

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

East Basin Probes Set

Exploratory projects have been scheduled in Runnels and McCulloch counties.

Clifton Thomas of San Angelo has filed application to drill a 4,500-foot explorer in Runnels, nine miles southeast of Ballinger. It is No. 1 Hoffman.

Drill site is 467 feet from north and 3,410 feet from east lines of Brooks & Burleson survey 101, abstract 611, 4 1/2 miles southeast of the H&R Hoverack (upper Capps) gas field, and of a Cross Cut oil extension area of the Ballinger pool.

McCulloch Text

Belmont Oil Co. of Houston has staked site for No. 1 Bratton, a 2,600-foot venture in McCulloch, nine miles north of Brady.

Location is 467 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 1, GH&SA survey, abstract 452, 1 1/2 miles southeast of the recent Strawn gas opener in the Hall field.

Garza Prospector Yields Gas Shows

Highland Resources, Inc. of Houston, No. 1 Sam F. Ellis, Garza County wildcat, six miles southeast of Southland, was bottomed at 3,766 feet, and operator was running logs, after taking a drillstem test, probably in the Ellenburger.

Tool was open 1 1/2 hour on the test taken from 8,755-8,788 feet. Recovery was 135 feet of heavily oil and gas-cut mud and 900 feet of gas, with a trace of filtrate water.

It spots 2,173 feet from north and west lines of Jasper Hays survey 1304, one mile southeast of the depleted one-well Seale (Ellenburger) field.

South Ward Gas Field Extended

American Quasar Petroleum Co. has completed No. 1-28, ARCO-State as a third Fusselman producer and two-mile northwest extension to that pay in Wortham, North field of Ward County.

Calculated, absolute open flow was for 11 million cubic feet of dry gas per day, producing through perforations at 17,401-17,485 feet, which had been acidized with 15,000 gallons. Drilled to 17,860 feet, it has been plugged back to 17,747 feet. Operator hung a 5-inch liner from 15,980-17,860 feet.

Location is 990 feet from northwest and 9,256 feet from northeast lines of section 26, block 33, H&TC survey, 11 miles southeast of Barstow.

One of the producers in the field is in Reeves County.

Dawson Wildcat Returns Oil, Mud

Mitchell Energy Corp. of Houston, No. 1 Edith Wise, Dawson County prospector, 10 miles north of Lamesa, recovered 490 feet of oil-cut mud and 10 feet of 38.2-gravity oil on a two-hour and 12-minute drillstem test in an unidentified zone.

The test taken from 11,340-11,351 feet recovered the 1,500-foot water blanket.

It also recovered 1,800 feet of oil and mud-cut oil, 870 feet (Continued On Page 15B)

Weather

FORECAST: Considerable cloudiness this afternoon through Thursday. Colder this afternoon and tonight. High this afternoon, low in middle 40s. Low tonight, upper 30s. High Thursday, near 60. Northerly winds 10-20 m.p.h. this afternoon, becoming easterly 5-15 m.p.h. tonight.

National Weather Service Readings:
 Tuesday's high 61 degrees
 Overnight low 28 degrees
 Wednesday high 58 degrees
 Thursday high 54 degrees
 Thursday low 41 degrees

Record high temperature recorded for a Jan. 21 was 61 degrees in 1974. The record low for a Jan. 21 was 5, set in 1956.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:
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SOUTHWEST TEMPERATURES:
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 Amarillo 43 21 Lubbock 48 21
 Dumas 41 21 Fort Worth 52 21
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Bob Boydston kills rats. (Adv.)

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School Restructuring Urged

Billion-Dollar Program Called For By Briscoe

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Dolph Briscoe called today for a billion-dollar restructuring of public schools as one of his long list of recommendations to the Texas Legislature.

"This is not only an obligation but an unparalleled opportunity to bequeath to future generations of Texans the legacy of equal access to quality educational facilities," Briscoe said in his first formal address to the 181 senators and representatives.

Briscoe gave details of the broad 10-point program he advocated in his Tuesday inaugural address. A number of the recommendations had drawn the governor's support previously, but there were several surprises.

—Briscoe was not mentioned in his Tuesday address, as Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby recommended Tuesday.

—There was no mention of any continued effort for constitutional revision. Hobby recommended a citizens convention on Tuesday.

—Briscoe called for strict anti-eavesdropping and privacy laws to protect individual rights.

—He served notice of an effort to reduce the number of state employees by 5 per cent, through attrition.

Norther Spreads In State

Snow sited down on far West Texas and the Upper Texas Panhandle today, while light rain or thundershowers popped up in some coastal areas and part of Central Texas.

It was generally cloudy nearly everywhere else as the latest norther enveloped western sections of the state in frigid air and sent the chill spreading into the central and east portions.

While much of Texas was cold and damp, Tall City weather was just cold with northerly winds whipping sand into the air with gusts reaching 29 m.p.h. Tuesday night.

The National Weather Service at Midland Regional Air Terminal reported Tuesday's high to be 61, with the low this morning pegged at 34. The chilly weather is expected to persist, the anticipated high this afternoon in the low to middle 40s and the low tonight in the upper 20s. Thursday's maximum should be near 40, the weatherman said.

Light snow stopped before dawn in the Panhandle from Amarillo north and in adjacent areas of eastern New Mexico.

A travel advisory was posted, however, from the mountains westward in far West Texas. Snow was falling around El Paso and neighboring areas, and forecasters said accumulations up to 3 inches could make roads treacherous. The Associated Press reported.

Showers and thundershowers moved across the countryside from around Galveston, Houston and Beaumont toward the northeast past College Station and Lufkin. There was a little light rain farther north between Cleburne and Stephenville.

Temperatures, near dawn ranged from 19 degrees at Dalhart in the Panhandle up to 60 at Galveston and 61 at Brownsville on the coast.

Veto Promises Renewed

Briscoe repeated previous promises to veto any appropriations bill that contained any new or increased taxes for the next two years.

He called again for elimination of the 4 per cent state sales tax on natural gas and electric utility bills.

Briscoe told the legislators he realized some of his proposals would not be met with wild enthusiasm. "But I do believe we are far more united than divided on the major issues of our time and I believe we will put aside our differences to face up to those issues as responsible concerned public servants. The people of Texas expect no less of us."

Economy Stressed

Briscoe stressed economy and efficiency in government above all.

"To put it in plain terms, we must waste absolutely nothing," he said.

He noted that he had already put a "freeze" on employment within the governor's office and had reduced the number of employees about 7 per cent. He (See BRISCOE Page 8A)

42 Die, 79 Hurt In Manila Blaze

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — A raging fire swept a five-story building in a Manila suburb today, killing 42 persons and seriously injuring 79, authorities said. It was the worst fire in Philippine history.

Most of the victims were trapped when the blaze blocked emergency exits and they died in the flames or in jumping from the burning building, Fire Chief Benjamin De la Paz said.

The fire occurred in the shoemaker's suburb of Marikina, 15 miles from Manila.

De la Paz said the fire, of undetermined origin, started on the ground floor and spread rapidly to the upper floors. He said a large number of laborers were working in a wig factory on the fourth floor.

The fire chief said the fire raged for nearly three hours and completely burned the building, which also housed a branch of the Philippine National Bank. There was no immediate estimate of property damage.

One Million More Americans Seek Jobless Benefits

WASHINGTON (AP) — Nearly one million more Americans filed new claims for unemployment insurance during the first full week of 1975, the Labor Department said today, signalling a big jump in the nation's unemployment rate for January.

The department said 970,200 new claims were filed in the week ended Jan. 11. That is an increase of 269,000 over the previous week and the highest in any week since unemployment compensation was first paid in 1937 during the great depression.

The new claims were in addition to the 4,620,200 jobless persons who already were collecting unemployment checks for the week ended Jan. 4. That also was a record since the program went into effect 36 years ago.

That week the unemployment rate for the 65 million Americans covered by unemployment insurance rose from 6 per cent to 7.1 per cent, the highest rate since January 1961.

Not all workers are covered by unemployment insurance, but new legislation which became effective earlier this month extended temporary coverage to another 12 million Americans.



KALLINGER RETURNS TO PRISON—13-year-old Michael Kallinger of Philadelphia, is handcuffed and led away from the Dauphin County Court House by two deputy county sheriffs returning him to prison in Harrisburg, Pa., following a detention hearing. Michael is the son of Joseph Kallinger, also being detained in Dauphin County Prison in Harrisburg under \$100,000 bail in connection with armed robbery, burglary and kidnaping in Harrisburg. (AP Wirephoto.)

Late Bulletins

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Henry Reuss, D-Wis., upset incumbent Wright Patman to win the chairmanship of the House Banking Committee today by a 152-117 vote.

BERN, Switzerland (AP) — Swiss authorities, in the most radical move yet to halt the influx of foreign funds, today boosted to a near prohibitive level the tax on all money newly deposited from abroad.

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Dollar Takes Beating

LONDON (AP) — The American dollar plunged to a new low in Switzerland today and was off sharply in other financial centers. Gold dropped also in major European markets.

The dollar dropped 1 1/2 centimes in Zurich to the historic low of 2.4665 Swiss francs, despite support-buying by the Swiss state bank in an effort to slow the decline. The Swiss Bank has now supported the dollar for 10 out of the 14 trading days this year to a total said to be \$200 million.

The previous low for the dollar was 2.5025 francs on Dec. 30.

The West German Central Bank has been buying dollars recently to prop up the rate, but there was no indication whether either the Banque de France or the Bank of England have been in the market.

Most exchange dealers attributed the weakness of the American currency to declining interest rates in the United States, but they said there were other contributing factors.

One was reported to be continuing repercussions of the collapse last year of the financial empire of Italy's Michele Sindona. These were said to be affecting the Swiss exchanges particularly.

Bullion dealers said they could see no clearcut reason for a \$3 drop in the price of gold in Zurich and the decline of \$1.50 in London. They pointed out that both bullion markets, the two biggest in the world, have been unsettled since the metal reached an all-time high of \$198 an ounce on Dec. 30.

The price then fell back \$24.50 an ounce in the trading sessions of Dec. 31 and Jan. 2 as speculators took profits on the steady rise through most of December.

The limited interest shown by Americans in buying gold following the end on Dec. 31 of a 41-year ban on owning the metal has had the effect of curbing demand in European markets.

Gold opened in London on Wednesday at \$174.25 an ounce, down \$1.75, and was fixed by London dealers at \$174.50. In Zurich the opening price was \$174.50, down \$3.75, but by noon it had declined another 25 cents.

Silent Liddy Enters Prison

DANBURY, Conn. (AP) — A stern-faced and silent G. Gordon Liddy today entered federal prison to begin serving the remainder of his Watergate burglary sentence.

Disregarding all questions, the mustachioed Liddy pushed through a crowd of reporters and walked 100 yards to a locked door where he stood rigidly until prison officials took him into custody.

Liddy has remained tight-lipped (See LIDDY Page 8A)

Police To Let Gunman Threatening To Kill Children Leave Farmhouse

LONDON, Ont. (AP) — Police said today a gunman who threatened to shoot four children held hostage in a farmhouse would be allowed to leave with two hostages and a cash ransom.

They did not say who the hostages would be.

A \$10,000 ransom was delivered to a command post about a mile from the farmhouse, a police spokesman said, but negotiations were continuing on other demands by the gunman, an escaped convict identified as Donald Wayne Cline, 21.

The gunman told a reporter who telephoned the house: "Like I'm driving out of here with the kids and the money. And I'm going to go where I'm going to go, they're going to follow me anyhow."

"And when I get to where I want to go, I'm going to drop off the kids and I'm going to go by myself, and if they want to have a free-for-all then, that's good, because it's just me and them. But if they make me shoot one of the kids..."

George Field, father of the children who arrived home from work late in the evening, said he had known Cline "since he was knee-high to a grasshopper."

Police said Cline escaped from Millhaven Penitentiary last October. He was serving 4 1/2 years for armed robbery, possession of stolen goods and car theft. He was believed to have been one of a foursome that robbed a food store earlier at nearby Thamesford.

The hostages were Robert (See GUNMAN Page 8A)

Nation's Railroads, Three Unions Agree

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's railroads have reached tentative agreements on new contracts with three unions, paving the way for a possible breakthrough on an industrywide settlement, sources said today.

Negotiations are continuing with the sheet metal workers union in an effort to avert a strike scheduled to begin Friday against the Union Pacific railroad and four other major carriers.

Union sources said the initial contract settlement with the three unions, among them the largest of 17 unions involved in the bargaining, could set the pattern for other settlements and exert pressure on the sheet metal workers to come to terms.

The tentative agreements were signed Tuesday night between representatives of the National Railway Labor Conference, the industry's bargaining arm, and the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees, and the 20,000-member Brotherhood of Railroad Signalmen.

The three-year agreements provide total increases in wages and benefits of 40.5 per cent, plus the industry's first cost-of-living raises in about 20 years, the sources said.

Under the contracts, railroad workers who currently average \$5.44 an hour, would receive a total wage increase of 23.5 per cent, with a 10 per cent boost immediately and an additional 5 per cent in October, and the remainder spread over the following two years.

—Said that "unfortunately" he must refrain from recommending a national health program because of his decision to start no new costly programs. Democrats have promised to press ahead on health insurance.

—Predicted detente with the Soviet Union, including improvement of trade relations, will continue despite his disappointment over Soviet rejection of the 1972 trade agreement.

—Defended again his recommendations that increases in

Congress Trying To Block Oil Tax

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WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress is responding to President Ford's renewed drive for his economic program with quick action on tax relief while entangling his energy program in dispute.

In a no-retreat statement opening his news conference Tuesday, Ford said he will put into effect without congressional help his tariff on imported oil and would veto any mandatory gasoline rationing legislation.

House leaders went ahead with plans to open hearings today on tax abatement — both Ford's version and Democratic counterproposals.

But they moved to block the imposition of the \$3-a-barrel tax on imported crude oil long enough for other options to be brought up.

House Majority Leader Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., D-Mass., said hearings will begin Monday or Tuesday on his resolution to hold up the tariff at least 90 days.

Ford said he would put it in effect by proclamation this week, clearing the way for the tax beginning at \$1 on Feb. 1 and reaching \$3 April 1.

In the nationally broadcast news conference, Ford also said "the United States does feel that the danger of war in the Middle East is very serious" and that diplomatic efforts to avoid an outbreak are being intensified with both Israel and the Arab states.

"We are supplying some arms to various states in that region," he said, adding it is important to maintain "a certain degree of military capability on all sides" while negotiations go on.

Ford again backed Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger in refusing to rule out military takeover of oil fields in the hypothetical situation that the West might be strangled by a petroleum cutoff. But he said this would be an extreme situation, not something like last year's short-lived embargo.

On other matters, Ford: —Said he cannot foresee any circumstances in which the Uni-

'American Fairy Tale' Blamed For Increase In Teen-Age Suicides

MILWAUKEE, Wis. (AP) — "For some, the American Fairy Tale ends in suicide or psychiatric hospitals, but for countless others, it never ends at all," Trefert said during an interview Tuesday.

He said millions of Americans are plagued throughout their lives by a gnawing emptiness or meaninglessness expressed not as a fear of what may happen to them, but rather as a fear that nothing will happen to them.

Learn To Cope

He said Americans must stop evaluating themselves according to what they own or what they have done and learn to accept and cope with various mental and emotional problems.

"A whole generation has come to feel that it is un-American to experience any of these emotions," he said.

He says parents should avoid trying to make their children live up to the standards of the "fairy tale," and treat them as individuals, as people rather than possessions.

Trefert, who says he has been involved in suicide cases with children as young as 11, said parents should not try to push their children into doing certain accepted things.

He says the "fairy tale" has five themes: that more possessions mean more happiness; that a person who does or produces more is more important; that everyone must belong and identify with some larger group; that perfect mental health means no problems and that a person is abnormal unless constantly happy.



LOOK AT THAT! — Watching television with Danny Gray, 15, of Ashaway, R.I., is a spindly-legged nine-day old llama named Surprise. The llama is being nursed in the Gray household because her mother rejected her at birth. She was born at Breewood Stables in Ashaway, which is owned by Danny's father, Alton B. Gray Jr. (AP Wirephoto.)

Bell Official Says Ashley Is Lashing Out Indiscriminately

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Ashley gave a deposition in the case last weekend, but it has not been made public as yet.

However, the News quoted Ashley as saying in the deposition:

—Bell Officials and particularly C. L. Todd, a Bell general manager, were in "extreme fear of exposure of our rate negotiations methods were a well-known expert brought in."

—Bell planned to "move in and overwhelm a poor, unprepared city council" to get members to accept a \$5.7 million revenue jump.

—Bell executives contacted city councilmen including councilman Lila Cockrell on whom Ashley said much money was spent. Mrs. Cockrell denied that much money was spent on her.

—Also contacted was former councilman Leo Mendoza, who allegedly got \$250 in stamps from Bell.

—Bell higher-ups became upset when Mayor Charles Becker wanted to hire a rate expert to study the Bell proposal. How the rate expert was used in eight county North state region hired Bell experts determined Pilot Pat Evans can take off if the proposed study was too and land on extremely short underfinanced to uncover any runways. The aircraft can be flown as slowly as 60 miles an hour.

The \$49,000 plane will be used to intensify enforcement of hunting and fishing regulations, detect environmental damage and monitor fish and wildlife.

Russians Complaining About Mild Winter

MOSCOW (AP) — Little boys are grumbling because the hills are bare and there's no new snow for sledding.

Their parents are convinced the warm weather is responsible for the flu that's spread through Moscow like wildfire.

"It's absolutely the worst winter I can remember," muttered one middle-aged Muscovite.

According to Intourist, the Soviet tourist agency, winters in the Soviet Union are "fairy-like, with bright sunshine, sparkling snowflakes and dry frost."

Not this year.

"The weather in the middle of winter looks more like April," complained Tass, the official Soviet news agency.

"Moscow citizens these days are faced with an unusual dilemma: whether they should change from their fur coats into rainproof overcoats. Instead of January frosts and snowstorms, there is wet snow, intermittent with rain."

For several days in early January, the temperature in Moscow dropped to a few degrees below zero Fahrenheit. But the rest of the month it has hovered around the freezing point. The low teens is usual for January.

Tass said Leningrad, 450 miles north of Moscow, is having its warmest winter in 100 years. In southern Siberia, usually a land of forbidding cold, spring showers fall and flowers blossom.

This is the third mild winter in succession with comparatively little snow. But little children are still bundled up as tightly as ever, with so much clothing and headgear that they look like fat little balls.

Mikhail A. Petrosyants, director of the Soviet Hydrometeorological Center, said the warmth was caused by a massive invasion of warm air from the Atlantic Ocean and Mediterranean.

But the weathermen advise that all hope should not be lost. They say February should bring "Arctic cold" and that temperatures in Moscow will plunge to 15 degrees below zero.

Louisiana Town's Bank Holdup First One In 14 Years

LAKE CHARLES, La. (AP) — A "silent alarm" connection between the bank and sheriff's office had malfunctioned so often no one got excited when it indicated that the bank was being robbed.

Teller O'Quinn said the man first shoved her a note, neatly typed in red ink, which advised:

"This is a robbery. Stay calm and no one gets hurt. Put all \$10 and \$20 bundles in the bag first, then all large bills. Don't push any buttons with hand or feet and don't give me the bait money. You are being watched by my partner from the side. Work fast but keep your cool."

Officers said a second note, handed to the teller just before the man departed, read: "Count to 100 slowly then report to your supervisor."

The teller set off the silent alarm, which rings at the sheriff's office, and the telephone started ringing just as the officer was about to call the bank to see if the alarm was real.

Officers at first thought a stolen linen truck, which was found abandoned, had been used as the getaway vehicle, but there was no evidence the truck had been driven.

Temporary roadblocks were put up on highways around Lake Charles in the search for the bandit.

Sheinwold On Bridge Look Hard For Discard

By ALFRED SHEINWOLD

It's usually good procedure to count your losers when you're declarer at a trump contract. When you're going to do quite a bit of ruffing, however, you get a clearer idea if you count winners.

South dealer North South vulnerable

NORTH
 ♠ J 3 2
 ♥ Q 10 9 4
 ♦ J 5
 ♣ J 10 8 7

WEST
 ♠ Q 9 6 5
 ♥ 8 7 6 2
 ♦ K 6 4 2
 ♣ 2

EAST
 ♠ A 10 8 7 4
 ♥ None
 ♦ 10 9 8 7 3
 ♣ 7 5

SOUTH
 ♠ A K J 5 3
 ♥ A Q
 ♦ A K Q 6 4

South West North East
 2 ♠ Pass 2 N 1 Pass
 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠ Pass
 6 ♠ All Pass

Opening lead — ♠ 5

West leads a spade to the ace and back comes a diamond. You step right up with the ace of diamonds and lead out the ace of trumps.

Unfortunately, the trumps fail to break. It will do you no good to draw all four trumps and then discard the diamond from dummy. How do you discard the queen of diamonds from your hand?

Lead a low club to dummy's jack and ruff a spade high. Lead a trump to the nine and ruff another spade high. Lead

ten and then draw West's last trump with dummy's queen. On this trick you discard your queen of diamonds!

Dummy Reversal

This line of play is hard to plan if you count losers. You can expect to win five clubs and one diamond. You need six trump tricks.

The simple way is to make your own five trumps and get one ruff in dummy. When the bad trump break rules out the simple plan, you think of making dummy's four trumps and getting two ruffs in your own hand. This leads you to the dummy reversal with a minimum of deep thought.

Daily Question

Partner opens with one heart, and the next player passes. You hold: S- J 3 2 H- Q 10 9 4 D- J 5 C- J 10 9 8. What do you say?

ANSWER: Bid two hearts.

The only question is whether to show weakness by responding one notrump. You can make it harder for the opponents to come in and easier for your partner to know what to do if you raise when you have four-card trump support.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING You are encouraged to attend Midland Community Development Program Hearing Number Two

All citizens are encouraged to attend the public hearing to be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, beginning at 7:30 p.m. January 27, 1975. The citizens' input will provide a basis for the Mayor and City Council in determining the best use for the funds available in accordance with the guidelines set out hereinafter.

ELIGIBLE USES: Only as follows:

- Acquisition of real property which is:
 - Riiglood, undeveloped, etc.
 - Appropriate for rehab or conservation
 - Appropriate for rehab or conservation of historic sites, recreation, etc.
 - Used for public works, etc., otherwise eligible under Act
 - Used for other public purposes.
- Acquisition or construction of neighborhood facilities, senior centers, historic properties, utilities, streets, street lights, water and sewer facilities, pedestrian malls, parks, playgrounds, recreation facilities, food & drainage where Federal dollars unavailable, parking facilities, solid waste disposal, fire protection services in Community Development area.
- Code enforcement in Community Development area together with public improvements in area.
- Clearance or rehabilitation of buildings or improvements.
- Removal of architectural barriers for elderly & handicapped.
- Rental income losses to owners under relocation phase.
- Disposition of real property acquired under this title.
- Provision of public services in Community Development area where other Federal dollars not available & the services are concerned with employment, economic development, crime prevention, child care, health, drug abuse, education, welfare, or recreation needs of residents & coordinated public & private development program.
- Matching funds where other Federal dollars used in Community Development program.
- Old housing project.
- Relocation.
- Planning.
- Administration costs.

NON-ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES: These are projects not mentioned in Act and therefore ineligible:

- Public facilities such as:
 - General government (city hall, police station, etc.).
 - Stadiums, sports arenas, auditoriums, concert halls, cultural and art centers, museums, libraries, and other facilities primarily used by the public as spectators and observers, except where a neighborhood facilities project.
 - Schools, except practical or vocational.
 - Transportation facilities.
 - Medical facilities, except senior center or neighborhood facility.
- Operating and maintenance expense unless under 1% of eligible uses.
- General government expenses except for some costs incurred in carrying out programs.
- Political activities.
- New housing construction.

NOTE: Contact City of Midland Planning Department, 685-4381, Ext. 307 and 236, P. O. Box 113, for answers to any questions. Printed terms are available at the Planning Department for comments or suggestions pertaining to the possible use of funds available, being approximately \$17 million over the next 3 years.

CITY OF MIDLAND
 (January 22, 1975)

Lions Map Plans For District Meet

Plans for assisting in the staging of the annual convention of District 2-A1, Lions International, to be held here May 2-3, were mapped by members of the Midland Leo Club at a recent meeting held in the Southside Lions Building.

Also discussed were plans for attending the 58th annual convention of Lions International, scheduled June 25-28 at Dallas.

Rules were cited attending the Leo Club Forum to be held at Dallas June 24, in connection with the Lions International convention.

Special guests at the meeting, which was presided over by Tammy Merriman, secretary-treasurer, included Paul Bozeman, Midland Evening Lions Club; Audie Porter, Southside club; and George Weis, Downtown club. Bozeman is a deputy district governor of Lions.

Airlines Studying Merger Possibility

NEW YORK (AP) — Pan American World Airways and American Airlines say they are studying the possibility of a merger.

Pan Am lost \$60 million during the first 11 months of 1974 and a spokesman says the firm is anticipating a total \$76 million loss for the entire year.

For the first 11 months of 1974, American recorded a net profit of \$20.14 million, despite an \$8.9 million loss in November.

In a joint statement issued Tuesday, American chairman Albert Casey and Pan Am Chairman William Seawell said, "We are conducting a study to identify and evaluate potential cost reductions, service improvements and operational efficiencies that could be achieved through an integration of our operations."

The two airlines have already proposed a route exchange to the Civil Aeronautics Board. Pan Am would pick up some of American's Pacific routes and in return give up its Bermuda flights and those from New York to Santo Domingo.

Proposal Killed

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — The proposed Equal Rights Amendment has been killed by the Oklahoma House of Representatives for the third time in the last four years.

Tower Introduces Bills

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. John Tower, R-Texas, introduced a series of bills Tuesday to remove barriers which block some persons from receiving social security benefits.

Another bill would permit a working wife to draw benefits based on combined income of husband and wife, rather than having to choose between her work record or her husband's.

A third measure would pay full old age benefits to insured citizens who are forced to re-

tire at age 60 by federal laws, regulations or orders, while a fourth would pay disability benefits to any citizen who has amassed 10 years of coverage.

The construction bill, introduced with Sen. Paul Fannin, R-Ariz., would repeal the Davis-Bacon Act, a depression era statute designed to support the salaries of then underpaid construction workers.

The act requires contractors on federal construction projects to pay their construction workers the prevailing wage for construction projects in their area, as determined by the Labor Department.

The General Accounting Office, Congress' fiscal watchdog agency, has disclosed that these rates are significantly higher than the prevailing wages and thus increase the federal government's construction costs by 5 per cent to 15 per cent, Tower said.

Indictment Decision Due

AUSTIN (AP) — The Travis County Grand Jury will announce Thursday whether or not it has indicted Robert Kleasen, 43, in the slayings of two Mormon missionaries.

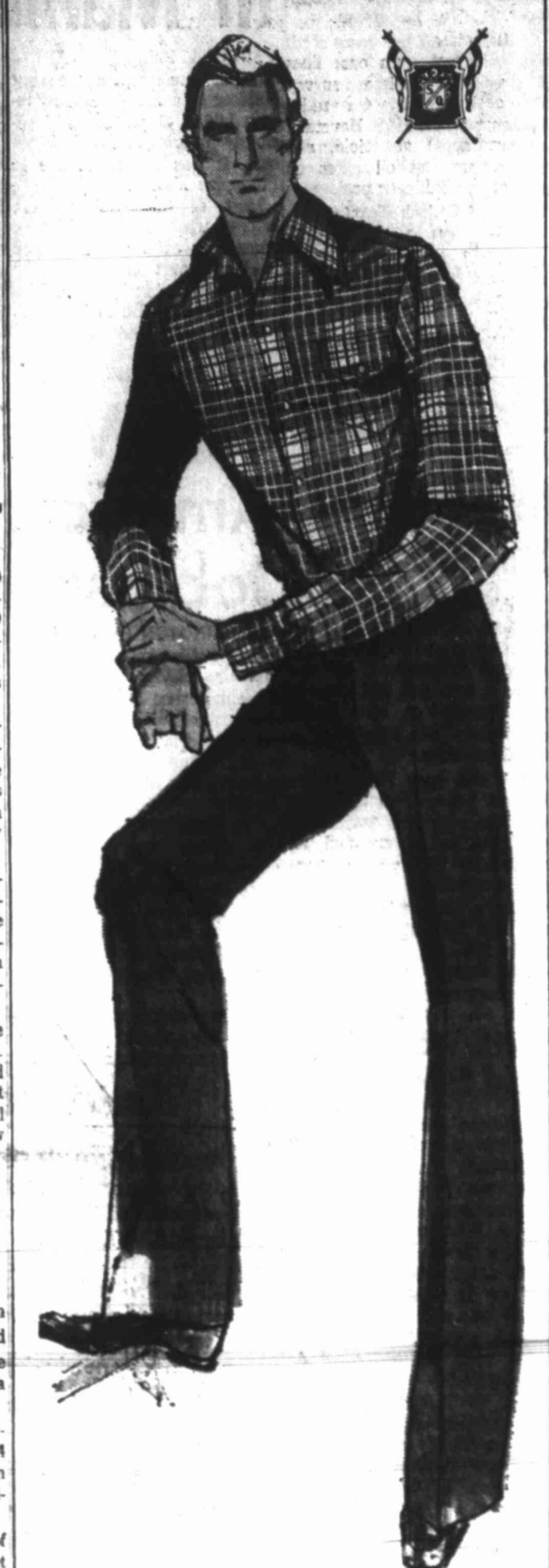
Police Lt. Colon Jordan and Texas Ranger Wallace Spillar told the grand jury Tuesday about their case against Kleasen.

Police have charged Kleasen with capital murder in the death of Gary Darley, 20, of Sinti Valley, Calif., and Mark Fischer, 19, of Milwaukee, Wis. The youths were to have eaten dinner with Kleasen last Oct. 28. They were last seen a few hours before that scheduled meeting.

Kleasen is in a federal hospital at Springfield, Mo., undergoing psychiatric examination. Doctors there have informed Asst. U.S. Atty. Jerry Handy of San Antonio that Kleasen is mentally incompetent to stand trial on a federal firearms regulation violation and may have been incompetent at the time of the alleged offense.

Federal officials say Kleasen swore falsely that he was not under a felony indictment at the time he bought a .22-caliber rifle. He has been indicted with felonious assault in New York.

A hearing is set for 9:30 a.m. Jan. 29 in U.S. Dist. Judge Jack Roberts' court here to determine Kleasen's competency.



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Uncle Sam's Battle With Ma Bell Sure To Be Landmark In Antitrust Law

By JOSH FITZHUGH
NEW YORK (AP) — Still years away from trial, Uncle Sam's battle with Ma Bell seems sure to become a landmark in antitrust law.

Not only is it likely to become the biggest, longest and costliest antitrust action ever filed, the suit brought against American Telephone & Telegraph late last November also brings into focus several new legal and economic theories.

Together with the federal complaints against the major oil companies and International Business Machines, the battle with AT&T may change the U.S. business climate for years to come.

"For the first time since 1911 we are seeing a major structural challenge to American industry," says Columbia Law School Prof. Harvey Goldschmid, recalling the government's classic fight with Standard Oil of New Jersey. "It's a watershed period in antitrust."

The AT&T suit reveals first, he says, "the increasing concern with power and concentration in industry. AT&T is obviously the grand-daddy of all targets."

"Second, the suit adopts the argument, expressed by both the left and the right, that certain aspects of regulated industries should be deregulated. This argument is that the government itself has created too much in the way of monopoly like power and price fixing."

"There is a very strong policy that power from the regulated part of a company should not be transferred to another part which isn't regulated," says Ralph Spritzer, antitrust specialist at the University of Pennsylvania.

Spritzer illustrates with cases in which a salt company tried to make users of its patented salt machine use its salt, and another in which owners of regulated pipelines sought to transport only their own natural gas.

By asking the court for divestiture of Western Electric, Bell's manufacturing unit, and its Long Lines Division, the Justice Department is adopting this argument and saying that AT&T's "natural monopoly" over local telephone service has been unlawfully extended.

Service Regulated
"Part of the government's challenge here is that AT&T is monopolizing tele-communications service," says Prof. Glen Weston of Washington's National Law Center.

But that service is regulated and if there's monopoly there, it's been brought about by government action.

The law is clearer where the alleged monopoly power is exercised on the fringes of regulation.

"Under these circumstances, in Judge Learned Hand's famous phrase, monopoly has been 'thrust upon' the supplier."

Prices in antitrust actions can present ticklish economic problems, attorneys say. Though there's a presumption that prices will drop with court-ordered competition, they don't

As Yale law Prof. Eugene Rostow, an AT&T consultant, said last summer before a congressional committee: "Where economies of scale permit a single firm to supply all the capacity which would be needed by a given market over time, at costs lower than those possible under any alternative pattern of organization, it has long been recognized ... that monopoly is inevitable and appropriate."

AT&T, IBM and oil industry suits may actually limit the government's ability to go after other alleged antitrust violators.

"In general the government's got to learn to move to trial and through the courts more quickly in antitrust actions," says Goldschmid, who feels lengthy pretrial hearings are the biggest delaying factor.

"When a case takes 10 years, the industry has basically changed, and you may need a second trial all over again to fashion relief."

Consent Orders
The usual way to cut delays is through settlement or consent orders, but many lawyers doubt this will happen in the AT&T suit. For one they note that the government and AT&T settled in 1956 a similar suit brought seven years before, only to find themselves back in court today.

"I can't conceive of AT&T agreeing to divestiture of Western Electric," says one attorney with a big New York antitrust firm.

In addition observers say new legislation likely to pass Congress soon would require public examination and comment on consent decrees before they become effective. Since any compromise is bound to be criticized, the bill will make such agreements tougher to negotiate.

AT&T may wait for a propitious moment to settle, but it's unlikely the government will ever drop its suit outright, regardless of the administration in power. "Antitrust is too much a part of American folklore," says Penn's Spritzer.

When and if the case gets to trial the effect of the old consent decree and the government's conspiracy charge are other likely issues.

Attorneys say the government could be barred from suing by its old consent decree on the basis that courts don't like to rehash questions already resolved.

More likely the government will argue that the old decree wasn't "tough enough" or that circumstances have changed. Even then, though, the case might be sent back to the same court which entered the 1968 decree.

The Justice Department's argument that AT&T and its subsidiaries "have engaged ... in a conspiracy to monopolize" raises another tricky legal issue. One lawyer, who says the charge hasn't been used in several years, feels it was thrown in for "sex appeal."

Biggest Question
Given the expected delays, the biggest question may be the makeup of the Supreme Court when and if the AT&T suit arrives, which seems likely.

While in recent years the court has relaxed its government-bias in suits brought to block business mergers, court watchers feel it's premature to conclude the bench is anti-antitrust.

"We're in a formative period," says Weston. "Attitudes are important, but the AT&T decision will really turn on the facts of the case."

Some attorneys feel that the

government's suit will be high. It's been estimated that the AT&T case, if not settled out of court, will take 70 lawyers on each side a minimum of 10 years, working at a minimum average salary of \$25,000 a year, for a total bill of \$350 million. And that excludes support staff, witness costs and paperwork.

"One has to wonder whether the Justice Department has considered the total economic effects of this thing," says Weston. "There's been a tremendously important economic policy decision made."

Today In History

By The Associated Press
Today is Wednesday January 22, the 22nd day of 1975. There are 343 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: In 1901, England came to the end of an era with the death of Queen Victoria at the age of 82.

On this date — In 1517, Turkish troops captured the Egyptian city of Cairo.

In 1528, England and France declared war on the Holy Roman Emperor, Charles V.

In 1781, George Washington appointed commissioners to survey the District of Columbia.

In 1905, scores of Russians were killed as Cossacks and imperial army troops fired on demonstrators in St. Petersburg in Russia. In 1917, President Woodrow Wilson proposed a League of Nations.

In 1944, during World War II, Allied troops landed on the Anzio beachhead in Italy.

Ten years ago: Hundreds of Buddhists and students stoned the U.S. Information Service library in Saigon and battled with Vietnamese police who tried to drive them away.

Five years ago: President Nixon, in his State of the Union Message, urged the nation to stick with him in dealing with the Vietnam War.

One year ago: A White House spokesman said Nixon was ignoring demands that he resign and was determined not to be "consumed for another year" by Watergate.

Today's birthdays: Democratic Senator Birch Bayh of Indiana is 47 years old. Actress Ann Sothern is 64.

South Africa Stores Vehicles

PRETORIA, South Africa (AP) — The fleet of limousines used by top government officials is being stored in garages as the Arab oil embargo against South Africa begins to pinch the nation's gasoline supplies.

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Mrs. J. E. Jackson Feted With Party In Home Of Mrs. Marvin Pringle

A recipe and pantry party honoring Mrs. James Edward Jackson, the former Glenda Tweed, daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Jerry L. Tweed, was held recently in the home of Mrs. Marvin Pringle.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson were married Jan. 2 in the Westside Church of Christ.

Yellow and white table decorations included a be-ribboned recipe box and white mums. To shower the bride, each guest brought her favorite recipe, along with the ingredients.

Those attending were Mrs. James O. Jackson, mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. Tweed, Mrs. Wayne Barton, Mrs. G. E. Sommers, Mrs. H. P. Foster, Mrs. Jay Cummings, Mrs.

George Nathan, Mrs. Nelson Robertson, Mrs. W. T. Porter, And Mrs. C. R. Leggett, Mrs. R. L. Knedlik, Mrs. Ray del Llano, Mrs. W. P. Tomlinson, Mrs. K. V. Terrell, Mrs. O. D. Bretches, Mrs. Darrel Bose, Mrs. Don Young, Mrs. M. L. Drabem and Mrs. Hugh Christianson, co-hostess for the event.

Corsages were presented the honoree, her mother and the bridegroom's mother.

Nursing Course Enrollment Open

Applications still are being accepted for the next 12-month session of the Midland College School of Vocational Nursing, which begins Feb. 3. Deadline for enrollment is Jan. 31.

The school is open to men and women who are high school graduates or who have established the equivalence. Applicants selected must pass a pre-entrance examination given by the college.

Mrs. F. R. Myers, director of the program, points out there are many opportunities for employment for licensed vocational nurses in Midland, with the hospitals, nursing homes, doctors' offices and private duty causing a constant demand on the number of nurses available in the community.

Interested persons may contact Mrs. Myers at Midland Memorial Hospital 682-7381. Extension 336, to arrange for interviews and examinations.

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Potpourri Of Topics Meets Thursday

Potpourri of Topics, a discussion group of the American Association of University Women, will meet at 9:30 a.m. Thursday in the home of Mrs. Dan Kallus, 2213 Shell St. The topic of discussion will be a booklet entitled "Legal Rights of Texas Women."

The publication is a public service project of the Texas Division, AAUW, in cooperation with the Texas Attorney General's office.

For further information about the Potpourri of Topics group or the AAUW publication, dial Mrs. Henry Krusekopf Jr.

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ANNUAL CHARITY BALL—Mrs. John Waddill, right, chairman of the Charity Ball to be held by the Junior League of Midland, Inc., Feb. 10, is pictured with Mrs. G. Arthur Donnelly III, center, who is holding one of the brandy snifter centerpieces for the fund-raising event, and Mrs. Gordon Marcum II, decorations co-ordinator for the ball. Mrs. Donnelly is the decorations chairman.

Junior League Making Plans For Annual Ball Slated Feb. 10

Preparations are under way for the 26th annual Charity Ball to be held by the Junior League of Midland, Inc., at 8 p.m. Feb. 10 in Midland Country Club.

Music and entertainment will be provided throughout the evening by Harry James and his orchestra, First Crossing, Blue Marble Fawn and Bill Smiley.

The ball, one of two fund-raising projects of the league, involves the entire membership of the group under the guidance of Mrs. John Waddill, ball chairman. Mrs. G. Arthur Donnelly III, decorations chairman, Mrs. Gordon Marcum II, decorations co-ordinator, and Mrs. Jermoe Fullinwider, sponsor chairman.

All proceeds from the ball are returned to the community through numerous projects sponsored by the league, including the Children's Dental Clinic, Directors of Community Services, Film Service, Architectural Barriers, Conservation Museum of the Southwest, Puppetry for Public

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Golfers Schedule Business Meeting

The Hogan Park Women's Golf Association will meet at 9:30 a.m. Thursday for a business session in the Pro Shop. Members will make their own pairings for Play Day games. Women interested in becoming members of the association are invited to attend.

Miss McClatchy Party Honoree

Senior Company members of the Permian Civic Ballet and the Ballet Guild were hostesses to a farewell party recently for Kerri McClatchy in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Motter.

Miss McClatchy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McClatchy, will leave Midland this week to study at the National Academy of Dance in Champaign, Ill.

Gifts, including an engraved silver charm from the guild, were presented to the honoree. Assisting with hospitalities were Mary Motter, Julie Hall, Mrs. W. B. Perry Jr. and Mrs. Byrne O'Neill.

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ESA Chapter Reports On Business Meeting, Mexican Buffet Dinner

The Beta Omega Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha met recently in the home of Mrs. Butch Barker for a January business meeting. Mrs. Van Folger, president, presided.

An educational program was presented by Don Combs, director of the Midland Community Center for Mental Health and Mental Retardation. A question and answer period was conducted by Combs on the problems of mental illness and its relationship to family and friends.

Westside Opti-Mrs. Schedules Party

The Westside Opti-Mrs. met recently for a monthly business meeting in the home of Mrs. David Hancock, 4500 Monty Drive. Mrs. Hancock, president, presided.

Mrs. Dale Norton was introduced as a guest. Plans were discussed to assist the Westside Optimist Club in the Tri-Star Basketball Competition scheduled Feb. 15.

The club members also made plans for a Feb. 14 party for members' husbands.

The chapter also held recently a Mexican buffet dinner in the Kimber-Lea Clubhouse. Hostess was Mrs. Tony Watson. The chapter co-hosted, with members bringing their favorite Mexican dish.

Following dinner, members and their guests played "Tattletale." Winners were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Backman and Mrs. Folger.

Members and their guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Coppedge, Mr. and Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Wanda Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ballard, Susan Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Backman, Mr. and Mrs. Folger, Mr. and Mrs. David Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Watson and Delores Garner.

Nancy Kay Muse, McCarley Married

Nancy Kay Muse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Muse of 2818 Cimmaron St., and Larry Wayne McCarley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Peterson of Tarzan, were married at 9:30 a.m. Thursday in the Midland County Courthouse.

Justice of the Peace Robert H. Pine officiated for the ceremony.

The couple will reside in Tarzan. He is employed by Pool Well Services of Andrews.

Altrusa To Meet

The Altrusa Club of Midland will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday in the Reddy Room of Texas Electric Service Co. for a program on safety precautions for women. A representative of the Midland Police Department will be the speaker.

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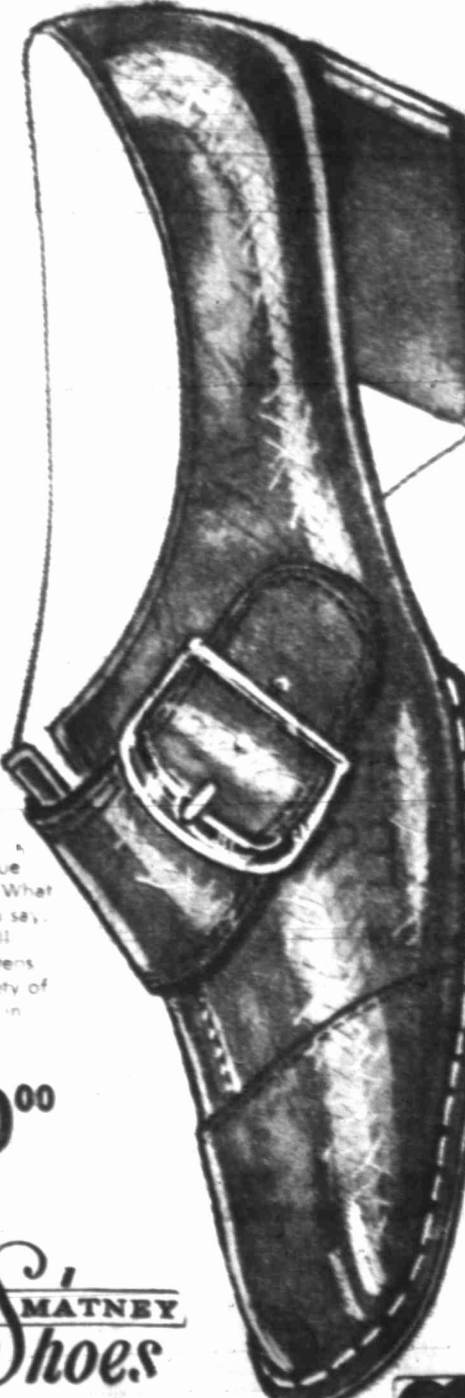


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GEMINI (May 21 to June 21): A high-spirited day with a lot of activity. An outsider can also help at this time.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 22): You are children of nature and should be treated as such. You will be able to do this in a remarkable way.

LEO (July 23 to Aug. 22): You have problems that are too difficult to handle now, so drop them for now. Come back later and they will be simple to solve.

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LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22): Complete your work as quickly as possible and enjoy a new and more lucrative period with others. Show affection to mate.

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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21): Take over with associates what should be done in the future to add in present. You will be able to do this in a remarkable way.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20): Complete your work as quickly as possible and enjoy a new and more lucrative period with others. Show affection to mate.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 18): Listen to what a right-thinking person has to say and then you can get your financial affairs in better order. Be wise.

PISCES (Feb. 19 to Mar. 20): Listen to what a family has to say about improving your surroundings. Don't take any risks in the afternoon. Keep calm.

Dr. Larry Marsh Presents Program

The West Texas Chapter of the American Guild of Organists met recently in the choir room of Memorial Christian Church for a program presented by Dr. Larry Marsh of The University of Texas-Permian Basin music faculty.

Dr. Marsh, also choir director of the Lutheran Church of the Risen Lord in Odessa, discussed church choir direction, music selection, pacing rehearsals and co-ordination of the composer, conductor, choir and congregation.

A report on the church music workshop held recently in El Paso was given by Mrs. E. F. Motter, Mrs. Bruce Barthel and Mrs. Don Johnson. Plans were discussed for a recital to be presented by Frederick Swan, organist, Feb. 29 in the First Presbyterian Church.

The hostesses were Mrs. Loyd Sanders, Mrs. Donald Ross and Lotta Williams.

Coming Events

Thursday
Texas Chapter No. 22, Y.O.P.S., 8 p.m., Covenant Presbyterian Church.

Recovery, 7:30 p.m., Midland Community Center for Mental Health and Mental Retardation, 222 W. Wall St.

Children's Story Hour, 10 a.m., Midland County Public Library.

Grass Guild of Grace Lutheran Church, 8:30 a.m., Fellowship Hall.

Senior Citizens Center, 9:30 a.m., painting with James I p.m., games, First Christian Church.

St. Nicholas Episcopal Church, 7 p.m., Spanish class; 8 p.m., senior choir, church.

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Christian Women's Club Holds Monthly Luncheon

The Midland Christian Women's Club met Monday for a regular monthly luncheon at Rodeway Inn.

Mrs. Fannie Burnett, accompanied by her daughter, Carol Roseberry, presented a medley of hymns. Mrs. Billy Gilbreath introduced Mrs. Burnett.

Mrs. John E. Reid, chairman of the club, welcomed members and guests.

Mrs. John Reddell, special feature chairman, introduced Mrs. C. R. Webb, who spoke on "Let's Hunt Rocks."

Mrs. Reid introduced Capt. Robert Vincent, who gave a testimony of his Christian life and how the Salvation Army serves the community needs.

A brief project report was given by Mrs. Eldon Busch, who discussed the missionary families supported by the club.

Mrs. Reddell made an announcement of the February meetings. At 9:30 a.m. Feb. 3, the executive board will meet with Mrs. Don Fisher at 2307 W. Storey St. A prayer coffee will be held Feb. 10 at 3412 Sentinel St., with Mrs. Reid serving as hostess. The next luncheon will be Feb. 17 at Rodeway Inn.

A prize was awarded to Capt. Gloria Vincent by Mrs. Sam Owens, hostess chairman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elmer S. Lynn of 2602 Lockheed St. announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Kay, to Phillip Spurgeon Hollabaugh, son of Mrs. Bill Suggs of Abilene and Stephen S. Hollabaugh of Tularosa, N.M.

Miss Lynn is a graduate student at Texas Tech University. Hollabaugh also is a Texas Tech student. The wedding will be held at 4 p.m. March 22 in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church of Midland.

One-Woman Show Slated For MCC

Mary Allen Vincent of Dallas will present Friday a musical review for members and guests of the Midland Country Club Ladies' Association when they meet at 11:30 a.m. for a social period, followed at 12 noon with luncheon, at the club.

Her accompanist, Dave Williams, provides backing for the one-woman show, an hour long interpretation of the Broadway musical, "The Unsinkable Molly Brown."

Newtimers Report Bridge Winners

The Newtimers Couples' Bridge Club met recently in Ranchland Hill Country Club.

High scoring man was Jim Galyean, while Mrs. Larry Murnzshelmer was high scorer for the women. Larry Murnzshelmer was second high man and Mrs. Robert Jefferies was second high woman.

Guest couples were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Sam H. Snoddy.

Persons interested in joining Newtimers may contact Mrs. Bill R. Marshall at 682-1025 or Mrs. Alton Kirby at 694-0442.

Midland BSSH Volunteers Feted

The Volunteer Council Annual Awards luncheon was held recently on the campus of the Big Spring State Hospital.

Below is a list of Midland residents who were presented awards for volunteer service to the BSSH:

100 hour pin - Lou Dobbs, Alton Fondren, Alta Henderson and Joanne Smith.

500 hour bar - De Alva Brewer and Mari Tidmore.

2,500 hour bar - La Verne Jones.

4,500 hour bar - Ann Braselton (also received 6,000 hour bar).

9,500 hour bar - Tup Ferguson.

The second annual Jack Y. Smith Award for outstanding volunteer service to the BSSH was presented to the Ackerly Volunteer Auxiliary.

CAR Members Schedule Meeting

A meeting of the Joseph Black Society, Children of the American Revolution, will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday in the home of Leslie Hendrix, 1607 Country Club Drive. The program will be given by Ginger Nelson, conservation chairman.

Helen Cross, president, requests members bring trading stamps for the mountain schools which are jointly sponsored by the CAR and the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Plans for attending the state conference March 15-17 also will be discussed. Boys and girls under the age of 21 are eligible for membership in the National Society, CAR, if they are lineally descended from a man or woman who provided aid to the cause of the American Revolution.

Members and interested guests are invited to attend the Thursday meeting.

Water Softener
Washing soda is one of the cheapest, most effective water softeners.

HINTS FROM Heloise

An 'Ice Cube Casserole' For Your Winter Budget

Dear Heloise:
I've been meaning to write you about my "Ice Cube Casserole" ever since I invented it last summer. I discovered this one day when I was planning to leave the house early and not return until late that evening.

I had already defrosted chicken parts for dinner, so I couldn't put them in the automatic oven and set it to go on at five o'clock, or they might have spoiled before then.

Here's my brainstorm! I put 1/4 cup of rice and a can of chicken noodle soup (undiluted) in the bottom of the casserole. Then I put the chicken pieces on top of that, and covered the chicken with about 10 ice cubes... what I estimated to be a soup can full of ice cubes.

I slid this into the cold oven, set the timer to turn on at five o'clock.

It was absolutely delightful to walk in the door at six and have dinner already cooked. Try it!

Marian Price
P.S. If you're ever in the neighborhood, drop in for coffee. If I'm not here, the coffee will be in the thermos on the counter. Help yourself!

Marian, you are an angel! I tried it and loved it! Your coffee was great, too!
Heloise

Dear Heloise:
Ever buy cheese in a 2-lb. cardboard box? The loaf keeps getting smaller as it is used, but the box still takes up the same amount of space in the fridge.

Just cut the box in half. Keep sliding the box within itself - like a telescope - as the cheese is used up.

If you are real industrious, you can keep trimming the cut ends of the box and make a box to fit just the size block of cheese you have left!

Mrs. H. Wilson
Dear Heloise:
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By special arrangement with our supplier, we can offer another great savings sale to our customers. You may buy anything we show, finished or unfinished, at 30% off the regular price. And should you select an item that we are temporarily out-of-stock, you may still purchase it at 30% off. When King's Plaster Galleries have a sale, it is for real. Nothing reserved. BOTH STORES WILL BE CLOSED JANUARY 27 TO FEBRUARY 3 TO RESTOCK AFTER SALE.

NO PRICE INCREASES

All the price tags are our regular prices and King's have not increased a single price previous to this sale. Customers will receive 30% off the finished or unfinished price. Paint prices will not be discounted. We will exchange or refund on anything not available in fourteen days. But please, no exchanges on sale items which we order and are available to you. To take advantage of sale prices, items must be paid for during sale.

CONVENIENT HOURS

In order to best serve the majority of our customers, we are now open from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday through Friday; 9 to 5 on Saturdays and the Midland store is open Sunday afternoons from 2 until 6. The Odessa store is closed Sunday and Monday. The Midland store is closed Monday only.

EXPERIENCED HELP

We are especially proud to have Teri (Wheat) Johnson as the store manager in Odessa. Mr. King now personally manages the Midland store. By special arrangements with Mrs. Johnson you can have the personal attention of Mr. King in the Odessa store on Monday nights. Ask for details.

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ped about his role in the June 1972 Watergate burglary and the plumbers operation. Considered the mastermind of the break-in, Liddy has served more time than anyone involved in Watergate and still faces the bulk of the stiffest sentences handed down in the case, 6½-to-20 years for conspiracy, burglary and wiretapping.

Last week the Supreme Court refused his bid to remain free on bail pending a final appeal of his conviction. Prison officials here said Liddy had served holding time at Danbury during the Watergate prosecution.

Warden John Norton said Liddy would be treated just like the other 710 inmates at Danbury. He said that following an orientation period Liddy would be assigned a job.

Adjustment Board Rules On Requests

The city's board of adjustment denied two requests and approved two others during a brief session Tuesday.

George Wolf, city planning director, was given permission to build a carport in variance with side yard setback requirements at 2101 Brunson St.

The board okayed the request of Mrs. Karen Thompson, 2400 Shell St., who asked for a side yard setback variance to build a carport behind her present garage.

The request of Mrs. Wayne Keaton to have an existing carport remain in violation of front yard setback requirements at 4615 Versailles St. was denied.

Also denied was the request by R. H. Davis to locate a temporary building at Davis Garden Center and Landscaping, 2820 W. Golf Course Road.

Hunt-CIA Link Lasted Longer, Sources Report

WASHINGTON (AP) — Convicted Watergate burglar E. Howard Hunt gave information to the CIA for nine months after the agency claims it severed relations with him, two sources report.

The sources said the disclosure was made by former White House aide Charles W. Colson.

Meanwhile, Senate Minority Leader Hugh Scott announced that Sen. John Tower, R-Tex., is the GOP choice to serve as vice chairman of the planned select committee to investigate the CIA, FBI and other U.S. intelligence agencies. Other Republican members of the 11-man committee will be Howard H. Baker Jr. of Tennessee, Charles McC. Mathias Jr. of Maryland, Richard S. Schweiker of Pennsylvania and Barry Goldwater of Arizona, Scott said.

MC Enrollment Reaches 1,378

With 10 days remaining in which students may register late for classes at Midland College, paid enrollment figures this morning had reached 1,378.

The final tally for the spring semester of 1974 was 1,211. Late registration ends Feb. 4, and the deadline for payment of fees and tuition is Jan. 31.

Where's The Fire

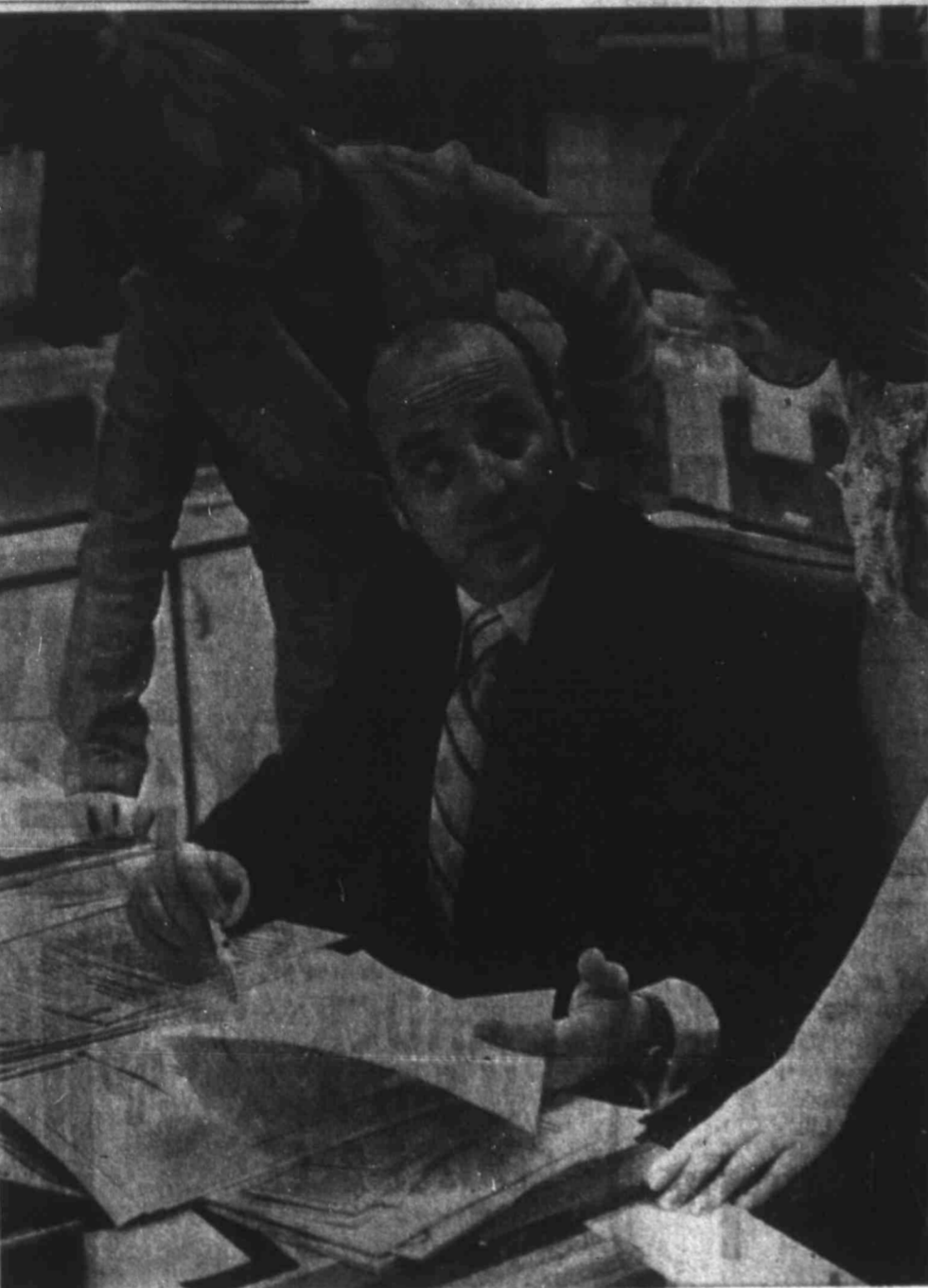
A 3:30 a.m. today — Heating unit at Glen Cope residence, 1600 Neely St., caused smoke in house, caused by broken fan belt on motor, no damage.

Midland Memorial Foundation To Hold Annual Meet Feb. 11

The annual meeting of governors of the Midland Memorial Foundation will be held at 3 p.m. Feb. 11 in the hospital cafeteria.

The board of governors will elect officers for the coming year on nominations from the floor.

Present officers include Frank Stubbeman, chairman; Robert L. Wood, vice chairman, and J. Holt Jewell, secretary. One governor is to be elected



INSIDE STORY — Susan Newberry, left, and Deborah Elder discuss with District Attorney James Mashburn the transactions of his office as part of their "student government day" in DeWayne Davis' honors government class at Midland High School. Many of their classmates spent today with governmental officials and others will participate Thursday.

Midland, Odessa Colleges Agree On Joint Registered Nurses Program

Midland College Tuesday night entered into a cooperative program with Odessa College in order to offer a registered nurses program for its students.

Meeting for the first time in the past surroundings of the new board room on the campus at 3600 N. Garfield St., trustees approved an agreement whereby academic courses, although taught by Odessa instructors, would be located in Midland facilities.

According to Midland College president Al G. Langford, the clinical courses will be taught at Odessa College and in Odessa hospitals because the Tall City lacks sufficient facilities for

such fields as neurosurgery and psychiatry. The agreement specifies, however, Midland facilities will be used to the extent they meet the nursing program objectives. Implementation of this agreement depends upon approval by the Texas Board of Nurse Examiners and the funding agency, Texas Education Agency. Action in the Tuesday session also included reviewing and evaluating Langford's contract. At the conclusion of the executive session review, trustees voted unanimously to give the college president a \$2,500 salary raise — bringing his annual income to \$31,000 — and in-

creasing his annuity from 5 to 10 per cent, effective April 1. They gave approval, too, for Langford to serve as chairman of the Needed Legislation Committee of the Texas Public Junior Community College Association. A meeting was called for the board to meet with the landscape architecture committee and landscape architect Art Glick at noon Monday in the board room. The trustees will hear recommendations from the committee, which will have viewed Glick's master plan earlier in the day. Planting trees on the campus is expected to begin in

Hill Tosses Attorneys' Fee Matter Back To Commissioners

Atty. Gen. John Hill has told Midland County Atty. Jimmie Oglesby the question of whether \$10,000 in lawyer's fees are "reasonable" depends on facts, and if the commissioners object to the amount of the fees, they can let a court decide.

Oglesby had submitted the question at request of the commissioners court after 142nd District Judge Perry Pickett appointed two attorneys from the same law firm to represent Tommy Manus in a capital murder trial in 1974. Manus was convicted of killing carnival worker Henry M. Moyah in 1973.

"As near as I can tell," Oglesby said this morning of the attorney general's opinion, "we're back where we started from." However, he did say commissioners probably would authorize payment for what Judge Pickett had determined as reasonable fees — \$4,000 for one attorney and \$6,000 for the other.

Oglesby said the attorneys — Randall Lundy and Bruce Pope — spent portions of two days in court on pre-trial matters and eight days in jury selection and trial.

Martin Alday, senior partner

in the law firm employing Lundy and Pope, said today the defense lawyers "spent 90 per cent of their production time for about four months in preparation for that trial because it was one of the very first cases to be tried under the 'death penalty' statute."

He also noted, "When you are assigned the task of defending a man's life, the appointment becomes almost all-consuming to the diligent attorney."

"The real solution to this problem," Alday said, "would be the appointment of a public defender by the commissioners' court."

Oglesby said the county had budgeted only \$10,000 to pay court appointed counsel on criminal matters and had only

\$8,200 left in the 1974 budget. Later in the year, however, commissioners increased the amount budgeted for the defense of indigents to \$30,000 and then in August 1974 hiked that budgeted item to \$30,000.

Hill said he couldn't tell whether the compensation was reasonable, but that if the commissioners court does not think it is, the judge's order can be tested in two ways.

The commissioners could refuse to pay the attorney's fees and be subject to a mandamus proceeding. Or they could institute a suit for judgment to declare the \$10,000 in fees to be "unreasonable, arbitrary and capricious as to amount to an abuse of discretion."

Midlander Held On Pot Charge
Henry Ahola, 20, 1719 E. Oak St., was arrested Tuesday afternoon at his residence and charged with possession of marijuana.

Ahola remained in jail this morning in lieu of \$5,000 bond set by Justice of the Peace Robert Pine.

"We do not believe that school authorities must be totally free from notice and hearing requirements if their schools are to operate with acceptable efficiency," Justice Byron R. White said for the 5 to 4 majority.

Speaking for the dissenters, Justice Lewis F. Powell Jr. said the decision "unnecessarily opens avenues for judicial intervention in the operation of our public schools that may affect adversely the quality of education."

The decision is expected to have a drastic effect on present practices involving suspension of students. Advertise Or Be Forgotten!

Gov. Briscoe Urges Restructuring Of Texas Public School System

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asked every state agency to do the same. "Our goal will be an overall 5 per cent reduction in the number of state employees. This is a realistic goal and can be accomplished through normal attrition," he said. "I would much rather have our present employees receiving increased salaries..."

Salary Hike Urged
Briscoe recommended an immediate 10 per cent salary increase for present employees and during the next two years a 6.8 per cent annual increase. He said he would soon recommend legislation to improve retirement benefits for state employees.

Briscoe said in an effort to bring "open and honest government" closer to Texans he has established a special toll-free telephone service within his office, called TEXHELP, to give anyone assistance or information on state governmental matters. The number is 1-800-292-9600.

Funds Requested
Briscoe said he would start off his public finance program with an emergency request for \$400 million for maintenance and operations in public schools this year.

Details of his long-range education program will be presented later but Briscoe said it generally calls for: —The state's share of the Foundation School Program to be increased the next two years by about \$1 billion over the current level.

—Use of the "weighted pupil approach" in determining how much each school district will get.

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Expanded Coordinating Board Powers Requested By Governor

Austin Bureau AUSTIN — Expansion of supervisory role of the coordinating board of the Texas College and University System over The University of Texas of the Permian Basin and other state universities was proposed by Gov. Dolph Briscoe today in his state of the state message to the legislature.

The proposal recalls but does not duplicate a similar super-board proposal made by former Gov. John Connally, but defeated in the legislature under

a strong opposition from boards of regents of the state universities.

Briscoe's higher education proposals would, as he put it, "eliminate the unneeded competition and lobbying efforts among the individual universities for state dollars and focus on coordinating the role, scope and progress of our institutions of higher learning."

Briscoe continued, "I believe the coordinating board should be given specific authority over expansion of the degree programs, departments or divisions."

"Board approval should be required before senior colleges can establish off-campus courses. The board should be authorized and requested to comment on all special items."

ODESSA — A 29-year-old man has pleaded guilty to the robbery Monday night of the Rowdeway Inn in East Odessa.

James William Myers of Odessa was given a 20-year sentence by 70th District Court Judge R. L. McKim.

Myers was arrested about 11 p.m. Monday and charged with the knife-point robbery of two motel employees, Mrs. Betty Tucker, 57, and Carl Imman, motel manager.

The robber wore gloves and a ski mask and displayed a knife when he entered the motel office.

Imman said he gave the man \$135 and the man fled to a car parked outside.

Police located the car on a side street near the 1400 block of Grant Street and arrested Myers inside a lounge. Myers confessed a knife and about \$30, officers said.

Court Reverses Odessa Conviction
Austin Bureau AUSTIN — The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals today reversed the Ector County narcotics paraphernalia conviction of Manuel Gomez Hernandez and remanded the case to the trial court.

Hernandez, who was arrested June 29, 1971, by Department of Public Safety narcotics agents, was sentenced to 25 years in the case.

Junction Resident Critically Wounded
A. Ned Galloway, 31, of Junction today was in critical condition in Odessa Medical Center hospital after a shooting incident Tuesday in Glasscock County.

Glasscock County officials were not available this morning to provide details of the incident.

Nation's Highway Deaths At Lowest Point Since '63
WASHINGTON (AP) — Lower speed limits and less highway traffic combined to help push the nation's highway death toll last year to the lowest level since 1963, the Transportation Department says.

Preliminary figures indicate that 45,400 persons died in traffic accidents in 1974, the department reported Tuesday. That is about 9,400 fewer highway deaths than in 1973 and the lowest total since 42,600 persons were killed in 1963.

The reduced fatality count "clearly demonstrates the life-saving value of lowered speed limits and less driving," said National Highway Traffic Safety Administrator James Gregory.

He called on the states to intensify their efforts to enforce the lower speed limit and to continue efforts to implement effective highway safety programs.

Fire Injuries Numerous
More than 300,000 Americans are injured by fire each year, with one-sixth of them requiring six weeks or more of hospitalization, according to Rick Golgs of the Fire Equipment Manufacturers Assn.

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Mexican Guessing Game: Who'll Be Next President?

By CHARLES GREEN
Associated Press Writer
MEXICO CITY (AP) — Most cartoonists draw him with a white hood covering his head. Some draw in a giant index finger poised above.

He is "El Tapado," the man who will be the next president of Mexico.

He won't take office until Dec. 1, 1976, but Mexicans already are engaging in one of their favorite pastimes: speculating on who President Luis Echeverria and a small group of influential men within the ruling party will select as the next person to don the red, white and green sash worn only by the president, the most powerful man in Mexico.

No Re-Election
For one six-year term — he cannot be re-elected — that man will have almost dictatorial power under the traditional Mexican political system.

Spanish mantilla to avoid being known." But in Mexico, "Tapado" means just one thing. He is the man, so far hidden, who this year will leap onto front pages when the Institutional Revolutionary Party (PRI) that has ruled Mexico for half a century designates him as its official candidate for the presidency.

Opposition Weak
Opposition parties exist in Mexico, but they have never been able to elect a state governor, much less a president. The National Action Party (PAN) is the major opposition group and certainly will have a presidential candidate in the July 1976 voting. But the PAN candidate in 1970 drew less than 10 per cent of the popular vote. The remainder went to Echeverria.

The process of selection by the PRI is shrouded in secrecy, mystery and myth. Many Mexicans have no idea how it is done. All they know is that this fall, probably some time in late September or early October, if tradition is followed, some large segment of the party will "spontaneously" de-

mand that a certain man be named candidate.

In 1969, a group of farmers, members of the rural sector of the PRI, appeared in front of the interior ministry in Mexico City, waving placards and shouting the name of the minister of the interior: Luis Echeverria. Within minutes word spread throughout Mexico City and into the countryside: Echeverria had been "destapado"—uncovered.

The president, according to insiders, has a predominant voice in the selection process. His choice is given to a handful of party leaders for approval. They can reject his first choice, the insiders say, but do not have enough power to put forth their own candidate over his.

Process Secret
Those involved in the selection process never talk about it in public. But it has been said privately, without confirmation, that Echeverria was not the first choice of his predecessor, Gustavo Diaz Ordaz. But it was still Diaz Ordaz who finally gave the nod to Echeverria.

Others considered to be strong candidates to be unwrapped as the next president

At least 14 names have emerged as presidential possibilities, but most people limit the number to four. All of them are professional politicians now in high positions. Only one is over 50 years of age.

Historical Edge
Mario Moya Palencia, the man who replaced Echeverria as minister of the interior, is considered to have a slight edge for historical reasons, if nothing else. Five of the past seven presidents have stepped from that job into the Los Pinos presidential residence.

The president is so powerful and so dominant in Mexican politics that it is impossible to judge from public statements what the political leanings of the possible candidates might be. Not until the man is on his own will he start speaking for himself.

Others considered to be strong candidates to be unwrapped as the next president

—Hugo Cervantes del Rio, 47, minister of the presidency. He has charge of administering the various departments within the presidency. He was governor of Baja California Sur when Echeverria took him into the cabinet.

Other Candidates
—Jose Lopez Portillo, 54, minister of the treasury. He took office in midstream in 1973 after Echeverria's original treasury minister resigned for reasons. Lopez Portillo is recognized as a very efficient administrator with a strong economic background. But his economic policies are just an extension of Echeverria's.

—Porfirio Munoz Ledo, 41, minister of labor. His stand on labor, and enforcement of Mexico's strongly proworker federal labor law, have given him a

public reputation of being far to the left.

He was undersecretary to the presidency, working for Cervantes del Rio, when Echeverria promoted him to the cabinet position.

—Moya Palencia, 41, holds the most important cabinet position. His ministry combines functions of the U.S. Justice and interior departments with much broader responsibilities in police and law enforcement as well as in electoral supervision. This ministry dispenses many political favors which makes the man in charge a force second only to the president in political power.

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Honeymoons Make Comeback After Waning In 1960s

STROUDSBURG, Pa. (AP) — During the turmoil of the late 1960s, the honeymoon waned, along with a number of other traditions.

But, say managers of the Pocono Mountain honeymoon resorts in northeast Pennsylvania, an area which calls itself "the honeymoon capital of the world," the honeymoon is very much back in evidence. "Newlyweds from all over the country honeymoon with us," comments Charles Poalillo, a Pocono honeymoon resort owner, "and you can see a subtle change, especially in their appearance, over the past few years. "Young men," he continues, "are wearing their hair significantly shorter today than they did just a few years ago. The girls, too, have opted for the more highly styled, sophisticated look."

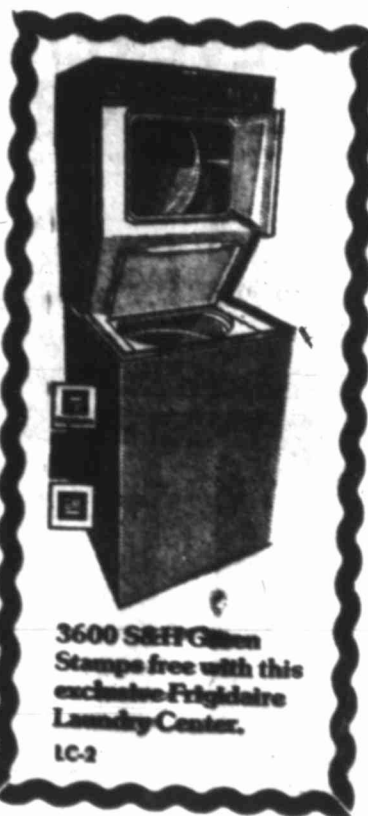
Chicago University To Study Cancer Of Pancreas Gland

CHICAGO (AP) — The University of Chicago has received a National Cancer Institute grant for \$175,000 to study early diagnosis of pancreatic cancer.

Dr. A.R. Moossa, who will be principal investigator under the contract, said, "It is obvious that pancreatic carcinoma is diagnosed too late in the vast majority of cases. A concentrated effort in early diagnosis is clearly indicated, since the disease ranks fourth after lung, colon and rectal and breast cancer in mortality statistics." The research will be coordinated with similar NCI-funded studies at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., and the Sloan-Kettering Institute in New York.

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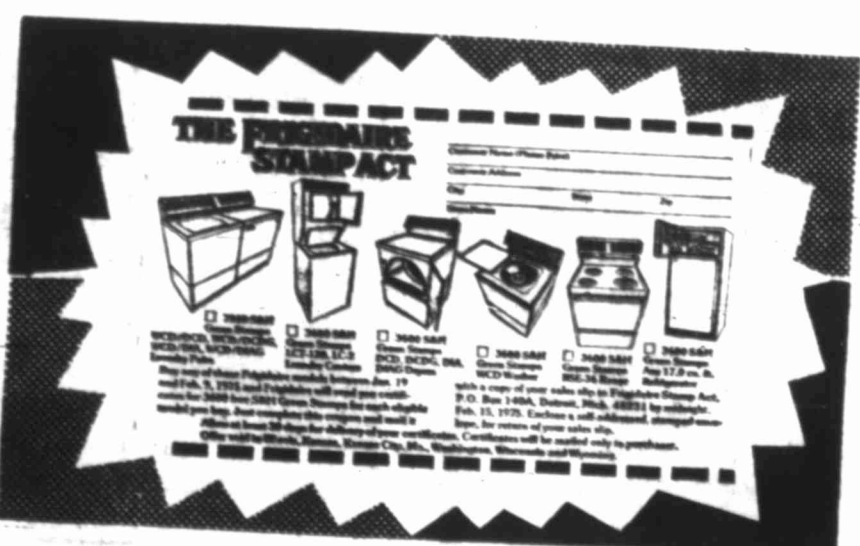


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Ford Increases Political Risks In Program

By CARL P. LEUBSDORF
An AP News Analysis

WASHINGTON (AP) — By his firm stand against gas rationing and his decision to reject a potentially inflationary

hike in the oil import tariff, President Ford has increased the political risk in his energy and economic program. If nothing else, Ford's stand will delay any final decision on

rationing until much closer to the 1976 presidential election, while increasing his administration's reliance on a plan that even backers concede will increase inflation while it seeks to cut oil use.

Ford of course believes his proposal will succeed in reducing U.S. dependence on foreign petroleum — and that he will be the prime political beneficiary.

"I am convinced that the months ahead will prove that we were right and that political prospects, if they are affected by that, will likewise be improved," he told a news conference on Tuesday.

However, some economists and politicians believe that the Ford energy plan, which seeks to reduce U.S. oil consumption by driving up the price of all petroleum products, will flop and that the result will be increased inflation with little, if any, drop in consumption.

The administration's plan is to offset the increased prices with decreased usage and lower 1975 income taxes.

Interviews with senators of both parties indicate their increasing doubts about Ford's plan.

Sen. Charles McC. Mathias Jr., R-Md., says Ford's plan puts too much burden on things like home heating oil and electric rates, where only minimal fuel reductions are possible.

Democrats take an even harsher view. Assistant Democratic Leader Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va., called the tariff a "prescription

for economic disaster" and warned of "a ripple effect that will reverberate through the economy," pushing up the price of gasoline, heating oil, fertilizer and bus and airline fares.

Congressional Democrats launched an effort Monday to block the tariff hike but Ford said he will move soon to increase the tariffs.

"The tariff increase succeeds in its goal of raising domestic prices, Democrats will be able to accuse Ford of precipitating a new round of inflation. If it fails to stem consumption, the pressures already within Congress for gas rationing will increase.

"The Democrats have the best of both worlds," Sen. James B. Pearson, R-Kan., said. "They can put the ultimate decision onto the President, so that he gets the heat if he has to begin rationing and they can criticize him if he fails to act." He said an effort must be made to see if there are other possible choices.

Against that backdrop, Ford's criticism of rationing seems unlikely to have any immediate impact on Congress.

And the President left himself a loophole by saying he would veto a measure if it called for "mandatory" gas rationing and if, in his judgment, it was "a superficial answer" to the nation's problems.

Families With Incomes Of \$15,000 Or Less To Benefit From Plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford's plan to boost energy prices while reducing taxes would leave additional spending money in the pockets of the typical family of four earning \$15,000 or less. Families above that income level will suffer a net loss.

But Americans in both categories would be committed under Ford's program to paying

higher energy bills before the administration could assure them of extra money to pay them.

Ford said Tuesday he will officially order higher import fees on imported oil beginning at \$1 a barrel on Feb. 1 and rising to \$3 a barrel by April 1.

Treasury Department tax officials said Tuesday that each \$1 of the import fee will add an average of about one cent to the price of a gallon of gasoline, home heating oil, and other products, rising to a total of three cents a gallon when the full fee is imposed.

One Treasury official estimated Tuesday night that a family of four with total income of \$15,000 and below would receive a tax reduction greater than the increase in its energy bills.

He estimated the average energy bill would increase \$250 under the program, although the increase would be lower for lower-income families and higher for higher-income families.

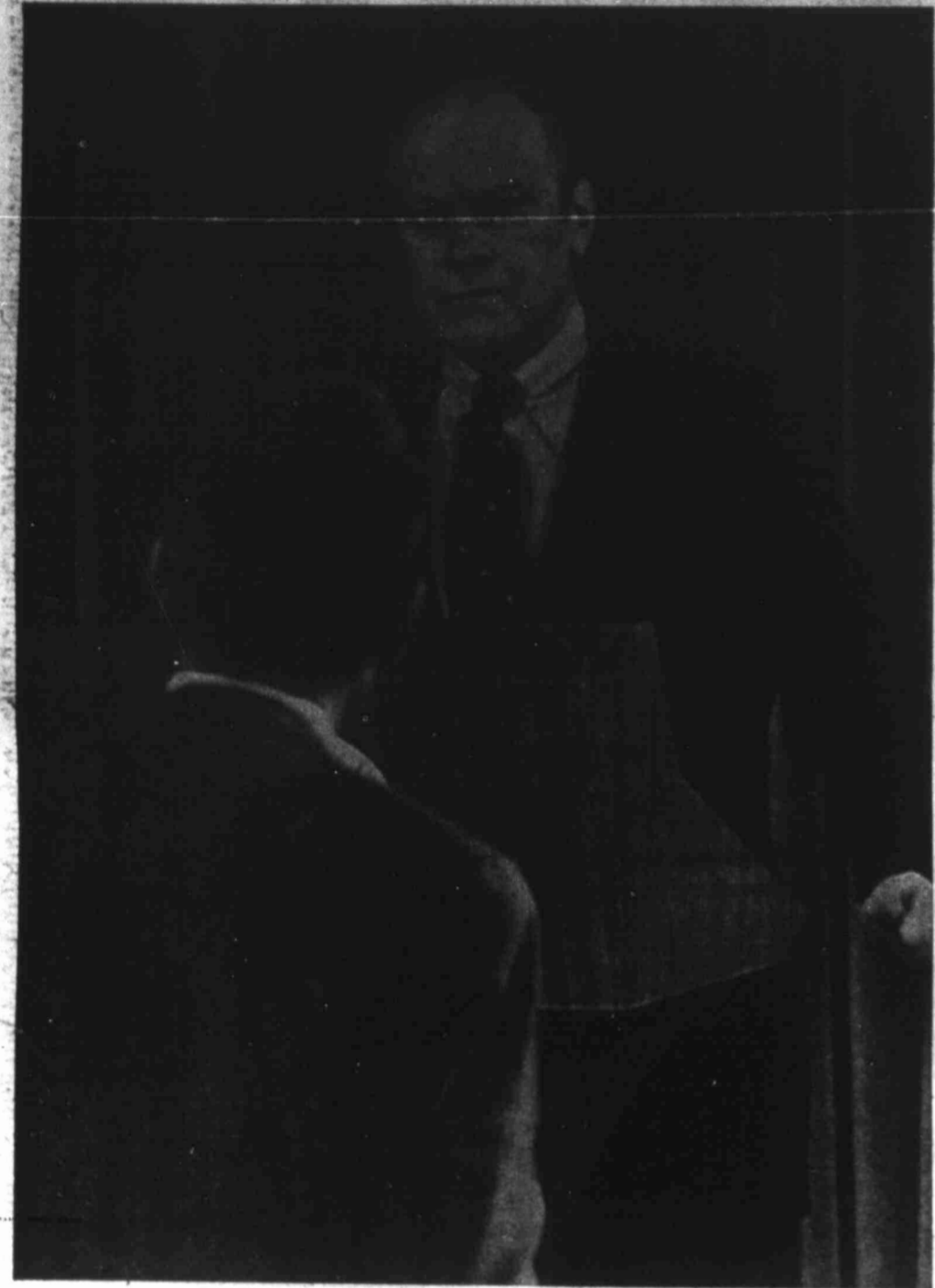
"Everybody below \$15,000 will just be better off," said this official, who did not want to be named.

Several Democratic congressional leaders have asked Ford to delay the import fee plan until Congress can act.

Edgar R. Fiedler, assistant treasury secretary for economic affairs, said Americans may start paying the higher fuel prices within a few weeks, especially for such products as gasoline.

Ford has proposed a series of tax reductions for 1975 to offset the higher energy cost, but there is no guarantee Congress will approve these in the form he wants, or in the time he wants.

Part of the Ford program is to give taxpayers money to pay their higher energy bills through a series of permanent tax reductions.



REJECTS GASOLINE RATIONING — President Ford listens to a question from Associated Press reporter Frank Cormier during his news conference in Washington Tuesday. Ford rejected gasoline rationing because "inequities would be everywhere." (AP Wirephoto.)

Key Senators See Little Chance Ford Can Win Okay Of More Aid To Vietnam

WASHINGTON (AP) — Key senators of both parties see little chance that President Ford can win congressional approval of the additional \$300 million in military aid he says is "essential" for South Vietnam.

Sen. John G. Tower, R-Tex., chairman of the Senate GOP Policy Committee, agreed with Byrd that chances for the request were poor.

Sen. Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va., said he would support the request, but he would not support it if it required a vote on the floor.

The subject of possible U.S. military aid to South Vietnam came up in five separate questions at Ford's news conference Tuesday.

view, "I think most senators will take a rather dim view of it," adding: "We can't go on indefinitely appropriating more aid. What will it be next year? Where will it end?"

Sen. John G. Tower, R-Tex., chairman of the Senate GOP Policy Committee, agreed with Byrd that chances for the request were poor.

"I will support (Ford) and support him vigorously," the Texas Republican said. "But given the present complexion of the Congress, I'm pessimistic about the outcome of the request."

Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield said he also doubts the Senate would approve the

additional funds — restoring \$300 million that was authorized by Congress last year but then cut from the appropriations bill.

Asked about Ford's refusal to rule out a resumption of bombing, Mansfield replied: "I can't believe that he would consider resumed bombing. It would be counterproductive."

Byrd took an even stronger stand, declaring "it would be a catastrophic mistake to resume bombing."

"I don't think the American people would stand for putting our boys back into the line of fire in Vietnam," he said.

The Viet Cong said Ford's statement shows the intention of the United States "to sabotage the Paris peace accords more seriously."

A Viet Cong broadcast said, "This act laid bare the United States' ambition to continue its military intervention and interference in the internal affairs of South Vietnam, to continue to give money and bombs and ammunition to the stooge government of Nguyen Van Thieu to increase war acts and crimes against the South Vietnamese people, and to sabotage the Paris accords more seriously."

Cuba Proposes Prisoner Trade

WASHINGTON (AP) — Cuba has proposed to the United States a prisoner exchange involving the release of an alleged CIA agent for a Puerto Rican nationalist convicted in the 1954 House of Representatives shooting incident, informed sources say.

Under the proposal, Cuba would release Lawrence K. Lunt, a Massachusetts native arrested in June 1965 on charges of espionage and harboring counterrevolutionaries.

In exchange for Lunt, Cuba has asked for the release of Lolita Lebron, one of four Puerto Rican nationalists who fired

several volleys of bullets in the House chamber on March 1, 1954, wounding five House members.

It was understood that the reported Cuban proposal has been referred to the Justice Department. State and Justice department officials declined comment on the subject.

Mrs. Lebron, now about 55, was sentenced to 16 to 50 years in prison on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. She is an inmate at the federal prison in Alderson, W.Va. Her three male companions were given stiffer sentences on their convictions of assault with intent to kill.

Lunt is one of about eight American prisoners in Cuban

jails. He left Massachusetts as a young man and became a ranchhand in the West.

After U.S. Air Force service in World War II and the Korean War, he married a Belgian and settled in Cuba to raise cattle.

According to reports, the Cubans claimed that Lunt, during a family visit to Washington in 1961, was recruited by the CIA to gather information about conditions on the island. He was convicted in 1966 after a six-month trial.

One State Department official said that to his knowledge, Lunt was not employed by the CIA or any other U.S. government agency prior to his arrest in Cuba.

Arctic Air Drives Temperatures Down

By The Associated Press
A fresh outbreak of arctic cold drove temperatures below zero across the northern Plains and Midwest today and scattered snow into parts of the Southwest.

Subzero readings registered on thermometers from the Dakotas to northern Michigan overnight. The mercury dipped near -30 along the Minnesota-Canada border.

Travel advisories were in effect for parts of New Mexico and the Texas Panhandle because of snow and gusty winds. Gusts up to 61 miles per hour hit Albuquerque, N.M., late Tuesday. Snowfall generally was not heavy, however.

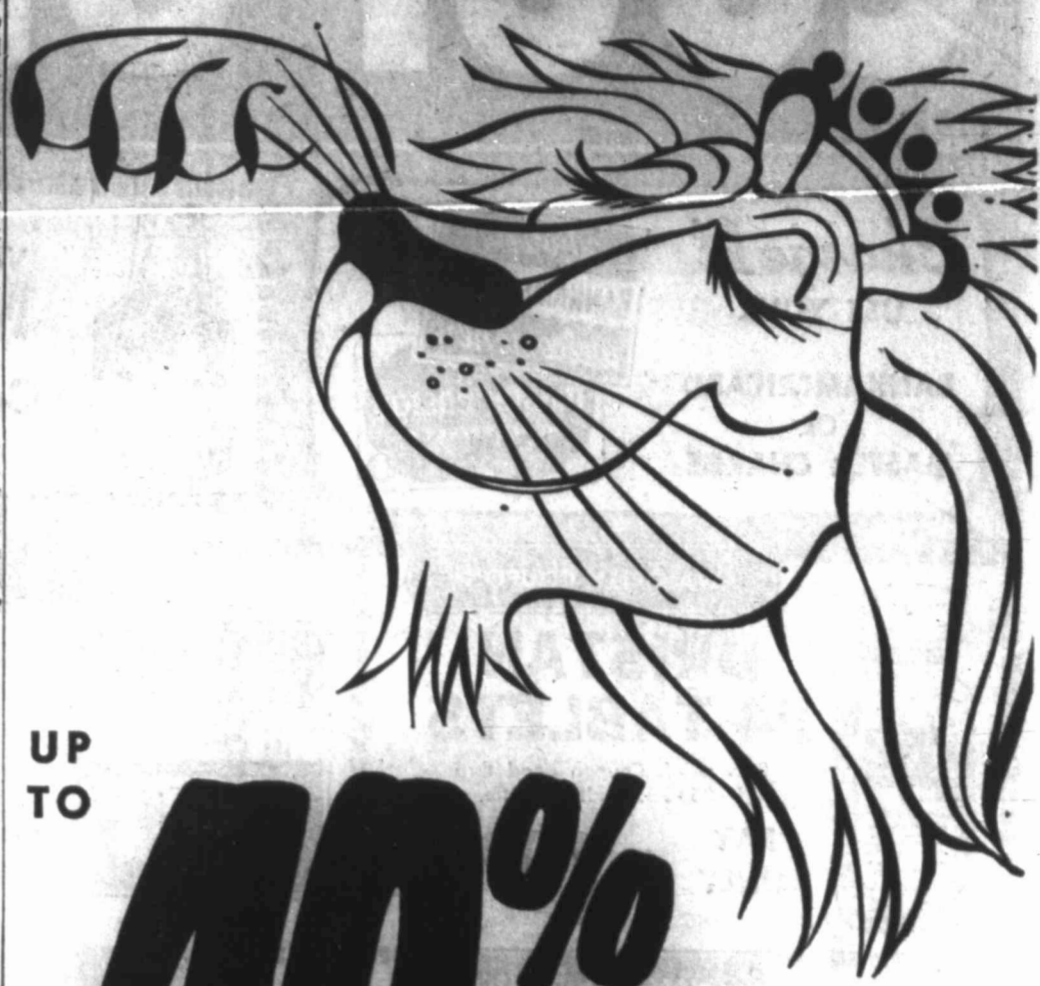
Temperatures moderated in the Northeast and the South, but readings in the 20s lingered during the night in some Northeastern areas. The 30s were more common along most of the Eastern Seaboard.

Fog formed over the interior valleys of California before daybreak, and scattered cloudiness dominated the Northwest. Most of the rest of the Far West had fair skies, as did a large part of the midcontinent from the Rockies to the Appalachians.

Temperatures before dawn ranged from -27 at International Falls, Minn., to 73 at Miami, Fla.

Some other reports: Anchorage 29 cloudy, Atlanta 37 cloudy, Boston 31 cloudy, Buffalo 35 light rain, Chicago 32 cloudy, Cincinnati 32 partly cloudy, Cleveland 33 cloudy, Dallas 48 partly cloudy, Denver 10 clear, Detroit 36 cloudy, Honolulu 73 clear, Indianapolis 33 cloudy, Kansas City 20 clear, Los Angeles 53 clear, Louisville 37 cloudy, Miami 73 cloudy, Minneapolis-St. Paul -4 clear, Nashville 33 clear, New York 28 cloudy, Philadelphia 30 partly cloudy, Phoenix 55 clear, Pittsburgh 29 clear, St. Louis 31 cloudy, San Francisco 48 partly cloudy, Seattle 33 cloudy, Washington 30 partly cloudy.

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Rebels Nudge Permian, 48-45, In Overtime

By BOB DILLON
Coach Paul Stuecker's Midland Lee Rebels pulled out a heart-stopping 48-45 overtime victory over the Odessa Permian Panthers before a wild screaming overflow crowd Tuesday night in the Lee Gymnasium, to win their 16th consecutive basketball game.

The hard-fought victory gives Lee a sparkling 21-1 season record and more important, a 5-0 record in District 5-4A, to keep a one-game lead over Midland's Bulldogs, 76-53 winners over Odessa High.

It didn't come easy and the

Rebels, who were ice cold from the field in the first half, came up with the clutch plays when they had to in order to notch the victory.

The heroics of Jeffrey Jackson and Brett Blackwell in the three-minute overtime was the difference as Lee had to come from behind in the second half to catch the Panthers.

Lee scored following the tip-off to start the overtime with Blackwell hitting a driving layup for a 43-41 lead after regulation time ended with the score tied, 41-41.

Brad Van Clove, Permian's 5-11 senior playmaker and

guard, connected on a layup to tie the score, 43-43, with 2:01 left. Lee missed on a shot and the Black Cats brought the ball down court, working for the easy basket, but Jackson stole the ball and

went the length of the court to hit a driving layup for a 45-43 advantage with 1:34 left. He was fouled by James Hunter of Permian and sank the free throw for a 46-43 lead with 38 seconds left, but

missed the second charity toss. Junior Miller came down with a defensive rebound for the Rebs and fired downcourt to Blackwell, who hit the layup on the fast break for a 48-43 lead, and then with four

seconds left, Hunter scored his 19th point for Permian, but it was too late and much to the delight of the Lee fans, the Rebels had another big victory to stay in the driver's seat for the first half championship.

Permian chose not to run

with the Rebels at the offset of the game as Coach Ron Mayberry's Panthers ran their usual disciplined offense, to post an 11-3 lead at the end of the first period and continued to lead, mainly on the shooting of Hunter, Van Clove and Craig Johnson, for

a 28-25 lead at intermission. Lee missed on 20 shots, most of them from inside, in the first half and the Panthers took advantage of this.

The third period was low scoring with Lee outscoring

and shot 44 per cent from the field to 37 per cent for the Longhorns.

Texas Coach Leon Black said "They rebounded well, shot the ball well—I don't know of any area they didn't beat us. All I can do is give SMU a lot of credit."

Swanson Leads Way
Swanson hauled down 21 rebounds and scored 12 points. Guard John Sagehorn was high for SMU with 17 points while Bruce Baker's 15 points paced the Longhorns.

Thomas Bledsoe, a 6-foot-6 junior college transfer, hit seven of eight shots from the field to lead the Horned Frogs. Bledsoe is now shooting an incredible 67.9 per cent from the field for the year.

"Thomas isn't a great shooter for distance but he's uncanny around the basket," said TCU Coach Johnny Swain. "His longest shot tonight was at the free throw line."

Rufus Guides Bears
Swain added "Thomas is a winner and knows how to play inside. He's good at driving to the basket."

Freshman Tony Rufus was the best for Baylor with 22 points and 12 rebounds.

Don Floyd was the hero for the Aggies, hitting two free throws with 36 seconds left to ice the victory over the Owls.

Rice led in the early going with guard Charles Daniels, who scored 23 points for the Owls, the catalyst.

Arkansas, A&M, SMU, and TCU now are tied for the SWC lead with 1-0 records. Baylor is 1-1 while Texas and Texas Tech own 0-1 ledgers. Rice is 0-2.

Miller Seeks 3rd In Row

PEBBLE BEACH, Calif. (AP) — "The pressure is on him now," said Johnny Miller, looking forward to his head-to-head confrontation with Jack Nicklaus in this week's Bing Crosby National Pro-Am Golf Tournament.

"People are beginning to wonder now," Miller said. "They're beginning to ask, 'Hey, look at this Johnny Miller and what he's doing. Is Jack really that good?'"

"He hasn't played in quite a while. The pressure is on him."

And Nicklaus, for a decade the dominant player in the game but a sideline spectator during Miller's amazing Arizona exploits, had but one reply: "I've risen to the occasion before."

Miller, who set some astonishing records in his second consecutive sweep of the two Arizona tournaments that opened the tour this year, and Nicklaus will have their first meeting of the season in this event that begins a 72-hole run Thursday over three courses on the spectacularly beautiful Monterey Peninsula.

"I've had a good rest," Nicklaus said. "And I've worked harder on my game than I have in a long time. I'm really anxious to start playing now."

Nicklaus was at his home in Florida, while Miller was splashing his gaudy arithmetic across the scoreboards of the

Southwest.

He won the Phoenix Open with a 269 total, the lowest 72-hole score in 20 years of tournament competition. He shot 11-under-par 61, within one stroke of the all-time tour record, in his victory at Tucson. He was 49-under-par for the two tournaments and won them by 14 and 9 stroke margins. His rounds this year have been 67, 61, 68, 64, 68, 69, 67 and 61.

"I've always had the potential," Miller said. "Look at the record. Look how many times I've shot those real low rounds. I've had a lot of them. But they've always been one a month. Now I seem to be shooting them every round."

While their duel garners most of the attention, the supporting cast of 166 other pros, each with an amateur partner, offers plenty of challenge.

Included are such \$1 million winners as Tom Weiskopf, Billy Casper, Bruce Crampton and Gene Littler, along with such multiple winners from 1974 as Hubert Green, Bobby Nichols and Dave Stockton.

Each two-man squad, one pro and one amateur, play one round each over Pebble Beach, Spyglass Hill and Cypress Point before Sunday's final round at Pebble Beach.

Portions of the final two rounds will be telecast nationally by ABC-TV.



NO YOU DON'T — Midland Lee's Junior Miller is surrounded by Odessa Permian players John Dawson (22) and James Hunter (44) during wild District 5-4A battle in packed Lee Gymnasium Tuesday night. The Rebels went on to win 48-45 overtime victory for 16th win in a row. (Staff Photo by Charles McCain.)

Dogs Dispatch Bronchos, 76-53

BY TED BATTLES
R-T Sports Editor

ODESSA — Once upon a time, the basketball rivalry between Midland High and

Odessa High was one of fiercest in West Texas. Between them, the Bulldogs and Bronchos have won almost as many district championships as the rest of 5-4A combined.

Perhaps the sign over the water fountain outside the OHS gym best describes what has happened to the storied old series. It said simply, "Out of order."

Coach James Cagle's Purple Pack made the most of the Bronchos problems, a 2-20 won-lost record, to post a 76-53 victory Tuesday night.

Midland's 16th win in 22 outings this year kept the Bulldogs in the thick of the 5-4A race with a 4-1 first-half record and two games to go. Odessa is 0-5.

The Bronchos made a game of it for a period, leading 8-6 midway through the first period before the Bulldogs tied it on a fast-break basket by Michael Cobb on a Terry Nelson pass and then took the lead for good on a free throw by John Webb and a 13-10 lead.

It was 15-14 heading into the second period when Roberts hit two baskets and a free throw for a 20-14 lead

and by intermission Midland led 33-22.

Cobb's 22 points led the Bulldogs with Donnie Roberts and Greg Smith also cracking double figures with 15 and 16, respectively.

Six-five Ricky Hayes scored 18 and Robert Lewis 16 to lead Odessa.

Both teams took 53 shots from the field, but Midland made 31 to 22 for Odessa. The Bulldogs' press resulted in repeated turnovers that led to easy goals for the Pack while the Bulldogs' 6-5 inside men Roberts and Cobb had things pretty much their own way under the rim.

Midland's victory combined with Midland Lee's overtime win over Permian removed all the driftwood and turned the first-half 5-4A race into a two-team sprint to the finish.

However, Midland will have to beat tough Cooper at Abilene Friday night to keep its hopes alive going into next Tuesday's televised intra-city game against Lee at Midland High.

After Midland opened a 40-22

gap on two Cobb free throws to open the second half, big Hayes popped in three straight baskets to leave Odessa behind by 12, 50-38.

However, after Cobb drove the base line for two and then rebounded off a missed free throw, Midland's lead was never less than 13 points as Cagle used his entire squad.

Cobb wound up with nine of 12 from the field and Smith made six of his eight attempts.

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SPORTS IN BRIEF Mets' Seaver Takes A Cut

By The Associated Press

BASEBALL
NEW YORK — The National League New York Mets announced that righthanded pitcher Tom Seaver signed his 1975 contract. His reported \$150,000 salary is a \$20,000 cut from last year's pay.

BOSTON — The Boston Red Sox signed Carl Yastrzemski and 16 other players for the 1975 American League season.

TENNIS
PHILADELPHIA — Top-seeded Bjorn Borg was defeated by Bob Lutz of Los Angeles 6-1, 6-4 in the third round of the \$115,000 U.S. Pro Indoor Tennis Championship.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — Third-seeded Karl Meiler of West Germany scored an easy 6-0, 6-2 victory over Viorel Marcu of Romania in the first round of the Birmingham International Indoor Tennis Tournament.

BOWLING
CHICAGO — Betty Morris of Stockton, Calif. was voted Woman Bowler of the Year by the Bowling Writers Association of America.

GENERAL
INDIANAPOLIS — Thomas M. Warner, athletic director at Butler University since 1970, died unexpectedly at his home at the age of 48.

NHL To Skip Expansion

MONTREAL (AP) — Denver and Seattle, scheduled to join the National Hockey League in the 1976-77 season, may enter the league earlier through the purchase of existing franchises, the NHL's president says.

Clarence Campbell, NHL president, said following a two-day meeting of the league's Board of Governors Tuesday night that the entry of the two cities could come about if one or both purchased existing franchises.

He said a meeting of the governors will be held in New York Feb. 1 for further investigation of the subject.

"Both cities have buildings available now," Campbell said. "And I wouldn't be surprised to see them in the league next season."

Campbell said the league

could stay at 18 teams if Denver and Seattle, which has already expressed an interest in purchase of the league-owned California Golden Seals, made such a move.

Although the league president would not designate a club that Seattle could buy, it was learned that the Pittsburgh Penguins franchise, which already has received financial assistance from the league, could be the club involved.

The NHL bought back the Seals franchise from owner Charles O. Finley last season after refusing him permission to move the team out of the San Francisco-Oakland area.

"What we would like to do is keep the thing in balance," Campbell said, noting that it would be unfair for one of the newcomers to start off with an already constructed team while the other would be forced to start from scratch with players picked up in an expansion draft.

After the entry of Seattle and Denver, the NHL was set for further expansion in 1978.

NHL ALL-STAR GAME— Apps Paces 7-1 Victory

MONTREAL (AP) — Anne Apps will have a new car soon, courtesy of her husband Syl, who wrote himself into the history books with two goals Tuesday night in the 28th National Hockey League All-Star game.

Apps won the car as his Prince of Wales Conference teammates cruised to a 7-1 victory over the Clarence Campbell Conference in the historically classic but ritually wide-open event.

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Tech Defensed Arkansas Knocks Off Raiders, 65-62

By The Associated Press

Arkansas Coach Eddie Sutton couldn't have asked for a sweeter Southwest Conference basketball debut.

Sutton, who coached independent Creighton for the last five years, unleashed his defensive wizardry on preseason favorite Texas Tech Tuesday night and the Red Raiders tumbled 65-62 before an enthusiastic home audience.

"I felt our defense was the key," Sutton said. "Texas Tech is still the best team we've played this year. We had tremendous crowd support. They picked us up two or three times when we started to let down."

"If Tech had left here with a win, it would have put them way ahead in the conference race."

SMU Beats Texas

Defending champion Texas also found the going rough on the road, falling 74-59 to fired-up Southern Methodist in Dallas. Texas Christian bounced Baylor 73-66 in Fort Worth and the Texas Aggies came from behind to defeat Rice 64-61 in Houston.

Arkansas was successful in

boxing big Tech center Rick Bullock off the boards, allowing him just eight rebounds although Bullock was high point man with 21-14 of the points in the first half.

"I was disappointed in the defense at times, but that was caused by Bullock," Sutton said. "The defense did, however, end up winning the game for us."

Guard Ricky Medlock scored 16 points and forward Kent Allison plucked off 10 big rebounds before the crowd of 3,100 fans.

Long Layoff

Texas showed the effects of a two-week layoff with cold shooting and poor rebounding against the smaller Mustangs.

"The layoff hurt Texas," said SMU Coach Bob Prewitt. "We were very aggressive on the boards, particularly Jeff Swanson and Joe Swedlund."

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Alleged Drug Ring Charges Rock NFL St. Louis Police Refuse Comment On Memorandum

ST. LOUIS (AP) — St. Louis police have withheld comment on a 40-page intra-department memorandum outlining a young woman's allegations that she participated in a ring supplying drugs to players in the National Football League.

A copy of the memorandum was obtained Tuesday by The Associated Press from radio station KMOX. The St. Louis station said it received its copy from a law enforcement official.

Police would only say that the 19-year-old woman "is con-

fined" and declined to further discuss the case.

The report sent to top police officials said that Roxie Ann Rice told her activities while she was being questioned about her alleged use of a credit card stolen from defensive back Ken Houston of the Washington Redskins. Miss Rice was arrested Jan. 4 on fraud charges and was still in jail Tuesday night.

Among the NFL teams mentioned in the report were the Houston Oilers, St. Louis Cardinals, San Diego Chargers, Detroit Lions, Kansas City Chiefs,

Cincinnati Bengals and the Cleveland Browns. Rice said only that "there's nothing in what she has said that has been substantiated in any way."

A spokesman for the Cardinals said the team had informed the NFL security division of the report. He denied any knowledge of Miss Rice's activities.

Officials of the Chiefs and Chargers were unavailable for comment. Houston officials said they knew nothing of the allegations and therefore would have no comment, and a spokesman for the Lions said: "We have no comment. We have no idea what it's all about."

Joe Blair, a spokesman for the Redskins, said team officials "don't know anything about it." And he called the allegations "unbelievable, fantastic."

Mike Brown, assistant general manager of the Bengals, said, "This is the first I've heard of it. I wouldn't want to comment on it until I know more about it."

"Football's just like the rest of society," he said. "We've probably got some problems too."

Miss Rice reportedly told offi-

cers that she transported briefcases to a number of NFL cities and was met by contacts whom she identified as NFL players. She said that inside the briefcases she found packets with names on them and, on one occasion, was given a bag in which she found marijuana, the report said.

She said she was given false identification and was told to pretend she was a medical student from Ghana, learning about American culture in order to gain access to the players. Miss Rice said she was of-

ten introduced to players by a woman who seemed to be known to many.

Miss Rice told police the names of players, when she stayed with them, what kinds of cars they drove and where they lived, the report said.

The report also quoted Miss Rice as telling police that members of some teams told her they were buying drugs for their team. She said she was once asked if she could provide cocaine, but that she told a player all she could offer was pills and marijuana.

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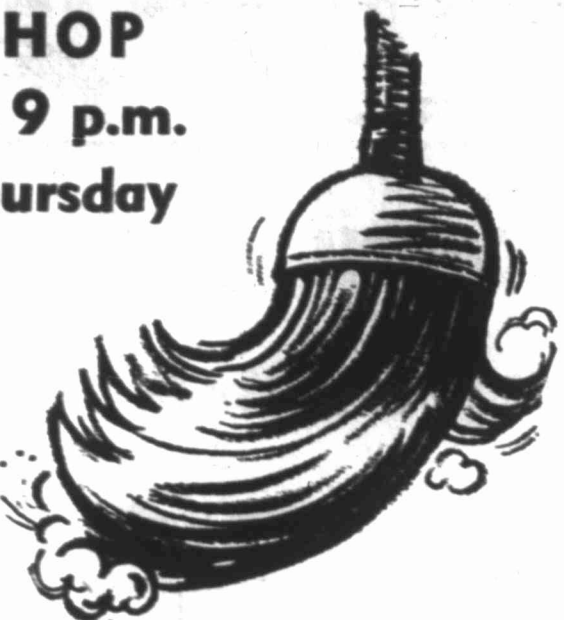
Howe Sparks West

EDMONTON (AP) — Gordie Howe told everybody the third annual World Hockey Association All-Star game would be the last of his distinguished career — then he went out to enjoy it.

Scoring a goal and an assist

to spark the West to a 6-4 victory, Howe won a standing ovation from a capacity crowd of 15,326 at the Edmonton Coliseum and accepted his teammates' tributes after it was over. The triumph was the West's first after two defeats.

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Stanton 5-A Hopes Jolted

STANTON — The Stanton Buffaloes saw their hopes for a first half championship District 5-A severely limited here Tuesday night as the Shallowater Mustangs pulled out a narrow 56-57 cage victory. Stanton is now 1-1 in the loop race while Shallowater ran their mark to 2-1.

Tony Lusk pumped in 16 points to lead the Mustang attack, but Stanton's Bobby Richardson won the game's high point honors with 18 points.

Shallowater's largest lead of the night was six points and Stanton held a four point cushion on several occasions. The Buffs were leading by two at the half, but fell to the Mustangs in the final period.

Shallowater also won the girls varsity game with a 65-46 victory over the Stanton girls. Nan

Rossman To Fight

HAIFA, Israel (AP) — Mike Rossman, a New Jersey middleweight, has agreed to fight a benefit bout in Israel this spring with proceeds going to the rehabilitation of wounded soldiers, it was announced today.

Jack Shalodovsky, an Israeli fight manager, announced the bout and said he thought it would fill Tel Aviv's largest stadium.

Cooper, Abilene Triumph

Abilene and Abilene Cooper look District 5-4A basketball victories Tuesday night, dominating San Angelo, 60-58 and Big Spring 73-65.

Darrell Baxter, 6-8 junior, dumped in 24 points while Earl Swinger added 18 for the Eagles who stand 15-6 on the year and 3-2 in loop play.

Arnold McDowell, 6-3 junior jumping jack, flipped in 25 for the Bobcats who had a chance to tie the game at the buzzer, but Alfred Fields lost control of the ball while trying to get off a shot for the Bobcats. Fields scored 13 points.

Roger Riddlehoover sparked the Cooper attack with 21 points while teammate Corey Pittman chipped in with 20 more and Kenneth McLeod had 16.

Big gun for the Steers was James Zapp with 20 followed by Bubba Stripling with 13.

Cooper stands 14-8 on the year and like Abilene, is 3-2 in loop play while Big Spring is 4-18 and 1-4.

SMU Loses Two Top Prospects

DALLAS (AP) — It was a black Tuesday for Southern Methodist in the schoolboy football signing wars.

The Mustangs lost All-State running back Paul Rice to Southern California and apparently blackship back Stan Singleton to Mesquite made up his mind to go to The University of Texas.

Rice, an All-American schoolboy runner his sophomore season, left for Southern California after SMU officials had been quoted as saying he was coming to the Southwest Conference school. Rice graduated at mid-

TCU CHARGES— Ex-Rainbow Says "It Isn't True"

HONOLULU (AP) — An angry former University of Hawaii player, John Pennebaker, denied Tuesday that he made an obscene gesture toward the American flag during a basketball game with Texas Christian University in 1973.

"It's not true. I flatly deny it," said the 27-year-old four-year veteran of the U.S. Air Force.

"I think it's fascinating that they should come along with something like this," Pennebaker said. "What the hell would I do that for?"

That was Pennebaker's reaction after TCU Coach Johnny Swain's comment Monday in Fort Worth that the alleged gesture by Pennebaker during the playing of the national anthem before the 1973 game might be what has created friction between the two universities.

The latest round of charges and counter charges began last week after TCU's come-from-behind 69-62 victory Jan. 11 over the visiting Rainbows.

Hawaii Coach Bruce O'Neil was quoted in Honolulu newspapers as saying his players lost their poise during that game because of racial slurs and taunts directed at the Hawaii team by TCU fans.

Swain said an investigation failed to confirm any such incidents and he plans to protest to University of Hawaii officials, demanding an apology and retraction by O'Neil.

Recalling the 1973 game, Pennebaker said, "There was no friction before the game. We had just come into town to play a ball game."

"We were all just standing there like we always do when they play the anthem. I'm sure I had my hands at my back or at my side like always. I'm trying to remember just where the flag was. I can't really say I remember."

Red Rocha, who coached the Rainbows in 1973, said Tuesday he didn't see any of his players make any gesture.

Pennebaker said there was a scuffle between TCU and Hawaii players during the game but he wasn't involved.

"I helped separate them," he said.

After the game was over, Pennebaker recalls chasing a TCU fan back up into the stands.

"I was walking across the court and two guys who had been on us from across the way came down from the stands and started yelling at us," Pennebaker said. "I went after one of them and he ran back up game because of racial slurs and taunts directed at the Hawaii team by TCU fans."

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Results of the golf play:
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Second Flight—Julia Hartman, Sunset CC, low gross; Marie Hart, Sunset, low net; Martha McCann, RHCC, low net.

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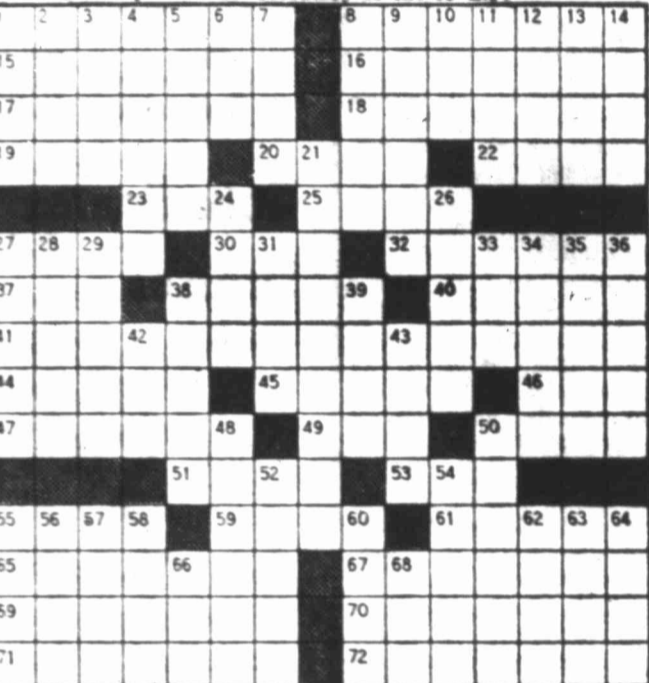
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3—Cheaper

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 - 40 Small egg
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 - 46 Conjunction
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 - 49 Noun suffix denoting explosive
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- 1 Swing music; Slang
 - 2 Seed covering
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 - 6 Port in California
 - 7 German negative
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 - 10 Decline
 - 11 Lobster's chela
 - 12 Wrenched
 - 13 Latvian seaport
 - 14 Scent
 - 21 Increasing in scope, area, etc.
 - 24 Language of Southeast Asia
 - 26 Tributary of the Rhone
 - 27 Money in Bangkok
 - 28 Official decree
 - 29 Period or season; Fr.
 - 31 Ulan Bator, formerly
 - 33 Gov't built power source
 - 34 Sport
 - 35 Inhabitant of Attu
 - 36 Australian city
 - 38 Severe cheek or defeat; Colloq.
 - 39 Struck a heavy blow
 - 42 Theater section, in London
 - 43 "A man for the —"
 - 48 Facet, as a challenge
 - 50 Former Senator
 - 51 Thruston
 - 52 Staff members
 - 54 Mentally quick
 - 55 Stop
 - 56 Poetic preposition
 - 57 But; Ger.
 - 58 Days of —
 - 59 Sewer
 - 62 Gen. Wingate
 - 63 Small dam
 - 64 Like some dollops
 - 65 Strife
 - 68 L.P.



Answer to yesterday's puzzle on second page of Classifieds.

THE BETTER HALF

By Bob Barnes



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Short Takes On Business



Shannon Swope

Promotion Told

Cosmetics International Corp. of Dallas has named Shannon Swope as the new regional manager of its Midland division. Miss Swope moved to Midland from the head office in December. She had served as products supervisor and assistant to the regional manager at Fort Worth in 1974. She will head 12 division managers located in the Midland office, 2209 N. Big Spring St.

Sales Projected

FORT WORTH — Radio Shack, the consumer electronics division of Tandy Corp. which has retail outlets in Midland and Odessa, is projecting sales in the area of \$80 million for fiscal 1975 from its company-owned and operated manufacturing facilities in the United States, Canada, Japan and South Korea. Last year these factories reported record sales of \$56 million.

According to Radio Shack president Lewis Kornfield, the company is examining sales for product groupings that can be made into prosperous and innovative Radio Shack manufacturing businesses.

Total Increases

Continental Airlines recorded

an almost double expanding passenger count at Midland Regional Air Terminal during December over December 1973. Continental's boarding records listed a total of 20,214 passengers compared to the 1973 December total of 13,753.

Texas International, because of strike by ground workers, had a total of only 220 boardings of the Terminal during December.

Mike Fletcher, Texas International representative here, said the airline should start flying again after the first of February. However, Fletcher said, "There is no way of knowing for sure if any of the flights will be scheduled out of Midland Regional Air Terminal."

Fletcher said the Midland operation of Texas International is presently "shut down" and it is unknown when it will resume.

Earnings Reported

DALLAS — The Southland Corp. which operates 7-Eleven stores, has announced that, based on unaudited results, 1974 was the best year in its 47-year history.

Net earnings increased 27.3 per cent on a 15.4 per cent gain in revenues.

Consolidated revenues rose to \$1.6 billion from \$1.4 billion in 1973, while net earnings increased to \$29.7 million from \$23.3 million.

Southland operates more than 5,100 7-Eleven stores in 38 states, the District of Columbia, Canada, Mexico and Japan. It also is a major processor of dairy products distributed under 14 regional brand names and operates more than 200 sandwich shops, a n d y stores and other retail food outlets in the U.S.

Other Southland business interests include truck leasing, manufacturing and distribution of specialty chemicals, ice and candy, and a 50 per cent interest in two United Kingdom retail food operations with more than 1,000 outlets.

Spokesman Says TIA Wants Settlement To Strike Soon

HOUSTON (AP) — A spokesman for Texas International Airlines says the company wants to settle a strike as soon as possible although an official of the Airline Pilots Association claims the firm feels no urgency to do this.

Jim O'Donnell, Texas International vice president of public relations, said Tuesday the company wants to end the strike to cut its post-strike losses due to the loss of customers to competing airlines.

O'Donnell denied a charge by Arthur Speagle, the community affairs officer for the Airline Pilots Association, that the company was not interested in settling the strike because it was receiving strike insurance payments.

Speagle told the Lafayette, La. Airport Commission and Chamber of Commerce that TI was collecting \$84,000 a day in strike insurance payments.

The pilots' group is not on strike but has been honoring a picket line by the Airline Employees Association since Dec. 5. Speagle said the company has no desire to settle the strike this month because January and February is a traditional slack time for the airlines.

O'Donnell said the real target of the strike is the insurance

payments from the Mutual Aid Pact. The system provides a percentage of operating costs to airlines hit by strikes.

Speagle predicted no settlement until March unless something is done "because TI wants to take advantage of mutual aid for the first three months."

O'Donnell said the statement is "based on a very shallow understanding" of the airline business.

"Real impact of a strike is not on losses during the strike," he said. "The larger losses is the post strike operations."

He explained this as lost customers who were forced to ride with TI competition during the strike.

Midland Resident Receives 20 Years In Andrews Holdup

ANDREWS — Demetrius Elkins, a 19-year-old Midland resident, was given a 20-year prison term Monday on an armed robbery charge. He pled guilty in 109th District Court here.

He was charged with James Earl Cain, 34, also of Midland, after they were arrested shortly after the Sept. 13 robbery of the Handy Way Grocery in Andrews.

Elkins and Cain were arrested about an hour after the robbery and the money was recovered. Cain, also a Midland resident, is to stand trial at a later date.

Midland Woman Hurt In Accident

Mrs. Vicky Elaine Carter, 2100 Northrup St., was injured Wednesday afternoon in a three-car accident at a parking lot in the 1100 block of North Midkiff Street.

She was treated and released from Midland Memorial Hospital.

Police said Mrs. Carter's car and a car driven by Mrs. Linda Carol Nix, 3500 Sentinal St., were in collision. Then, the Carter vehicle and a car driven by Mrs. Patricia Price Edwards, 118 Eisenhower St., were in collision.

Cecilia Traweck Gets Scholarship

Cecilia Traweck of 307 North F Street was presented a \$200 scholarship at the Midland West Rotary Club meeting Tuesday.

Mrs. Pat Myers, director of nurses training at Midland College, assisted the club members in selecting Miss Traweck as the award recipient. The Rotary Club sponsors the annual scholarship award to assist a woman involved in vocational nurses training.

Miss Traweck attended St. Ann's School, Greenwood School and is a graduate of Midland High School. She worked as a nurses aid for seven months at the Leisure Lodge and at Midland Memorial Hospital for one and a half years until she began vocational nurses training. Miss Traweck also attended pre-nursing classes at Odessa College.

She lives at home with her parents and four other children.

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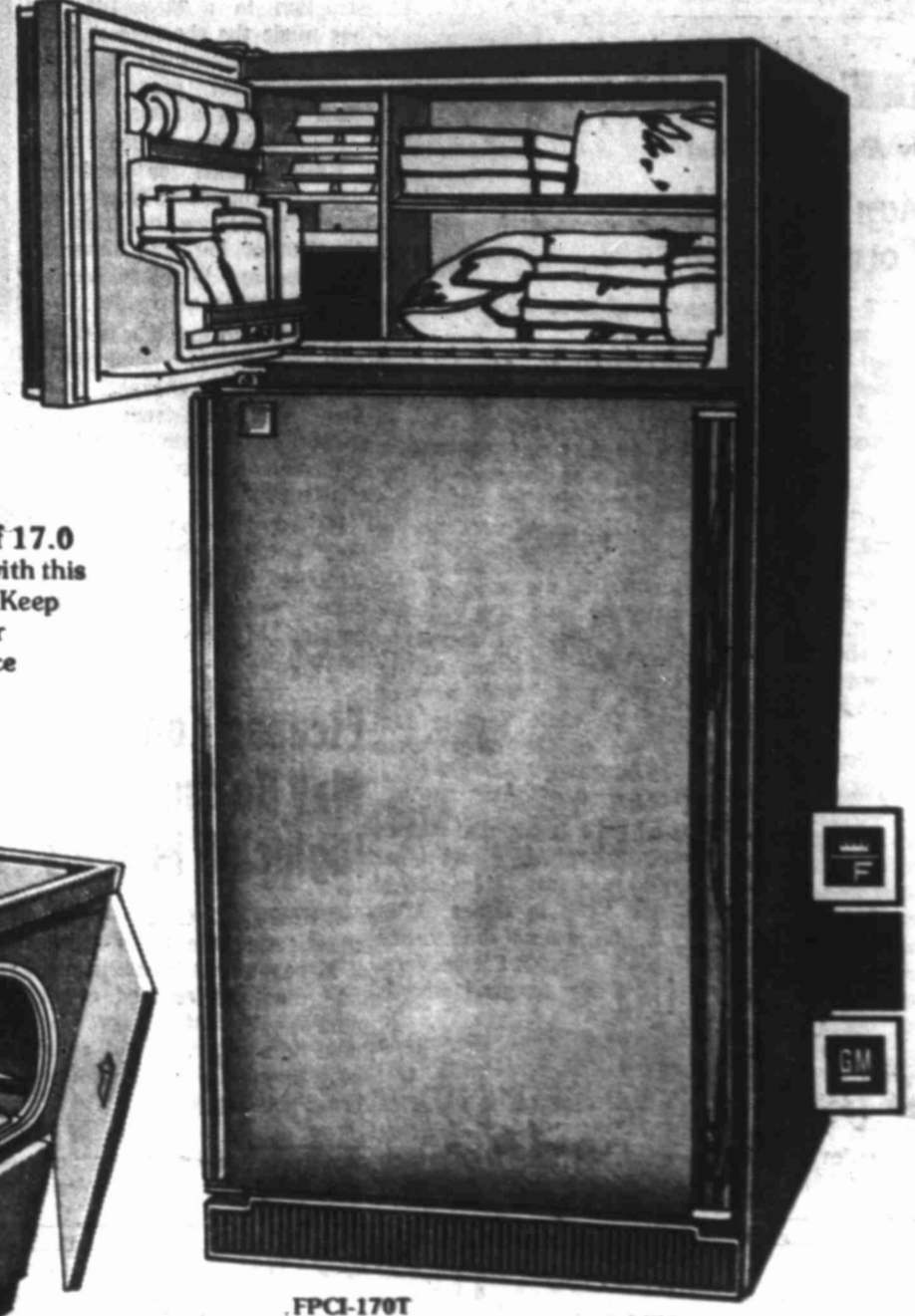


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Mayors To Ask Reversal Of Depression Of Housing Industry In 'Inner Cities'

DALLAS (AP) — The legislative action arm of the U.S. Conference of Mayors says it will urge President Ford and the Democrat-dominated Congress to act swiftly to reverse a depression in the nation's housing industry, especially in the inner cities.

Specifically, Mayor Richard Hatcher of Gary, Ind., said the mayors will urge reduced interest rates, an increased supply of mortgage money and efforts to stimulate production of multi-family housing in urban areas for low and middle-income groups.

The attack program emerged following a meeting between the mayors and the 1,000-member board of directors of the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB) at the NAHB convention here.

"We intend to go to Congress. We intend to appeal to the congressional leadership and to meet with the appropriate congressional committees and ask them to immediately take up proposals aimed at relieving the present crisis," said Hatcher, a cochairman of the mayors' legislative committee.

Mayor Lee Alexander of Syracuse, N.Y., the other cochairman, said the NAHB and the mayors agreed to "a marriage" to work together with "political clout" to get government action.

A prime area of concern — and one where the builders and mayors share different views — is the rehabilitation and preservation of inner city homes.

"A major concern of the U.S. Conference of Mayors is to secure a high national priority for efforts to preserve and rehabilitate our existing housing stock," said Alexander. "While the NAHB has in the past supported rehabilitation programs, the production of new houses has clearly been their major concern."

"I cannot say that we persuaded them of the merits of our case," he added.

Closer Look Promised

Lewis Center, outgoing NAHB president, indicated to newsmen the inner cities will get a closer look by builders in the years ahead, but they need to be assured of making a profit there.

Kenneth Gibson, mayor of Newark, N.J., called for "immediate federal action to spur construction and rehabilitation of housing in the nation's cities."

"Even in good times there has been a shortage of decent housing in our cities," Gibson said. "But the nationwide recession has brought most construction to a standstill, and has made the shortage of housing so acute that it is insufferable for many of our most helpless citizens."

Subsidies Urged

Gibson called for an immediate resumption of federal subsidies to reduce the rent for families of low and moderate incomes, and to reduce interest rates on home mortgages.

Gibson also urged a new federal priority for rehabilitation because it "is cheaper, faster than new construction and causes less upheaval and displacement of families than new construction and demolition."

He asked the builders to shift their emphasis from new construction to rehabilitation because "we must recycle this housing to meet our housing needs."



... AND THE HOUSE FELL — Mrs. Mary Adams, foreground, holds her door keys in Stockport, England, Tuesday after shutting her front door with a bang, apparently causing the structure to slide into the River Mersey, background. "The door was a little stiff so I gave it a good bang," she said. The house, last in a row of old buildings, adjoins a bridge carrying heavy traffic over the river. (AP Wirephoto.)

House Panel To Quiz FBI Director About Change In Testimony

WASHINGTON (AP) — A House subcommittee plans to ask FBI Director Clarence M. Kelley why he failed to disclose in testimony last year that the FBI keeps records of unsubstantiated allegations against members of Congress.

Rep. Don Edwards, D-Calif., has asked Kelley and Deputy Atty. Gen. Laurence H. Silberman to testify at House Judiciary subcommittee hearings beginning Jan. 30 on FBI procedures for filing information about Senate and House members.

Both officials plan to comply with Edwards' request, FBI and Justice Department officials said Tuesday.

Kelley acknowledged in a three-page statement that the FBI keeps "information not solicited by the public" making allegations concerning members of Congress as well as other individuals in public and private life.

Edwards noted that the subcommittee questioned Kelley about the issue during last Feb. 28.

Pope Paul Trying To Get Vatican's Budget In Black

VATICAN CITY (AP) — The Vatican's 1975 budget is in the red, and Pope Paul VI has set up a commission of experts to cut expenses, a circular letter from the papal secretary of state revealed today.

The letter from Jean Cardinal Villot gave no figures. But it said the Pope and the top-ranking members of the Vatican Curia refused at a meeting a week ago to approve the proposed budget for 1975.

Even without details, any financial disclosure by the central administration of the Roman Catholic Church is most unusual.

The Vatican like every other government in the world has been affected by inflation and increased energy costs. And the Church is reported to have lost heavily in the collapse of Italian financier Michele Sindona's international banking empire.

Nixon's file was moved into Hoover's office when Nixon became President because Hoover didn't want curious employees pawing through it, DeLoach said.

Among the files was one on former President Richard M. Nixon, who once applied for a job as an FBI agent, DeLoach said.

Nixon was accepted but then turned down the job and later became a House member and Senator before becoming president.

Chief Installed In South Africa

PORT ELIZABETH, South Africa (AP) — Chief Maseema of the Jingu tribe was installed late in 1974 as the tribe's first chief in 100 years.

Maseema says he will be the tribe's first leader since his great-great-grandfather was banished in 1874 to Robben Island off Cape Town by the then-ruling British authorities.

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—By Abigail van Buren

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About halfway through, he ran out of film and didn't have his wallet so I advanced him \$20 for more film. Later we got together and he promised me \$100 for the pictures he had developed. But I haven't heard from him. I don't know how to get in touch with him. I want my \$20 back but I'm afraid to call him because I am sure he will tell me he is a con man and I will be in trouble.

DEAR ABBY: I have a problem. What's yours? For a personal reply, write to ABBY in care of this newspaper. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope, please.



Escaped Convict May Be Linked To Nightclub Murders

MONTREAL (AP) — Police investigating the mass murder of 11 people in a Montreal night club think an escaped convict named Richard Blass may have been involved. But apparently they have no concrete evidence pointing to him.

The police are trying to determine if there is any connection between the wholesale killing in the Garaganta Club Monday night and the mob-style killing of two men in the same club last October. They think the killer or killers Monday night might have been eliminating witnesses to the October slaying.

Two Men Killed

Two men entered the second-floor club over a cleaning shop last Oct. 30. fired 10 shots into Raymond Laurin, 30, and Roger Levesque, 28, and escaped. The police said they suspected Blass and Roger Rousseau, who escaped a week earlier from a Montreal penitentiary and who the police said had been in league with the two murdered men in 1969.

Rousseau was recaptured about six weeks ago and is accused of another killing in another Montreal bar a week before Blass is still at large.

Reconstruction Made

The police made this reconstruction of the murders Monday night: The killer or killers shot the manager, Remyan Pivrot, 43, in the head and one of the customers, Pierre Lamarche, 39, in the stomach shortly before midnight. Then they herded the other 11 people in the club into a 6-by-8-foot beer storage closet along with Pivrot's body and Lamarche, padlocked the door, barricaded it with a juke box and set fire to the building.

It took the fire department about three hours to put out the fire. Firemen said it appeared the fire was started near the door of the closet.

12 Asphyxiated

We think they wanted to get rid of any witnesses," said Asst. Police Director Claude Desautels.

He said Fortin died of his wounds, but Lamarche and the others were asphyxiated by the fire.

The other victims included Fortin's wife, Claire, a go-go dancer at the club, 21-year-old Denise Lauze, another woman, and eight men. Most of them were believed to be innocent bystanders who happened to be in the bar at the time.

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Trouble Stalls Phnom Penh Convoy

PHNOM PENH, Cambodia (AP) — Phnom Penh's first supply convoy in a month was reported stalled by propeiler trouble 44 miles southeast of the Cambodian capital today.

Two tugs towing barges loaded with a total of about 4,000 tons of ammunition were trying to make the run up the Mekong River with the protection of 728 fighter planes, helicopter gunships and navy gunboats.

A military source said one tug fouled its propeller and was beached 12 miles south of Neak Loong while workmen made repairs. The source said the convoy had come under some fire from the Khmer Rouge insurgents but not at the point where the voyage was interrupted.

However, more than 30 miles of river bank controlled by the insurgents remain to be cleared.

The Khmer Rouge cut all roads into Phnom Penh more than a year ago, and their guns along the banks of the Mekong have blocked supply convoys from South Vietnam since mid-December. American and Thai planes have been flying ammunition in, and the city is reported to have more than a month's supply of food, but it is running short of gasoline.

Phnom Penh's airport was shelled today for the second day, required 20,000 pairs of time in daylight, and 11 persons hands to build.

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More Bestsellers Bypassing Movies For Television

By LEE MARGULIES
LOS ANGELES (AP) — The movie? It was okay, but you should have read the book. How many times have you heard it, or said it yourself as you left a theater wondering why so much was lost in transition from print to film? Time was at fault in many cases. A number of bestsellers defied condensation into two- or three-hour movies. Now the television industry is offering a solution. It has entered the book market with plans to turn books into films that run four hours and up on TV. NBC already has made a

four-hour version of Joseph Wambaugh's "The Blue Knight," which it presented in one-hour segments on four consecutive nights in November 1973. ABC did a six-hour adaptation of Leon Uris' "QB VII" that aired on two consecutive nights last spring. Three- and four-hour movies, originals as well as book adaptations, will be appearing with increasing frequency over the next several years, executives at all three networks agree. Even longer projects are in the works at ABC. Irwin Shaw's novel "Rich Man, Poor Man" is slated to become a 12-hour "the longest single pro-

duction ever announced for television," said Martin Sanger, ABC entertainment president. It will not be shown in one evening. ABC is waiting to see how the film turns out before deciding how to divide it. Another lengthy project is "Roots," Alex Haley's forthcoming book tracing his family history through several hundred years back to a village in Africa. Gore Vidal's "Burr" is to be six hours. "It opens up a whole new area for television," says Stan Margulies, an independent pro-

ducer who is developing "Roots" for ABC. "It seems to us it's the next step beyond the weekly series and beyond the movie of the week." American audiences have seen that thinking exemplified in British series such as "The Forsythe Saga" and "War and Peace." Brandon Stoddard, ABC Entertainment's vice president of motion pictures for television, sees another attraction in the longer format. "I think it offers a chance to do generational stories, stories which involve character changes over a period of time. In episodic television that's

very hard to do. Marcus Welby has to be the same every week." There are other reasons why a growing number of books are being offered first to television, instead of the movie industry. Declining motion picture production means that film studios seek only a few stories now, chiefly those that might be box-office blockbusters. Most best-sellers in the past have not been movie success — witness "Portnoy's Complaint," "Catch-22" and "The Love Machine." "There's been a growing awareness over the last 18 months or so that something can be an excellent piece of entertainment on television and not be good movie fare," offered a spokesman for Universal Studios. "There've been a number of films recently that did not do as well as people expected them to, and they're saying now that if it had been made for television it would have been highly regarded and gotten a big audience." Exceptions Exist

That is not to say that studios and independent film makers aren't willing to pull out the stops when the right project comes along. No one is forgetting that many all-time box office champions came from books: "The Godfather," "The Exorcist," "Gone with the Wind," "Dr. Zhivago," "Airport." "If a book lends itself to a 2- to 2½-hour format and is a best-seller, there's just no competition," says an ABC spokesman. "We wouldn't have a chance. Theatrical movies can offer the author so much more money" — not only in the initial sale but in a percentage of the profits. Wambaugh, whose first novel, "The New Centurions," became a feature film and whose

second, "The Blue Knight," was a TV mini-series, says the additional time format on TV is flattering, but most authors will not be swayed by that alone. "It may sound cynical but I think the highest bid gets the property," he said and, referring to "The Blue Knight," added, "I know it was money with me. I got a better offer from TV." Wambaugh does one or two for television. "There is a bonus sometimes, I think, and that is that television can do a work more honestly than a feature film can," he says. "Things like 'Private Slovik' and 'Jane Pittman' wouldn't sell in a theater, but they were absolutely brilliant on TV, in their medium."

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Neil Simon Leaving Broadway

By ELLIE GROSSMAN
NEW YORK (NEA) — Go ahead. Be nice to a playwright. Give him an unequalled run of hits on Broadway — one a year for 14 years. Laugh at his jokes, smile at his ingenuity, bask in his compassion for the human condition. And what is he doing? Selling his elegant townhouse in the East Sixties and moving wife, two daughters — even his mother — to California. That's gratitude for you. Neil Simon, of course, doesn't feel he's abandoning the audience that has come to rely on him for success from New York in particular, and life in general. He needs some surcease himself. "After 14 years and 14 plays," he says, "I get the feeling I'm doing the same thing with my life."

Writing basically for the same audience and the same critics. Worrying about their reactions. And finding it increasingly difficult, after 14 years, to "think of unexplored areas" to write about for the stage. "I wouldn't want to go through it again for anything next year," he says. So it's off to movieland, to write for larger, younger audiences; to work with his wife, actress Marsha Mason ("The screenplay after next will be for her, called 'Clark Gable Slept Here'"); and to "live in a warmer climate. A safer one? No," he says firmly in his mid-way, "there is no such thing." That's it. That's why it's difficult to accept this pleasant, unassuming, moon-faced man — as the life behind characters who honk neurotically and explode with life's exasperations. He seems able to confront reality and come away intact. No nervous ties. No hysteria. Hardly the creator of a Felix Unger or a Joe Benjamin, the main character in Simon's latest, and possibly last, play, "God's Favorite."

Occasionally, Simon speaks at colleges ("The word 'lecture' frightens me," he says cringing. "It's just question and answer periods"), and what he passes on to young playwrights is comedy), and loves to write. "I like being able to go upstairs to my study and spend four or five hours working. I never find it a lonely business like some writers. But then he spent 10 years collaborating with other writers on television shows, so the isolation is understandably gratifying. So is the polishing. He's a craftsman who only stops rewriting because he has to. "When I go into rehearsal with a script," he says, "it's sixty per cent of what will get on the stage. You can't rewrite forever, and a play's finished because it's opened. I know from past experience that it's never going to be right. Occasionally, Simon speaks at colleges ("The word 'lecture' frightens me," he says cringing. "It's just question and answer periods"), and what he passes on to young playwrights is

is basically the lay of the land. "I tell them about the pitfalls and the joys. Those who want it badly enough will push aside the pitfalls. I was discouraged a great deal in the beginning by the business," he says. "But my older brother Danny's encouragement was enormous. He told me I had talent so often that I gradually believed it. And when I started having some success, I said well, there's something to work with." Another truth suddenly comes to mind. "You know," he says, "there are a lot of people who don't really want things. I don't mean success or material things. Relationships, or health, for example. If you want to be healthy, you will be." The opportunities, despite what anybody says, are always there. "Nothing comes your way," he says. "It goes by and you have to reach out and grab



Neil Simon

'The Jeffersons,' 'Smothers Brothers' High in Ratings

NEW YORK (AP) — Two mid-season replacement series, CBS' "The Jeffersons" and NBC's "Smothers Brothers" variety show, each earned high ratings marks in their national television debuts last week. According to A.C. Nielsen ratings figures made public Tuesday, "The Jeffersons" was the nation's fourth most popular program last week. The Smothers Brothers fared almost as well in their return to a network TV series after a five-year absence. They were ranked sixth in over-all popularity among all programs, rated last week. According to the Nielsen figures for the week of Jan. 13-19, the nation's 20 most-watched programs were: "Sanford and Son" (NBC); "All in the Family" (CBS); "Chico and the Man" (NBC); "The Jeffersons" (CBS); "Marty" (CBS); "The Smothers Brothers" (NBC); "Kojak" (CBS); "Hawaii Five-O" (CBS); "M-A-S-H" and "The Waltons" (all CBS); "Rockford Files" (NBC); "Good Times" (CBS); "Entertainer of the Year Special" and "Bob Newhart" (all CBS); "Little House on the Prairie" (NBC); "Rhoda" (CBS); "Police Woman" (NBC); "Maude" (CBS); "Streets of San Francisco" (ABC); and "Mannix" (CBS).

Version of Job

Joe is Simon's version of Job, a millionaire manufacturer who refuses to renounce God and gets hit with everything: burasitis, gout, tennis elbow and the usual flood, famine and havoc. "What did I mean by the play? It took me a whole play to say it," Simon smiles. "In a way, I become everybody when I write a play, so I was the leading character because of his faith in God. I was the wife who wanted him to give up. I was God's messenger who just wanted to get his job done. We all go through some of those attitudes. "But I meant, I think, exactly what Walter Kerr said in his review: that sometimes you have to point up how preposterous things are when we take them so seriously." A thoughtful, family man who wears glasses and speaks with a New York accent, Simon likes to sketch and do water colors ("I love to do scenes of old New York buildings"), likes to read biographies because "the lives of people — Joe Gallo and Truman, for instance — fascinate me," likes to watch sports and old movies on television ("More care goes into the making of a movie so it's more satisfying than a situation

Public Tv May One Day Get National Programs Via Satellite

By JAY SHARBUTT
NEW YORK (AP) — By 1978, the nation's public TV stations could start receiving national programs directly from a domestic satellite instead of over the current system of telephone lines, a top public TV executive says. But three major hurdles lie ahead, says Hartford Gunn Jr., president of the Public Broad-

PBRPC To Hold Semi-Annual Meet

The Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission's semi-annual general membership meeting will be held Thursday at Seminole. The program will feature a review of the Permian Basin emergency medical systems plan as outlined by Harley Reeves, PBRPC comprehensive health planner, and members of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. The speakers from NASA will include Dr. Sam Lee Pool, Earl Cravens, Brown Owens and Richard Sindererson. Ernie Crawford, PBRPC executive director, will review commission activities for elected, appointed and advisory officials in attendance. The PBRPC board of directors will consider two grant applications by the Texas Highway Department for street improvement projects at Big Spring amounting to \$315,000. War Started Here Fort Sumpter, where the shots that began the Civil War were fired in 1861, served as a military post for the U.S. Army until 1948.

Bucharest Anglican Church In Danger

LONDON (AP) — The last Anglican church in communist eastern Europe and Russia is in danger of being lost by neglect, says the Bishop of Fulham and Gibraltar, the Rt. Rev. John Satterthwaite. There used to be 12 churches and now there is only the Church of the Resurrection in Bucharest, Romania. The bishop has appealed for donations for extensive repairs to the church roof which are beyond the capacity of the local community.

Zsa Zsa Weds Husband No. 6

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — Hungarian-born actress Zsa Zsa Gabor took her sixth husband in a quiet civil ceremony at a Las Vegas Strip hotel, then commented: "I've really only been married twice." Miss Gabor, 55, married wealthy California inventor and businessman John W. "Jack" Ryan here Tuesday night. It was Ryan's second marriage. Miss Gabor said Ryan was the only man who could compete for her affections with the late George Sanders, her third husband. She said her other husbands were merely "father figures." "If this doesn't work, I shoot myself," she said. Ryan, 48, former head of the research division of Mattel Toys, supervised creation of the Barbie Doll. He also aided in the development of the Hawk and Sparrow missiles while working for the Raytheon Corp.

Kenya Now Run Own Peace Corps

NAIROBI, Kenya (AP) — The entire training program for Peace Corps volunteers in Kenya is now run by Kenyans rather than by Americans. Peace Corps director Bruce Mazzie, announcing this, said the Peace Corps in Kenya is the first in the world to turn the training responsibility over to the host country.

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Applications for a fun-filled summer vacation for handicapped children in the Midland area now are being accepted and processed by members of the nine Midland Lions clubs. The Unique Texas Lions Camp for Crippled Children at Kerrville will open its first two-week session on June 1. Four sessions will be held this summer for youths from seven through 16 years of age. The camp is free to eligible blind, deaf, mute or crippled children. All requests for summer camp are handled through Lions Clubs at the local level. Information concerning the camp may be obtained by contacting C. E. McCain at 682-1282 (office) or 684-8747 (residence). He is a member of the Southside Lions Club. The other Midland Lions Clubs are Downtown, Westside, Terminal, Eastside, Morning, Evening, Tall City and Greenwood. In past years, Texas Lions have sent more than 15,000 youngsters to the camp at Kerrville.

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EDITORIALS

Effective Ministry

When a clergyman remains in a pastorate for more than 20 years and when he is active in the civic and cultural life of the community and interested in its overall well-being . . . well, that individual becomes a part of the community.

And when that minister of the gospel accepts a call elsewhere and prepares to move from his pastorate and the community, it just doesn't seem right or proper.

This relates, of course, to the recently announced resignation of Dr. L. L. Morriss as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Midland, after more than 20 years of service.

The announcement came as a shock to his 6,000-member congregation. It was no less of a shock to the community in which he has labored faithfully and well.

Dr. Morriss' ministry has had a tremendous impact—religious, civic and cultural—on the life of the Tall City and its environs, and just as members of his church regret to see him leave, so do the citizens of the community. This speaks well for a minister, and it is a distinct compliment for Lester Morriss, who has invested a good part of his life in the First Baptist Church and

in the city as a whole.

The First Baptist Church has experienced a tremendous growth in membership, plant, facilities, and in spiritual influence under Dr. Morriss' leadership. The church, Midland's largest and one of the largest in the denomination, operates on an annual budget nearing \$750,000.

But more than this, the popular Lester Morriss has ministered to his congregation as its pastor and his community as a loyal, responsible citizen.

He will be missed, certainly, by his First Baptist flock, just as he will be missed by the community at large.

Midland, however, is a better city as a result of Dr. Morriss having lived and labored here.

Mrs. Morriss also will be missed by her many, many friends and acquaintances. She, too, has had a major role in the life of the church and community.

Midlanders wish Dr. and Mrs. Morriss well as they depart Midland and as he assumes his new duties as director of evangelism for the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Let's Let It Rest

There seemingly is considerable doubt over the state if this is the proper time to launch another campaign for a new Texas Constitution.

Price Daniel Jr., immediate past speaker of the House, has recommended a second try, as have others, but the proposal has met with a cool reception, generally speaking.

Many Texans remember all too well the fiasco of last summer when members of the legislature, sitting as a Constitution Convention, attempted without success to draft a new constitution. A great deal of money and effort went down the drain.

It is much too soon now to come back with another session which probably wouldn't fare any better than the 1974 effort. The matter

should be allowed to rest for awhile.

In addition to this, it already is evident that the legislators will have their hands full in dealing with multiple problems of significance facing the legislature in the months ahead. This is no time to again burden them with a matter so controversial as a new state constitution.

Let's get on with the business at hand in Austin, coming back to the matter of constitutional revision at a later date.

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Hush money is what babysitters are paid.

Bible Verse

By faith we understand that the world was created by the word of God, so that what is seen was made out of things which do not appear. — Hebrews 11:3.

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NICK THIMMESCH

Where Is All That Money Going?

WASHINGTON — Well, we now have some complete "official" figures about where the oil-producing nations put that \$60 billion surplus they earned last year from oil prices they quadrupled.

The Department of Treasury reports that only 18 per cent of the boodle came to the United States, and less than \$1 billion was invested in U.S. real estate and private securities. Those worrywarts concerned that we were about to be taken over by Arabs, Venezuelans and Iranians can breathe easier.

The breakdown, as revealed by Gerald L. Parsky, assistant secretary of the treasury, shows "probably at least \$21 billion" deposited with banks in the Eurocurrency market. So the Europeans got the lion's share. Next, \$11 billion was directly invested in the United States. About \$8 billion went to England in sterling assets. Another \$5 billion went to loans to other industrial countries.

Some \$3.5 billion went to international financial institutions. Developing countries got \$2 billion, and the rest went to investment management accounts to Europe, private sector loans and real estate and corporate securities in Europe and Japan.

Of the U.S. investment, half went to marketable government and agency securities; the rest is in bank deposits and short-term money market instruments. Parsky stressed that there is no evidence that the U.S. share of this oil money is increasing—in fact, "in recent months our share has declined."

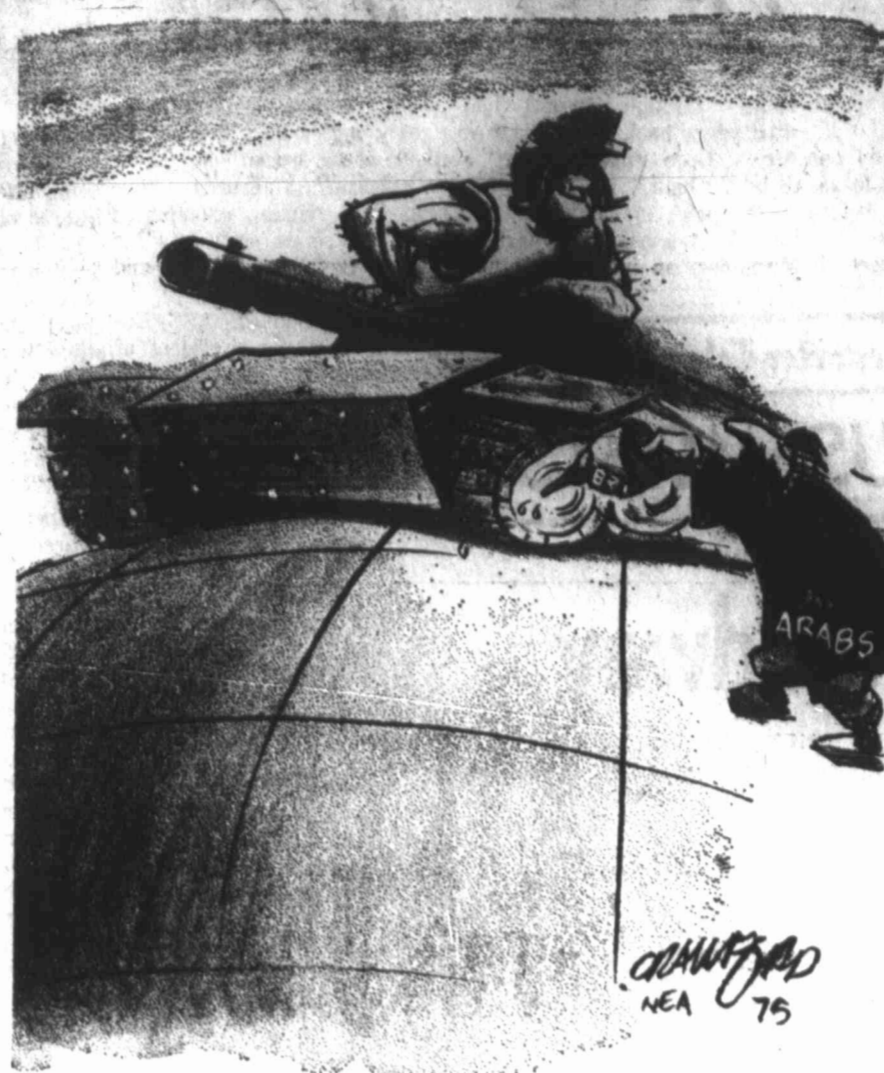


During the period that \$11 billion flowed into the United States, we paid an extra \$18 billion for crude oil and refined products in increased prices. Moreover, a good portion of the \$11 billion was loaned by the U.S. banking system back to other oil-consuming countries.

The bottom line, according to Parsky, is that "it appears an excessive portion of the producers' funds has not flowed to the United States and remained here." We are not being invaded by the oil producers. Rather than being apprehensive about investments in the United States by oil-producing nations, Parsky points out (employing common sense where there is too often stupid fear), we should welcome these funds. These investments can make a needed contribution to our capital formation as well as "facilitate a desirable lengthening in the maturity of the producers' asset portfolios."

Currently in Washington, certain special interest groups, political as well as economic, are lobbying for legislation against investments in the United States by the oil-rich countries. Parsky thinks

He Isn't Oiling It Up For Nothing



The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By JACK ANDERSON With LES WHITTEN

WASHINGTON — The preliminary, secret testimony in the CIA investigation has focused on the White House itself.

Former CIA chief Richard Helms, according to sources close to the investigation, testified behind closed doors that he had been pressured by both Presidents Lyndon Johnson and Richard Nixon to spy on Vietnam War protesters.

As far back as 1967, Helms alleged, Johnson began badgering him to investigate any connection between the protest movement and foreign enemies.

Both Johnson and Nixon suspected that the Communists were pumping money into the antiwar movement. However, Helms reported that the CIA found no significant foreign influence.

Some radical groups, such as the Black Panthers and the Weathermen, had foreign contacts. But the student opposition to the war effort was largely an American phenomenon, said Helms.

His secret testimony was taken by the President's Commission to Investigate the Central Intelligence Agency. Other witnesses confirmed that the CIA files on American citizens largely grew out of the Johnson-Nixon concern over the antiwar agitation.

At first, the Secret Service began investigating every group, no matter how innocent, that expressed the slightest criticism of the President. The Non-violent Direct Action group came under surveillance, as a typical example, because it "urged members to write Pres and other govt officials to protest war in Vietnam," according to confidential Secret Service records.

By late 1970, the Secret Service developed a computer network, which now contains information on more than 180,000 Americans. Other government agencies also began trading information. Files began to grow on tens of thousands of citizens who were guilty of nothing more serious than shooting off their mouths against the President's policies.

The CIA, of course, got caught up in the hysteria. There were times when the CIA overstepped its legal limits and conducted domestic surveillance. It became increasingly difficult to draw the line between legitimate security and

political security.

This was the atmosphere in the backrooms of the CIA when the Watergate caper began. The CIA didn't balk, therefore, at furnishing E. Howard Hunt with a reddish wig, glasses, a speech alteration device, a set of alias documents, a tape recorder concealed in a portable typewriter case, two microphones and a camera disguised in a tobacco pouch.

Hunt used this James Bond paraphernalia to carry out his Watergate assignments. The CIA has insisted in secret statements that it had no knowledge of Hunt's Watergate role. The supply officer, Cleo Gephart, has sworn that he thought Hunt was a member of the CIA's Domestic Contact Service.

This is the branch that interviews U.S. travelers who might pick up interesting information abroad. Gephart didn't explain why Hunt would need a fancy disguise if he were merely conducting routine interviews.

It also is interesting that the CIA converted the Domestic Contact Service from a routine intelligence operation to a clandestine service in 1973. This was done ostensibly for budgetary reasons. But once the unit became a clandestine service, the CIA was no longer obligated to give Congress a detailed account of

KEVIN P. PHILLIPS

Time Is Ripe For New Conservative Party

WASHINGTON (KFS) — Although the House Democratic Caucus' decision to dump Rep. Hebert of Louisiana and Rep. Poage of Texas from their positions as chairmen of the Armed Services and Agriculture committees probably will be no more than a footnote in the annals of Congress, it should be of enormous consequence in the chronicles of party politics.

Three years ago, the first wave of McGovernism swept the Democratic presidential convention into the hands of quota-wielding reformers who promptly unseated old-line leaders like Chicago Mayor Richard J. Daley. Now a second wave of McGovernism appears to be roaring through the House of Representatives. New 94th Congress liberals, riding high, are doing unto old-line Democratic committee chairmen as they did unto Mayor Daley in 1972.

The upshot is that moderate and conservative Democrats who thought the McGovern phenomenon a fluke can no longer kid themselves. It is anything but a fluke. The Democratic party is in the throes of fundamental change, and what happened on one level in Miami is now happening again on Capitol Hill.

Dixie is bearing the brunt. In less than a month, the South has lost three key committee chairmanships — Ways

and Means, Agriculture, and Armed Services. You practically can see the liberal Caucus' spittle on the map of Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas, dripping off the Ozarks and Ouachita Mountains onto the plains and bayous.

Nor is the purge of moderates and conservatives confined to the South. The deposed Democratic Caucus chairman, B. F. Sisk, hails from Fresno in California's Great Valley. Other Northern moderates also are uneasy.

Moreover, despite the new Congress' disclaimers of militant liberalism, the political geography is clear enough — the legislators being purged come from the same Southern, Western and ethnic constituencies that cringed at Presidential McGovernism in 1972. Now there is no doubt that the McGovern constituency — led by Caucus Chairman Phillip Burton of San Francisco — also has taken over the Democratic party in the House of Representatives. The party trend is irreversible.

Unfortunately for the Southern bloc, led by Louisiana's Joe Waggoner Jr., they can no longer plausibly think of joining forces with the Republicans. That might have worked in January 1973, when Republicans and Dixiecrats had a House majority, but it won't work today.

So where does it all lead? The time never has been more ripe — or imminently ripe — for a new Conservative party or coalition. On one hand, there are 60 to 75 conservative and moderate Democratic congressmen disgusted with the change that is overtaking their party. But at the same time, there are 80 to 90 Republican congressmen uncomfortable with the way that their own GOP stunned and bewildered by Watergate and the economy, has abandoned any attempt to articulate a conservative (or better yet, a populist conservative) program. More and more Republicans are coming to realize that their coalition also is exhausted, their party framework useless for the future.

Later this year, or perhaps early in 1976, I think the logical next step will become more apparent to both dissident Democrats and Republicans: Form a new presidential-level coalition (best focused on Ronald Reagan and George Wallace) and form a new Popular Conservative Caucus in the House. During 1975 and 1976, the "Popular Conservatives" — I'll call them that for convenience — would be a minority in the House. But if they can fight the 1976 elections in a new coalition without the albatross of Watergate, and free to attack the woeful economic policies of Democratic Congress and GOP President alike, they could do very well indeed. This is the silver lining in the purple storm cloud of Congressional McGovernism.

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THE BIBLE

Can you quote it?

By LAVINA ROSS FOWLER

1. The barren island where John wrote Revelation is in the Aegean Sea. It now is called Patino. Its great fertility (now gone) once gained for it the title of Palmoia. It is about 150 miles from Athens. Here is the Cave of the Apocalypse, where John supposedly had his vision. How many epistles did this apostle write? See N.T.

2. Name the Semitic nomad who left his home in Haran to go to Canaan. Genesis 12

3. Who was David's good boyhood friend? I Sam. and 1 Kings 18

4. In what way was Jesus departure into the "place of spirits" compared to that of Jonah's? Matthew 12:40

5. Why did Jesus say the men of Nineveh would judge His generation? Matthew 12:41

Four correct . . . excellent. Three correct . . . good.

The Country Parson

By Frank A. Clark



"Many folks who are modest about their accomplishments have modest accomplishments."

DON OAKLEY

The CIA: One Point Is Perfectly Clear

WASHINGTON (NEA) — Whatever the extent of the CIA's reported surveillance of U.S. civilians — which is what President Ford's much-criticized blue-ribbon investigating panel is supposed to find out — there should be no question about the illegality of any such spying.

The "vague and loosely worded" 1947 statute creating the Central Intelligence Agency is the kind of stuff lawyers feed on. Yet it is clear that domestic intelligence activities by the agency are not authorized by federal law.

So states The Research Group, Inc., a legal research service for attorneys.

"We have researched the enabling legislation governing the CIA's operations, and while the statutes are vague and even loosely worded in parts, still the only interpretation possible is that the agency is barred from domestic intelligence activities," says James L. Arnold of The Research Group's Charlottesville, Va., office.

A federal law of July 26, 1947, gave the CIA power "to correlate and evaluate intelligence relating to national security" but stressed that "the agency shall have no police, subpoena, law-enforcement powers or internal-security functions."

Although the original law has been amended a number of times over the years, no expansion of the CIA's power was ever authorized. In fact, a 1949 amendment specifically limited the agency's scope to "the security of foreign intelligence activities of the U.S."

Furthermore, says The Research Group, the CIA's exclusion from domestic affairs is noted in various other federal public health and welfare laws.

DESPITE RECESSION and increasing unemployment, the demand for accounting graduates is on the rise. So reports the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

Each spring, the national professional society issues findings of an annual survey of job opportunities for accounting graduates. Estimates of demands show a rise of from 6 to 10 per cent.

Must be that they need more people to handle all the red-ink figures that are plaguing the economy.

He says he's confident that the industrial nations can work constructively with the nations of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC).

"Maybe I'm too much of an optimist," says Parsky, the youngest assistant secretary of Treasury in history, "but we really have no other choice. We are too far down the road to interdependence to turn back. Either we will succeed by expanding trade and investment among all nations, or we will fail by sinking into a world of small, isolated fragments."

These are intelligent observations at a time when too many American businessmen, investors and media communicators seem to wallow in doomsaying rhetoric.

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LEGAL NOTICES

TEXAS WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

Amended Notice of the Preliminary Determination of the Texas Water Rights Commission of all claims to Water Rights in the Upper Colorado River Segment in the Colorado River Basin.

The Commission has received and is reviewing the preliminary determination of water rights in the Upper Colorado River Segment in the Colorado River Basin. The Commission is required to allow all interested parties to file evidence and set a deadline for the filing of evidence. Due to the delay in the filing of evidence, the Commission has extended the deadline for the filing of evidence to February 28, 1975. It is necessary for the Commission to receive all claims of water rights in the Upper Colorado River Segment in the Colorado River Basin by February 28, 1975. The preliminary determination of water rights in the Upper Colorado River Segment in the Colorado River Basin will be made on or before March 15, 1975. The preliminary determination of water rights in the Upper Colorado River Segment in the Colorado River Basin will be made on or before March 15, 1975. The preliminary determination of water rights in the Upper Colorado River Segment in the Colorado River Basin will be made on or before March 15, 1975.

Mrs. Hesson, 69, Dies At Andrews; Services Thursday

ANDREWS — Mrs. Maa Hesson, 69, died Monday in an Andrews hospital after a three-week illness.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Singleton Funeral Home Chapel of the Chimes with the Rev. Carl Grissom, pastor of First Baptist Church of Andrews, officiating. Interment will be in Andrews Cemetery.

Born in Pleasant City, Tenn., Mrs. Hesson had been an Andrews resident 19 years. She moved here from Irwin, where she had lived 23 years. The last three years she had been employed as a seamstress for Kitten Spring Crest Drapery.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Andrews and also was active in Andrews Chapter No. 848 of the Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Sherry Helms of Andrews; two sons, Thomas E. Hesson of Odessa and James Kenneth Hesson of Lubbock; her mother, Mrs. Polly Goad of Nashville, Tenn.; five sisters, Mrs. Margaret Chingue of Peoria, Ill., Mrs. Ethel Atkins of Indianapolis, Ind., Herma Goad and Mrs. Rudy Braswell, both of Nashville, and Mrs. Edith Gregory of Hartsville, Tenn.; three brothers, Jimmy Goad and Barry Goad, both of Nashville, and Willie Goad of Smyrna, Tenn., and six grandchildren.

Mrs. Washington Dies; Rites Slated

Mrs. Ozell Lewis Washington, 67, died Monday night in an Odessa hospital after a five-week illness.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in the New Jerusalem Baptist Church, with interment in Fairview Cemetery under direction of Jackson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Washington was born Jan. 7, 1910, in Houston County. She was married to Washington J. Washington in 1931, and moved to Midland in 1951.

Survivors include a daughter, Doris L. Washington of Midland; six sons, the Rev. A. W. Washington of Midland, Robert L. Washington of John A. Washington, both of Albuquerque, N.M., Freddie C. Washington of Ridgecrest, Calif., and Kenneth R. Washington of Tacoma, Wash.; five sisters, Mrs. Vola Smith of Midland, Mrs. Lela K. Whitfield of Itasca, Mrs. Mable Bradford of Albuquerque, and Mrs. Ella Mae Bates and Mrs. Dolbe Henigan, both of Wichita Falls; three brothers, Robert Lewis of Kennard, Clifton Lewis of Wichita Falls and A. B. Lewis of Dallas, and 21 grandchildren.

Services Today For Mrs. Maxey

BRONTE — Services for Mrs. Carol Maxey, a former Midland resident, were to be at 2:30 p.m. today in the Newby Funeral Home here with interment here.

Mrs. Maxey died Monday afternoon in a Houston hospital after a short illness.

Survivors include two daughters, Kelly Blumentritt and Tracie Blumentritt; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Thomas of Midland; a brother, W. P. Thomas of Dallas, and a sister, Mrs. Tommie Chambers of Indiana.

Midland Home Is Burglarized

Mrs. Cindy Whitsitt, 803 W. Kansas St., told Midland police that items valued at \$449 had been taken in a Tuesday burglary of her residence.

Taken were a stereo set, a television set, a clock radio and \$9 in change.

1172 Drowned

Toy Maru sank in Tsugaru Strait in September 1954, an estimated 1,172 were drowned.

LEGAL NOTICES

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The Foursome, Inc., Haney Atyla, President; Leonard H. Busby, Vice-President; Cynthia Atyla, Sec'y-Treas., d/b/a SANDTRAP LOUNGE, is making application to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a Mixed Beverage Permit on the address 400 W. Illinois, Midland, Midland County, Texas. (Jan. 22, 1975)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Midland intends to apply for the passage of special legislation (a bill or ordinance) to amend the charter of the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas, in which a record of proceedings thereon would be made and a copy of the same would be filed in the office of the City Clerk. The bill or ordinance is as follows: "Resolved, That the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas, do hereby amend its charter to read as follows: 'The City of Midland, Midland County, Texas, is authorized to borrow money to the amount of \$1,000,000 for the purpose of financing the construction of a new city hall building to be located on the corner of 10th and 11th streets, Midland, Texas.'"

DATED the 18th day of January, 1975. BY: JAMES E. DAVIS, CITY CLERK. ATTEST: ROBERT ESTATE ATTORNEY (January 22, 1975)

Woman Heart Transplant Patient Will Make Medical History Saturday

By TIMOTHY HARPER
MILWAUKEE, Wis. (AP) — Betty Anick enters medical history next Saturday as the person who has lived with a transplanted heart longer than anyone else on record.

"Look at me," she tells heart patients at St. Luke's Hospital. They are patients she visits every Friday, moving slowly from room to room in the familiar hospital halls. "I was in worse shape than you six years ago," she says. "Now I go out dancing."

Longest Survival
The longest surviving heart transplant patient had been Mrs. Anick's friend, Louis B. Russell Jr., an Indianapolis, Ind., school teacher who died on Nov. 27 at the age of 49. He had lived six years, three months and three days with another person's heart.

Mrs. Anick, 55, says she felt she was only hours from death when she received her new heart at St. Luke's on Oct. 21, 1968, less than two months after Russell's transplant.

"They opened up my chest and the blood was just sort of slushing through my heart, like it was saying goodbye," she says. "I probably would have lasted only a few hours, maybe a few days at most."

Mrs. Anick and her husband, John, 60, a retired factory worker, still choke up when they relive their lives before she got her new heart: the months at a time when she spent 22 hours a day in bed, the four times her heart failed, and the five weeks of waiting to find a donor.

John Anick, currently on his 11th electronic pacemaker device, was one of the first heart patients in the country to use the pacemaker to control his heartbeat 15 years ago.

"The doctors said nothing could be done for her," he remembers. "I had heard about these new heart transplants, so I went and asked the doctors to do one on Betty. They hadn't even considered it, but it was her only chance."

"No, we hadn't considered it," says Dr. Derward Lepley, who headed the surgical team that gave Mrs. Anick her new heart to replace the old one that had been decaying for a decade with heart disease.

"Looking back, I said yes more out of emotion than intelligence," the doctor says. "I had done heart transplants in the lab, but hadn't planned to do any on humans. We didn't have a good drug to prevent rejection."

Mrs. Anick, a devout Catholic, decided that she would permit the heart operation that saved her, "only if our priest said it was all right."

The priest agreed, but Mrs. Anick had the additional problem of surviving until a suitable donor could be found.

After five weeks of waiting, Dr. Lepley and other members of the surgical team found a heart that might work, in a 28-year-old man named Robert Buelow. He had suffered irreversible brain damage in a Milwaukee street scuffle.

Buelow's sister, Mrs. Judy Rigden, was asked to sign a waiver permitting the transplant. Her brother's heart was kept beating by artificial life supports systems at St. Luke's.

"At first I said no," Mrs. Rigden recalls. "I was afraid they were going to use the heart for some type of experiment. I wanted to know it was going for a person."

Doctor's Assurance
To reassure her, doctors took Mrs. Rigden into Mrs. Anick's room.

Buelow's relatives and the Anicks remain close friends, and the Rigdens have met other transplant patients and become active in Concerned Hearts, a club founded by Mrs. Anick and other successful heart patients to provide moral support and encouragement for those still facing heart surgery.

Even after gaining the relatives' consent, the operation almost didn't come off because Buelow's heart and Mrs. An-

ick's heart were not well enough "matched" on the A-minus, almost identical to determine whether one organ can be transplanted into another person's body.

"It was a B or C match," says Dr. Lepley. "We weren't even sure we could go ahead." To this day, Mrs. Anick be-

lieves the new heart was a near perfect match. It was an A-minus, almost identical to my old heart."

"Nonsense," says Dr. Lepley. "We just told her that to cheer her up."

The operation went smoothly, and doctors waited for the body's almost inevitable rejection of the new heart.

"I never rejected, though," says Mrs. Anick. "I've been very lucky because I've never had any rejection."

Again, Dr. Lepley disagrees. "She had some rejection about the third or fourth day, the most critical time," he says, but Mrs. Anick was

pumped full of cobalt, cortisone and other anti-rejection drugs. She came home five weeks after the operation and by Christmas, 1968, felt nearly recovered.

"I was so confident that right after Christmas I told John to go out to a sale and get one of those artificial trees. I just

knew I'd be around to use it," she says.

Today, 2,186 days after the operation, Betty Anick leads an almost normal life for a housewife and grandmother.

She spends a lot of time with her two sons and their families. She takes anti-rejection drugs daily, has a checkup twice a month

and makes a public speaking appearance about once a week. But even after traveling across the country to speak to civic and medical groups, she says she doesn't feel any different than she did before the operation.

"I'm still the same old me," she says. "Nothing's different."

How's Your News IQ?

Editor's note: How much do you remember about the news of the week? If you score fewer than five correct answers, you had better read the paper a little more carefully. If you get eight or more right, you rate an "A."

1. A National Academy of Sciences report said that although the upward trend of farm production was faltering, the nation's supply of food was thought likely to be adequate for: (a) the next year or so, (b) until the turn of the century, (c) for the next decade or so.
2. Ending a visit to Cairo, the Shah of Iran showed support for the Arab cause by joining the President of Egypt in a communique calling for: (a) abandonment of the Geneva conference on the Middle East; (b) speedy resumption of the Geneva conference; (c) immediate Egyptian-Israeli negotiations in Cairo.
3. Among the points he made in his gloomy State of the Union message, President Ford predicted that the national debt would rise to: (a) \$50 billion; (b) \$25 billion; (c) \$30 billion.
4. A Federal Trade Commission study said that when a consumer had a television set repaired, the chance of being cheated was: (a) 20 to 30 percent; (b) negligible; (c) 10 to 15 percent.
5. The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) for the first time in its 65-year history chose a black woman, Margaret Bush Wilson, as its chairman, to succeed: (a) Roy Wilkins; (b) Stephen G. Spottswood; (c) Matthew Perry.
6. After a "fly-off" competition, the Air Force selected as its new jet fighter plane: (a) General Dynamics' F-111; (b) Northrop's YF-17; (c) General Dynamics' YF-16.
7. The U.S. and the Soviet Union nullified their 1972 trade agreement because of Russian objections to linked provisions, on freer emigration of Jews, championed by: (a) Secretary of State Kissinger; (b) Sen. Henry M. Jackson; (c) Vice President, Nelson M. Rockefeller.
8. President Ford nominated as his Attorney General Edward H. Levi, president of the university of: (a) Chicago; (b) Stanford; (c) Georgetown.
9. The professional athlete of the year for 1974, named in The Associated Press' national poll, was: (a) Billy Jean King; (b) Chris Evert; (c) Muhammad Ali.
10. In an accord virtually liquidating the world's last colonial empire, Portugal agreed to grant independence on Nov. 11 to her territory of: (a) Mozambique; (b) Angola; (c) Argentina.

ANSWERS: 1c 2b 3c 4a 5b 6c 7b 8a 9c 10b

Checkout Clerks Face Tests Of Both Skill And Patience

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. (AP) — In these days of skyrocketing prices and outraged consumers, Maria Morabito's job as a supermarket checkout clerk provides her with a consummate test of skill and patience.

Like thousands of cash register clerks across the country, 18-year-old Maria must stand for two-hour stretches without a break during her eight-hour shift. During this time, her eyes are glued to the passing parade of groceries and her hands are working in different directions — one sorting the items and the other punching the cash register keyboard.

If she goes too slow, the grocery carts begin to stack up. If she goes too fast, she may make a mistake.

"Many customers have started coming in with hand calculators," she said. "They're ready and waiting when I come up with a total... some will argue for an hour over two cents."

Maria acknowledged that she is barraged with price complaints, but said she doesn't mind them too much.

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