the medical secretary program.

If you're ready to find your future... look into Howard College.

We're interested in your future, too.

Photography course offered

A beginning course in photography will be offered during the evening by Howard College for the spring semester, according to Stephen Lacy, journalism instructor.

The course, titled Elementary News Photography, will cover how to use a camera, elements of photographic design and black and white darkroom work.

Classes will meet Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6-7:45 p.m. It is not necessary to own a camera to take the class.

The class is a credit course taught by Stephen Lacy, journalism instructor. For further information one can call Lacy at 267-4311, Ext. 56.

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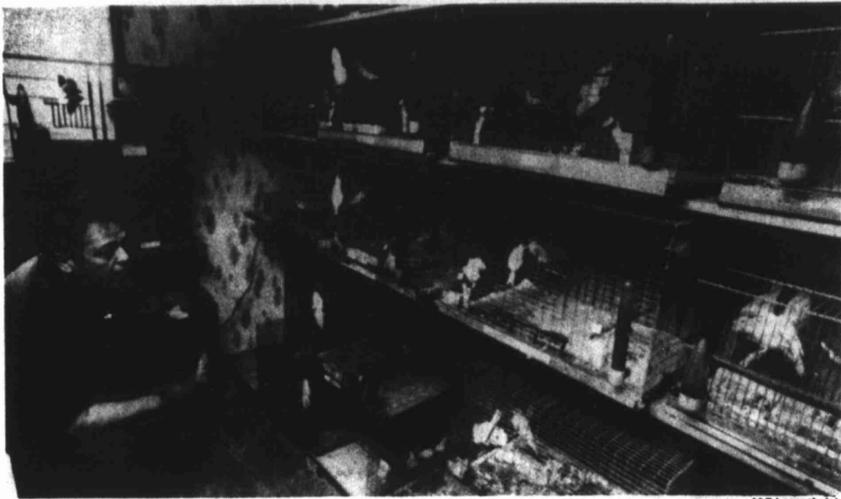
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NEWSOMS



BIRDMAN OF CEDAR CREEK — Les Smith Jr., checks on some of the 400 canaries he keeps in his mobile home near Austin. The ever-growing collection began

with a pair of birds when Smith wanted some companions after a hospital stay.

Hobby gets out of hand

His daughter moved out when canaries moved in

CEDAR CREEK, Texas (AP) — It all started about five years ago when Les Smith Jr. got out of surgery and decided he wanted a companion.

"My daughter bought me a pair in Buda," he recalled. It got out of hand about two years ago when the retired salesman looked around his mobile home and saw about 200 canaries.

The bird count is up to about 400 now and his daughter has moved out.

"I guess she just had enough of it," Smith says, accompanied by the constant canary music. "I needed the room anyway."

The 52-year-old bird fancier moved his mobile home out of Austin because of city health ordinances. The home is now on a quiet country road about 20 miles east of Austin.

The 64 feet by 12 feet mobile home is filled with cages that are filled with birds. The caged birds in the living room are stacked to the ceiling — obscuring the cases of trophies they have won.

Two bedrooms (including the one once occupied by his

daughter) are filled with birds.

"When I was a kid my mother had some canaries, but not this many," Smith said, gazing at the wall of birds in his living room.

He says it's strictly a hobby. He breeds the birds and takes them to shows. The walls near the cages are covered with hand-scribbled breeding notes about the canaries.

Smith has about a dozen different types of canaries, including the Scotch Fancy (one of which had a stroke on its way over from England).

"I guess I should do something about him," he said, clutching the small bird in his hand. "But I just don't have the heart."

Canaries are his favorite, but Smith is expanding his collection. He's got a pair of African Grays and a Lesser Cuckoo named Sam.

Sam is one of only two birds with names in the house. The white bird has his own cage but is allowed to roam the home. He's a bit shy, though, and as soon as a stranger comes in he takes off for one of the bedrooms.

The other named bird is Seymour Jr. A canary that caught Smith's eye.

The African Grays came in a trade with a Dallas birdman. They cost 14 pairs of canaries. Smith is now negotiating for a pair of Umbrella Cockatoos — he hopes to get them for about 10-12 pairs of canaries.

Smith says most of the canaries are worth about \$40 each. Some would go for three times that, if Smith was in the bird-selling business.

The African Grays are worth about \$800 for the pair. Sam would bring about \$600 (if he would ever come out of the bedroom).

Smith says the birds are easy to live with and work with. About the biggest tragedy occurred a while back when a female parrot pecked her mate to death. The way Smith tells it, it was a mercy killing. The male had cataracts and was blind.

"She led him around to his food and water for about a year," he said.

Smith has big plans for his new location — if he can keep the snakes away from the birds. He's killed two rat-

tlers near the home and found a "chicken snake" in a bird cage. The snake swallowed a canary and then couldn't get out of the cage.

He's building a separate house for the birds, but he'll keep some of them in the mobile home with him.

"I've got birds spread over everywhere," Smith said, reeling off a list of Texas cities where friends are keeping birds he owns.

"If I die my kid will have a tough time finding them all," he said.

His will, of course, spells out where the birds will go upon his death.

Installation

to be Jan. 15

Malinda Blackburn, noble grand, presided when members of the Big Spring Rebekah Lodge No. 284 met at 7:30 p.m., Jan. 8 in the I.O.O.F. Hall at Ninth and San Antonio.

Mildred Collins, chairman for the Finance and Audit Committee, announced that the books will be audited Friday at 8:30 p.m. in her home at 1725 Purdue.

Members voted to install new officers Jan. 15. The affair will be formal. Jewel Thompson, junior past noble grand, invited her officers to her home at 604 W. 18th for an officer's party Jan. 14 at 7 p.m.

Corynne Cunningham was elected to fill the position of representative. Norma Newton will serve as alternate.

In other business, Betty Medford, vice president of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas, notified Lodge No. 284 of her plans to visit here Feb. 3. She will conduct a school of instruction in the area.

At the close of the meeting, Hugh Rhyne was escorted to the front of the hall by his wife, Lillian, where he was presented an Odd Fellow Past Grand Color by Rosa Lee Hill in memory of A.F. Hill.

The next regular meeting will be Jan. 15 in the hall at 7:30 p.m.



Dear Abby

Times Change, Not Her Sheets

DEAR ABBY: Here's one I'll bet you never heard before. Our son's wife is a darling girl, well-educated, exceptionally clean, and comes from a fine family. We couldn't love her more if she were our own daughter. Their home is beautiful and always presentable and picked up, even though I know she hates housework.

The problem is that we live some distance away, and when we visit them once or twice a year the linens in their guest room haven't been changed since their previous guests visited. (Lots of friends and family visit them.)

Wash-and-wear linens never look crisp. I know, but since I first suspected that the beds had not been changed, I marked the sheets, so I know they are not laundered between guests.

I don't know how to handle this, since I prefer to sleep without sheets rather than jeopardize our marvelous relationship. But when I think of sleeping between used sheets — yuk!

TOO TIDY

DEAR TOO: If you are sure that the bed linen in the guest room is not fresh, tell your darling, well-educated, exceptionally clean daughter-in-law who hates housework that she "forgot" to change the linen. Offer to help her change it. Or quietly find fresh linen and change it yourself.

Problems? You'll feel better if you get them off your chest. For a personal reply write to Abby, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Cal. 90069. Please enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Zula Rhodes is chairman

The Howard County Extension Homemakers Council met Jan. 7 at the Howard County Agents Office. Mrs. Mattie Wren installed the 1980 officers.

Mrs. Zula Rhodes will serve as chairman; Mrs. Jowill Etchison as vice chairman; Mrs. Evelyn Vigar, secretary; and Mrs. I'Nell Smauley, treasurer.

It was announced by Frances Zant that the stock show will be held Jan. 25-26. Four club members are needed from each club to operate the concession stand. Each club is responsible for furnishing one pie and two pans of brownies.

The TEHA Training Meeting will be held Jan. 16 in Kermit at the Community Center. Registration and coffee will be at 9:30 a.m. with the meeting beginning at 10 a.m.

Instructions for selecting delegates to the District Training Meeting in Winkler County were read by Mrs. Wren.

The standing rules for Howard County Extension Homemakers Council was revised and re-adopted.

Janet Rogers, county extension agent, revealed there will be a 4-H County Food Show at 3:30 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church Youth Fellowship Hall. The public is invited to attend.

A Leader Training Meeting at the old Officers Club will take place Jan. 21 at 2 p.m. The subject will be "Adapting the Home for Retirement Living."

The District Food Show will be held at the Coahoma High School cafeteria and will be open to the public.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carr, 106 15th, announce the birth of their first child, a son, Haven Wert.

The infant was born Jan. 7 at 6:43 a.m., weighing 8 pounds 10 ounces. He measured 21 inches in

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Unwed mother protests

By Robert Wallace, Ed. D.

Dr. Wallace: I am a 19-year-old girl and have a small baby. Since I am unmarried, I am looked upon by most people as everything from an idiot to a pervert.

Please allow me to say a few things in my defense. I love my baby and I love her father and hope soon to marry him. I give my baby more love and attention than most married couples give theirs.

I attend church every Sunday and I'm deeply religious and smoking, drinking and drug taking are not for me.

Thanks for allowing me to get these things off my chest. I'm just tired of the stereotype! — C.C., Dixon, Ill.

C.C.: I totally agree that unwed mothers should not be stereotyped. Yet the innocent child is penalized because of the irresponsible acts of the "parents."

Every child deserves a loving mother and father who are married.

Recent figures show that over 80 percent of unwed mothers keep their children instead of offering the baby

to adoptive parents. In the vast majority of cases, society must pay the bills starting with mothers' hospital expenses through an 18th birthday.

Yes, C.C., unwed mothers should not be stereotyped but also they should not be glorified.

Dr. Wallace: I was inspired by the letter Darcey Davenport wrote to you saying that her life was turned around when she found God.

Last school year, my life was really messed up. I was failing in school, wasn't getting along with my parents, had no friends and I was into "pot" and alcohol.

By the end of school, I had gotten to the point where I didn't really care what happened. I just went to school, and sort of sat around, doing nothing. When I got home, I just walked the streets.

Then, one day, someone contacted me, and said that the local Friends Church was forming a youth group. I went to the first meeting, just for something to do. I liked it, and kept going back and with the help of these people, I have found God, and have become a Christian. Since this group start-

ed, we have grown from 10, to about 30 members, and we're still growing.

I have seen God do a lot of great things, and change a lot of lives.

The other evening I was feeling kind of down. Then I read Darcey's letter. Seeing what God had done for her just made my day. I was so happy about this, that I had to let you and your readers know! — Frank Barrett, Youngstown, Ohio

Frank: Your inspiration will be a blessing to others — thanks for sharing.

Write to Dr. Robert Wallace, TWEEN 12 and 20, in care of this newspaper. Please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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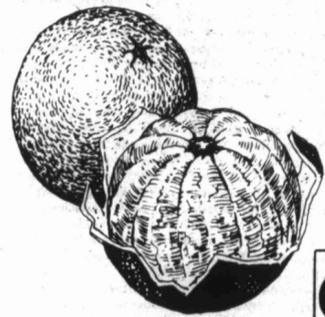
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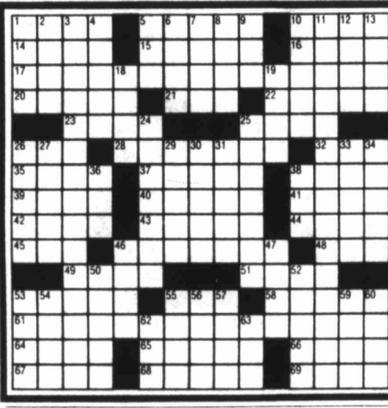
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ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) You are determined to produce results that you have within your subconscious and can do so by using positive and understanding methods.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Try to please partners and much good comes from this. Get into a worldly enterprise that can bring you much benefit in the future.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Don't run off on any tangents that keep you from getting your work done. Avoid a fellow worker who is disturbed.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Plan how to get your finest talents working and gain aid from a bigwig who likes you. Show more affection for a loved one.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) You have to be very diplomatic at home since kin could be in a nervous state. Buy some thoughtful gifts that could be helpful.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Streamline your activities so that you have maximum efficiency and minimum of effort. Friends are a joy this evening.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Keep your mind focused on the practical and know how to command a greater income in the future. Invest your money more wisely.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Be very tactful in going after personal aims or you get serious rebuffs, especially from bigwigs. Evening fine for renewing old friendships.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Study conditions around you well and know how to proceed for better results in the days ahead. Complete an unfinished project.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Good time to discuss future plans with allies. You have to make better plans to gain your personal aims. Avoid a known gossip.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Handling outside duties intelligently is important now. Find a good way to expand by getting into new and lucrative activities.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Study every angle of a new project that interests you otherwise you cannot make it operate successfully. Morning blues are soon gone.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... he or she will be able to ferret out the truth of any situation or matter where others fail to do so, so slant education along lines of research, investigation. Give the finest moral and ethical training early. Sports are particularly good here.

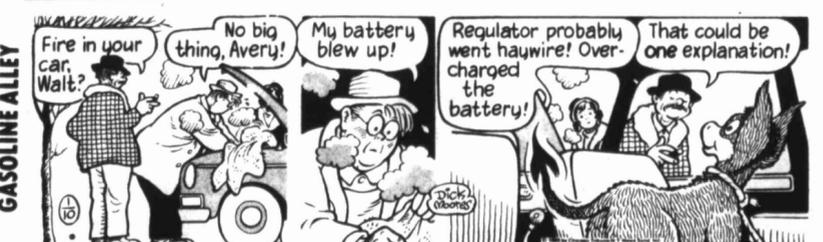
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Carpooling not a new idea

College Heights Connection convenient

By ROBBIE CROW
Family News Editor

"The best way to keep up with the Jones' is to ride with them."

At least that's what a catchy slogan promoting carpooling for College Heights and Goliad students says.

The fight is still on between a group of conscientious College Heights PTA'ers and the hazardous traffic congestion in the school zone of the elementary and middle schools.

A few years back, 'U.S. News and World Report' proclaimed "Carpooling is a success story at the Johnson Space Center — more than 1,570-pools have resulted in 900 fewer cars entering the center each day."

Carole Owen, the mother of a College Heights student who stands firm on her belief that the congestion on Goliad St. must be lessened says "We don't pretend to be Houston, but Goliad at 3 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. is as close to Houston's Gulf Freeway as we'll find in Big Spring. Any dent we can make in the traffic congestion through increased use of carpooling will be a real plus."

Mrs. Owen, who has participated in one of the veteran carpools for five years says transportation sharing is not a new idea.

"Carpools were part of the war effort during World War II. Many persons patriotically enlisted in carpools to save rubber and gas."

She said if more people would start forming carpools to and from school, two things would be accomplished.

"First of all," Mrs. Owen continued, "the congestion in the College Heights-Goliad school zone would be eased. Secondly, it would provide an opportunity for participants to do their patriotic thing by conserving gas."

Members of the PTA are making it easy for possible carpool groups to find each other. They are providing a matching service for families of Goliad and College Heights students.

Form letters were mailed out at the beginning of the school year to each family in an effort to make convenient connections and start the carpool wheels rolling. Once possible connections were made, it was up to each group to work out schedules and set down rules.

"Before finalizing a carpool," Mrs. Owen explained, "it's a good idea to try it a week and iron out the kinks. Changes are easier to make when everyone knows the carpool is on an experimental basis for a few days. Then getting everyone together to compare notes after the trial week will permit alterations which will make the carpool more successful."

Mrs. Owen, a Highland South resident, says her home is approximately 1.2 miles from College Heights.

"If I had to do the driving alone, I would be traveling 24 miles a week just to and from school. Carpooling has cut my driving two-thirds," she stated.

Gretchen Hatcher is another Highland South mother who participates in a carpool. Six children ride from five Highland South families. The mothers each drive one morning and one afternoon per week.

"Three of the children go

to choir practice after school Wednesdays, and the carpool has even been able to work around that," Mrs. Hatcher revealed.

The carpool is a combination of two working mothers and three who are not employed.

Mrs. Hatcher also reports that though each mother has a designated day to drive, all are quite flexible and switch as needed if a child is sick or someone is out of town.

"We've had no problems with late mothers or no shows," Mrs. Hatcher continued. "I think carpooling is great."

Although 'Popular Mechanics' reports "The secret of a successful carpool is to run it exactly as if you were running a small commuter railroad," most College Heights carpools are more flexible than that. However, they say, too, that dependability is definitely the key of a workable carpool.

Two women, Brenda Powers and Rebecca Pierce, operate special carpools. Each is the only driver of their respective carpool.

"I pick up seven kids every morning, and every afternoon," revealed Mrs. Powers, College Heights PTA president.

Mrs. Powers recalled one specific incident where carpooling aided a family without adequate transportation.

"A lady called College Heights principal Herman Smith. Her children had been missing a lot of school, sometimes three and four days a week. The family had no transportation," Mrs. Powers said.

"So, Mr. Smith called me and I told him I would pick up the woman's children. They hardly ever miss school anymore," she concluded.

"It's possible we can help more people with similar transportation problems," Mrs. Owen added.

Mothers who participate in the College Heights connection say convenience is the main advantage.

"It's nice knowing your not tied to the school every morning and every afternoon," Mrs. Owen concluded.

A group of carpool mothers has compiled several recipe favorites of their riders — their children. Try them on your family.

Brenda Power's SKILLET TACO

1 pound ground beef
lettuce
tomatoes
taco mix
Brown meat, drain and cut up tomatoes and lettuce. Add mix, tomatoes and lettuce. Stir.

Rebecca Pierce's PEANUT BUTTER-PICKLE BURGER

Spread peanut butter on 1/2 a hamburger bun. Place pickles on peanut butter and place top of bun over pickles. Then take a bite.

Gretchen Hatcher's SPECIAL K COOKIES

Mix:
4 cups Special K
1 cup crunchy peanut butter
Bring to boil:
1 cup sugar
1 cup light Karo syrup (or 1/2 cup Karo and 1/2 cup of honey)

Four over Special K and peanut butter mix and blend. Drop onto wax paper by teaspoon.



EVERYBODY FILE IN — Mothers who participate in the College Heights Connection, a group of organized carpools, say "the best way to keep up with the Jones, is to ride with them." In addition to lessening the hazardous traffic congestion at the Goliad-College Heights School

Zone, mothers feel the main advantage is convenience. Pictured here are the passengers and driver of one car pool including, left to right, Scott Supak, Kirsten Wilkins, Matt Hunter, Jody Strong, driver Barbara Supak, and Scott Owen.

Carole Owen's JODY'S PEANUT BUTTER ICIES

1 cup powdered milk
1 cup crunchy peanut butter
1 cup white Karo syrup
Mix and chill. Roll about one-inch thick. Cut into squares and dab into Rice Krispies or other favorite cereal crumbs.
Freeze and serve as frozen snacks.

Brenda Power's SAUSAGE AND CHEESE CASSEROLE

1 pound mild sausage
1/2 pound Velveta cheese
Heat oven to 350 degrees. Let both stand at room temperature for three hours to soften. Mix together in casserole dish. Cook for 35-40 minutes until sausage is browned.

Brenda Riffey's NANNY'S HAM FRIED RICE

2 cups boiled rice, not too done.
2 cups ham, cubed and browned in small amount of oil.
Add:
1/2 cup chopped onion, do not brown
4-6 eggs, beaten
Cook until eggs are well done. Add 1/4 cup Soy Sauce. Simmer 10-20 minutes. Serve packed in small bowls turned upside down on plate. Add sauce to taste.

Clydie Grantham's CAROL'S FAVORITE CHOCOLATE DESSERT

1 cup margarine
1 cup powdered sugar
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1 3/4 cup flour
1/2 cup nuts
1 8-ounce package cream cheese
3 cups milk
1 cup powdered sugar
2 cups Cool Whip
1 package (3 3/4 ounce) instant vanilla pudding mix
1 package (3 3/4 ounce) instant chocolate pudding mix

Cream together the margarine, powdered sugar, vanilla, flour and nuts. Pat the mixture into a 13x9 inch baking pan and bake for 10 minutes at 375 degrees. While the above mixture is

baking, cream the cream cheese and the remaining powdered sugar and fold in the Cool Whip. Spread on the cooled crust. In blender container, blend the pudding mixes and the milk until thickened.

Spread on the whipped cream layer. Garnish with additional whipped cream if desired or sprinkle with chocolate curls.

Ann Pickering's BANANA-OATMEAL COOKIES

1 cup sugar
1 egg
1 cup mashed bananas
1 cup quick-cooking oats, uncooked
1 1/2 cups all-purpose flour, or whole wheat flour
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
1/4 teaspoon salt
3/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg
Combine shortening and sugar in a large mixing

strawberries (thawed), or your favorite fruit
cornflakes, (or any unsweetened cereal)

Put one scoop ice cream, one to two tablespoons fruit with juice, 1/4 cup cereal, one scoop ice cream and another one to two tablespoons fruit in a parfait glass or regular glass in this order. Top with maraschino cherry, if desired.

Barbara Supak's CHOCOLATE CHIP BARS

2 sticks oleo

2 cups brown sugar
2 eggs
2 teaspoons vanilla
1/2 teaspoon soda
2 cups flour
1 cup chopped pecans
1 cup chocolate chips

Melt oleo in a pan. Add brown sugar and eggs. Add soda and vanilla to above mixture. Stir in flour, then add pecans. Pour batter into a greased pan, 15 1/2 x 10 1/2. Sprinkle chocolate chips on top of uncooked batter. Bake 20-25 minutes at 325 degrees. Remove from oven when center till it looks slightly undercooked. Cool and cut into squares.

Photos by
Bill Forshee

Have you been elected
club reporter?

If so, here are several guidelines the Family News Section of the Herald requests you follow

1. Club reports should be type-written and double-spaced.
2. They should be no more than one full page (8 1/2" x 11") in length.
3. Proofread reports to insure proper spelling, dates, etc.
4. Always include phone number where correspondent can be reached if further information or clarification is needed.

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SWAN LAKE REHEARSALS — Dance Theater of Harlem rehearses Wednesday at New York's City Center for their premiere performance of Swan Lake Thursday night. Lydia Abarca dances the role of the Swan Queen and Ronald Perry is the Prince. Dancers in the background are unidentified.

Social medicine driving doctors out of Canada

Social medicine is driving physicians out of Canada and is lowering quality of medical care, but don't look for any substantial change in the situation.

This is the assessment of Dr. G.J. St. Hilaire, anesthesiologist who left Montreal to re-locate in Big Spring. He addressed the Downtown Lions at the meeting Wednesday at Howard College.

A survey indicated that 40 percent of Canadian physicians would consider moving, and 10 percent have, he said. As a result of the system, hospital construction has ceased, some smaller hospitals have closed, new equipment is obsolete by the time it can be had.

Quality of treatment has declined as physicians stretch their working day to cover more and more patients, on which their fees are based. A general practitioner may have to work three times as hard to earn the same amount as he would in the United States, he estimated.

Canadian citizens pay \$200 to \$300 a year, matched by employers, for medical care. These premiums go to the

provinces, which are assisted by the federal government in payments to health providers. The federal portion and deficits are made up out of income taxes, substantially higher than in the U.S.

"Free" medical care has resulted in unrestrained patient use, almost to abuse," he added. Appointments sometime require three months, even the emergency rooms have a two to three-hour waiting time, and it is not uncommon to have to spend 24 to 48 hours in emergency wards before being able to get a hospital room. Thus, the system has not solved the problem of medical accessibility, he noted.

Strikes in medical care institutions are frequent, and this results in workers and physicians losing about one out of every 10 years of pay, he said.

Dr. St. Hilaire left because of the restrictions and because he believed better medical service can be provided in a more competitive setting. Moreover, what happened to Canadian medicine also is happening to Canadian industry.

Will it change? Probably not, he thought. For one thing health and welfare are so co-mingled it is impossible to get a fix on what medicine actually is costing. In the absence of this vital information medical service is a good vote getter. What about young physicians entering the field? Again, probably no difference, because "they don't know any better."

Midland firm announces discovery in Howard

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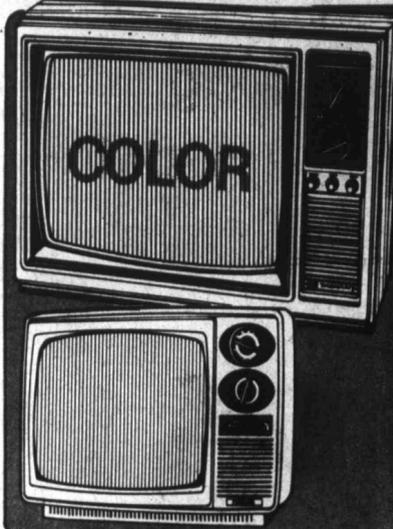
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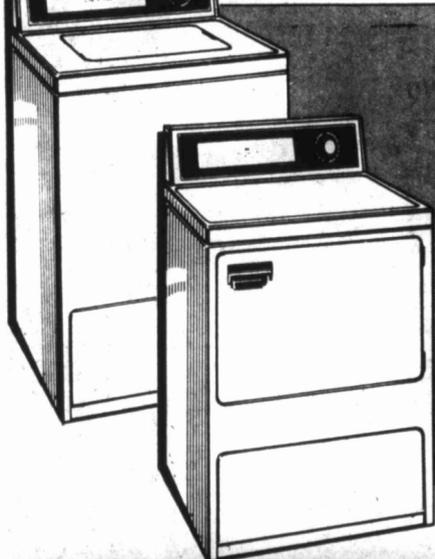
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McEnroe whips Solomon

NEW YORK (AP) — Top-seeded John McEnroe defeated eighth-seeded Harold Solomon 6-3, 7-5 in the opening round of the \$400,000 Grand Prix Masters Tennis tournament.

In other matches in the round-robin event, second-seeded Bjorn Borg of Sweden outslugged No. 6 Roscoe Tanner 6-3, 6-3; No. 3 Jimmy Connors blasted No. 7 Jose Higueras of Spain 6-3, 6-0, and Guillermo Vilas of Argentina outlasted No. 5 Vitas Gerulaitis 6-4, 6-7, 6-3.

Evert Lloyd, Austin win

CINCINNATI (AP) — Top-seeded Chris Evert Lloyd crushed Bettina Bunge 6-2, 6-1 and second-seeded Tracy Austin eliminated Sylvia Hanika 6-2, 6-2 in the opening round of a \$150,000 women's tennis tournament.

Rain postpones Desert Classic

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) — A rare desert rain flooded the courses and forced an overnight suspension of play in the first round of the \$304,500 Bob Hope Desert Golf Classic.

Only two pros, Peter Jacobsen and Jerry McGee, returned 18 hole scores. Jacobsen shot a par 72 and McGee struggled to an 80, both at La Quinta.

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Oiler fans going crazy over non-catch

HOUSTON (AP) — If you're looking for die-hard football fans, look no farther than Houston.

Case in point: William R. Pabst — who says he is a minister and a "consumer advocate" — and his friend Diane Simons are hopping mad about the Pittsburgh Steeler's 27-13 victory Sunday in the National Football League's American Conference title tilt.

So mad, in fact, they filed a \$6 million lawsuit in federal court Wednesday and asked for a federal injunction to halt the Super Bowl.

Pabst, who names the NFL, commissioner Pete Rozelle and official Donald Orr, is irked by a third-quarter call that cancelled an apparent Oiler touchdown.

On the play, wide receiver Mel Renfro hauled in a Dan Pastorini pass deep in the corner of the end zone that

would have tied the score 17-17. But Orr ruled the pass incomplete, torpedoing the six-pointer.

On Tuesday, Rozelle said NFL films showed Renfro bobbled the ball momentarily as he crossed the end stripe, but Pabst says it was a bad call and terms it "consumer fraud."

"I noticed several bad calls last year in the Super Bowl," Pabst said, "and then this one came closer to home and I went to the courts."

Pabst's suit asks for \$2 million in damages each from the NFL, Rozelle and Orr.

The suit alleges Orr "stood there in a state of bewilderment, appeared confused and disoriented. It appeared to be an act of cheating. The defendants violated the duty to be truthful and accurate and gave advantages to the Steelers."

Then there's Nick Clayton, who's taking the write-in route.

Clayton says his petition asks for a replay of the Oiler-Steeler game, and that he has 3,000 signatures and is shooting for a million.

"National television," states the petition, "has already indicated that the judgement call was wrong. So, for the benefit of fair play ... we hereby request you sanction a re-match of the American Football Conference playoff game."

Oiler Coach Bum Phillips is teed off, too, but not because of the nixed touchdown. He says there was flagrant pass interference on the play that should have been called.

Phillips, armed with the films at his weekly press conference, says he noticed the interference prior to the call when he viewed Oiler films early this week.

Kenneth Coffey signs letter with Southwest Texas State

By NATHAN POSS
Sports Editor

Kenneth Coffey, who was a Big Spring High School stalwart in the 1976-78 seasons in three sports, signed a football letter-of-intent with Southwest Texas State University earlier this week.

Coffey, after making honorable mention All-District 5-AAAA in football

and being a sterling trackster at BSHS, played the grid sport at Tyler Junior College the past two seasons.

He was impressive in helping lead Tyler JC to the Texas Junior College Athletic Association football title the past season. The 6'1", 185-pound strong safety ended his two-year stay at the East Texas school by

compiling nine interceptions, six fumble recoveries, blocking three punts and making numerous tackles.

Coffey was praised by Tyler JC Coach James McGinty, who stated, "He's an intelligent football player and a fine person. He was one of our big leaders and should have a good future."

He is an asset in anything that he participates in." Coffey, who also made the Dean's List at Tyler JC, had numerous offers from other schools, with New Mexico State, Arkansas State, UT-Arlington, Tulsa and Angelo State desiring his services in football.

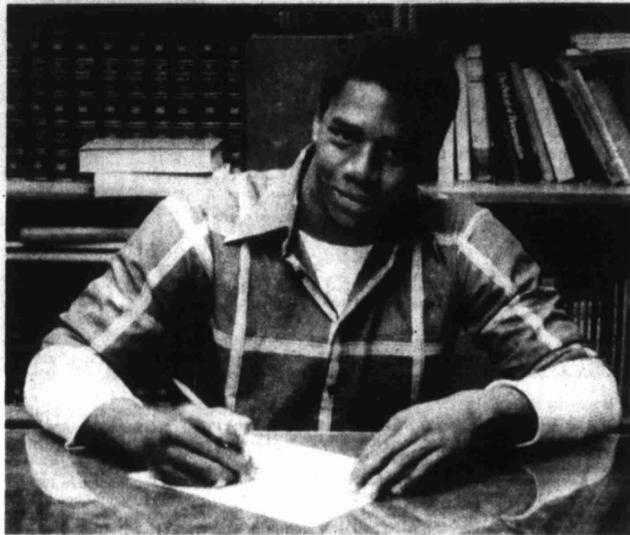
But the former Obie Bristow Award winner of 1978 (as the outstanding athlete at BSHS) opted for SWTSU because of the coaching staff and the social opportunities of the school.

"I really like Coach Wacker (Southwest Texas Coach Jim Wacker) and his staff. The mood of the team and the atmosphere that they generated was also to my liking," Coffey said, then adding with a grin, "I also have some friends that go there, and know that I will enjoy both the academic and social aspects that the school has to offer."

Coffey's older brother, James, recently finished his final year of eligibility with the University of New Mexico, where he was a starting linebacker for the Lobos. He has two younger brothers that played at BSHS this year, but moved to Abilene with Kenneth's parents during the Christmas holidays.

The Southwest Texas State coaches have indicated that Kenneth will be tried first as a defensive back during spring training, although there is a possibility that he could also play wide receiver and return punts.

Coffey will transfer immediately to SWTSU, located in San Marcos, as classes begin on Monday.



KENNETH COFFEY SIGNS WITH SOUTHWEST TEXAS

Winder named coach at Monahans

MONAHANS — Dick Winder, former head football coach at Odessa High School, has been named head coach and athletic director at Monahans High School.

Winder was selected from among 28 applicants for the position. The contract of Winder's predecessor, Frank Krhut, was not renewed after Monahans finished with a 6-4 won-lost record in 1979.

Winder was at Odessa High from 1971 until 1973 and again from 1976 through 1977. He has also served as head coach at Goddard High in Roswell, N.M., and was an aide on the University of New Mexico staff.



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WESTERN TEXAS COLLEGE of Snyder enters the ABC Olympic Classic as the nation's top ranked juco team. From the left are Ronald Portee, Freddie Davis, Keith Denis, Oscar Alvarado, David Brown, James

Hutcherson, Jim Price, Greg Stewart, Donald Warren, Paul Pressey, Bill Patterson, Phil Spradling, Dwain Vantress, Franklin Bennett, and Joey Rosales. WTC plays Howard College at 7:00 tonight.

No. 1 rated Western Texas, No. 7 rated Midland entered Olympic Classic begins tonight

Action gets underway in the 10th Annual ABC Olympic Classic tonight, with two of the top teams in the nation competing. The three-night tourney will take place in Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

The top-rated juco team in the nation, Western Texas College of Snyder, squares off against host Howard College at 7:00 p.m., while the nation's seventh ranked team, Midland College, will play South Plains at 9:00 p.m.

Western Texas sports a record of 14-0 entering the tournament, and received 14 of the total 22 first place votes to take a comfortable lead in the weekly poll. Three Rivers Community College of Poplar Bluff, Missouri, is second.

The Westerners have an impressive team that could compete against many major college teams successfully, as Coach Don Richardson has accumulated some outstanding talent throughout the nation. Forward Paul Pressey and center Greg Stewart lead the WTC team who finished fourth in the national junior college tournament last March in Hutchison, Kansas.

They will be meeting Howard College, a team boasting two of the top individuals in the Western Conference thus far in Michael Wallace and Ron Akins. Wallace is leading the conference with a plus 27 scoring average, and is second in rebounding. Akins, meanwhile, lead the Western Conference in rebounding and is third in scoring.

Both Howard and Western Texas are ranked high nationally in team scoring, so the opening affair tonight should be a wide open one. Western Texas has the second leading scoring team in the nation with a per game average of 102.4, while Howard ranks fifth

with a game average of 99.6. The two teams squared off in December, with WTC taking a 121-98 victory.

Howard, currently sporting a record of 8-5, is a four-time winner in the tournament, while Western Texas has won the affair the past three years.

The second game also features an unbeaten and ranked team in Midland College. The Chaparrals are 14-0 and moved up to the seventh ranking in the nation in this week's NJCAA poll. Like Western Texas, Midland employs as many as 12 players on most nights in an attempt to keep the pressure on opponents and take advantage of their outstanding depth.

South Plains appears to be the darkhorse in this year's tournament, as the Texans come to town with a record of 5-8. But records can be deceptive, as the South Plains team boasts two performers capable of dominating any game in Ronnie Butler and Jackie Vaughn.

An upset could be in the making in either game tonight, as both Western Texas and Midland could possibly be overlooking tonight's foes in looking for their battle with each other in tomorrow night's 7:00 p.m. affair.

In an Olympic style tournament, each team plays the other in a pre-arranged schedule. Each team plays three games. The team winning the most games is the winner. In the event of two teams with the same record, the team scoring the most total points in the three games is declared the winner.

TONIGHT'S GAMES
7:00 p.m. Western Texas vs. Howard College
9:00 Midland vs. South Plains



MIDLAND COLLEGE, ranked seventh in the nation in the recent juco poll, plays the 9:00 p.m. game tonight in the ABC Classic against South Plains College. The Chaps are 14-0 for the year. Front row from the left are Trainer Nuffie Carrasco, Jeff Ray, Scotty Tutwiler, Bobby Thompson, Tim Shelby, Derrick Wilson, Robert Tate,

Paul Donalson, Virgil Slay and Trainer Joe Lee. Second row: Head Coach Jerry Stone, Kevin Williamson, Raleigh Freeman, Chuck McGill, Ernie Tate, Charles Johnson, Unidentified, Kenneth Young, and Coach Archie Myers. Myers is a former Howard College All-American.

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Tyler stops HC Queens

COLLEGE STATION — Tyler Junior College jumped out to an early 15-point advantage and withstood two Howard College charges to escape with a 60-51 win in the first round of the Texas A&M Girl's Basketball Classic here Thursday morning.

Western Texas-Murray State College of Oklahoma game tomorrow morning at 8:00 p.m. Western Texas is ranked 13th nationally, while Murray is rated eighth nationally.

Stevens was not happy with his team's performance in the 8:00 a.m. opener, stating: "Kelly Lyons played her best game of the year, but we played terrible, otherwise."



TRACY AUSTIN

Austin named Female Athlete of the Year

NEW YORK (AP) — Tracy Austin, the youngest person ever to win the U.S. tennis championship, has been voted The Associated Press Female Athlete of the Year for 1979.

Navratilova, the two-time Wimbledon winner, was third with 33, followed by Old Dominion basketball star Nancy Leiberman with 13 and marathon swimmer Diana Nyad with 5.

Italian championships last spring, she decimated Lloyd's 125-match clay-court winning streak. She was 4-2 over Lloyd for 1979 and has beaten her twice already this year. Austin is 5-6 against Navratilova.

NBA Roundup

Shue's dismissal arouses Clippers

It was a National Basketball Association game but it brought back memories of Knute Rockne and George Gipp, Pat O'Brien and Ronald Reagan.

What the Clippers learned was that Shue had been suspended for a week without pay and fined \$3,500 by NBA Commissioner Larry O'Brien for striking referee Dick Bavetta during a game in Chicago last Friday night and then failing to leave the court after being ejected.

added 31 points for Denver and Malone had 28 for Houston. Bullets 103, Lakers 101. Elvin Hayes sank a turnaround jumper with four seconds remaining after rebounding a missed shot by teammate Bob Dandridge.

Chris Ford gave Boston some breathing room with a pair of free throws before reserve center Rick Robey scored on a layup and then on a stiff before the buzzer.

College basketball roundup

Clemson upsets top ranked Duke

Well, they can't denigrate the Clemson Tigers for an "easy" home schedule now. Criticized by some observers for playing such soft-touch home games in December as Baptist (S.C.) College, Rider and Georgia Southern, the Tigers certainly went big time Wednesday night in Littlejohn Coliseum with a date against Duke.

December home schedule. "One of these days, we're gonna have to get somebody in here who can play this game." More than 13,500 fans — an arena record — watched the important Atlantic Coast Conference game.

in regulation play with the score tied at 66. But Chip Engelland's 40-foot desperation shot bounced off the rim at the buzzer. The loss was the first for Duke after 12 victories. Clemson, ranked No. 18 in the county, won its 11th game in 12 this season.

Darnell Valentine and Tony Guy combined for 30 points and reserve Keith Douglas scored seven points down the home-stretch to lead Kansas' upset of Missouri. The Tigers led by as many as nine points in the first half before the Jayhawks rallied.



AP LASER PHOTO

CAMPBELL IS MOST VALUABLE PLAYER — Earl Campbell, the Houston Oilers, ace running back, center, holds the Schick Trophy after accepting the award given by the Professional Football Writers of America for Most Valuable Player Wednesday in New York. At left is

John Steadman of the Baltimore News-American, president of the writers, association and right is Pete Rozelle, the National Football League commissioner. The pair presented the award to Campbell.

Scorecard

DALLAS (AP) — The Class 1A Texas high school all-state football team, as selected by members of the Texas Sports Writers Association:

Table with columns for Conference, Team, W, L, Pct, GB. Includes Eastern Conference, Central Division, Western Conference, and Midwest Division.

College

Table with columns for Conference, Team, W, L, Pct, GB. Includes Eastern, Midwest, and Pacific Divisions.

Hall of Famers Kaline, Snider were bargains

NEW YORK (AP) — Based on today's baseball economy, Duke Snider and Al Kaline, the newest members of the Hall of Fame, were bargain basement performers.

The two brilliant outfielders of the 1950s reminisced about their best salaries Wednesday after being voted into the Cooperstown, N.Y., shrine. "My highest salary was \$46,000 and a Cadillac when I played in Brooklyn," said Snider. "And I was happy to get it."

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Ensemble features pianist

Newest member of the Laureate Ensemble, which performs in the Municipal Auditorium here this evening in another of the series of Big Spring Community Concert Association programs, is pianist James Gemmell.

Gemmell received his undergraduate training at Oberlin College Conservatory of Music. In 1970, he entered the Juilliard School where he earned his Master of Music degree. He presently is completing his Doctorate of Musical Arts.

Among Gemmell's numerous awards, he was selected through competitive auditions at the Juilliard School to perform the Brahms Piano Concerto in D Minor with conductor Alfred Wallenstein. He was a recipient of a Helena Rubinstein Foundation Grant, and the Henry Morrison Flagler Award, a \$3,000 prize.

In June of 1978, Gemmell was the only American pianist to receive the Chamber Music Award in the Sixth Tchaikovsky International Cello Competition in Moscow, Russia.

Gemmell has performed with a host of internationally acclaimed artists including Maureen Forrester, Eleanor Steber, Paul Doktor, Ani Kavafian, Tossy Spivakovsky, Jamie Laredo, and Joseph Fuchs. He has taught at the Tanglewood



JAMES GEMMELL

Summer Music Festival, the Juilliard School, the State University of New York at Purchase, Hunter College, and St. John's University.

James has performed extensively throughout the United States, Canada, South America, Europe, and the

Orient. His appearances also include American and Canadian radio and television.

Tonight's performance gets under way at 8:15 and will be open only to those who purchased season tickets.

Production of oil same

Texas operations calm

HOUSTON (AP) — Oil refinery officials described Gulf Coast operations as calm and quiet, with production at normal levels, despite a walkout by the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers union that sparked a rock-throwing confrontation its first day.

Spokesmen for Houston area petrochemical plants said Wednesday afternoon the walkout had not affected production levels in the Texas coast refineries, which employ about 27,000 of the union's 60,000 workers.

"Everything was normal last night (Wednesday)," said Dean Baxter, spokesman for Atlantic Richfield and Arco Pipeline companies. "Things are pretty calm, pretty quiet and pretty normal everywhere."

Baxter said the Arco refinery, now being manned by supervisory personnel, was "at full capacity. We don't foresee any interruptions at all to refinery production or delivery service."

Baxter's sentiments were echoed by Bill Gibson, spokesman for a Shell Oil refinery east of Houston, who praised union employees for their cooperation in turning over plant operations.

Spokesman for other

plants said supervisory personnel were having few problems in taking over plant operations from union personnel.

But OCAW spokesman Jerry Archuleta predicted that problems would soon arise because of the walkout.

"They're (the supervisors) sleeping on cots and working seven-day weeks," he said. "That gets awfully tiring."

"When they're tired, that can mean they can start making mistakes," he said. "Larry Bingaman, Texaco public affairs coordinator for Jefferson County in South Texas, said the situation had eased Wednesday and "plant operations are essentially at normal levels."

Bingaman's comments came in the wake of a minor disturbance Tuesday night at the Texaco refinery in Port Arthur. A group of rock-throwing strikers attempted to stop 17 catering trucks as they entered the plant.

Bingaman said the incident was a "misunderstanding" and that the vans were carrying food for supervisory personnel. No injuries were reported, although there were several other incidents during the night.

Police remained at the plant throughout the evening, "as a precaution for

public safety," Bingaman said. No arrests were made.

The strike, which began at 4 p.m. Tuesday, came after talks between the OCAW union and Gulf Oil.

The main issue in the strike is health care benefits for union members. The industry has offered to donate only a portion of the health care costs each month. Union leaders and company officials huddled Wednesday, but were unable to reach an agreement.

Both sides agree the walkout will not deplete energy reserves or cause gasoline shortages.

"There are no talks scheduled at a high level," said Archuleta Wednesday. "The president (Robert Goss) ... was unable to make any kind of settlement and the strike is on."



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Cong. Charles Stenholm of Stamford, who represents Howard County in the U.S. Congress, recently voted "yea" on an amendment to ease the requirement that U.S. autos be equipped with air bags beginning with the 1982 model year. The amendment was approved by the entire House, 320-73.

The amendment enables car buyers to choose passive-restraint seatbelts instead of airbags as mandatory safety requirements.

Stenholm also voted "yea" on a parliamentary short cut that cleared the way for a final vote on legislation relaxing certain federal noise standards at airports. The motion carried, 195-192, but the closeness of the tally promoted supporters of the bill to delay the final bill until the Second Session of the 96th Congress.

The language in question would delay the application of noise limits to certain two and three-engine planes.

Stenholm voted "nay" on a bill that would have authorized the spending of \$39 million to complete the conversion of Washington's Union Station into a combination tourist center and train station.

The House rejected the proposal, 139 for and 247 against.

The Senate passed, 66 for and 23 against, a bill that commits Congress to completing Metro, the subway serving metropolitan Washington.

Critics say Metro is the most expensive public works project in the history of mankind, but Metro officials say that it ranks second, behind the pyramids.

Sen. Bentsen of Texas voted "yea" on the bill. Sen. Tower of Texas voted against it.

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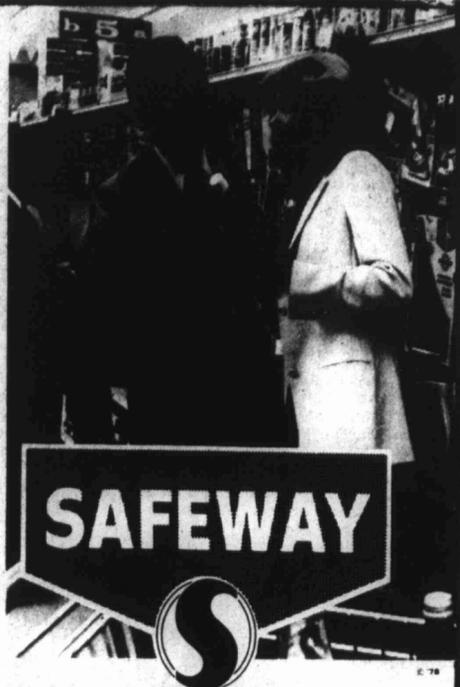
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ILA boycott gaining wide support

Carter administration unhappy

White House officials, saying the boycott of U.S. foreign policy, are talking to the International Longshoremen's Association about its boycott of Soviet grain.

The White House would expand on the trade limitations imposed by the Soviet ordered grain announced last week, but the limitation for Soviet intervention in the Middle East would affect cargo destined for the United States.

The White House has made it clear that we hope the boycott will be left to the chief executive of the International Longshoremen's Association and not be made outside of the union's jurisdiction, spokesman Hodding Carter said.

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He indicated the union would go along with the president if there were questions about the boycott, adding that he did not want to "embarrass or second-guess" Carter.

In announcing the action, Gleason called the Soviets "bully boys" for their intervention in Afghanistan and said dockworkers were "showing the farmers they're not the only ones making sacrifices."

The New York-based ILA represents 116,000 port workers on the East and Gulf coasts and at major inland ports on the Great Lakes and along the Mississippi River.

West Coast dockworkers, represented by the 12,000-member International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union, said they did not plan to support the boycott.

The ILA action could disrupt transport of the 3 million metric tons of grain that reportedly have not yet been delivered to the Soviets under terms of a five-year trade agreement.

Carter's embargo, which affects 17 million metric tons of grain, did not apply to the minimum annual U.S. commitment to the Soviets of 8 million tons. This grain, the president said, is intended for human consumption in the Soviet Union.



CORSICA SHOOTOUT — Riot policemen help wounded comrades shot when demonstrators attacked elite riot police near the Ajaccio hotel where Corsican separatists were holed up with hostages Wednesday night. One French policeman and two young demonstrators were killed during various incidents throughout the city.

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Mexico running out of time

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — Mexican crews have seven weeks to stop the runaway Ixtoc I well before it may be too late to avoid a repeat of last summer's oil spill along Texas beaches, say U.S. Coast Guard officials and scientists.

And if the oil starts washing ashore this summer, it could plague the entire Texas coast through mid-September, experts said Wednesday.

"If we get beyond March 1 and the well is not capped, there's a reasonable possibility of oil," Dr. John Robinson of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration told a news conference.

"By May or June (with the well uncapped) it's almost certain to return," he said.

Robinson and other members of an interagency team met to discuss strategy and compare notes on when to expect more oil from the cantankerous well in the Bay of Campeche.

Since the well blew out June 3, at least 100 million gallons of thick crude oil have poured into the Gulf of Mexico. Some 140 miles of Texas beaches between Brownsville and Corpus Christi caught were stained by oil in August and September.

U.S. Coast Guard Capt. Gerald Hinson, head of the anti-spill team, said he is planning for the worst.

"We're re-establishing a command post in Corpus

Christi, beefing up staff, preparing to enlist contractors for clean up work and will be staging Navy equipment used last summer against the spill at four locations," Hinson said.

Lack of information from Mexico on well site operations makes it difficult to pinpoint when to expect a return of tarballs, thick sludge and light oil to the coast, the team said.

Attempts at capping the well with a giant steel cone, plugging it with metal balls or killing it with relief wells have failed.

Hinson said he hoped Texas Gov. Bill Clements is right in saying the well should be shut off within two or three weeks. But the Coast Guard official said he had no way of knowing if that was true.

"We haven't been able to determine the rate of flow but whatever it is, the quantity surfacing is significant," he said.

Pemex, Mexico's national oil monopoly, claims to have reduced the spill to 2,000 barrels a day. But U.S. observers say the figure could be as high as 50,000 barrels daily.

There is no oil threatening Texas waters now. Offshore currents in the Gulf of Mexico have helped push any unwanted petroleum away from Texas this winter.



THE GOING IS SLOW — A commuter bus makes its way along a Portland street as graders clear the snow after a storm hit the Portland area Wednesday. About 87,000 homes are still without power and more snow is expected.

Pacific storms hit hard

Pacific storms have whipped up wind and rain in Hawaii and Southern California and stunned the Northwest with enough snow and freezing rain to sink more than 100 boats.

At least 12 persons were killed and two others missing in weather-related accidents over two days. Tens of thousands were without power as ice and snow downed lines.

Some 125 boats sank and numerous roofs collapsed under the weight of the snow in Oregon and Washington state, where many schools, businesses and highways were closed Wednesday.

Stranded motorists jammed hotels and motels throughout the Northwest. In Boardman, Ore., the Dodge City Inn was full but offered adults sleepingbag lodging for the night for \$1 a head.

Deputies in a four-wheel-drive vehicle said it took them 4 1/2 hours to travel from Portland to Multnomah Falls, about 25 miles away.

Up to a foot of snow also fell in western Montana, where two cross-country skiers stranded for two days in a cabin were rescued by helicopter late Wednesday.

In the Portland area, the storm knocked out electrical service to at least 85,000 homes. At Ventura in Southern California, at least 2,000 customers were without power due to the heavy rains.

In Southern California, more than 3 inches of rain were blamed for mudslides and creek flooding that closed several roads and highways and caused some drowning deaths.

Hurricane force winds and nearly 6 inches of rain lashed the Hawaiian Islands on Tuesday and Wednesday in what one resident described as the worst storm since World War II.

Trees were uprooted, electrical and telephone service was interrupted and damage from winds of up to 75 mph was expected to reach into the millions of dollars.

Portland Mayor Connie McCready declared a limited state of emergency as schools were closed and 9 inches of snow forced the closing of most of Portland International Airport, leaving only one runway open.

More than 4 feet of snow was reported at Hood River, Ore., 60 miles east of Portland, with accumulations of up to 2 feet at nearby towns.

Along the Oregon-Washington border, blizzard conditions with drifts up to 14 feet brought travel to a halt in the Columbia River Gorge. Three persons stranded in snowbound vehicles in the gorge were rescued by an Amtrak train crew. Another 15 were rescued by deputies.

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LEGAL NOTICE
The Commissioners' Court of Howard County, Texas will be accepting bids on petroleum products (oil, grease, gasoline and diesel fuel). Sealed bids will be opened January 24, 1980 at 10:00 AM by the County Auditor. These bids will be presented to the Commissioners' Court at 10:00 AM on January 28, 1980 and the bids will be awarded at that time. Specifications may be obtained from the office of County Auditor, Howard County Courthouse, Big Spring, Texas. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
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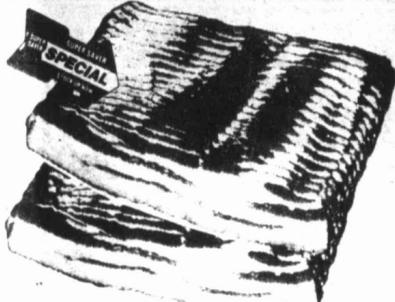
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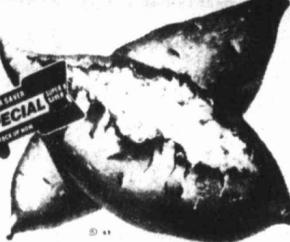
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On the light side

Tipsy toot okay on skates

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Don't drive if you drink, but skating is another matter, says a New Orleans judge.

Traffic Judge Louis Trent said Wednesday he will have to throw out charges of drunk driving filed against tipsy roller skaters in the French Quarter.

A legal opinion by the state attorney general's office said drunken roller skating may be hazardous to health but cannot be equated to drunk driving because roller skates are not a vehicle.

The state law bans operating a vehicle while intoxicated. It defines a vehicle as "any motor vehicle, aircraft, vessel or other means of conveyance."

"Other means of conveyance" is such a vague term that Trent decided to seek a formal opinion on what it means.

Assistant Attorney General Harry Howard said the term is not further defined in the law, but the law plainly applies to "operating" a vehicle and "a person does not drive a pair of roller skates."

"The legislature did not intend that a pair of roller skates would be embraced in the word 'vehicle,'" he wrote.

Road by any other name

UNION CITY, Tenn. (AP) — Anybody got a new name for U.S. Highway 51-North?

The Obion County Highway Department is offering to fix the pothole of your choice in this west Tennessee county in return for a new name for the road. The U.S. 51 designation is about to be transferred to a new four-lane highway stretching from Union City to Fulton, Ky.

The Tennessee Transportation Department wants the county to re-name the old highway so it can install new highway markers.

Each member of the highway department rejected efforts to name the road in his honor, and Superintendent Billy Blackley observed that the county had run out of prominent citizens for whom to name a road.

Christmas a little late

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) — Christmas may be over, but the holiday spirit lingers on in the Magnolia State.

Gov. Cliff Finch's staff worked Wednesday to complete a Christmas card mailing ordered by the governor after the New Year's holiday.

Sources in the governor's office said Finch had called secretaries in for an emergency meeting on Tuesday and directed them to get the cards mailed at once.

Finch did not explain why he had waited until almost two weeks after Christmas to mail the cards, which have a drawing of the Governor's Mansion on the outside and a picture of Finch and his family inside.

A spokesman for the governor said the cards did not arrive from the printer until a week before Christmas and that holiday activities had prevented the staff from completing the mailing.

"We just didn't have time to get them all done," the spokesman said. "Everybody kind of pitched in to complete the work."

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Why did Saco, Maine, go broke?

SACO, Maine (AP) — On the 16th day of 1979, voters in this little Maine city eagerly passed a property tax limit styled after California's Proposition 13.

On the last day of 1979, Saco defaulted on a \$2.1 million tax anticipation loan.

Residents were shocked. Officials scrambled to pay the bills.

Few argue that the tax limitation directly caused the default. But one year later, residents are sharply divided over the merits of the referendum and the direction their city should take.

The municipal default climaxed a troubled year for Saco: Scores of public employees were fired, city and school programs suffered deep cuts and the City Council weathered almost a complete turnover of members. Over it all rang unending, often bitter public debate.

Former City Councilor Robert Cassette, who led the tax revolt, blames past "mismanagement" for Saco's default.

"It was certainly not the tax limitation," Cassette said. "Thank God we had put a limit on what they (City Hall) can do to us."

School Committee Chairwoman Glen Roth felt differently: "By clamping that tax cap on, it brought all the underlying problems — mismanagement and lack of revenue — to the surface" more quickly.

And, she added, the prohibition on raising taxes will make it harder now for this town of 13,000 to solve its financial problems.

City Administrator Curtis Tripp, the third person to hold that job in little more than a year, had no blame to assign.

"It's done, and my objective now is to cure the problem," said Tripp, who on Tuesday signed an emergency \$200,000 loan agreement to tide Saco over for two weeks and allow the city to pay its employees.

As for whether the tax ceiling should be lifted, Tripp said, "It depends on the level of services the city wants."

The tax limitation, which stemmed from a controversial re-evaluation in 1978 in which some property doubled or tripled in assessed valuation, limited local property tax revenue last year to \$3 million. In 1978, it had been \$3.6 million.

The ceiling, which can be lifted only through another referendum, allowed for an inflation increase of just 2 percent in 1980 and each succeeding year.

Shortly after the referendum was passed, city and school officials began cutting their combined budgets.

Police Chief Alberick Martin lost four members of his 28-person department. Serious crime in the city jumped almost 25 percent last year and vandalism, classified as a minor crime, shot up 44 percent, he said.

"Just to maintain patrol, we need an additional three

people," Martin said. Police morale also has been affected, he said — two veterans have resigned and "half a dozen or more" are looking for jobs.

Martin blamed the crime increase partly on the staff cuts in the police department, which forced elimination of a crime prevention program, as well as cuts in school programs and in the parks and recreation department. The director of the parks department also resigned.

The most controversial cuts came in the schools — "heartwrenching cuts that crippled our school system," said Mrs. Roth, a mother of three.

"There are parents who will look us in the eye and say, 'I voted for the tax cap, and look you in the other eye and say, 'You're hurting my child.'"

The four public schools, with 1,650 pupils in kindergarten through eighth grade, lost 17 teachers. The private Thornton Academy, which serves as Saco's high

school and gets city funds, dismissed 11 of its 59 instructors.

The schools dropped physical education and interscholastic sports for sixth-to-eighth graders, and cut art lessons for all children from kindergarten to fifth grade. At Thornton Academy, some course offerings were eliminated or reduced, and the size of many classes grew from 20-22 students to more than 30.

But Thornton Headmaster James Jortberg said the worst crunch for the schools will come in the 1981-82 school year. The state's subsidy structure is based on a two-year time lag. With Saco spending well under the state average per pupil during the current school year, the system will lose a proportionate share in state money, he said.

"Right now, we are operating the school at approximately \$244 less per child" than the state average, Jortberg said. Ronald Boutet, a Saco real

estate developer, said the residential home market is "at a standstill," largely because of the tax cap. Home buyers are "mostly family people, and they're very interested in the education" offered by the community. The housing market has slowed nationwide, "but the slowdown in Saco is greater percentage-wise than anywhere else," Boutet said. Another real estate agent,

Ken Lane, said he had heard of a few instances in which couples with children have decided not to buy houses in Saco because of the tax ceiling. But "that has not generally been the case," he added.



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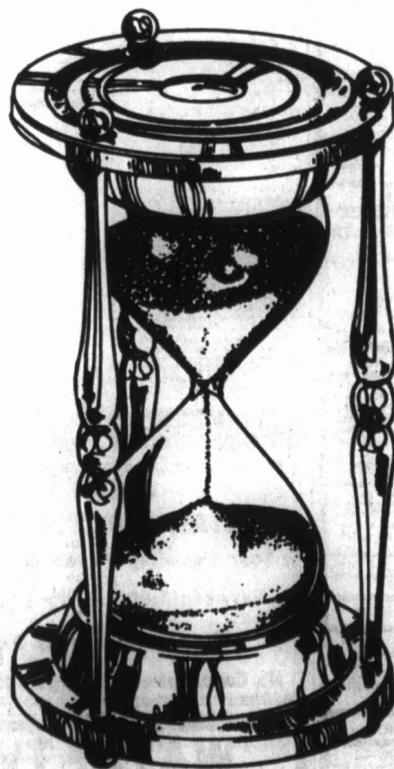
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