## The Alidland Reporter- Telegram

## Battle to save Webb fails; closure due in six months

By ED TODD
BIG SPRNG - Webb Air Fore
Base, one of the area's mainstans, will ber reduced to a "caretaker operation" within six
months and then will be shut down.
ond Today's announcement of the Das's closure follows a year-long tuy
of war between city and county of. of war between city and county the base to remperin open, and the
Department of the Air Porce, which did not.
Webb
is one of three air bases announceet for permanent shutiow an by

expenses by 873 million per year.
treeb
trining san undergracuate. pilot Allos gatesing the Air Force guillotine
are Crait Cine Craig AFB At Selma, Ala., and Big Spring Mayor Wade Choate,
untin no wan unrelenting advocate for Webb's continued existence, today economic boom - despite the shut-
down announcement. "."his doicisisenenconerning Webb Air
Force Base is now over," he said in a prepared statement.
for thas been a olong and trying year
surrounding in
oig Sig Spring and the
"We have aceepted the decision by
he Department of Defense. And the he Department of Defense. And the
city, county and surrounding area are city, eounty and surrounding area are
behind our oun ontiuud
growth and and
development in the growth and development in the
community. co."There is no doubt in my mind that
we will succeed in our eftors," the mayor said.
Air Force Secretary Reed today
said shutdown of the three bases is an economic necessity in the Air Force's ost-cutting program.
"These actions,
These actions, streaming our
organization in reducing overhead are necessary in wede are to ovodernize
our combat forces as wwe must are necessary if we are to modernize
our combat forces as we must do.
These actions alone will save the Air
"The is $\$ 15$ milion per year. actions in light of the hard realitites of erense budgeting," he said.
The proposal to close the bases was
announced on March 11.1976 as announced on March 11, 1976, as par
of a major realignment package for
the Air Force bases the Air Force bases.
Student pilots Student pilots at Webb and Crais
AFBs wif
compiete their current flying training phase. The shutdown will leave the Air
Force with five undergraduate pilot Force with five undergraduate pilo
training bases. These include Laughlin AFB at Del Rio and Reese
AFB at Webb employs 1,000 military per
sonnel and 560 civilian workers.

## Russia nixes arms control


"that we failed to make progress in
what I consider to be the most
essential of the issues between the
superpowers.
The American secretary said he superpowers.
The American secretary said he
had had a cordial and businesslike Related stories on Page 4D one-bour meeting with Brezhnev, but
the Sovies rejected the U.S. pro-
posals "because they did not coincide
with what they considered to be an
equitable deal., con Tejection had hurt
Vance denied
overall U.S.S.Russian relations, saying
progress had been made in other
 to deal with several nonnuclear
issues. Vance declined to give specifics of
the American strategic arms the American strategic arms pro-
posals, but said the United States had called for signing an immediate trea-
ty based on negotiating ty based on negotiating principles set
out in 1974, which placed a celling on nuclear delivery placed a ceiling on
sostems such as
bombers and missiles. bombers and missiles.
Cyrus Vance and Soviet Foreign
Minister Andrei Gromyko agreed to Minister Andrei Gromyko agreed to
set up "follow-on working groups"
continue the discussions Vance is continue the discussions Vance is
holding in Moscow on issues other
than arms control.

It was the first concrete achievement of the first visit to
Moscow by President Carter's Mocretary of state. President Carter's
sence Vanee told a news conterence after
his second day of talks with Gromyko his second day of talks with Gromyko
on Tuesday that they did not decide where or when the new working
groups would meet. groups would meet. will discuss
The issees they
wance and Gromyko took up which Vance and Gromyon took up
Tuesday - include the Middle East, a treaty extending the ban on aboveground nuclear weapons tests to
underground tests, troop cuts in underground tests, troop cuts in
Central Europe, the spread of nuclear
weapons to other nations, the sale weapons Europe, the spread of nuclear
conventional arms tons, the sale of
other nations and demilitarization of the Indian
Ocean.

## Craddick

 sees fast bill actionBy FENTON WHEELE SANTA CRUZ DE TENERIFE will call you for takeoff," " were the
last instructions airport control tower to to KLa KLuz
jumbo jet that jumbo jet that collided with a Pan
American jumbo as the Dutch plane was making its takeorf run, a spanis. A Dutch investigator admitted on
Tuesday that the KLM plane had not

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been cleared for takeoff Sunday. But
he claimed the American plane should not have been on the re runway
where it was hitt a claim Pan where it was hitt, a claim Pan Am
disputed.
Meanwhile, two survivors of the

## LATE NEWS

WASHINGTON (AP) - The
 the economy rebounded in February
trom the harshe eftectst of the severe
winter.

## WEATHER

Clear and cooler with increasing
clouds Thursday. Low tonight, near 40. High Thursday, 1 low 7os.
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President Carter may propose
phaseout of natural gas
controls rather than complete deregulation.

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takeoff in crash


##  <br> Capt. Victor Grubbs, pilot of the Pan American 747 jet, saw the over his flight recorder, "This man is crazy. What is he doing man is crazy... What is he doing He is going to kill us all." .. He is going to kill us all," according to Tuesday's Madrid according to Tuesday's Madrid newspaper Pueblo. (AP newspap photo)

## Sprague quits panel;

resignation accepted

By Jm Adams
WASHINGTON (AP) The House
assassinations committee acceoted the resignation of embettled chief
counsel Richard A. Sprague today counsel Richard A. Sprague today
with several members charging he was driven out by false charges, a witch hunt and character
assassination.
Spration assassination.
Sprague said he resigned in the
hope that his departure would impel the House to extend the committee's
life in a vote later today. Some members said they agreed to accept the resignation out of respect for
Spragues desire. Iि the vote fails, the Sprague's desire. If the vote fails, the
panel dies at midnight Thursday. The committee was set up to invesigate ue kimgs of president
John F. Kennedy and civil rights
leader Martin Luther Kin. Jr leader Martin Luther King Jr. rorning,
At their meeting this morn
committee members insisted that At their meeting this morning.
committee members insisted that
Sprague resigned voluntarily and was
not asked to step aside after an inSprague resignet voiunariy and was
not asked to step aside after an in-
formal House vote count indiated the
panel would be killed off if the formal House vote count indicated the
panel would be killed off if he
remained.
Bitter resentment surfaced in the



Midland County tax assessor-collector Elmo Linebarger sorts hrough old license plates he must store in a prisoner holding cell he shifs ofnce alter his storage space was con)

## Confinement taxing

 Elmo's patience| Elmo Linebarger is unhappy. <br> The Midland County tax had to relinquish nearly 500 square feet of space in his office storage room to make room for the county's law library, leaving space for storage. <br> However, Linebarger said county commissioner Charlie gave up the space, the county Would begin work on a new tax office for him within three months. <br> That was two weeks ago. Now the commissioners will not confirm whether they are going to build Linebarger the new building. <br> Linebarger said he presented Monday in commissioners' court a plan for a tax office to be built in the half block bounded by Texas and Illinois Avenues and the proposed building were 58 feet by 180 feet. <br> Linebarger reminded the commissioners that the three months were dwindling. The commissioners, however, made no commitment as to whether or Welch's promise. Linebarger said. Meanwhile, Linebarger is storing his records and license plates wherever he can, in- cluding two holding cells in the sheriff's office. | d |
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|  |  |
|  | must be responsible |
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|  | Linebarger's office also is |
|  | nithe for tay records which |
|  | often date back to the |
|  | said. His office must keep the |
|  | actual records, he said, unless |
|  | the county microfilmed them, in |
|  | which case the original |
|  | documents could be discarded. |
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|  | registration plates are being |
|  | stored along a wall in an |
|  | hted section of the law |
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|  | ehicle registr |
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|  | registration business will con- |
|  | hroughout the year. |
|  | The material stored in var |
|  | places on the ground floor of the |
|  |  |
|  | The removal of Linebarger's |
|  | material from the storage space |
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|  | e |
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|  | Domestic Relations Court Judge |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  | offices of the new 238 th District |
|  |  |
|  | Linebarger said he expected the commissioners to say |
|  | (Continued on Page 2A) |

MidSTIND County The boters to enable
whether to decide Midand County voters to decide
whether to create a hospital district
within the county could be passed within the county could be passed and
sent to Gov. Dolph Briscoe within two
weeks weeks, Rep. Tom Craddiek said this
morning.

Craddick introduced in the House
and Texas Sen. W. E. "Pete" Snelson and Texas Sen. W. E. "Pete" Snelson
introduced in the Senate Tuesday
identile identical bills to allow a vote on the
hospital district proposal. Craddick's bill was referred to the
House Committee tergovernmental Affairs, which has
scheduled scheduled a hearing for Tuesday
Snelson's bill was referred to the Senale Intergovernmental Relations
Senate in
Committee Committee, which. will have its
coaring Molations

Craddick said the House will sub-
stitute the Senate bill if it should pass stitute the Senate bill if it should pass
before the House bill to avoid a step in
voting.
He said the vote in the House could be possible for the bill to be sent to Gov. Briscoe for his signature within
the next two weeks, he said.

## Rickety bridge leads to beauty




The Mexican government and the
Presido County people have inPresido County people have in-
tentions of replacing he old bridge
that Eddy entions of replacing the old bridge
that Eddy figures could collapse without notice.
Underpinning
Underpinning of the old bridge is
largely made up of wooden beams and
pules. bridge has a tendeney to sag,
Thoted Eddy, who is a member of the Good Neighbor Commission.
"From a layman's point of view, I
don't know how the bridge is still
standing," he said rast year in
testifying in a Washington, D.C.. testifying in a Washington, D.C.. hearing,
The bridge was built in 1927 by
American Frank Dupuy Sr., who had American Frank Dupuy Sr., who had
obtained a charter for the crossing.Dupuy, within two years of the
bridge's construction, had promised
 steel and concrete bridge. But the
Great Depression set in. And the Great Depression set in. And the
wooden bridge stood land yet stands.
In the meantime folks from either wooden bridge stood and yet stands.
In the meantime folks rom either
side of the border were "chanting. marching and protesting" against the sagging bridge and against Dupuy's
reportedy inconsistent fares charged for crossing his money-making
bridge. Years ago, reportedly sometime in
the 1950s, Dupuy was killed in a (Contingeg on Page 2AA


SHOWERS AND RAIN are forecast Wednescay for the East Coast
as well as the Gulf Coast states．Snow is anticipated for parts of as well as the Guli Coast states，Snow is anticipated for parts of
Wisconsin and Minnesota with furries and rain predicted in the Southwest．Elsewhere fair weather is expected．
Midland statistics


Golden Deeds Award recipient James P．Crawford，right， receives his award from George A．Donnelly Jr．，member of the
Midland Exchange Club Golden Deeds Committee．（Staff Photo by Bruce Partain）

## ＇77 Golden Deeds Award goes to Jim Crawford



## Largest of four city bond issues

 would create $\$ 3.25$ million zoo
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 reach，that desiris and dor form the



 attraction．
＂Year atter year，zoos in the U．S． outdraw professional football，
baseball，basketball and hockey combined，more than two to one，＂the
study sid． Cooper estimates about 60,000
people a year visit Cole Park $Z_{00}$ ． Exact details of what the new 200
would contain are difficult to deter－ would contain are difficult to deter－
mine now，said parks and reereation
director Robert director Robert Thomson，because no
land for the 200 has been acquired． land for the 200 has been acquired．
About $\$ 250,00$ of the bond issue
money would be used to purchase land．
Kimsey said the new zoo，if ap－
proved，likely would be located west of Midland neer Interstate 20. Cooper
estimated it would be between 50 and 100 acres in size．
＂The theme of the new zoo will be a
river of life，＂said Kimsey． Tiver of life，said Kimsey．
The feasility study said the 200 should have a man－made river win－ near the water＇s edgge with a animals
representing those found on the five continents．
Traditional wires and cages as
Texas statistics show drop in violent crime

The statisties were gathered as part
of the FBI＇s nation wide uniform crime reporting program．
DPS diretor
Col．Wilson DPS director col．．inson E．Speir
said a total of 6650.51 major crimes
were reported and of those， 23 per were reported and of those，23 per
cent（152，000）
arrest．
The statistics showed there was at
least one major crime in Texas every 45 seconds last year．
Areas where clear
Areas where clearance was higher murder with 83 per cent，aggravated

Basin residents to see more clouds，lower marks

Clouds will increase over Permian．
Basin skies Thursday and tem．
 according to the National Weather
Service at the Midand Regional Air The low temperature tonight is
expected to be in the low 40 s and the high Thursday in the low 70s．
The high temperature Tuesday was 77 degrees amperature Tuesday was
was 35 degrees．The this morroning
high for Tuesday was 95 degrees，set in 1963
and the record low for today is 23
degrees，set in 1937 ． degrees，set in 1937 ．
Clear skies and light winds were Midlander OK after mishap
ODESSA－A 34 －year－old Midland woman escaped serious injury，
Tuesday night when the car she was
driving on Interstate 20 went out of driving on intersturned．
contron and overtul
Wynell Mitchell of 2000 W．Rhote Tsland Ave．Was treated at Odessa
Yedical Center Hospital for facial Medical Center Hospital for facial
lacerations shortiy after the $7: 15$ p．m．
aceident according to the Depart－ lacerations shortly after the 7：15 p．m．
aceident，acoording to the Depart－
ment of Public Safety． The Mutichell ear was eastbound on
$1-20$ when it went out of control near 1－20 when it went out of control near
the intersection of Industrial Avenue，
troopers said．


















and robbery 41 per cent．
Statistits released by the Midland Statistics released by the Midland
Polise Department earlie this year
showed that overall crime here rose 17 per cent，but reflected state trends
by
posting
significant declines in violent crimes．
In Midland In Midland last year，homicicides
decreased 8 per cent，rape decreased decreased 8 per cent，rape decreased
4．ent cent assault decreased 8 per
cent and robberies decreased 20 per Police here cleared 96 per cent of the violent crimes as represented by
the above categories．And they boast
al per cent clearance rate for all ate per cent criearances．
coteries of the 655,051 ．major crimes
of Of the 665，051 major crimes
reported to the DPS for their survey，
almost 91 per cent occurred in urban
and areas．Cities over the 100,000
population mark accounted for 408,862
of those offenses． of those offenses．
The Texas crime report indicates
That 12 law enforcement officers were that 1d inw enforcement ofricers were
kille tine line of duty during 1976 as
the result of felonious criminal action． During the same period there were
2,57 officers assaulted in the line of
Auty．
Agencies having officers murdered
last year were the Houston Police Department，Dallas Police Depart
found at Cole Park would not be used，the new zoo，plus an animal climic，
said Kimsey．
educational ．enter，animal food Visitors could view the animals in a
nearly natural environment by pration area and other possible
facilities for the zoo． nearly natural environment by facilities for the 200．facility，Kimsey
walking，boating，and in some in－As for the present
stanctine wailing，boating，and in some in－As for the preseject passes we would
stances by driving in an automobile，said，＂If this project
headded dole he added．
The study also pointed to＂ex－completely abandon Cole Parik Coper and the $1,200-$ member
Fensive landscaping tensive landscaping both in the zoor coicail society there likety woutd exhibit and nonexhibit area＂to create
an appearance of a＂lush garden＂at at $\begin{aligned} & \text { be no regre } \\ & \text { abandoned．}\end{aligned}$

## 911 number good

## in spite of＇bugs

| By JM Steinberg | wanted to know if absentee voting was conducted Saturday |
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| it，is at | afternoon． |
| s abused，but overall does | ＂I wish people would |
| That＇s the consensus of many | emergency use only．By that I |
| who are overseeing the progress | mean a fire，a crime in progress |
| of Midland＇s three－digit | or a life and death matter， Little said． |
| because operational Feb． 14. <br> ＂The idea was to provide the | Frequently fire dispatchers working the switchboard answer |
| people with an easy to | just in time to hear the receiver |
| remember number they | click down on them． |
| call for any type of emer | ＂People seem to want to find |
| And it＇s doing jus | he |
| Chief Melvin Little said | The |
| During the first two weeks | ittue |
| stence that emer | Because of a flaw in one of |
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| help | units，a cew good inencioned |
| ambulance calls．But ac－ |  |
| ceptance has picked up since | switchooard during te course |
| so far this month | dailing another ，umber． |
|  | en |
| begun by someone calling the | m |
| 俍位phone digits． | because telephone company |
| department has not been | pletely solve that problem until |
| pleted，officials said the | new switching system is in－ |
| vast majority of police | stalled in a few years． |
| rgencies still are rec | Although there have been |
| through the department＇s seven－ | false alarms called in on the 911 |
| stand ard emergency | number，officials don＇t think this |
| But police and fire official | is any more of a problem than on |
| are pleased with the general | the old emergency numb |
| public acceptance of the system | I don＇t know of anybody who |
| after it has been working little | needed |
| e than a month． | get through when they needed |
| times that acceptanice may | Little said．He noted that |
|  | the operators of the number |
| example，the | ， |
| ved an inquiry | of view the |
| on the 911 from a caller who | system works perfectly． |

## Rickety bridge leads

 to enchanted land（Continued from Page 1A） gunfight that had some bearing on the Today，Eddy said，the Dupuy charter is revoked．And only funds，
into the millinons of dollars and pesos．
are needed to replace the old bridge． But，begging caution，it gets you across the border and into an en－
chanting land for those who are bent
on being enchanted and entertained． Welcome tourists．
The Americans，with their visas
tucked away again boarded the bus Cor their three－hour ride to Chihuahua
City
（The passenger train trek from
Ojinaga to chihuahua City was Ojinaga to Chinuahua City was
discontinued last year．The fare was
about double that of the bus ride the about double that of the bus ride the
trip took an hour longer，and railroad scheduling was not as convenient as
that of the buses．） Anyway，the
interior was well u

## Pilot gets

crash blame
（Continued from Page 1A） in a hangar at the edge of the Santa
Cruz runway where experts were working 18 hours a day identifying
them and preparing them for ship
ment ment home．Officials said the
repatriation could not begin until
The admission that the airport
control tower had not authorized the Dranz plane to take off came from Cranz van Rejsen，head of the Dutch
Civil Aviation Authority＇s team in－
vestigating the collision Civil Aviation Authority＇s team in－
vestigating the collision．He said the taped conversations between the
tower and the two Boeing 747 jets
showed the KI showed the KLM pilot had been given
preliminary clearance but not final
clearance totake oft Second robbery suspect in jail
Police early Tuesday afternoon
arrested the second suspect in the
March 1 robbery of Long John drews Highway．
Jerry
P ．Mayo， 24 ，of 1506 w. Kentucky Ave．，was being held in the
city jail city jail this morning in lieu of $\$ 25,000$
bond．Justice of the Peace Robert H ．
Pine set that bond Tueace Pine set that bond Tuessay．
Another suspect in that robbery，
Johnny Adkins，${ }^{23}$ ，posted $\$ 25,000$
bond Tuesdisy．Both men bond Tuesday．Both men were
arrested at at construction site al
Midand Regional Air Tgrminal．

And Ray Rojo，the congenial host
nd travel agency operator taking the nd travel ageney operator taking the
ide with the tourists gave his ride with the tourists，gave his
welcome to his native land：
＂We give you the best our souls iGracias！
And good sight－seeing and
everything！ Sherlock snoops out home sales Mano initip Hoportus




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 ano hem Moonay．
 Ansobrersid in the reewe the
 Not only doess his office not have
enough space now，he explained，but also the office dow，dobut a 10 per cent
increase per year in collections for
new registration new registration plates．
 HOME DELIVERY Evetings ina sunday




## Cuban talks started with Ford


#### Abstract

WASHINGTON (AP) - A secret At the State Department, only round of coffee-shop diplomacy two years ago led the United States and years ago led the United States and Kissinger, and two other officials restrictions and prompted Havana to free some imprisone free some imprisoned U.S. eitizizens. The high-ivel talks, initinted The high-level talks, initiated several months after Geraid R. Ford several months after Gerald R. Ford became President were interrupted by Cuba's by Cuba's intervention in Anpola's civil war. The talks were revealed by the state Department on Tuesday a new, publicy a announced Uuesday as discusuba discussions on fish tinued in New York.


Pierre, and at the coffee shop at
Washington's National Airport Werre, and at the coffee shop at
The fishishing talks, which ort.
. week at New York's Roosevelt Hotel, originally were believed to be the first
official olfienal contact between the two States severed ties with Cuba in January 1966 . 19 ties with Cuba in But the 1974.75 discussions covered
wide range of issues and had these a wide range of issues and had these
immediate, dramatic. results:
$-T$ To help arrange the meetings, immediate, dramatic results:
To help arrange the meetings,
Ford eased trave restriction on
Cuba's envoys to the United Nations,
allowing them to travel up to 250 miles from New York instead of 25
Eagleburger made
me first contact through Cuba's UN mission. -A dozen Americans in Cuban Cuba -Cuba extradited an American taken by another hijacker.
-The United States, denting its own The United States, denting its own Reorganization bill almost law.

## The Washington Poart

WASHINGTON - President Carter's request for power to redeem his campaign pledge to reorganize
the "bloated bureaucracy" Che "bloated bureaucracy" into more effective
government neared enactment TTuesday.
By a vote of 395 to 22 , the House passed a bill givi By a vete of of as5 to 2 2, the thent House passed a bill giving
Carter reorganization authority subject to a veto Carter reorganization authority subject to a veto by
either house of Congress. It is very similar to one either house of Congress. It is very similar to one
passed by the Senate. Final congressional approval could come Wednesday with Senate approval of the
House version.
The bill permits the President to prepare
reorganization plans that would take effect 60 days
after subumissipn undess disapproved by a majority of
either house of Conges.
reorganization plans that
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either houmsisson un unless dis
engress.

Shrub in Texas could make nation rubber independent By Grayson yirche
The Los Angeles Times
assued a report calling on the federal government to make a "national commitment" to develop guayule
by providing money for agriculture and genetic The hardy, perennial bushes that often grow wild In the southwestern United States and northern Mexleo can potentially produce enough high-grade latex
rubber so that domestic manufacturers would no longer have to import over so per cent of natural rub-
 He suld about $\$ 500$ million of natural rubber is im-
portedidito the Unitied States annually from Malassia and indonesia. Most of it is used to manufacture tires
for phe report stressed the importance of developing a

domestic rubber source because projected U.S. de-
mand for natural rubber over the next 20 years is ex-
pected to exceed foreign production. WASHINGTON - Within 15 years, the guayule $\begin{aligned} & \text { pected to exceed foreign production. } \\ & \text { Moreover. guayule (pronounced wy-o-lee) rubber }\end{aligned}$

 If cemmercial production began within 10 to 15
years, Collins said, U.S. rubber manufacturers would be able to purchase domestic rubber at a cosst
lower than the 40 cents per pound now paid for in lower than the 40 cents per pound now paid for im
ported Hevea rubber. Gorted Hevear rubber.
Gorld is eur cutivation is not a new idea. During
World three million pounds of resinour ing World War II, three million pounds of resinous rub-
ber was harvested for emergency wartime use from The shrub. "Emergency Rubber Project," initiated The "Emergency Rubber Project," initiated by
the U.S. Forest Service in 1942 , planted anmost 32,000
acres of guayule shrubs at sites in California acres of guayule shrubs at sites in California,
Aripona and New Mexico.
The government abandoned the project in. 1946 when synthetic rubber began to be produced in com-
mercial
倍
Although scientists already know a great deal
about the guayule plant, Collins said more researal is needed to io impreve plant, collings said more research
and crocess yields. Further research is also techniuues
required he said, to learn what useful
pulp paper, might be expected. pulp paper, migh be expecte
To conduei researeh, the
planting 1 million arese of gu planting 1 million aereares, of ge report recommended be studied over at least a 10 year period. There are
million arceso of available land in the Southwest that
could be used, according to the million acres of available land in the
could be used, according to the report.

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## PITMNON'S




## VOTE FOR UNITY April 2nd

A ward system does not assure minority representation. Our county operates on a ward systerm and there never has been a minority elected to it. Yet our school board, whose members are elected at large almost always has minority representatron.

Ward politics in a city the size of Midland tends to be divisive and non-productive.
VIE AGAINST CITY CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 1
Probes find 'slush funds'



## Language barrier hazard in aviation

 By Michael a. LeversLOS ANGELES - If either of
the pilots involved in the Cana Islands collision was confused by the air traffic controller's words Bill Box wont be surprised.
Box, a 34 -year veteran of Box, a 31-year veteran of inter-
national flights for Pan American World Airways, said in an interview that the problems of
pilots from one or more countries
speaking to "native" speaking to "native" traffic t con-
trollers is "severe" and growing. "' Weave had mangy world, said Box, who serves as
safety coordinator for Pan Am safety coordinator for Pan Am
and the Airline Pilots' Assn. here. By convention of the Interntonal Civil Aviation Organza-
ton, English is the language for
air traffic around the world if the pilot cannot understand th language spoken by the air con-
troller on the ground. ICAO has developed simplified aviation But Box, who said he has no idea what caused the crash on
Tenerife, believes the opportuniy for tragedy has long existed English of some air control of
ices is very difficult to under-
"We have been extremely lucky so far," he said.
Box said there is another language-related problem caus ed by controllers speaking native language to a native pill when both fliers are using the air port simultaneously. This was the controller is reported to have used English with both th A spokesman for ICAO branch of the United Nations
formed more than 30 years ago to create uniform one mors ago to rules, said that it had found no problems with multilingual ai "I don't think there have been
100 many problems in this
regard, she side mine Federal Aviation Admint action has not identified d language contusion, acocrorining to soneesman Pred Fararar. But Farrar said language difficulties
can be." "troublesome and bothersome.". "Speaking English when it is "Speaking English when it is problems and misunderstan-
dings," he said. dings, he said. has formally studied the issue but the Canadian government
has. Responding to growing
demands for the demands for the use of French as
well as English by controllers well as English by controllers at commissioned a study of the
potential potential impact of introducing a
second language into air traffic Canadian government spokesmen refused to release the
study's findings until they study's findings until they had
formally been presented to the
to transportation department. No date was given for such action.
Paul Reneau, a representative of the national airline Pilots' Assn., said that a problem
definitely exists but that it definitely exists but that it only
slightly decreases "the margin of
safety" safety,"
"It is "It is not a situation where the skies are jeopardized by the pro-
belem," Reneau said. But, he add-
ed, he would like to ed, he would like to see more
uniformity. uniformity. English is the standard
language but not everybody
speaksit speaks it the same," he said.
Reneau pointed out that ground procedures are generally uniform around the world and
that a pilot is conditioned to anthat a pilot is conditioned to an-
ticipate a particular response
from the control er from the controller to his ques-
lions. "You'll get clearance to do
whatever is necessary," he said. He compared the dangers on a runway in any country to pro-
hems at a traffic intersection supervised by a policeman. with that many machines," he
said. with
said.

## Crash survivors recall disaster

EDITOR'S NOTE: - Sunday March 27, 1977, was fire and we had apparently hit another plane. All the off". Jim Naik, Cupertino, Calif. His wife survived,
overcast and fogey at Los Rodeos Airport on the rows in front of us were on fire. All I know is that I although seriously burned. overcast and hose al island of Tenerife, site of a Spanish settlement off the jumped off and someone picked me up and took me to although seriously burned
coast of Arica. Two chartered Boeing 77 s , one
flown by Pan American, the other flown KLM, taxied
down the rummer to take oft laden with vacetationers
from the United States and Holland. Within Minutes from the United States and Holland. Within Minutes "There was smoke all over. Flames were "There was smoke all over. Flames were
everywhere. There was a huge explosion where r.
been sanding. I lost everything except me." David
Wiley East Pal "T've never seen so many dead bodies. There was
nothing but burning gasoline and burning metal. I
picked up as many persons as I could before the picked up as many persons as 1 could before the
$\qquad$ "You could still see the gesture of the mother. embracing and trying in vain to protect her child." "A
rescue worker. describing the charred bodies of a rescue worker, describing the charred bodies of a
woman and child, cradled in her arms.
"It's not good for you to go in. It will not help, I Link. There is not much to see." A Spanish air force
colone, to an American looking for the body of his sister-in-law in therican looking for the body of his hangar which serves as a count of the tragedy. By The Associated Press
According to our pilot, the other plane was to hold
at the other end of the runway. We pulled out and followed them down. Just as we got to the (taxiway) offramp, where we could get out of the way, well communications must have gotten mixed up.... All of
a sudden we were turning and someone was
screaming that KLM was taking off . That (KLLM) screaming that KLM was taking off ...That (KLM
pililot didn't have enough speed. He tried to pull over us. It absolutely peeled off the top of our plane ..."
Roland Brusco Jr., Longview, Wash.
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The Los Angeles Times
SAN ANTONIO, Tex. - The world-famous "Burn
Institute" at the Brooke Army Medical Center here had its beginnings in the da awn of the nuclear age at
the end of World War II when military physicians the end of World war II when military physicians
saw possibilities of a great nuclear catastrophe and
large numbers of burn victims. large numbers of burn victims. The "Burn Institute" officially known here as the
Institute of Surgical Research, is where a number of victims from the crash of a Pan Amerecican and KLM
ditch Airline jumbo jets in the Canary Islands are Dutch Airline jumbo jets in the Canary Islands are
being received today At least 10 critically burned victims from that
crash, and a number of others seriously burned, crash, and a number of others seriously burned,
were scheduled to arrive here from McGuire Air were scheduled to arrive here from McGuire Air
Force Base in New Jersey enroute from the Canary
Islands. Islands.
Whatever Whatever their plight, similar cases have been
here before -from all overt the here before - from all over the world
The Burn Institute here is internationally famous,
primarily because it has pioneered in the treatment primarily because it has pioneered in the treatment
of burn victims for many years. A " "urn team" " is on stand
go anywhere in the world.
go anywhere in the world.
"A burn affects every single body organ in the
human system," said Col. Basil A. Pruitt, a medical
doter human system, sade up the Institute the past eight
doctor who has headed
years.

LEVI'S general clothing
And I looked and the whole plane was on fire. Oh
God, It
And I looked and the whole plane was on fire. 'Oh
God.' I thought, 'my wife, that's the end of it. 'Then
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## 'Burn Institute world-famous


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school people con help each child succeed

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## The rights of man

Presicent Carter has suggested
United Nake another look at some United Nations treaties on human rights that the
falled to ratify.
He made the suggestion in his talk to the U.N. in New York City. It is a good suggestion, conthis country is properly giving to human rights issues in its foreign
The
The treaties should be studied
carefully, however. There may be carefuily, however. There may be have to be stated at the time the U.S. Senate ratifies the treaties,
to make sure that it is clearly to make sure that it is clearly
understood that our liberties understood that our liberties
under the U.S. Constitution are under the
Mr. Carter mentioned four
treaties in his U.N. talk and said treatwould seek ratification of these covenants:
unanimously by the General Assembly on Dec. 16 , 1966 covering economic, social and
cultural rights. It deals with the right to work, Social Security education. It became and March 3, 1976, without U.S. approval. It has never been sub-
mitted to the U.S. Senate for approval.
unanimously by the General Assembly on the same day. covering civil and political rights. It contains provisions on freedom of speech and religion and
protection from arbitrary arrest or detention. It became effective March 23, 1976, without U.S. approval. It has never been submitted to the U.S. Senate for
approval. - The

## Seven 'filthy words

The Federal Communications
Commission has been rebuffed in Commission has been rebuffed in "filthy words" on radio and television broadeasts.
A federal appeals court rejected
the FCC ruling as a violation of the FCC ruling as a violation of
the agency's duty to avoid cen sorship and emphasized properly - that "we should continue to trust the broadcaster
opinion. But that is a powerful this country stands for human rights, at home and abr
pressure is on our side.
Where these treaties seek to suppress racist organizations, in the absence of violence, they
conflict with our constitutional freedom of political expression and cannot be supported. But
explicit reservations explicit reservations can be
stated at the time of ratification The main thrust of these treaties is in keeping with our respect for human rights. Like the
Helsinki treaty, they can only help us in our contest with the totalitarians of every stripe for the allegiance of free men and be bold in We must be bold in our con-
demnation of tyranny and our defense of human dignity, not only in our own land, but throughout
the world. the world.
sibility and sensitivity to the The language in question is indeed offensive, but preservation of the right of free speech makes of the right of free speech makes
it imperative that restraint be self-imposed by the industry, not the government.
You won't find them listed here This wowspaper shares the responsibility that is the price of press freedom
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WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND
Justice Dept. broke its word companies by then-President Lazaro
Cardenas in 1933.
Petroleum, and particularly its
export to the United States, is a very

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## WRITE ON:

Jerry Ford reportedly keeping a handle on politics


By Jick anderson and les
WASHINGTON - In its war against
organized crime, the Justice Dept sometimes relies on mobsters who
turn state's evidence and testify argainst their underworld cohorts. The
only way the government can per-
suad suade criminals to risk their lives and betray their gangland brothers, of
course, is by promising them lenient treatment.
But the word of the government
apparently isn't worth much these days.
Martin Von Zamft believed he ha
bargained his way to freedome bargained his way to freedom. The
luckless lawyer began cooperating
with the governnent in 1999 atter he
was convicted in a mob-related bank was convicted in a mob-related bank
fraud. Because Von Zamft was a walking encyclopedia on top Mafia chieftains, the government explicitily
promised him that if he cooperated he
would never go to jiil. would never go to jail.
So government inve
So government investigators set
about to use Von Zanft to nail one of
the Cosa Nostra's most dangerous the Cosa Nostra's most dangerous
figures, Anthony Lawrence
DiLorenzo, once New York's top Dijorenzo. once New York's top
hijacking obss. To fulfill his half of the
devil's bargain, the gutsy Von Zant devil's bargain, the gutsy Von Zanft
took chances that awed even the took chances that
grizlesp FBI veterans.
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Despite their grave warnings, the
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a tape recorder straped to his DiLorenzo's heavily guarded hair wit
a tape recorder strapped to his ches
 chest, barely missing the recorder.
"If he had hit the recorder, he would
have thrown me out the wind "Ine he had hit the recor
have thrown me out the
Zamft Zamft later recalled.
Von Zamft secretly recorded 30
minutes of the most damnin minutes of the most damning
testimony ever used against a Mafia chieftain. When it was over, Von
Zamft, too fearful to wait for the
elevator, ran down eight stairs.
The tapes and Von Zamft'
testim The tapes and Von Zamft's
testimony proved to be crucial in the
conviction that tronght convietion that brought DiLoren2t
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smggling and conspiracy. to live up to tits promise by paplowing
Von Zant to find a safe haven in
Englanf to England. Although ill, he voluntarily against other Ma fia hoodlums. But Von Zamft had angered the
tough U.S. attorney in Miami, Robert
Rust, who accused him of a Receme....to avoid serving (your) jus
sentence." Justice and sentence." Justice and FBI officials
rallied to Von Zamft's defense praising him as a courageous witness
who had risked his ilfe to convict
dangerous Mafia fiqures dangerous Mafia fiqures. FBI In
spector Edgar Best warned one judge
that if Von Zamft went to prison, ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{my}$ guess is that (the Maffia) (would have
him exactly where they would like to
have him.".".
Ignoring what affidavits show wa

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ping a handle on politicschallenges and accomplishments ofthe Ford administration.But perraps Sen. Hubert Hum-
phrey, D-Minn, put it best when he
attended a dinner with the Fords
shortly before they left WashingtonWarrior, paid his tribute to thappy man
who came oh, so close, to winning in
1976.He told Ford that they had clashedoften on many issues, especially those
dealing with economic and socialdealing with economic and social
policies, but then magnanimously he
added:"History will not remember those
things... you will be remembered inthings...you will be remembered in
history for having restored to theoffice of the presidency the decency.
the honesty, the integrity, the honor
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nation directing a nuclearstrike against us.He pleaded, too, for a reduction in
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YOUCEST TVUST PRESSDENT CARTER-
A helping hand'from south of the border By WILIuM GIaNDONI
Copley News Service
 Already the output of Mexicon's oil
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United States and other countries.
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has long existed in Mexie, where
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wield considerabl influence in press,
radio and television, as well as public
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great part on the expropriation of
most $U$ and other foreign oil
companies by then-President Lazaro touchy subject in Mexico. Petroleos
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Mexicanos, the government oll
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services that all oil companies require.
In some respects, the Mexican
government oil company has long government oil company has long
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United States, if only because much of what it requires is only readily
available from the United States. Now though, the tables are being
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## Zaire army staff exits center; Americans moved


#### Abstract

Zaire army staff has fled the copper mining center of Kolwesi in souther vaders approaching the mines unofficial sources said. All Americans in the Kolwesi are except four Protestant missionaries also were reported Tuesday to have been evacuated. The missionaries along with about 4 That ing with about 4,000 Belgians in the

But other sources estimate the invaders $\qquad$ many years in 2iairens have feel live the have nothing to fear," said an official of the Belgian Embassy. Seiko's government claimed Sos Katangan exiles who invaded their in southern Zaire three weeks (Katanga) 


Thefts prevent overall crime rate drop

Idaho, from Kolwesi to Kananga,
some 400 miles to the north. The plane also carried two other Americans employed by the government's Gecomini. The U.S. military attache's plane evacuated
engineer.
The engineers left five unarmed Zaireans to guard millions on of dollars
equipment for an electric converter nation for a $\$ 500$-million, 1,100 -mile
electric power line the Boise firm is building across zaire.
The Kolwesi copper mines produce more than 65 per cent of Zaire's ex-
port earning. Is .loss would be a
crippling blow for Mobutu when in crippling blow for Mobutu, whose 12 -
year-old regime is short of cash and has been slow in
disciplined troops.
decline in the murder rate was
reported in every population category 5 per cent nationally and by
much higher percentages in some reported il every
and in all geographic regions. The FBI issued the report today.
Atty. Gen. Griffin Bell called the Atty. Gen. Griffin Bell called the
statistics "an encouraging sign for
the criminal justice system and for the criminal justice system and for
the public." the But he added, "We must not ea our efforts in this struggle, because the incidence of crime still remains
far too high., far too high,
Though the overall rate held steady
and violent crimes declined,
cities. In Houston a startling 42 per reported The FBI compiles the figures from data submitted by more than 9,000 law enforcement agencies. The
statistics cover only the murders, rapes, robberies, assaults,
arglaries, thefts and burglaries, the efts and motor vehicle
thefts reported to police. Other studies have indicated that
many crimes never are reported to
authorities.
The FBI
The FBI keeps no national arson, fraud, embezzlement and other The preliminary report includes a Leal crime figures for 166 cities with
00,000 or more residents 100,000 or more residents and percen-
ages for the nation and for various population and geographic regions. The final 1976 reporphic rue in the the
contains the raw figures for the notion contains the raw figures for the nation
and more detail about the nature of
the crimes.


#### Abstract

WASHINGTON (AP) - Violent ner of the country last year, but surge in thefts in some big , prevented the overall national crime rate from falling, the FBI reports. Preliminary statistics for 1976 show no change from the previous year in the number of crimes reported the state and local police. It marked the rate did not increase. The number of murders across the


Hanafi leader Khaalis calls rival, makes peace gesture By BRYCE NELSON
The Los Angeles Times CHICAGO - Peaceful relations have recently been established between the Chicago-based Black
Muslims and the Hanafi Muslims in Washington,
D.C. Black Muslim spiritual leader Wall Dud., Black Mus sim spiritual leader Washings D.
Muhammad said to The Los Angeles Times in an in. terview Tuesday.
Hanafi leader Khalifa Hamas Abdul Khaalis has
called M



 seizure of tree wastingoto buildings ana the the During the seize, Khaalis repeatedly demanded
that Wallace Muhammad, his brother Herbert
Muhammad, and boxing champion Muhammad Al s Muhammad, and boxing champion Muhammad Ali
be brought to him so that he could deal with them in
retaliation tor the retaliation tor the murders of his family.
Immediately after the hostages were released
Wallace Muhammad said that he had fears that the Wallace Muhammad said that he had fears that the
Hanafis might also try to take his life and had no kind
words for Khaalis. words for Khaalis. A week after the seige ended,
however. Khaalis called Muhammad and talked to
him cordially for him cordially for about a half hour Moham mad said,
their first conversation since about their first conversation since about 1963.
Khakis sad ."Look, I want you to know that you
have nothing to fear from me. I want peace," Muhammad reported.
"Brother Hamas, that's exactly what $I$ 'ye "Brother Hamas, that's exactly what I've always,
wanted, I thought you've always known that,"


Muhammad sad herephied on his part. It takes a bit


 Paying for prayer peeves Kaufman

 "Relifioris on thin here, "ls. Kaufman told the
 in he spagoguve during the High holy Days niles But she ion Minis executive director of Temple



 told temple officials they couldn't meet their $\$ 180$
dues assessment because of hard times but paid $\$ 30$ and intended to pay the rest later. They joined Beth
David in 1974 .
Chareutl Judge Edward swank ruled that the




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## The Truth About the S.A.T. Scores

 Let's set the record straight on SAT scores. Our high schoolseniors scores were only 4 to hove the national average last year.
What Seniors scores were only 4\% above the national average last year.
What is seven more disturbing is the declining trend of theses scores over past years.
In order for you to realize the gravity of the situation refer to com-
tents mad by he assistant superintendent of the MSD on the
front page of the October 13 .


This is intolerable to me. The majority of Midland children are highly sifted with tremendous potential. For them to drop to
nation i toerag is unthinkable
net er leader of our school board has not been able to reverse the declining As a school trustee I $I$ will work to improve these scores through
programs aimed at motivating our youngsters to want to improve芶/48 April Ind. Elect Hughes to the School Board

## Hughes <br> A Standup Guy! For a Change

School Trustee



State representative Bennie Bock, D-New Braunfels, introduces one of two masked witnesses who testified before the House Transportation Committee in behalf of Bock's H.B. 1106. (AP Laserphoto

## Irate drivers support

## 'speed trap' measure

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) - Two masked
women told the House Transportation mas because their case is women toid he rouse Transportation policeman stopped their car and charged them with speeding when 55 thles an hour.
5 the The women testified in support of a
bill that would limit the revenue from bill that would limit the revenue from
speedidng fines to 18 per cent ot the eity
budget of cities with populations under 2,500 . aceording to the sponsor of the bill,
Rep. Bennie Be Rep. Bennie Bock, D-New Braunfels.
They are Solm Gey are Selma, in Bexar and County; and Aubrey, Denton County.
Selma sits on Interstate 35 between New Braunfels and San Antonio. It has guined the reputation as a "speed
trap." but a San Antono lawyer representing the eity told the com-
mittee it cannot be a speed trap when the eity merely is enforcing the state Bock's masked witnesses said the
Selme officer stopped them at 10 $0^{\prime}$ 'clock one night last June. One of the
reasons they asked to remain anonymous - except tor the at
fidavits they filled out for the

## Judge, others ask Senate for new courts

Texas Texas ugge "never comes cheap,",
Then asi to prove it, Dist, Judge. Clarence Cain of
Liberty joined several senators, pudges and distriet attorneys in asking a Senate committee to create new courts.
The Intergovernmental Relations Committee was
virtualy overwhemed TTestay with statistics supporting 17 bills to create new courts.
Cain sad a judge "has got to be to tig toes,", but
he's also "on the seat of his britches ald day iong ", "Chouldn't have your job for all the money and tea in China," said Sen. Tom Creighton, D-Minera "Give us a (new) court, please," pleaded Cain,
The courts would be in addition to 22 created emergency legislation submitted by Gov. Dolph
Briscoe.
The 17 bills were sent to a subcommittee that is to combine them in a single proposal. Sen. A.R. Schwartz D-Galveston, proposed
abolishing a 2 ard court in the emergency bill and substituting anotheor court, with an emgency biil. and
rather than allowing Briscoe to appoint him.
Briscoe recently Briscoe recently nominated $f$. Ray Gayle III of

Angleton as judge of a new district court in Brazoria belongs, he said.
Count, but Schwartz said the appointment was Sent oscar Maury, D-Dallas, said his bill to create
unacceptable to him and the governor withdrew two new criminal district courts also would be filled nnacceptable to him and the governor withdrew two new criminal district courts also would be filled
by elected judges and, in an apparent reference to
Gile sheme.
I hope this "I hope this bill will set a precedent for future Schwartz, he added, "I welcome my colleag
court bills in this state." Schwartz said in a aboard the ship of popular election of judges."
statement that he presented the committee. "This kind of bill takes the power of selecting The committee heard statisxtics such as these, judges away from the governor and the Senate and puts it back in the hands of the people, where it pending in Jefferson County.

## periodic payments. Too often, large

 udgments amount to "windfalls," no about 40 per cent of them are fornon-economic losses, he said. Recovery should be limited to
economic losses, he said. Other sources of compensation
hould be made known to juries, he should be made known to juries, he $\begin{aligned} & \text { Briscoe. } \\ & \text { said. }\end{aligned}$ "We hope originally asked by this passes in this

## House eyes stub-signing

$\underset{\text { representatives have done a a favor for }}{\text { AUSTIN }}$ representatives have done a favor for
every Texan who's ever resented
having to sign his or her ballot stub on election day.
They voted 118-22 Tuesday for a bill repealing the requirement that voters
sign ballot stubs bearing the same sign ballot stubs bearing the same final vote, possibly as early as
Thursday, would send the measure to the Senate. House members voted not to hold a
floor session today so that the House Appropriations Committee and House
And Public Education Committee can
meet at length. The appropriations meet at length. The appropriations committee is nearing completion of
the state budget bill, and the
education committee plans to education committee plans to ap-
prove a school finance bill. "Half of the eligible voters do not have an absolutely secret ballot,"
said Rep. Ernestine Glossbrenner, D. Alice, sponsor of the ballot stub bill.
They live in counties where paper and punchcard ballots sare not used.
Ms. Glossbrenner said the Ms. Glos sbrenner said the
requirement "keeps many people
away from the polls and causes many requirement keeps many people
away from the polls and causes many
people to fearfully cast ballots the way they have been told to do."
Only Rep. Leonard riscee, D-Fort
Worth, a newly elected black
legislator, rose to defend the stub
signing requirement. Briscoee, who
won won his seat only after an election
contest in which stubs were used to contest in which stubs were used to
check validity of ballots, said the requirement helps keep elections
clean. Also winning tentative House approval was Waco Rea. Betty Denton's
bill requiring the Texas Employment bill requiring the Texas Employment
Commission to provide special commission to provide special
coussling and training to help
"displaced homemakers. "displaced homemakers" - widows
and divorcees - to obtain jobs. and divorcees - to obtain jobs.
Representatives voted $78-52$ to defeat a bill that would have repealed
the law that requires apprentice
policemen and firemen to be under the law that requires apprentice
policemen and firemen to be under
age 36 .
Codeine halted BROWNSVILLE, Tex
(AP) A A pre-dawn raid
at a Brownville lumber-
yard netted officers five
illegal aliens and
bottles of codeine-spiked bottles of codeine-spiked
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were also confiscated were also confiscated
after authorities were
tipped to an illegal alie tipped to an illegal alien
and drug smuggling
operation $\left.\begin{array}{l}\text { operation. Investigators } \\ \text { said the cough }\end{array}\right\}$ said the cough syrup and
pills wwere bound for
Houston.

A severely weakened version of a commissioners limited lawmaking
powers won tentative House powers won tentative House ap-
proval, $85-2$, after members spent
most of the day on it most of the day on it.
An amendment by Rep. Stan An amendment betueter, Desalado, which was
adopted $70-66$, says a commissioner court can pass ordinances only on
subjects specifically authorized by the voters in a county. ballot," can have 40 ordinaterces on the Com missioners would receive
ordinance-making authority only by a ordinance-making authority only by a
majority vote both in the county as a
whole and in its unincorporated majority vote both in the county as a
whole and in its unincorporated
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## Special purchase!

Hotel-motel bedding by Serta


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Colors may vary in needle work

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| EAR ERICA: I went to the ject. The froblem is, I was like a ject. The problem is, I was a candy store and came home practically every luscious color muddle than ever.- Sarah EAR SARAH: The hardest thing you're confronted with a eliminating. The first and most st be green; carnations are always rle fish?" etc. whoever heard of a he answer is, of course, if your be any color. Think of a willow terned plate-blue trees, bridges,ses, people. This is perfect for broidery, because the simpler the ches can be without the result oming too "busy. |
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assistant professor of management, suggests
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as of
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admits he had to come to
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Now, he explains to the tear becomes. When targer, the replacement of the the screening and into the
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## Minor designers find place

## among tops in fashion world

 Ay MichisPARIS - American-born Vicky Tiel came to Paris Louts Deruud, while fisey with French designer
tashion trade in his native Japan belore taking on the
Paris public. here, they are still, however, releated to the "minor"
leegues of desigers by a very demmanding - and
perhaps a drifle chavinistic. French fashion in. But if commercial suceess were a critical Paris' tradititonal greats.
Tiel and Miyake were two of the more than a score wear collections forigners who presented ready-toThis week an equal number of "big-leaguers",
uch as Lakvin, Dior, Saint Laurent and 8 for the first time ever in ready-to-wear - Chanel, are showing
their coliection.
While awaiting the dictates of the major fashion Wouses, muiting canstiil dictetees of the major fashion The overail shape was big, broad and bulky. The
only consistent exception
alim to tro trousers, pencilslimm to the point of elinging. Some designers with removable capelets and quilted linings. ubble ending in bloomer legs at mididghigh oved Fiber in diet prevents ress over narrow trousers of the same fabric crumpled at the ankle.
Another narrow trouser style was of rich dark
weitede. wint the waist underlined by a three-button
ritnit tand Vicky Tiel, who some years back decided to con-
centrate on dresses long and short, offered several

 uilly, pleete prints were fin stroung tropical colors and old fashioned oatmeal, hot cereals and mis mixed
Thele grain "natural" cereals. Treis best efforts were inspired by the Hollywood
 draped sleeves, hiphlighted by a narrow goid band.
For the young In years, Santurday's best designs
ceame
Texas Agricultural


## Chapter

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 Easter eggs have legend KANSAS CITY, Mo
(AP) Early Christian
societies took theit
Easter eggs seriousiy. reports Hagks seriou In Europe, it was
believed that the yolk of n egg laid on Good Fria
day would turn into a dia.
mond in 100 years folk tales credit. Ether
eggs with protecting per eggs with prodecting peo-
ple against sudden death.



Luncheon marks group's birthday
The Permian Basin Phi Mu Alumnae chapter
maried the national organization's $125 t h$ an-
niversary with a luncheon in the home of Mrs. Jack niversary with a luncheon in the home of Mrs. Jack
Beshears, 2t13 Culpepper with Mrs. Don McClain,
Mrs Ches Beshears,
Mrs. Charles Moore and Mrs. Charles Latch as cohostesses.
Special recognition was given to Mrs. E. E. Reigle, Special recognition was given to Mrs. E. E. Reigle,
who is the Midand chapter's first 50 year member. Phi Mu members are contributing pennies to the
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rep The mini idea at issey Miyake from the Japanese designer's
autumn-winter ready-to-wear collection is a side-tied fringeed autumn-winter ready-to-wear collection is a side-tied righted
loincloth in bright red over matching ribbed tights topped with big fleece-lined duffle-coat with wide sleeves. (AP laserphoto)




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Mrs. Dalton Linton honored West Elementary Parent-Teacher Association has
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ART COLE, director of Midland Community Theatre, standing, and Mrs. Art Cole, seated right, visit at a theater dinner party with Jonas Arnason, playwright and member of the Ieelandic parliament, and his wife, Gudrun. Arnason's comedy, "Shield Head," had its American premiere at MCT. The production was
followed with the dinner,sponsored by MCT's Act IX, in the Midland Petroleum Club

## Mesa Cotton Council

reports contest winners


School Trustee


## PARENT INPUT

How can the school board know what is on the minds working hours when so many of our parents can not attend. When elected to the board, I will propose that at least half of our meetings be held in the evening.

April 2nd Elect Hughes to the School Board


DEATHS

Manuel Rivera service Friday LUBBOCK - Services for Manue G. Rivera, 6 , of Salinas, Canuel. brother of Eva Baideras ol Andrews,
will be at It a.m. Friday in St.
Joseph's Catholic Church with the ficiating. Burial will be in City of Lubbock
Cemetery diriected by Henderson
Funeral Home. Funereral Home. in a car aceident in
Rivera died Napoieon, Onio, mondal aix sons, a
other survivors include six
daughter, a brother, three other Servicetoday for Mrs. Ragan

 with Man Rankin, Christian Science reader, officiating.
Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park. Ragan died in her home
Mons. Ray night after a brief illness. She Monday night after a brief illiness. She Sarvivors include e daughter, Mrs. Warlick Carr of Lubbock; a son,
Robert Ragan of Big Spring; Robert Ragan of Big Spring:
brother, LIMy Wasson, and five
grandeflidren.
Mrs. Roden dies in Pasadena


Crane residents' father dies


 Burial will be in Monahans
Cemetery directed by Wilson-Miller
Funeral Home. Puesday morning in an
Odesser died Tisitaf after s short illness. Odessa hospital after a moort illness.
Other survivors include two other daughters, another son. tour brothers, ters, sisters, eight
grandehildren and one great

Birdie Dillard rites Thursday
ANDREWS - Services for Mrs.
Birdie Dillard, 8s, will be at 10 a.m.
Thursday in Means Thursday in Means Memorial Unite Burial will be in Lamesa Memorial
Park, directed by Singleto Park, directed by Singleton Funeral
Home. The Andrews resident died Tuesday Sillarivors include two sons. Henry San Francisco, Calif: ; two daughters,
Mrs. Vea Waiker Mrs. Yea Waiker of Dallas and Mrs
Birdie Reed of Visalia, Calif. Birdie Reed of Visalia, Calif.:
grandehildren:
great grandchildren, and four great-great
grandchildren.
T. A. Vaughan
dies at age 41

## ANDREWS - Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Emma p.m. Thursday in Emmay Church of Christ in Ralls for Thomas

 Vaughan, 41, of Barstow, brother of four area residents. Burial will be inRallls Cemetery, directed by Carter
Funeral Ralls Cemetery. directed by Carter
Funeral Home.
Vaughan died. Monday night in a Permian hospital.
Survivors include his widow, Marie Surrivors include his widow, Marie
Vaughan: a son, Douglas Vaughan of
 Williams of Bigy Spring, Mae Me-
and two
and James , sidney Vaughan of Andrews Mrs. Strickland dies in Austin Mrs. Martha $L$ Strickland, a for-
mer Midland resident, died Monday mer an Austin heospital, at age 57 . She
in an
lived in Johnson city lived in Johnson City.
Services are set for Services are set for 2 p.m. Thursday
at the Alamo Heights Baptist Church.
Burial wimb Burial will be het Resthapten Memorial Church.
Park directed by Newnie $w$. Park directed by Newnie $W$. Ellis
Funeral Home.
Mrs. Strickland was born Feb. 13 1920, in Lee County where she was

Service held


14th Street Church of Christ in
Lamesa. Burial was in Lamesa Memorial Park, directed by Branon Funeral Home
sall died early Monday morning in service Friday
his home. ago as a farm implement dealer. Survivors include his widow. Clara
Ball; two Ballit two sons, Maj. Eldon K. Ball of
Stuttgart Gern. Stutigatt Germany, and CCharles D.
Ball of Houston; two daughters. Mrs Ball of Houston; two daughters, Mrs.
Wayne Hoskins of Friendswood and Wayne Hoskins of Friendswood and
Mrs. Vernon Flenniken of Lamesa; al
sister, Mrs. Mavis McEntire of El sister, Mrs. Mavis McEntire of El
Paso; 18 grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren

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SEMINOLE - John B. Foutch, 66 , a
former Midland cate operator and
house painter. died early today in house painter. died early today in an
Andrews hospital following an illness. Andrews hospitan followng an uiness.
Services will be at 3p.m. Friday in
the Singleton Funeral Home chapel in the Singleton Funeral Home chapel in
Seminole. Burial will be in Seminole. Foutch had lived in Min Midand from
Foution sometime in the early 1940 s until he
moved to Seminole in recent years. moved to Seminole in recent years.
Survivors include two daughters.
two brothers and a sister.

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normal part of growing pally good for children＇s ondy older，or can something be done about it？－Carl
B．Dear Carl：Yes， Dearething carl be done
about it，and the earne you start doing it，the be other heaith areas，
ounce of prenent ouer heailn areas，ai
ounce of prevention i
worth a pound of fure．

California Democratic Gov，Edmund Brown uses unique tactics to keep self informed

later，again unannounced weekends com munity advisory board at another
state hospital．
These unconventional trips are all part of a process which the 3s－year－
old Democrat describes as gathering old Democrat describes as gathering ＂uncensored＂data on social
problems and goverament programs． Brown says he gets a more accurate Brown says he gets a more accurate
view of how things are working．＂or． very often，how they are not working，＂by bypassing the
bureaucracy and the advocates of bureaucracy and the advocates of
special interests and going directly to
people．
people．intend to continue it，yes，＂，
Brown said of his weekend excursions Brown saidd of his weetinue it，yeses，＂excursions after spending half of the graveyard
shift in a Santa Ana police patrol car．
＂I find it a very usefuil tooi to authors，philosophers，professors and
separate the rhetorice from the advocates of various causes，sid he
reality，＂Brown said．＂Too much of views his visits with those people in ia government is paper and collecting siews his visitar wilth those people in a
money．A lot more of it shis should be to the police money．A lot more of it should be that＇s what I intend to do．
＂I get first－hand knowledge un－ censored by the normal channels，＂，
the bachelor governor said．＂In my
position，much of the information position， filtered．
＂People talk about crime，they talk
housing nental illiness，But it is awfally haout to relate the words of the advocates
ith the realities we are trying to deal
ith，＂he said．
with the reaities we are trying to deal
with，＂he said．
Brown，who spends many of his
other weekends visiting or hosting
department．
I divide government into two
powers：the coercive power and the powers：the coercive power and the
persuasive powe． ＂The coercive tax and pass new laws and send you to tax a and pass new laws and send you to
jail．That＇s the power people think o en they ask：What are you doing？ ＂There＇s another power，to per－
de，to inspire，to provide leader shade，by encourraging cooperation an bringing people together．What $\mathrm{I}^{m}$ doing is putting a definite amount 0
time and effort into the second powe time and effort into the second power
that this office carries with it
because because I otrince carries with it，
resource．＂ keep only two facts in
mind：（1） mind：（1）The prevention
of loss of teeth begins in
childhood．（2） childhood．（2）No clean
tooth ever decays to the
point where it point werere it itallls $\begin{aligned} & \text { to the } \\ & \text { must be extracted．}\end{aligned}$ Teeth are damaged in one of two ways： periodontal wass：by
which involvese which involves the guss
and membranes around
the teeth；and by lesion （cavities），which astack
the teeth themselves．
Both Both processes start in
early childhood，and both can be lessened by proper oral hygiene，which re quires hbre wan just Cavaties．for instance，
can develop on 26 tooth， surfaces which can be cleaned with ${ }^{\text {a }}$ a
tothbrush，and onanad－
ditional ditional 60 surfaces no
toothbrush can get to．
The gums then gums have no less
periodontal surfaces where periodontal disease can
take hold，and only half of them can be reached by a
toothbrush． $\underset{\substack{\text { Not that a good } \\ \text { toothbrush isn＇t impor－} \\ \text { tant but it }}}{\text { ithts }}$ the butit rights only hal
the batte．For the rest
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the vulnerable areas ween the teeth and in the
crevices of the gums．On

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three－cornered depres．
sions where all
kinds of food particles a and
deposits accumumulate．
Those are Those the the trouble
spots that must be kept clean．An interproximal
cleaner can
woo wood，triangular
toothpick（brand name： stimulents）i unwaxed
flossor a water pick．The
main main thing is that it must
do a really good job of getting at debris，
wherever it accumulates Another important aid．
to tooth care is conth care is regular
dental floss，which can be
inserted teeth in order to remove
food particles damaging tissues． Teeth should be clean－ all possible，especially
when you＇ve eate sweets．Sugar，among all


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THESE EIGHT boxers from the Midland Boys tournament recently. They are, front row from left Terry Parker, Joel Abila, Elliott Barrow and

## Home run burns Midland


SCOTTSDALE, Ariz.-Shortstop
Ray Hall spoiled eight innings of Ray Hall spoiled eight innings of
diligent toil with a three-run homer to
left left to propel the Milwaukee Brewers
AA Eastern League Holyoke farm club to a a 64 victory over the Midland
Cubs at Eldorado Park Tuesday The one out fly off Buill Reilly just
cleared the left field barrier cleared the left field barrier and
dropped a Texas Leaguers to $2-2$ for the Cactus League season. Going into the fatal ninth, four
Cubs' pitchers had combined to blend a four hitter and the young infield turned four snappy double plays.
EXCEPT FOR a familiar face here
and there, the Cubs were a team of strangers, and it remains to be seen
how much this week's how much this week's Midland roster
will resemble next week's after the parent Chicago Cubs make their reassignments and cuts in the next
few days. The shock waves will be felt few days. The eshock wav
in Wichita and Midland.
One familiar face belonged to first
baseman Aaron Randall, the Grambling College grad who has weilded a smoking spring bat in two
previous trials with Midand before winding up at Pompano Beach. Aaron
did nothing to damage his reputation as a spring hitter. collecting two run scoring singles left-handed before
flying out to center field right-handed Karl Gordon, Montclair, N. J., State
College, came east with Midland last

## Power behind Ryan

 could spell troublePALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) -
California Angels, strikeout artist
Nolan Rya Nolan Ryan realized when he took the
mound in past years, about the only mound he could reasonably be assured
way he
of a victory was if he held of a victory was if he held the op
position to two or fewer runs. position to two or fewer runs.
Angels' hitting was that weak.

## Bullpups

lose, 9-7
The Abilene High junior varsity
diamondmen made it a sweep over Midiand Tuessay afternoon, as the
Eagles defeated the Bullups, Eagles deefeated the Bulpups, 9 , Hat. for Abiliene, while Archie Booth ab-
sorbed the loss, which dropped MHS sorbed the loss, which dropped MHS
to $4-4$ on the season. Abilene's JV unit is now ${ }^{6-3}$. Mowles and Robert Mongomery led the Pack's seven hit
attack. Mowles had a pair of base hits, while Mont gomery had a double.
Midland will play Lee in Midland will play Lee in a junior
varsity doubleheader Friday af


Things have changed, however, and
the addition of free agents Joe Rudi, Don Baylor and Bobby Grich to the Angels some punch to go with their
pitchins pitching. "hice change," said Ryan, wha at a 3 is begeginning ghis sisth season
with California. "If we don't do really well, and if I don't have a good season, "I always tried not to let it get me
down all those years when we were down all those years when we were out of the running, when pitching a
game became more or less of any
ndividual game became more or less of any
individual thing But this year, pit.
ching for this team should be enching for
joyable.
"I don't expect to have to go out
there with the thought that every pitch is life and death, that the game is in the balance with every pitch. The
way the team is now, there should be same times when 1 can lete tup a littlte,
take something off my fast ball and take something off my fast ball and
concentrate on hitting spots more.: Ryan came back from elbow surgery in 1975 and made 39 starts
last year. He finished with a $17-18$ record and led the majors in
strikeouts with 327 and in walks with
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both travel to Tucson today to play Cleveland Indians farm clut in day games and Chicago meets Cleveland
in a $7: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. game at Hi Corbett


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 Firuthermore, the NFL
disclosed a complex $x$. balanced a complex yet
beheduling system to prevent
inequities and announced
that the all that the college player
draft would be eheld May
$3-4$ in New York $3-4$ in New York, The votes on the $16-$
game schedule, the revised schedule formula
and the placine and the placing of Tampa
Bay and Seatle were 21 B, the minimum needed
for for approval. The ad-
dition of the two wild car dition of the two wild card
teams was a unanimous ${ }^{28}$ - Mote. determining factor adding two more games
to the schedule and two to the schedule and two
more teams to the
playoffs," said Rozelle. "One of the basic
reasons (for expanding
俍 the regular season) wa.
the fact that a number of clubs have had difficulty
selling selling the preseaso
games." he said, iden-
tifying Philadelphia and
Niw New England as two of
the most voocal preponents of a 16 -game
season and a four-game exhibition slate. dition of a second wide card team will help keep the races competitive
longer," he added. "With
all of this, the season'll
start earlier start
later."
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## Angels try to buy crown

| By The Associated Press | ms | Dave May, an outfielder with poten- |
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| a Angels may have bought | still a threat to strike out everybo | le pitchers, were the others |
| nselves a divisional titie along | and | in the trade. |
| They're talking about how the K | ruin himself with wildness and sore | help has really arrived, |
|  | arms. It all happened last year. Ryan | - |
|  |  | is, |
| because nobody in the division beat |  | d |
| them to the top a year ago | also had a league-high 18 losses and | Paul Lindblad and Doyle |
| They're talking about how the | 183 walks to go along with his 3.36 | ander. Campaneris' arrival per- |
|  |  | $y$ Harrah to move into a |
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| with real ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Kirkwood with promise but, as yet, no | changes shoutd sette down an in- |
| aren't really all that bad despite the | production |  |
| superstar exodus, or | The Royals, | Minnes |
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| , | ot | elde |
| e Sox and the expansion Seatt | but perhaps that's not as bad as it | ar ${ }^{\text {a }}$ Dan Ford. But that pitching |
| M | sounds. Consider the teams they | \% |
|  | played | the departure of relief ace Bill Camp- |
| seems to know what's going to h | games than Milwaukee. And | bell to Boston. Campbell was the |
| pen. And that makes for pennant |  |  |
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| Gene Autry's money has certain | a strikeout pitcher. So it might be an | 0 |
| the Angels a shot in the arm |  |  |
| his acquisitions-Joe Rudi, Bobby | AND ONE man does not make up a | 1 to wour |
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| shot at their first winning season | of the men who gave the Royals the | Charie Fmiey 'A's. Oakland, on- |
| since 1970, the last time they finished | second-best staff in the league-Paul |  |
| With Rudi, a healthy Bobby Bond |  |  |
| d a developing Bruce Bocht | Mingori, Doug Bird and Dennis Leonard. And if Steve Busby is | ted by the experts as a |
| Callfornia is certainly sound in the | healuy again, thats a major |  |
| The infield, though, leaves |  | CERTAINLY doesn't look rosy |
| some questions. Beyond Grich, shortstop with | When the Royals got C | new Mana |
| ond Grich, a shortstop with | also | $\text { it } \mathrm{m}$ |
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| ted. It could be Baylor at | the field remains pretty sound with | The team didn't lose any stas |
| first base and Tony Solaita as the | Players like George Brett, | Vida Blue and Mike Torrez are two |
| ignated hitter, or it could be the | Mayberry, Fred Patek, Amos | may menty and Pain M. |
| er way around. Ron Jackson at | and Hal McRae. New arrivals | may be ready to emerge and Joe |
| yet to pitch in with consistent prod |  |  |
|  | The |  |
| HALF A dozen men, |  |  |
|  | d | sti's ar |
| are scrambling for the | deal that sent Jeff |  |
| wins it will catch some pr | Atlanta. Ken Henders | 11 h |
| and some pretty | former Braves, will replace him in | e |
| questionable ones, too | right field, and will probably supply |  |
| Frank Tanana, 19-10 with a 244 | just about as much power at the pla | fielder Bill North. |

## Now, at First National... A new self-service customer parking area.



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## MMIDLAND

 —WAC takes Sunday
proposal
$\qquad$ one conference is the traditional
hosfor the Fiesta Bow.
"The Plesta Bowl is on the verge of exploding into one of the jiggest bowi
games in America," said Jim Meyer.


Midland's Larry Murphy goes into first base the hard way
uring Tuesday's $5-4 \mathrm{~A}$ clash with Abilene. His head first slide beat during Tuesday's $5-4 \mathrm{~A}$ clash with Abilene. His head first slide beat
the throw here, but it was little consolation to the Bulldog's, who lost anyway, $4-0$. (Photo by Bruce Partain)

## Cooper slugs Rebels

##   Tiy yor (i-1) plecked up the win for the Cougars, who are now $M$ on the

Reds, Rose stalemate in contract squabble






## Permian JVs

 defeat RebsThe Robert E. Lee junior varasity
 me cee iilimomes. got the win for the
panthers, while Mark Denny was the Panternt, while Mark Denny was the Lee outhit Permian 1512 in the
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 wo hits.


## King fumes after win

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## Abilene blanks Bulldogs

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 Lanry Nurphy (1-3), the Midaland
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loss to Big Soring only a day earlier.


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Peliever Bud Brigham
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Buldog reror brough
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 just three hits, but hat tow ork oout of
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preserve his shutut.






 the frning by drawing g aw halif from
Murphy, and then the Bulldogs turned
 Designated hitter Mark. Pierce
attempted a serficiee bunt, which
came back towards the mound.

 REECE, THE 9.5 sprinter, then
proved he has power in addition to
speed, as he driled Murphy's first
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said end here Friday, the source | twelth defeat in 15 games. |
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that the Midand bat batter had been hiit in the head by a Bragg curve ball, but
 cided he hadn't hactually seen what
had happened he asked the other
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## Young-blood





 Younglood's immediate problems are sleeping
and dressing
"'ve worked extremely hard on hitting this
spring," he said, "but I still haven't gotten over the "'ve worked extremely hard on hitting this
spring," he said, "but I stil haven' gotten over the
shock ot the trade. In fact, I had trouble sleeping last
night (Monday). night (Monday). place to live in St. Louis and I don't
Idon't thave a
have any clothes. My wife took most of them with her to Cincinnati, and the Cardinals open the season on
the read.:
Meanwhile, Bob Forsch, Al Hrabosky and Mike Sutton blanked the Astros on five hits. Inronically,
Youngblood's homer crene on the only pitch thrown
by Ken Forsch, Bob's brother. Gary Nolan, who still is with the Reds, probably
wished he were elsewhere Tuesday. The Texas wished he were elsewhere. Tuesday. The Texas
Rangers rowghed him up for 11 runs and 15 hits in
four-plus innings as they pounded the Reds 13-5. Nolan blamed his problems on a blister on his right
foot, the one he pushes off with. He taped the toot, the one he pushes off with. He
spot, but the tape tore off the fleshm "I don't know what I'm going to do now," Nolan
said. "I couldn"t get any drive off the rubber because said "I oculdn't get any drive of the rubber because
of the foot. And when Iddid get some drive, it felt like
my foot was coming oft Elsewhere, Boston's Jim Rice and Cleveland's Bill
Melton bosted their spring home run totals to six
apiece. Rice, who has four in his last three to apiece. two, who drove in five runs as the Red Sox
crackect two the Mind dinesota
twins
$9-2$, Melton settled for one in the Indians' $6-$ victory over San Francisco.
Randy Ellottit the Giants rokie sensation, went 2 spring batting average to 659 on 25 hits in 38 at-bats. On the mound, Kansas City's Paul Splittortf
allowed one hit insix innings as the Ropals blanked
the Chicago White Sox 40 , Ken Holtzman surren dered two hits in six innings of the New York
Yankees' 31.1 decesion over the Toronto Bue Jays,
and Phil Niekro yielded three hits in six innings and Phil Niekroc sielded three hits in six innings as
the Atlanta Braves defeated the Baltimore Orioles 3.
Dave Cash's two-run homer in the eighth inning
lifted the Montreal Expos over the Los Angeles Dodgers $8-5$, and the Chicago Cubs edged the
Oakland A's 98 when Oakland A's 98 when Bruce Sember doybled in the
10th inning and scored on a single by Joe Wallis. Philadelphia's Tug McGraw pitched out of a base


Texas Relays begins run

| AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) women track stars with all ability were entered in the fir today of the 50th Texas Relay The men's decathlon -10 and the women's pentathlon events - were scheduled for day and Thursday, with the meter run also planned for T | (AP) - Men and rs with all-around exas Relays. <br> thion -10 events heduled for Wednes. $y$, with the 10,000 nned for Thursday |
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| Ten thousand meters is the equivalent of six miles. <br> The preliminaries and the finals in some field events and the preliminaries in running events are set for Friday morning. The main sessions will be held Friday night and Saturday afternoon. <br> Freshman Johnny Jones of Texas, a member of the United States' gold medal 400 -meter relay team at the 1976 Olympics, will be one of the busiest performers. <br> Jones is listed as the anchorman on Texas' 440,880 and mile relay teams, which means if the Longhorns make the finals in each event, he will run six baton races. <br> In addition, he is the featured runner in the 100 -meter dash Saturday afternoon. <br> Joining him in that nine-man race will be teammate Raymond Clayborn who, like Jones, played football, and former Longhorn sprint star John Lee. |
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Nettles skips game; Teagle paces Rice selects Schuler

## Yanks slap on fine

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Class A stars DALLAS-Broaddus' Terry Teagle,
a Gloot- junior who averaged 28.6 points a game, heads the list of Class A All-state basketball players
released today by the Texas Sports Writers Association. Teagle received 172 of possible 180 poinggle received the pace the first team. Other first team members were Keith Scharnhorst of Blanco, Terry Lyons
of Bullard, Miike Ray of Arher City and Johnny Campbell of Brookshire-
Royal.



 coach at 'Virginia Military Institute
(VMI), figures he'll have better luck.
"I feel I have the traits and
qualities to give Rice a fine program
and I will welcome the opportunity to and I will welcome the opportunity to
work under a man with the class and reputation of momer Rice (athletic
director). director).
Rice acknowledged that Schuler has a late start in receruiting but also xpressed confidence in Schuler. Rice
also said the school's facilities
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Ranger baseball to be aired Texas Rangers baseball will be The Rangers' debut on KMID will $\begin{array}{ll}\text { broadcast in Midland during the } 1977 & \text { be Sunday when Texas faces the } \\ \text { Heason by local station KMID-TV. } & \text { Houston Astros at } 12: 45 \text { p.m. in an }\end{array}$ A 14 -game slate has been announced by KMID. The games will be on Saturday or Sunday. and the
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By The Associated Press


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- Dr. Renee Richards looked less than dominant Tressay night in
winning her first-round match in a
$\$ 20,000$ women's tennis tournament
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Earlier this week, the 42 -year-ald
Earlier this week, the 42 -year-old
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and was seager to sweep through the
field." She defeated Maggie Riley of field." She defeated Maggie Riley of
Dallas $6-4,6-3$. "You would think that after playing
tennis for 25 years 1 wouldn't be so
som sioppy and jittery", she said. "But 1
am alw was that way in the first match
of a tournament."
Roylee Bailey of of sacramento, Calitf
and top-seeded Mary Hamm of San Antonlos will meet mamm of San
amateur Caroline Stoll of Lear-old
amive amateur Caroline Stoll of Livingston,
N.J., in second-round feature mat.
ches Wednesday night.
The tournament's second seed,
Jane Stratton of Salt Lake Jane Strarnament of solt Lateond seed, City
defeated Susan Mehmedbasich of Eit defeated Susan Mehmedbasich of E
Cerrito, Calif., $6-2,76$ Tuesday night.
The 5 -foot-9 Stratton, 23, who
prefers a fast surface such as the one
here, covered the court gracefully prefers a fast surface such as the one
here, covered the court gracefully
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## CBS departments heading west

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| LOS ANGELES (AP) |  |


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eit "and the aces and kings will take care
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of themselves."
East dealer
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## BRIDGE

Never underestimate dra wing trumps. But South still had to
lose a diamond and two clubs. Down
one. South went down because he didn't
make good use of the nine of hearts. make good use of the nine of hearts.
He played as though he had the singleton deuce of hearts East should play the low heart from
dummy at the first trick East win DEVELOPS HEARTS East returns the king of diamonds
to the ace whereupon South draws
one round of trumps with the kina nother, by leading the eight to
ummy's nine. He then returns the king of earts from dummy.
If East plays low, South discards queen of hearts. South is ready th ruft Dast plays low. DAIL QUESTION
Dealer bids four hearts, and you are
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## Commerce becoming latest

## North Ireland terror target

By ED BLLANCHE
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 Catholic guerrilla movement fighting British rule in Northern ireand．Its＂economic campaign＂has ad
ded a new dimension of fear tolife here．
Don Robinson，s6，an Englishman who worked in Northern Ireland for 20 years，was killed by tw cunmen who burst into his downtown office，forced Jeffrey Agate， 5 ，mana aing director of the Du
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Much of Toronto's growth to the rank of a major North American city aat occurred since World War iI. The
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## Carter's plan may be to phase out controls

| by CLyde la Motte Reporter-Telegram Washington of Correspondent | sumers. <br> Industry spokesmen have repeatedly pointed out tha dereguation of new natural gas | mpany would have under contract. The issue will be a hot one in ngress. Rep. John Dingell. |
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| The tentative plan would tie natural gas prices to the crude oil price |  |  |
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By LARRY SUTHERLAND

| The need for single-member district elections of some members of the Midland City Council got top priority in the discussion Tuesday night of a can didates' forum sponsored by the Midland League of |
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| More than 35 residents of southeast Midland |
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| League voter information director |
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candidate King Hughes, incumbent school boar
member James Ramsoure and school boar President Joe Dominey.
Dominey is running against Hughes, Marcum is
running against Dennis Wallace, and the the others are unopposed.
Wallace did not attend the eandidates' forum.
All three council candidates said they were op
posed to single-member district elections, which is posed to single-member district elections, which is a
question on Saturday'scharter amendment ballot.
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years that $\begin{aligned} & \text { is cap } \\ & \text { out of orbit. }\end{aligned}$.able of knoeking a Soviet satelite out ot orbit.
The Times learned about the program Tuesday
when it obtained a copy of a classified report filed in
the closing days o the Ford
 gram at the pace set by the outgoing administration,
the United States could test a satellite hunter by 1980
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Fromer Defy for operate Fromer Defeese Secretary Donald Rumsfeld an-
nounced Ja. 18 as part of his final military "posture
statement." that the Soviets Union had already tested a "potential anti-satellite capability" "1 which
could endanger U.S. surveillance, communications
and
 Dr. Malcolm Currie, the Ford administration's
director of Defense Research and Engineering, said
recent Soviet advance make it necessary for the
United States defenses.
Thes verion of Currie's report which was made publie at the time discuused programs to improve
this nation's ability to track Soviet satellites. as well
as research efforts into methods of protecting U.S. space systems from attack.
But the highly classified But the highly classified version of the report, ob-
tained by the Times, revealed that Currie also had
ordered new emphasis on a satellite killer program. The report cautioned the lawmakers: 'National policy is that the very fact that we are investigating
means by which to neutralize foreign satellites will
beclassified.
However. Aviation Week Magazine has
reports in recent weeks about U.S. ant has catelilite ef.
forts and other pubbications have speculated about
the possibility of Ul
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not yet been confirmed by the Senate.
Without commenting on the anti-satellite program,
Pentagon officials have said they plan to make few changes in the Ford administration's budget for the
coming fiscal year. Carter plans to develop a budget totaily his own by next January.
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The cost of the anti-satellite program is a com-
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that begins Oct. 1. The United States abandoned an earlier anti-
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option to deplog a system with an initial capability by
1982." Curre said.

## Soviets said

 disappointed with CarterBy PETER OSNOS
The Washington Post
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