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18 tornadoes carve paths across Texas

A rash of tornadoes whirled across Texas again during the night and this morning, hitting a destructive blow at Brownwood, and savage thunderstorms loosed flooding rains once more on the mostly saturated state.

One twister injured 11 persons as it wrecked three homes in a pecan orchard outside Brownwood and inflicted damage estimated at \$1 million at that Central Texas city's municipal airport. The Associated Press reported.

By National Weather Service count, 18 tornadoes spun over areas from the Texas Panhandle into the piney woods of East Texas, with many concentrated near the state's midsection. They kept some counties in the southeast edge of the state under a tornado watch as late as 10:30 a.m. today.

Fresh deluges of rain swamped many points, prompting a long series of flash flood warnings and watches. Official forecasters said a broad stretch of countryside already had absorbed all the water it could handle and the latest runoff was rising in low areas. There was no report, however, to match those Monday of roads blocked and householders evacuated in some places, principally in the Dallas vicinity.

The storms formed nearly solid

lines in West Texas and marched with awesome might across the state, reaching East Texas and the Upper Texas Coast by morning. Hail pounded at many points.

At Brownwood the twister struck near the northwest edge of town, battering two houses and a mobile home. Of the 11 injured, nine were kept overnight in Brownwood Community Hospital and attendants reported three were in serious condition—Norma Gill, 53, and Karen Turner, 13, both visitors from Odessa, and Billy Ray Jones, 3, of Brownwood.

The writhing winds demolished a hangar at the Brownwood airport and tore up six private planes, inside and outside of that structure. Values of the individual aircraft were placed at up to \$190,000.

Many tornadoes were spotted in open country and spun away harmlessly, as apparently was the case with the first of the series around Amarillo, Gruver, Pampa, Spearman and Stinnett in the Panhandle.

Somewhat later other funnel clouds were reported downstate near Granbury, which is southwest of Fort Worth; between Stephenville and Dublin; close to Saint Jo in North Texas, where a house and a mobile home were damaged; near Ponder in Denton County; south of Cleburne at Coppas Cove, where a house was

damaged; close to Grandview; 10 miles north of Paris in North Texas; on the west side of Kinney in South Texas, and 3 miles west of Lufkin in East Texas.

Although the National Weather Service reported winds gusting up to 100 miles per hour at Gainesville in North Texas, police there said they had no report of injuries or damage worse than broken tree limbs.

Rainfall measurements ranged up to 3.5 inches in 40 minutes at Bowie in North Central Texas.

As the squall lines sped through East Texas and neared the Upper Texas Coast, a special marine warning advised operators of small craft there to head for safe harbor at once.

A cold front blamed for all the nasty weather lagged behind the thunderstorms and its forward edge moved into Central Texas this morning. At the same time drier and cooler air spreading over West Texas was due to reach sections farther south and east tonight and Wednesday.

Temperatures near daybreak ranged from 74 degrees at McAllen in the Lower Rio Grande Valley and 75 at Corpus Christi on the coast down to 43 at Amarillo, where light rain was falling. Top marks Monday afternoon went as high as 86 at Del Rio on the Mexican border and 88 at Presidio in far West Texas.



WALKING COMMUTERS are the order of the day in Tokyo today. Here a Tokyo couple walks along a railroad track heading for work in downtown Tokyo as workers of the private railway unions launched a 72-hour transit strike to demand higher wages.

First lady campaigns in South Texas areas

By STEVEN M. EAMES

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Betty Ford, saying she never met a Texan she didn't like, carried her husband's Republican presidential nomination banner further across Texas today with stops at McAllen, Harlingen and Corpus Christi.

The First Lady made San Antonio the first stop during her swing through Texas, serving Monday night as grand marshal in the Fiesta River Parade.

"I can't think of a better place to start than right here in San Antonio during your Fiesta Week," Mrs. Ford told those watching the start of the parade of barges along the twisting

San Antonio River 20 feet below downtown street level.

She said she had heard from Texans about Texas although she had never been to the state. "I thought I'd come down and find out just how marvelous Texas was ... I've never been in Texas before and what a way to start."

Mrs. Ford then climbed aboard a tiny, yellow barge which followed the float of King Antonio LIV, portrayed by Jack Lewis Jr. of San Antonio.

An estimated 200,000 watched as the hour and a half parade floated the narrow San Antonio River. Generally the First Lady drew standing cheers and welcoming signs.

Some anti-abortion proponents held posters protesting Mrs. Ford's views.

The only other rough moment of the parade came when a float titled the U.S.S. Alamo—sponsored by the

Navy recruiting office bumped Mrs. Ford's barge.

She maintained her poise although a Secret Service agent jumped to separate the boats. Later the Navy barge stalled before it could complete the parade course.

Mrs. Ford had few public remarks except for a brief talk at the beginning of the parade. It was locally televised.

On arrival at Kelly Air Force Base here she mingled with some 100 workers who turned out to greet her. Later she exchanged pleasantries during a reception, hosted by the Texas Cavaliers, sponsors of the river parade.

Both President Ford and challenger Ronald Reagan have said the May 1 Texas Republican presidential primary is crucial to their campaigns. Both claim to be underdogs.

LATE NEWS

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP)—A bomb exploded in a business complex here early today, demolishing a liquor store-lounge and a dance club. Authorities said there were no deaths or injuries.

AKRON, Ohio (AP)—Seven Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. employees exposed to a toxic chemical during a 10-year period died of leukemia and related diseases, the Akron Beacon Journal said in a copyright story today.

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Supreme Court was hearing arguments today on the question of whether six states have the right to tax Indians who live on reservations.

HOUSTON (AP)—Democratic presidential candidate Jimmy Carter said today any proposals to break up major oil companies should be included in a long-range program for development of the nation's energy policies.

WEATHER

Fair and warmer through Wednesday. Low tonight upper 40s. High Wednesday mid-80s. Decreasing winds.
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Policemen air pay, insurance complaints

By COURTNEY BARBER

A survey of 15 Texas cities shows Midland policemen ranked 14th in pay with San Angelo policemen commanding a lower salary. Chief of Police Wayne Gideon was told Monday night.

Seventy members of the Midland Police Officers Association met with Gideon to discuss salaries, insurance and retirement programs.

A Midland patrolman's top pay of \$885 a month is \$78 below Port Arthur and \$215 under Pasadena.

It was pointed out the average patrolman works 49.18 hours a month

moon-lighting, and some do work as much as 160 part-time hours.

The Midland Chamber of Commerce reports the average Midland resident has an income of \$13,378 per year after taxes, while the top paid Midland patrolman earns \$10,620 before taxes.

Juvenile Detective Sgt. Don Aldridge said, "There aren't many of us who don't hold down two jobs, so we can't support our hobby of being policemen."

Salaries of Midland police officers have not kept up with the rate of inflation, one report said. "From 1969 to 1975 the rate of inflation has increased some 48.4 per cent. Midland police

officers have received 43.6 per cent increase in the same time period," the report said.

Reports are still being compiled by committees for the MPOA and are to be presented to Gideon within two weeks. The chief said he will go to the City Council on behalf of the officers.

Detective Sgt. Gayle Reeves said, "I think we should just present the facts to the chief and let him get what's best for the department."

Hospitalization insurance in other cities is paid 100 per cent by the city and is purchased from a major insurance company. In Midland, policemen and city employees pool their premiums into a fund and have

an insurance broker handle the paperwork, officers said.

If both the husband and wife work for the city, as in the case of Capt. and Mrs. Roger Meurer, Lt. and Mrs. Joe Brownlee and Patrolman and Mrs. Tony Royce, both are required to pay the insurance and cover the same dependents, officers said.

The insurance pays 80 per cent after a \$50 deductible in Midland.

"What gets me is every time I turn in a claim, they (city hall) say it is part of my \$50 deductible, Patrolman Clint Lovejoy said.

"We're required to carry insurance with the city even if our wives have a

better policy where they work," Sgt. Aldridge said.

Automobile insurance on patrol cars is another grievance to Midland officers. The officers must carry a drive-other-car insurance rider on their personal car policies that insures their patrol cars and makes them personally liable if there should be a wreck, they say.

City Manager James Brown said, "The city carries liability insurance on all its vehicles — that is — city cars, such as the ones driven by the city manager, public works director, etc."

"Drivers of emergency vehicles (Continued on Page 2A)

Lebanese cease-fire fails to halt killing

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — The new truce supervision committee said today that Palestinian troops would form a buffer force between Beirut's warring Moslem and Christian street fighters, but meanwhile the fighting raged without letup.

Police said about 100 persons were killed and 160 wounded by mortar and rocket fire during the night. One of those killed was the 16-year-old grandson of Pierre Gemayel, whose rightwing Phalange party has the largest Christian militia in the year-old civil war.

Police also reported that more than 150 persons were kidnaped but that most were released after a short time.

A new cease-fire, agreed to under Syrian pressure during the weekend, was to have gone into effect at midnight Monday. But the deadline made no difference in the fighting in the

capital and nearby mountain towns.

Decisions made by the leaders were not transformed into orders to the hodgepodge of street armies, reflecting the leaders' tenuous control over their forces and their distrust of each other.

As leftist Moslem and Palestinian leaders met Monday night to discuss ways of enforcing the cease-fire, leftist gunmen were attacking Phalangist positions in the Beirut port area.

Similarly, long after Gemayel subscribed to the truce, Christian gunmen were firing mortar and artillery shells into Moslem positions in the charred downtown hotel district and nearby commercial streets.

The truce supervision committee is made up of representatives of the Syrians, the Lebanese leftists and Christians and the Palestinians.

Two news conferences set in city

U.S. Sen. John Tower and Texas Rep. Dave Finney will both hold news conferences in Midland Wednesday.

A coffee and reception in Finney's honor will be held from 9:30-10:30 a.m. on the second floor of the Petroleum Club, and a news conference is set for 11 a.m. at the same location.

Tower will hold a news conference at 4:30 p.m. at the President Ford Committee Headquarters, 115 E. Wall Ave., across from the Federal Building.

Both sessions are open to the public. Finney, a member of the house oil and gas committee, is campaigning for the Texas Railroad Commission seat being vacated by retiring commissioner Ben Ramsey. The 42-year-old state legislator's first Midland visit was in early January.

Rail board decrees 50th full allowable

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — The Texas Railroad Commission set the state's oil allowable today at 100 per cent for May the 50th consecutive month of maximum production.

Commissioner Jim Langdon noted that although the allowable will be 3,921,778 barrels a day next month, estimated production is only 3,207,000 barrels daily.

"You can see that our nominations far exceed our ability to produce oil in Texas," Langdon said.

The nominations by buyers of crude oil declined by 16,368 barrels a day from last month.

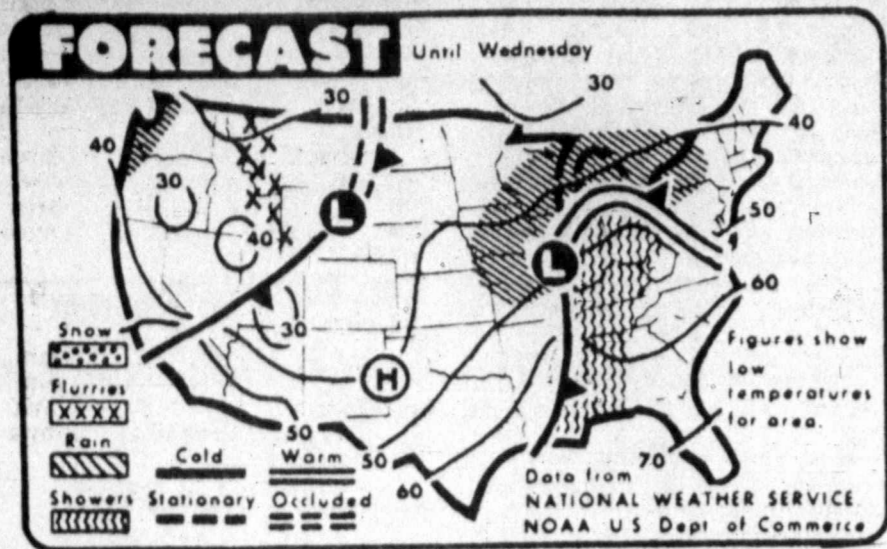
Langdon also said the fourweek average of crude oil imports as of April 9 was 5,080,000 barrels a day, an increase of 450,000 barrels from the Jan. 2 average and an increase of 1.3 million barrels from Jan. 3, 1975.

Once again, the commission restricted the East Texas field and the Kelly-Snyder field in Scurry County to an 86 per cent allowable.

Nominations by major purchasers of Texas crude oil for May, in barrels per day, with any changes from April in parentheses:

Amoco 345,000
Atlantic Richfield 180,000
Chevron 73,800
Cities Service 112,000
Continental 54,500
Diamond Shamrock 36,000
Exxon 732,000 (minus 1,000)
Gulf 155,400
Mobil 345,000
Phillips 115,000
Shell 300,500
Sun 225,000
Texaco 223,000
Union of California 85,000

WEATHER SUMMARY



UNSEASONABLY warm temperatures are forecast for the eastern third of the nation. Showers and rain are forecast from the Central Gulf to the

Midwest and Great Lakes. Cooler weather is expected west of the Mississippi and snow flurries are forecast for the northern Rockies.

MIDLAND STATISTICS

Table containing Midland, Odessa, Crane, Rankin, Big Lake, Garden City forecasts and national weather service readings.

Weather elsewhere

Table listing weather conditions for various cities including Albany, Albuquerque, Amarillo, Anchorage, Atlanta, Birmingham, Bismarck, Boise, Boston, Breckenridge, Buffalo, Charleston, Chicago, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Denver, Des Moines, Detroit, Duluth, Fairbanks, Fort Worth, Helena, Honolulu, Houston, Indianapolis, Jackville, Jacksonville, Kansas City, Las Vegas, Little Rock, Los Angeles, Louisville, Manchester, Miami, Memphis, Milwaukee, Minneapolis, New Orleans, New York, Oklahoma City, Omaha, Orlando, Philadelphia, Phoenix, Pittsburgh, Portland, Me., Raleigh, Richmond, St. Louis, Salt Lake, San Diego, San Francisco, Seattle, Spokane, Tampa, and Washington.

Texas area forecasts

Northeast and Southwest Texas: Fair tonight and Wednesday. Low tonight low 40s north to low 30s south. High Wednesday upper 70s north to near 90 south.

Extended Texas forecast

Thursday through Saturday: North Central Texas and Northeast Texas: Clear to partly cloudy Thursday through Saturday. Turning cooler northwest Friday, and over entire area Friday night and Saturday.

New Mexico, Oklahoma

Oklahoma: Decreasing cloudiness and thunderstorms ending tonight. Fair to partly cloudy Wednesday. Low tonight near 40. Fair to mid 30s southeast High Wednesday mostly in 70s.

Basin residents to face another day of wind, sand

Permian Basin residents awoke to another windy day this morning, and the winds bring sand as well as headaches to farmers and gardeners. The high winds are more damaging to plants than late spring freezes, a National after Service spokesman said. It uproots young plants and

breaks them off, he said. It was clear, sunny and windy in Andrews, Lamesa, Crane, Stanton, Rankin, McCamey, Big Lake and Midland this morning. Temperatures were cool in Andrews, Rankin, McCamey, Big Lake and Midland, while it was warm in Lamesa and Stanton.

Midland included in bids

AUSTIN—Construction projects in Ector and Midland counties are included in the May bid lettings of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. Traffic signals will be installed in Midland on SH 268 at Wall and Missouri Avenues; on SH 158 at Midland Drive, Godfrey Street, Midkiff Road, Illinois Avenue, Cuthbert Avenue, Golf Course Road, Neely Avenue and Wadley Avenue; on SH 42 on Garfield at Missouri and at N. Front Avenue.

City gets tax rebate

The City of Midland received a check for \$92,495.30 from State Comptroller Bob Bullock as payment for its April city sales tax rebate. Bullock mailed checks totaling \$11.9 million to 516 cities and towns in Texas Thursday. He said he has remitted \$87.4 million to the 845 municipalities collecting the one-cent sales tax so far this year, compared to the \$80.4 remitted during the same period last year.

GOP conventions follow voting

Republican party precinct conventions will get under way at 8 p.m. following the casting of ballots in the Saturday, May 1, primary election, according to Robert L. "Bob" Monaghan, chairman of the Midland County Republican party. The meetings will be held at site of the polling places, Monaghan said.

Midland County Judge Barbara Culver, and Monaghan. Ford delegate-candidates are James N. "Jimmy" Allison, publisher of The Reporter-Telegram; Mary Kirchhoff, David M. Shannon, and Mrs. R. S. "Terry" Tapp.

- 1788 and Texas 158 and one-quarter mile west. No. 5 — The Garver Building, east Wing, South Carver Street. No. 6 — West Elementary School library, 2101 W. Missouri St.

- No. 17 — Arrow Plastics & Supply Co., Rankin Highway, Texas 349. No. 18 — The Richard E. Dechert residence, 102 Tanforan. No. 19 — Rusk Elementary School, 2601 Wedgewood St.

Scholarships include 8 counties

ODESSA — Four-year merit scholarships — one for each of eight West Texas counties — have been established through a unique undertaking by the area's three junior colleges, The University of Texas of the Permian Basin and sponsoring businesses.

Odessa College, as designated by the sponsor, and the last two years would be at UTPB, the upper-level university at Odessa. Selection of scholarship recipients will be made on the basis of the student's high school grades, class rank and college entrance exam scores rather than financial need.

In each county, an alternate will be chosen to receive the balance of the scholarship if the honored student fails to complete the four-year term. In announcing the plan, J. Conrad Dunagan, acting chairman of the ad hoc sponsoring committee, said the group hopes to increase the number of sponsors to make additional merit scholarships available.

achievement — for example, the National Merit Scholarship. "This is not to depreciate the usefulness of scholarships for those students in need, but students of the Permian Basin area in the greatest need have similar recourse of federal and other assistance in the Basin as those who attend older colleges and universities," he said.

Exchange student finds cowboy boots, hat much to his liking

It's not only cowboys who wear boots in West Texas. Boot-wearers, in fact, needn't even be Texans, as evidenced by 16-year-old Christopher Mehnert who's at least from the West — West Germany, that is.

Minister who currently is in charge of the church newspaper and his mother teaches English, German, religion and philosophy at the high school level. One of three children, he has one brother, aged 9, and a 14-year-old sister.



Christopher Mehnert electronics, meteorology or navigation in the Navy. "I don't really like the universities," he said. Among his objections are student strikes which now are prevalent, a Communist influence within both the student body and the faculty and financial considerations — "I don't get paid if I go to school."

Midland's springtime temperatures "are hotter than the summers we have over there (in Kiel)," he said, recalling last summer's temperatures there as particularly high for that region — about 86 degrees. A temperature of 76 degrees, the normal summer average, is considered "pretty warm."

Following his sojourn in the East, Mehnert will return to Kiel where he will take two more years of high school — "one more year is required and the other one I take voluntarily because I need Latin and Greek."

Planners reject permit request

The city Planning and Zoning Commission Monday, despite only one written opposition and no spoken opposition, agreed to recommend the city council not grant a specific use permit for the sale of alcoholic beverages for on-premise consumption.

The request was made by Philip Marquez of 812 Sinclair Ave., who was representing the George A. Veloz Enterprises in seeking the specific use permit for the Monterrey Spanish Kitchen at 523 E. Illinois Ave.

Marquez said Veloz was out of town and unable to attend the Planning and Zoning Commission's meeting. He explained that the permit to sell alcoholic beverages would be in addition to Veloz's current beer permit for the restaurant. The hours of operation, 11 a.m. to 10:30 p.m., would remain the same, and no liquor would be served unless food also was served, Marquez said.

DEATHS

Aaron Lewis rites held

MONAHANS — Services for Aaron Lewis, 95, were held today in the North Dwight Street Methodist Church with burial at Monahans Cemetery, directed by Wilson-Miller Funeral Home. He died Sunday in a Monahans nursing home following a short illness.

Mable Gray rites today

Services for Mrs. Mable O. Gray, 67, were held today in the Newmie W. Ellis Chapel. Burial will be at 4 p.m. Wednesday at Eufaula, Okla.

Services held for Mrs. Sapp

Services for Mrs. Ora Sapp, 69, were held today in the Newmie W. Ellis Chapel, with burial at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Police air complaints on pay and insurance

The police and fire cars must carry their own liability insurance. However, the city will give them \$10-\$15 per year to add to their own car insurance policy. "The reason for this is that, if these drivers operate their vehicles recklessly, the city isn't liable," Brown explained.

City employees in Midland, except firemen, belong to the Texas Municipal Retirement System (TMRS). Policemen pay five per cent of the salary to the program, which is doubled by the city. Officers can retire after 28 years, and former Police Chief Harold S. Wallace is the first in the department to retire.

BIRTHS

MIDLAND MEMORIAL — Tuesday, April 13. Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Newton, 2311 Holloway St., boy. Friday, April 16. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Floyd Langley, 2509 W. College St., girl.

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Texas liberal hopes lie in uncommitted delegates

By GARTH JONES

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — You can't tell the players in the May 1 presidential primary, even with a program.

Lloyd Bentsen, Sargent Shriver and Fred Harris have national Democratic convention delegates on many Texas ballots, but the three no longer have national campaigns.

Two prominent nationwide campaigners, Henry Jackson and Morris Udall, are not even on the Texas ballot.

Jimmy Carter, favorite so far in the

state primaries, is running a bob-tail campaign in Texas so he won't make Bentsen delegates mad. He may need them later.

George Wallace is worried because a goodly number of his supporters may sneak off and vote for Republican Ronald Reagan.

And the uncommitted Democratic delegates on the May 1 ballot are not really uncommitted. They are committed to supporting any liberal, or "progressive," Democrat who can keep the liberal faction alive and kicking in the Texas Democratic Party.

"Any electable progressive Democrat. We want a winner," says Billie Carr, Houston, outspoken Democratic National Committee member who has led the state's liberal Democratic since Sen. Ralph Yarborough was defeated by Bentsen.

The national committee member thinks at least 19 of the 98 delegates to be elected May 1 will be liberal Democrats.

If liberals get 15 per cent of the Texas delegation to New York city in July then they should have at least one liberal on each of the national con-

vention committees and help influence the course of the convention.

"I think we've got that made already," Mrs. Carr said Friday.

A week earlier, Bentsen made an urgent appeal to a gathering of regular party Democrats to stick with the Bentsen-Gov. Dolph Briscoe partnership that hopes to elect a majority of delegates on May 1. Bentsen warned that Mrs. Carr and her liberal faction would be representing themselves and other liberals in New York and not necessarily the Texas Democratic Party.

In 1972, The Texas delegation went to Miami with 42 delegates favoring George Wallace, 34 for George McGovern, 21 for Hubert Humphrey, and 33 uncommitted. They ended up with the 34 McGovern delegates holding firm and the other 96 joining unsuccessful stop McGovern efforts.

The 1976 delegation apparently will be split much the same way, between Bentsen, Carter, Wallace and uncommitted delegates.

Slates of "uncommitted" delegates will appear on Democratic ballots in 18 senatorial districts. In five other districts delegates who were originally pledged to Shriver before he quit the race are now considered uncommitted in the Carr group.

Most Harris delegates in the 14 districts where he filed are considered liberal Democrats. Harris is keeping his hold on them in hopes of picking up a Texas delegate or two.

The Shriver slates are in two San Antonio districts, Fort Worth, Corpus Christi and El Paso.

The 18 uncommitted slates are in five Houston districts, four Dallas districts, two Fort Worth, and in districts that include Tyler and Longview, Beaumont, Austin, Galveston, Denton, Midland and San Angelo and Lubbock.

"We've got good chances in three Houston districts," said Mrs. Carr. "We should win in Austin, Galveston, Fort Worth and Dallas and maybe others."

Connally denies political 'deal'

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Former Gov. John Connally says he hopes to tell Texans within 10 days—before the May 1 presidential primary—at least one of the reasons he has remained neutral.

It involves "public business—not private," he said, in a teasing comment, and it does not involve an appointment.

Asked at a news conference Monday if he had been offered a political reward for supporting President Ford or Ronald Reagan in the primary, Connally replied, "Absolutely not."

He predicted that if the primary were held today (Tuesday), Reagan would win, but he added that Ford could overcome Reagan's lead with a 10 per cent vote change in the crucial final three days.

His influence in the race, he said, has been "grossly exaggerated."

Connally chatted with reporters two hours before an estimated 500 persons honored the former Democrat at a \$50-a-plate dinner, sponsored by local and state Republican officials.

Their apparent respect for Connally, 59, who has spent all but the last three years of his adult life fighting Republicans, was illustrated by state GOP chairman Ray Hutchison, who said in his introduction:

"This is sort of like asking the bat-

boy to introduce Babe Ruth."

Connally told reporters that speculation about pending appointments—such as last week when published reports had him in line for a Ford appointment as secretary of state—should be taken with a "big teaspoon of salt. I doubt any friend of mine started that rumor."

"There's not anything I want and not anything I anticipate," Connally said. He said that he would not make a "Gen. Sherman statement"—shutting himself off from a vice presidential bid—but he added, "You'll never see me running for that job."

Opening his 40-minute address, Connally said he felt like former President Nixon must have felt when he got off the plane recently in Peking—"It's nice to be back among friends."

Dining on thick steaks and red California wine, the crowd heard Connally tell them the days of affluence are over, and "We are entering an era of sacrifice and shortage, and we ought to face up to it."

Connally became so excited stressing that a congressman should be forced to resign before running for president that he knocked a microphone off the rostrum.

The loudest applause came when Connally reiterated his proposals to limit the terms of president, senator and U.S. House members. After three four-year terms, he said, "Congressmen" should be met at the airport with a brass band and welcomed back to live among the laws they passed."

Sixty per cent of the dinner proceeds will go to the Travis (Austin) County Republican Party and 40 per cent will be divided between the state party and Connally, said communications coordinator Taber Ward.

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Evenings and Sunday	\$2.40	\$2.40
Sunday Only	\$1.00	\$1.00
MAIL RATES IN TEXAS		
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Evenings Only	\$20.00	\$12.00
Evenings and Sunday	\$24.00	\$12.00
Sunday Only	\$8.00	\$4.00
MAIL RATES OUTSIDE TEXAS		
1 Yr. 6 Mos. 1 Mo.	\$24.00 \$14.00 \$5.00	\$24.00 \$14.00 \$5.00
Evenings Only	\$24.00	\$14.00
Evenings and Sunday	\$28.00	\$14.00
Sunday Only	\$10.00	\$5.00

Taped interview claims young Texas Marine begged for mercy

OCEANSIDE, Calif. (AP) — Lynn McClure begged for his life before being struck a fatal blow to the head in a Marine Corps training exercise in San Diego, says a man who claims to have struck the blow.

Lawyer John Gyorkos told newsmen Monday that he had interviewed two former Marine recruits who helped beat McClure into senselessness in a close combat drill at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot in San Diego.

McClure, 20, was knocked unconscious last December and was rushed into emergency brain surgery at Balboa Naval Hospital in San Diego. He was eventually transferred to the Veterans Hospital in Houston, where he died March 13 without regaining consciousness.

At a news conference, Gyorkos played taped conversations which he said were interviews with two former recruits who took part in the pugil stick bouts in which McClure was fatally beaten.

Both witnesses acknowledged they had received general discharges and

were considered unfit for Marine duty.

The first man on the tape said he struck the lethal blow to the right side of McClure's head with the heavy canvas-covered, padded sticks used by the Marines to simulate bayonet fighting.

"He just laid there like he was having a spastic attack with mucus pouring out of his mouth," he said.

The witness said he has never forgotten McClure's last cries for mercy and said he feels he needs psychiatric help as a result of the incident.

"It's all I can see when I go to bed. There's no going to sleep. All I can hear are his screams asking for the mercy of God. We lived like animals. There was no fairness whatsoever."

Both the Marine Corps and Congress are conducting separate investigations into the death and the recruiting of the young man from Lufkin, Tex. Gyorkos has filed a \$3.5 million wrongful death claim against the federal government on behalf of his family.

The government is expected to reject the claim, clearing the way for the family to file a multimillion-dollar lawsuit against the Marine Corps.

The second witness reportedly taped by Gyorkos disputed official Marine Corps statements that McClure wore a protective helmet at all times during the pugil stick fights.

He also said that McClure was hit several times while on the ground while fighting with men twice the size of the 110-pound Texan.

Pot raid nets trio

ROME, Ga. (AP) — Three men face charges in connection with 400 pounds of suspected marijuana seized at a Rome motel, according to Rome Police Chief John Collins.

He said those arrested are John Jared, 31, of Mission, Tex.; John S. Anderson, 32, of Cookeville, Tenn.; and Albert Hill, 46, of Smyrna, Tenn.

A camper-style pickup truck carrying cardboard barrels loaded with about 200 two-pound packets of what appeared to be marijuana pulled up to the motel about 5 a.m. Monday, Collins said.

About 8 a.m. a federal undercover agent entered the motel room and made a drug purchase, he said, and 11 officers then raided the room.

High DDT level found in milk of black women

CHICAGO (AP) — Medical researchers in Tennessee say they have found high levels of DDT in the milk of poor Southern black women, more than three years after use of the pesticide was prohibited.

The mothers' milk contained DDT concentrations nearly 10 times greater than the World Health Organization limit for cow's milk, the researchers said in the April issue of the American Journal of Diseases of Children, published by the American Medical Association.

The researchers — Bennie T. Woodard of Meharry Medical College and Drs. Bruce B. Ferguson and David J. Wilson of Vanderbilt University — sampled the milk of 38 black women in poverty areas of Bolivar County, Miss., and Lee County, Ark.

They compared it with the milk of 14 white,

urban, middleclass women living in metropolitan Nashville in April 1974.

The use of DDT was banned by the federal government beginning Jan. 1, 1973.

The researchers point out that there are no known cases in which infants have suffered damage from consuming DDT in milk.

DDT is stored in human fat tissue and its effects on human health have not been determined yet by scientists. But it has been found to increase the death rate of newborn rats nursing on milk contaminated with it.

Among the black women, DDT concentrations averaged 47 parts per billion, with a range of 59 to 1,900, the researchers said. Among the white women tested, the average was 75 parts, with a range of 25 to 133.

"The difference in the DDT concentrations in the two populations indicates that rural low-income blacks are still highly contaminated with pesticides, even though the general use of DDT has been banned," the researchers wrote.

They urged other researchers to do a systematic study of the rural black women to try to determine if infants are affected by DDT concentrations in human milk.

Northeast heat wave hangs on

By The Associated Press

The threat of tornadoes continued to plague states in the Midwest and Southwest today, while much of the East looked forward to some small relief from the 90-degree temperatures that have been around for three days.

The weatherman called for a slight drop in temperatures in the Northeast today, but said unseasonably warm weather for the rest of the East coast would continue.

Monday's high in Providence, R.I., was 98 degrees. That was 14 degrees above the old mark for any April day in Providence.

New York City cooled off a bit Monday with a high of 81. New Yorkers experienced an April record of 96 degrees over the weekend.

A tornado watch was in effect into the early hours today in parts of Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri and Texas.

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HOUSTON (AP) — Two men who pleaded guilty to possession of cocaine last November, have been assessed prison terms.

U.S. District Court Judge Carl O. Bue sentenced Alfonso Martinez Jr., 35, to eight years in prison and a three year parole term Monday.

Anthony Vierra Di Gorgio, 35, was assessed a five-year sentence to be followed by three years on parole.

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'Christmas in April'

Midland fortunately has many, many residents who believe in taking care of their own rather than going to Washington for help on projects which they themselves can handle more economically and more efficiently. And the work can be completed in much less time.

The upcoming "Christmas in April IV" project is one of those community programs which Midlanders do in a grand style and which has attracted widespread attention. "Christmas-in-April" is a program designed to repair and improve from substandard conditions the dwellings of elderly and handicapped persons who have no way or means of making necessary improvements on their homes, which they own.

Neither do the elderly or handicapped seek this assistance. The houses included in the project are selected by a screening committee named by the sponsoring organization, the Human Relations Council of Midland. The program is strictly voluntary from start to finish, and much of the supplies and materials needed in the program are contributed. The remainder is purchased from cash contributions from Midland and area residents.

This simply has to be one of the greatest projects of its kind anywhere. It has caught hold here in a most significant manner, and more than 1,000 volunteer workers have been involved. Contributions in cash and materials have exceeded \$15,000 to date.

More than 100 homes were improved in the first three "Christmas in October" and "Christmas in April" projects. Fifty homes have been selected for attention in the upcoming project, which is scheduled for the weekend of April 30. Scores of churches, organizations and individuals have volunteered for service.

It is one of the most heartwarming sights ever — to see men, women, boys and girls from every walk of life working side-by-side on a volunteer basis, being of service to those not able to help themselves in this situation.

And it is equally gratifying to observe the looks of amazement and appreciation on the faces of those recipients who perhaps never dreamed that such a marvelous thing could happen to them.

Think, if you will, of the little old lady who cried with joy when screens were placed on her doors and windows. Then, there was the elderly, ill couple who, when it rained, sat with water coming in on them through a wornout roof. A new roof was placed on their little cottage, much to their delight.

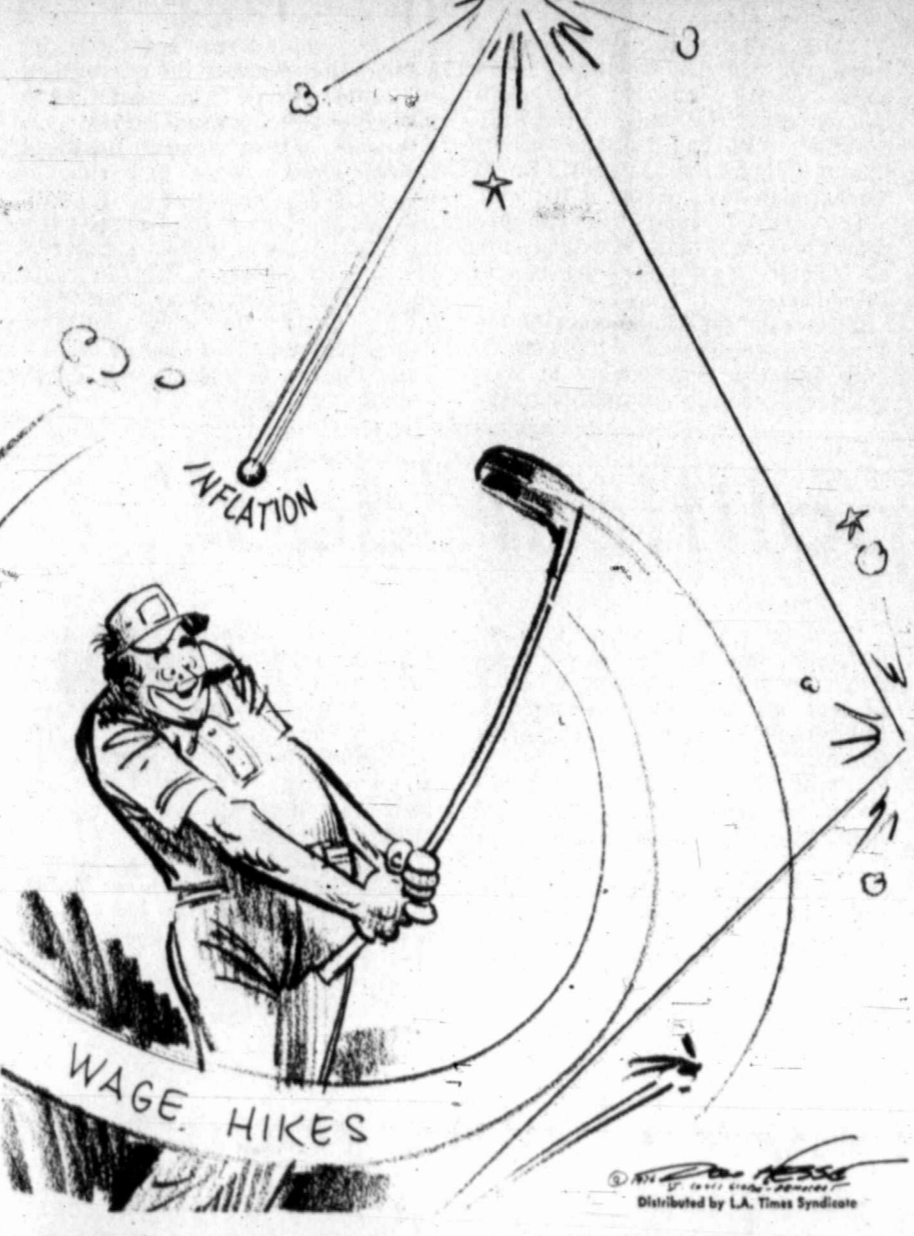
These are the things which also bring joy and satisfaction into the hearts of the volunteers, many of whom say that they get a greater reward from their efforts than do the recipients of the work.

It's no wonder, then, that the "Christmas in April and October" projects are being continued on a regular basis here. It is one of those happenings which pull a community and its residents closer together in a bond of fellowship and community spirit.

And Project No. IV is just around the corner. Sponsors say that a great many more volunteers are needed for the weekend of April 30 if the goal set for this particular observance is met.

If you can use a hammer or a saw or a wrench, or if you can handle a rake or broom, your services are solicited. In other words, you can find a job if you are willing to work in the program. Just get in touch with your church or organization involved, or list your name with the Human Relations Council. Although the need for funds is not as great as the need for manpower, cash contributions always are needed and can be used to an excellent advantage.

This is a glorious and highly rewarding opportunity for all Midlanders. It's fun and the results are tremendous — and far-reaching. Think about it.



WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND Screw loose in space program



By JACK ANDERSON with LES WHITTEN

WASHINGTON — America's only remaining space spectacular, the \$6.2 billion space shuttle, might literally come apart at the seams. For the nuts, screws and threaded studs that hold it together may be unsafe.

This isn't the scare talk of economizers who want to scuttle the shuttle; rather, it is the grave opinion of engineers whose jobs depend on the project. Their warnings are supported, moreover, by actual films of screw failures on launch pads. Like the classic fable of the battle that was lost for want of a nail, there is real danger that a future spaceship could be lost for want of a screw.

As early as April 1973, there were secret discussions at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) about the menace of substandard screws. The report of one meeting tells of official fears that the weak fasteners might result in loose joints which could cause the equipment to pull apart at launch or in space.

The problem, officials suggested, was that the manufacturing standards were too low. But any change in standards would require the nut-and-bolt factories to retool at tremendous cost. The industry, therefore, has been lobbying against changing the standards.

A method of testing individual screw and nut threads was developed by Johnson Gage, a Bloomfield, Conn., firm, which sent NASA its assessment of the problem in July 1973. In blunt language, the firm warned NASA confidentially that the standards for the space shuttle fasteners "provide for a loophole that allows (NASA to) accept outright junk."

Computer tests of the screw threads, meanwhile, revealed that millions worth of faulty threads had reached Rockwell International, the principal space shuttle contractor, as a result of the low standards. It was feared some of the inferior screws had found their way into the space shuttle equipment.

The minutes of a meeting at Rockwell's Canoga Park, Calif., facility show that the company engineers were worried about the fasteners. "The standards as currently written," stated the minutes, "are weak and ineffectual."

Although Rockwell's own fasteners were generally excellent, the company bought fasteners from outside suppliers and could not control "the quality of 6,000 vendors in 47 states," the minutes added.

A rocket similar to those used for the space shuttle was filmed by high-speed cameras around the launch pad. The precision films showed parts

ART BUCHWALD Anyone for slavery? It could be an issue



WASHINGTON — The ethnic issue has become a major one in this year's campaign. Every presidential candidate, in one way or another, has assured his audiences that, while he is not for ethnic purity, he doesn't believe the governments should get into the business of ethnic impurity.

I have a black colleague who is very nervous about the direction the campaign is taking. "They don't talk about unemployment, corruption in government or tax reform any more. They're all tripping over themselves trying to explain that, while they think blacks should live anywhere they want to, the government should not do anything to hurt the neighborhood."

"That's reasonable," I said to Wilson. "If you're a candidate, the ethnic vote is very important in this country and it would be political suicide to get those people mad."

"I agree. But what worries me is that some reporter is going to ask a candidate what he thinks about slavery. Suppose the newspaperman says 'Are you in favor of repealing the Thirteenth Amendment? What's the politician going to say?'"

"I'm certain he'll say he's against bringing back slavery," I said. "I'm not too sure," Wilson said. "The South is very important to the election and most of the candidates might waffle on it, just as they have on ethnic purity."

"What do you mean?" "Well, one candidate might say, 'Everyone knows my record on slavery, and I don't believe in it. At the same time I do not think it's Washington's job to say to people they can't own slaves if they want them. I think each area should make its own decision on whether they think slaves are good or bad for the community.'" "I can't believe that, Wilson. Every one of the candidates is an honorable man and there would be a furor if a candidate even hinted he was for slavery."

"Maybe. But then what would happen after the furor is that the candidate would apologize and say he didn't mean it the way it came out. The bad thing is that it would become an issue in the campaign and the reporters would ask all the candidates where they stood on slavery."

"Wouldn't they denounce it?" "Not during the primaries. There are a lot of states where the proslavery forces could swing an election. What would happen is that one candidate would say, 'I do not believe in slavery per se, but with the high unemployment in the country we shouldn't discard it out of hand.' Another candidate would attack his opponents for raising the slavery issue, but would go on the record as saying, 'The economy comes first, and if we can reduce the welfare bill in this country by bringing slavery back I think it will benefit all Americans, of every race, creed and color.'"

Wilson continued, "The best we can hope for is a candidate saying, 'I am not prepared to discuss the slavery issue at this time, but if I am elected President I will appoint a commission to look into it.'" "Wilson," I said, "I think you're overreacting. I don't believe slavery will become an issue in the campaign. There are so many other important issues like the Panama Canal that I can't conceive of that becoming one."

"What about 'ethnic purity'? No one thought that would be an issue, but when it came up the media ran with it like O. J. Simpson. By the way, where will you stand on it if it does come up?"

"Well, I don't like slavery any better than anybody else," I said. "And I wouldn't vote for anyone who comes out for the repeal of the Thirteenth Amendment. At the same time, if it could bring down the price of cotton and tobacco and increase our balance of trade with other nations, I don't see anything wrong with having a pilot program to see if it would work. But it should be done on a local level. I would hate to see the Washington bureaucrats get involved with it because they would only screw it up."

THE BIBLE CAN YOU QUOTE IT?

- By LAVINA ROSS FOWLER
1. Barnabas was the surname which the apostles gave to Joseph, the Levite. It was his introduction of Saul to the Christians at Jerusalem which influenced them to accept Saul. How did Barnabas aid the apostles in advancing Christianity? Acts 4:35-37
 2. What kind of bread did the little boy contribute to the feeding of the 5,000? John 6:9
 3. Which of the Ten Commandments gives a promise for long life? Exodus 20
 4. What woman spent a whole season guarding her seven sons' bodies from vultures? 2 Sam. 21:9-10 (K.J.) 2 Kings 21:9-10 (D.)
 5. Quote Jesus' last words from the cross. Luke 23:46
- Four correct...excellent. Three correct...good.

BIBLE VERSE

Dearly beloved, avenge not yourselves, but rather give place unto wrath: for it is written, Vengeance is mine: I will repay, saith the Lord. — Romans 12:19.

NICK THIMMESCH Foreign investments in United States increasing

WASHINGTON — The intricate ruling structure of Volkswagen is expected to give final approval this week to a plan to build a \$400 million plant in the United States and thus dramatize the investment boom by foreign firms in our country. What finer compliment in the Bicentennial year?



Nick Timmesch

While the suspense over the Volkswagen decision and where the VW American plant would be located has kept mayors and other civic folk keyed up, the more significant story is that foreign firms increased their investments in the United States last year to \$25 billion. That means factories, oil wells, mines, stores, banks and an estimated 930,000 jobs — all from foreign corporations.

In the '50s, there was \$3 billion in such investments here, and the level remained modest until the late '60s when a combination of factors made the United States very attractive to profit-seeking foreign investors. Nobody comes here for altruistic reasons.

Since the devaluation of the dollar in the Nixon years, foreign firms loosened up their purses and poured big money into the United States. The money flowed even more freely when countries outside the United States experienced far worse inflation rates than ours, when labor and shipping costs cut export profits and when it became clear that productivity of the American worker and the availability of land were obvious advantages.

by Imperial Chemical Industries of Great Britain. Bayer and Robert Bosch — German firms — are making substantial new plant investments in South Carolina. SKF and other prominent Swedish firms are building and acquiring plants, presumably because of the higher labor costs in Sweden.

The foreign investors generally cite a favorable business and labor climate as a key factor in coming here. According to Business Week, an Italian manufacturing executive explained, "Labor costs at our plant outside Milan are pretty much the same as at our Huntsville (Ala.) and Albuquerque (N.M.) plants, yet their output is more competitive. The answer has to be in the productivity of the (American) workers."

And that British ICI plant in Houston was located, it is reported, "partly because freedom to hire, fire and move workers from job to job makes for higher productivity in the United States than in Britain."

Factory wages are higher in Canada and Sweden than in the United States, and so far federal regulations on industry and business here are less repressive. A senior vice president of a Canadian firm told Business Week: "When you consider the attitudes in Ottawa today, where the small businessman is more important than the efficient

businessman, you have to start looking south." The United Kingdom and Canada account for half of the foreign investment in the United States. The Japanese are steadily increasing their direct investments in the United States, particularly in Hawaii. But the Japanese are careful not to evoke hostile feelings toward them based on residual memories of World War II. Besides the run of consumer products, the Japanese have built facilities here to manufacture high-technology components.

One of the great myths, according to officials at the Treasury and Commerce Departments, is that Arab oil nations have made huge investments in the United States. The Arabs account for a small fraction of foreign investments in the United States, and most of their money goes into short-term and commercial paper, not plants, stores or banks.

Though there is some suspicion of any sort of foreign investment, the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, the U.S. government, labor unions and public officials generally welcome the inflow from other countries. In South Carolina alone, some 66 foreign plants were built in recent years, providing 20,000 jobs directly and another 80,000 as spinoffs. In fact, those 930,000 jobs estimated to come from foreign plants here, are the same number of people that American Telephone and Telegraph employs across the United States.

A company like Volkswagen has almost been forced to invest here. The dollar devaluation hiked the prices on their imported cars, and where VW once sold 569,000 cars in 1970, sales slipped to 287,718 units last year. VW will be far more competitive when it gets a plant built here, close to its market.

As recently as 10 years ago,

American firms tended to locate outside the United States when they could, not only to get new markets but to take advantage of less expensive labor and materials. But now, workers in many countries are given guaranteed annual wages and governments have made it rough on business. So the outlook for even greater increases in foreign investment in the United States is quite bright.

One European business executive said: "In five years, when it is time to add capacity, you can bet that most companies will expand in the United States, where there is more freedom to control the peaks and valleys of production."

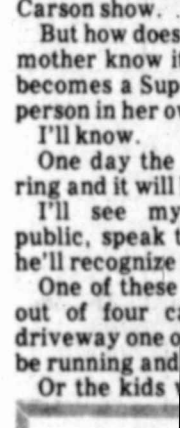
At that, U.S. companies have invested \$127 billion abroad, so we're not being outdone by foreign firms. But it's still nice to think that we are complimented with all that foreign money coming here because those overseas capitalists appreciate our work.



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MIDLAND COUNCIL OF CAMP FIRE GIRLS, INC., is assisting the Midland Bicentennial Commission in encouraging all Midlanders to wear Bicentennial tags and fly Bicentennial flags Wednesday for the commission's goal of "10,000 Flags over Midland" and "The 13 Star Spangled Sundays." Missy Dwyer, left, and Cori Dirnberger present Midland Mayor Ernest Angelo Jr. with a tag and flag for the observance.

Bride-elect honored

Mrs. LaRoye Drennan and Mrs. Al G. Langford entertained with a miscellaneous bridal shower for Laurel Lee Freeman in the Langford home, 2301 Fannin St.

Daisy corsages were presented the honoree, and special guests, who were the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. L. M. Freeman, and the prospective bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Wallace Pfister.

Miss Freeman and Michael Pfister will be married at 4 p.m. April Saturday in St. Luke's United Methodist Church.

Oldtimers' games held

The Oldtimers Club met for bridge games and a luncheon in the Elks Club.

Game winners were Mrs. Charles Mott, first; Mrs. James Lowe, second, and Mrs. G. H. Bishop, special. The grand slam prize went to Mrs. Mott and Mrs. Lowe.

DEAR ABBY

Can you use used dentures?



DEAR ABBY: I hope you won't think this is a stupid question, but I don't know who else to ask.

Is there some place

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that buys used dentures? I have six sets that are good as new. They belonged to members of my family who are now deceased. Three pair belonged to my grandmother, and she never wore any of them for more than three months. It seems a shame to just throw them out if they could be of use to someone. I would even be glad to GIVE them away if you could tell me where to send them.

I called my own dentist and asked if he wanted to buy them, and he said, "My God, lady, I don't BUY dentures, I SELL them!"

Please answer this as I am serious.—TEETH ON MY HANDS.

DEAR TEETH: There's undoubtedly a law (with teeth in it) prohibiting the sale of

used dentures. And I wouldn't know to whom you could give them.

DEAR ABBY: The letter from the 31-year-old irate bachelor who always gets the "how-come-you're-not-married" routine when applying for employment prompts this letter: I'm 45 and divorced many years with no intention of remarrying. Ten years ago I applied for a position with the chamber of commerce of one of Ohio's largest cities.

The interview went very well until the man in charge said, "I notice on your resume that you're not married." Then he said with a wink, "Not a 'homo' by any chance, are you?"

I just looked at him incredulously while he went on to sermonize on the virtues of marriage and explain that the chamber wanted "a family man" whose wife could socialize with the wives of other chamber members and how a single man was just "unstable" and wouldn't fit in. He made it clear that a single man was "suspect" and didn't quite have the

wholesome, highly moral image they required. A week later, the same man called and asked me to meet him downtown for dinner that evening to "talk things over." Thinking that he had reconsidered hiring me, I gladly accepted.

When I got to the restaurant he had already had a few drinks, but he wasn't drunk. He was very friendly and told me what a handsome, sophisticated, cool young man I was, as he gripped my hand and slapped my thigh.

He went on to say that his wife and kids were at the lake for a week and that he enjoyed being a bachelor for a while because he was trapped in a rotten marriage, etc. "What about the job?" I asked.

"No. Too bad. They still prefer a stable, family-type man. But how about coming to the house and spending the weekend with me, because I'm not all that straight, and I really dig the gay life?"

I simply got up, shook his hand and walked out as he burst into tears and yelled, "Go to hell, you—!" —ALL-RIGHT IN OHIO

AT WIT'S END Entertainers know score

By ERMA BOMBECK

Entertainers know when they've made it. They're billed in Las Vegas with only one name on the marquee: Elvis! Sammy! Cher! They occupy the center desk on "Hollywood Squares." They leave early on the Carson show. But how does a wife and mother know it when she becomes a Superstar — a person in her own right? I'll know. One day the phone will ring and it will be for me. I'll see my child in public, speak to him and he'll recognize me. One of these mornings, out of four cars in the driveway one of them will be running and I'll get it. Or the kids will set the

month of April than "Color Eggs."

When my husband stops saying at a party by way of introduction, "You remember my wife, don't you?" and they say, "No."

I don't know when, but one of these days it will happen — the respect I so richly deserve will be heaped upon me.

The other night my husband came in looked around and ... said, "Isn't there anyone home?"

"I'm here," I said. "C'mon. You know what I mean."

I knew.

Vickie Elaine Head, Whisman will wed

MIDKIFF — Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Head of Midkiff announce the engagement of their daughter, Vickie Elaine, to Bobby Arthur Whisman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whisman, also of Midkiff.

The couple will be married at 8 p.m. May 22 in the First Baptist Church here.

Miss Head attended West Texas State University for three years. She presently is attending Midland College, where she also is employed. Whisman attended Sul Ross State University and Odessa College. He is employed by Exxon, U.S.A.

Miss Hammack, Bennett marry

Jeanie Sue Hammack and Robin Eugene Bennett were married Friday in a double ring ceremony in Tower Baptist Church.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Elvin R. Hammack, Route 3, and Mr. and Mrs. John Bowen, Route 3.

A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents.

The bride is attending Midland High School. The bridegroom was graduated from high school in Texarkana and is employed by Sloan-Bagwell Furniture Co.

The bride wore a gown of white organza with Venice lace accenting the neckline of the bodice which had sheer sleeves.

Shower held for Mrs. May

Mrs. Rick W. May was honored with a baby shower given by her aunts, Mrs. Don Roderick and Mrs. Rodney Roderick in the Don Roderick home, 3212 Lockheed St.

Twenty-five guests attending included the mother of the honoree, Mrs. C. D. Strickland, and Mrs. Dorothy Roderick, grandmother of the honoree.



Vickie Head

Club makes historical tour

Mrs. Harold Welch was in charge of the program, a tour of Texas Historical Society Medallion Homes, for a meeting of the Progressive Study Club.

Mrs. John P. McKinley conducted a tour of the Sarah Dorsey House, 213 N. Weatherford St., and Mrs. Mary Anna Mayfield was the guide for a tour of the Scarbrough home at 610 S. Main St.

Dr. Charles Lutrick of the First Methodist Church toured the club through the new Mabel Holt Glass chapel of the church.

Following the tours, members had refreshments in the home of Mrs. A. A. Jones, 910 W. Michigan St. Mrs. John Thomas was the co-hostess.

Guests attending were Mrs. Alyne Gray and Mrs. Mayfield.

COMING EVENTS

- Wednesday Dorcas Society of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, 9 a.m., church.
- M.C.C. Women's Golf Association, 9 a.m., club.
- Ladies Auxiliary to Tall City VFW Post No. 7208, 8 p.m., VFW Hall.
- Woman's Wednesday Club, 2:30 p.m., Midland Woman's Club.
- Modern Study Club, 1:30 p.m., Midland Woman's Club.
- Midland Senior Center, 11:45 a.m., luncheon; 1 p.m., table games, First Christian Church.
- Midland Chapter No. 32, Parents Without Partners, 8 p.m., orientation coffee, 3906 Thomson Drive.
- St. Nicholas Episcopal Church Vestry meeting, 7:30 p.m., church.
- St. Nicholas Episcopal Church Vestry Executive Committee, 11:45 a.m., church.

Medical Bulletin

Q. Is the onion high in vitamins or energy value?

A. The onion is well known for its strong taste and odor. It is not particularly high in its vitamin content or in energy value. Cooking onions takes away some food value, but it makes them more digestible and tends to remove their odor. There also seems to be no scientific foundation for the belief that onions are good for people with high blood pressure.

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YOUR HOROSCOPE

By CARROLL RIGHTER

(Wed., April 21)
GENERAL TENDENCIES: Until midafternoon you may desire to make drastic changes that are not quite ready for action. Toward evening however, you will be able to put your new arrangements in effect more easily and rightly.
ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19): Be with good pals in afternoon who can then be most helpful. For good results, don't be too forceful with anyone.
Taurus (Apr. 20 to May 20): Contact a bigwig in midafternoon or make some important commitment vital to your welfare. Maintain good credit. Avoid limelight in p.m.
GEMINI (May 21 to June 21): Others give suggestions in a.m. that do not seem worthwhile, but further study proves the case not to be so. Revise own ideas.
MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21): Study ways to have a firmer foundation to all of your interests, then do the necessary work required on such.
LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21): Being forceful with partners in morning can be very bad, so calm down and work along with them harmoniously.
VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22): Not a good day to spend a good deal of money for a foolish kind of entertainment that you may later regret. Get duties done.
LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22): Keep busy at practical matters during day. Evening favors recreation. Show mate affection and change his or her mood.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21): Don't be demanding at home. Relegate pleasure to the evening. Don't be impetuous; kindness pays.
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21): Be careful in motion of all kinds and do only that shopping and running of errands that are necessary.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20): Personal aims may seem difficult to obtain in a.m., so get at other duties and then later all changes in your favor.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19): Improve appearance to be at your best when you go out socially in p.m. Friends grant favors if asked.
PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20): You can do something constructive about limitations by thinking deeply. Arrive on time for appointments you make.

For a party

An arrangement of lollipop flowers makes an attractive centerpiece for a child's party. Cut flower shapes from colored paper and paste the flowers to one side of the cellophane wrapper of each lollipop. Each child can then take home a flower as a party favor.

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GAWNO
UPOMI
COTLUC

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4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing word you develop from step No. 3 below.

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DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Margaret Farrar

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ACROSS

1 Desert plants
6 Possessive pronoun
10 Duck
14 Future tree
15 Hedonistic cry
16 Something trite: Var.
17 Breadfruit of P.I.
18 Educational
20 Experts
22 Family member
23 Revokes, as a legacy
25 One of the Du Ponts
26 Magnificent array
28 Evening, in Eviann
29 Within: Prefix
30 Shows disapproval
32 —to, type of book
35 In a temper
37 Done — turn
38 Mohammedan nymph
40 Zodiac sign
41 Geometrical figure
44 Mood
45 Runner: Var.

DOWN

1 Dear, in Italy
2 Sharp
3 What seasons do: Phrase
4 Egress of a sort
5 Part of a foot
6 Wise: Slang
7 One of a famous baseball trio
8 Traveled
9 Marine mammal
10 Zodiac sign
11 Horn-blower
12 — Marbles, in the British Museum
12 Take —
13 French prep school
19 Showy
21 Ego
24 Plant
26 Ring
27 Actress Bancroft
28 Acts in a showy manner: Slang
31 Scoreboard trio
32 Uproar: Phrase
33 O'Neill character
34 Gains
36 Uniting
39 Fastidious
42 Hippie's relative
43 Teuton
45 Descendants
47 Former Spanish coins
48 Comedy
49 Close: Poet
50 Prefix with economic or ology
51 Wielder of a certain tool
53 " — klein
54 — Nachtmusik
55 Before heroine
56 Greek goddess
58 Book of the Bible: Abbr.

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(A) TAKE SIDES

(B) TRY TO GET THEM TO REASON WITH ONE ANOTHER

(C) USE THIS AS A GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO SNEAK OUT AND SEE YOUR BOYFRIEND!

BLONDIE

DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THE HUMMINGBIRD WHO LAID A TWO-POUNDED EGG?

NOW SHE'S HUMMING A DIFFERENT TUNE

TEE-HEE

WELL, LET'S HEAR IT!

MARY WORTH

HELP YOURSELF, WADE!—I'M NOT HUNGRY!

I JUST HAD A RUN-IN WITH POPPY!—ABOUT DATING A DIFFERENT STRANGE MAN EVERY NIGHT!

YEAH?... I CAN SEE WHY GUY'S CHASE AFTER HER!... SHE'S SOME KINDA LITTLE SEX-POT!

IS THAT—HOW SHE APPEARS TO YOU, WADE?

LOOK, HONEY!... COMPARED TO HER SISTER, SHE'S AN ALSO-RAN IN ANY RACE!

WANT TO TAKE A LITTLE WALK BEFORE CURTAIN TIME?

JUDGE PARKER

BENNETT IS CASTING FOR A NEW PLAY! HE MIGHT CONSIDER YOU FOR A SMALL PART! HOW DO I GET IN TOUCH WITH YOU, SHELBY?

I'LL COME TO NEW YORK! I CAN BE THERE TOMORROW!

I CAN'T PROMISE YOU A THING!

MEANWHILE I'M ASSUMING HE STOPPED AT A BAR SOMEWHERE BETWEEN THE UNIVERSITY AND THE FARMS, ABBEY!

I DON'T SEE THE CAR!

STEVE ROPER

SORRY TO DRAG YOU OUT AT 3 A.M., ROPER!—BUT YOUR CALL HAS TRIGGERED A MINOR MANHUNT.

IF NOMAD HAS THAT MICRO-FILM, HE MAY BE IN GRAVE DANGER.

AND AT THAT MOMENT—

ARE YOU SURE THIS PLACE IS VACANT, DUKE?

QUITE! IT'S UP FOR SALE! OBTAINED KEYS FROM THE REALTORS!

WE CAN—AH—QUESTION NOMAD HERE IN COMPLETE PRIVACY!

NUBBIN

YOU HAVEN'T BEEN TO THE OLD WISHING WELL LATELY, HAVE YOU?

NAW...

IT HASN'T BEEN THE SAME SINCE TWINK TOOK IT OVER.

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YOU'VE HAD AN OFFER OF A MAGAZINE JOB!

DO YOU TELL ME THIS AS PRESSURE TO GET A RAISE—OR ARE YOU GIVING NOTICE?

WH—WHY I REALLY CAME TO ASK YOUR ADVICE—AND YOU LAUGHED AT ME!

AND NOW I'M GOING TO CRY!

THAT'S YOUR WEAKNESS AS A REPORTER...

ALSO WHY YOU MAY BE A REALLY GOOD WRITER—SOME DAY

DENNIS THE MENACE

DO YOU HAVE ANY BROTHERS OR SISTERS?

NOT YET... BUT I'M STILL EXPECTIN'!

MARMADUKE

Have a 'had dream?

THE BETTER HALF

By Barnes

AUTO REPAIR

"For a while you had us all worried, Mrs. Parker. We thought you weren't going to drop in for your monthly repair job."

ANDY CAPP

SAME AGAIN, F' ME, KID

NO, PET, WE CAN'T AFFORD IT—

I'M TRYIN' TO GET US ORGANISED

BAR

ANOTHER FLIPPIN' BUDGET—!

I'M GOIN' TO BUDGET YOU ON THE NUMBER OF BUDGETS YOU TRY!

NANCY

PLEASE TALK LOUDER SO I CAN HEAR—OR SOFTER SO I'LL LOSE INTEREST

DICK TRACY

WHERE IS THIS GUNSMITH'S SHOP WE'RE GOING TO, TRACY?

UNRESOLVED

DESIGNER

DENTIST

GUNSMITH

DAPER STREET NEAR 16th—PLENTY TOUGH.

WOW! THE UNDERWORLD'S UNDERWORLD

-GUNSMITH

DRUGS

IS SOMEONE IN THE MURDERED GUNSMITH'S SHOP NOW? IS IT ANYONE WE KNOW?

REX MORGAN M.D.

IF BECKY BARRETT REFUSES TO BE EXAMINED, LET'S MAKE SURE SHE SIGNS A RELEASE FORM!

I HAVE IT RIGHT HERE, DR. MORGAN!

LET GO! TAKE YOUR HANDS OFF ME!

THAT'S HER!

HEATHCLIFF

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THIS IS OUR BIG BREAK, MARCIE! THIS IS THE ONLY WAY OUR TEAM WILL EVER BE ABLE TO GET CAPS.

SHOULDN'T THE REST OF OUR PLAYERS BE GOING WITH US, SIR?

THEY'D GET LOST, MARCIE. I HAVE TO DO THIS ALL BY MYSELF.

BASEBALL TODAY

I'M GOING TO GO IN AND OUT OF THAT GATE UNTIL I GET NINE CAPS.

I'LL BET THEY'LL LET YOU PLAY ON THE PRISON-BALL TEAM, SIR.

"HAVE YOU SEEN HEATHCLIFF?... HE WAS CHASING A SKUNK!"

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Hughes safe deposit box reportedly yields no will

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A Hollywood bank safe deposit box maintained by Howard Hughes yielded some jewelry but further stymied those looking for the late billionaire's will, a source knowledgeable about the search says.

A source close to the Summa Corp. said Monday that officials didn't find the will Hughes associates insist he

wrote and that some have said he put under lock at the South Hollywood Branch of the Bank of America.

The box held only some "not extremely valuable jewelry," the source said.

Summa runs Hughes' farflung entertainment and aerospace enterprises. Some of the people who were closest to Hughes hold key positions in the corporation.

A former top Hughes aide, Noah Dietrich, said last week that the billionaire made a will and placed it in a box at the South Hollywood bank about two years before Dietrich left the organization in 1957.

Dietrich, Gregson Bautzer, a former Hughes attorney and a spokesman for Summa, restated their belief Monday that a will exists — somewhere.

Investigators are poring over files in Los Angeles and elsewhere for clues to where Hughes left the document telling where he wanted his more than \$2 billion in assets distributed after his death, a source told The Associated Press.

Several people have said Hughes indicated he wanted the bulk of his estate turned over to the Hughes

Medical Institute in Miami, but so far there has been no legal confirmation of that wish.

Arelo Sederberg, a Summa spokesman, said, "There is a continuing search for a will (but) for legal reasons we're not disclosing how the search is being done." "We're only saying we think there is a will."

If no will is found, officials have estimated that as much as two-thirds of the estate automatically will revert to government bodies as taxes.

Bautzer, a Los Angeles attorney who did legal work for Hughes for 25 years, confirmed that the box at the South Hollywood branch of the Bank of America had been opened but didn't say what it contained.

'Deal' settles Hunt wiretap trial

DALLAS (AP) — Nelson Bunker Hunt, son of the late oil billionaire H. L. Hunt, and two Dallas attorneys have pleaded no contest to reduced charges in their wiretap cover-up trial.

All charges were dropped against W. Herbert Hunt, Nelson's brother, who also had been named in the original indictment.

Lawyers Charles Tessmer and B. H. Timmins, like Nelson Hunt, pleaded no contest to a reduced charge.

Nelson Hunt, Tessmer and Timmins were fined \$1,000 each, although U.S. District Court Judge Halbert Woodward additionally could have sentenced them to a maximum six months in jail.

Government prosecutors dropped obstruction of justice charges against the Hunts, Tessmer and Timmins as part of a plea bargain worked out late Monday afternoon.

The charges stemmed from an alleged cover-up of the Hunt wiretap case. The Hunt brothers were ac-

quitted in Lubbock last September of federal wiretap charges.

The Hunts did not deny ordering wiretaps on associates of their late father, but said they did so only to protect him from embezzlers. They said they were unaware such taps were illegal.

In exchange for dismissal of the obstruction of justice charges, Nelson Hunt, Tessmer and Timmins pleaded no contest to a federal information accusing them of what amounted to contempt of court in their dealings with a federal grand jury that probed the wiretaps.

An information, which contains a charge, is not subject to grand jury action, and the three men waived their right to a jury trial on the misdemeanor charge contained in the information.

Obstruction of justice charges against two other men in the same case, Houston lawyer Percy Foreman and Houston industrialist Edward Hudson,

were not affected by the deal Monday. Their cases had been severed from the Hunts' case earlier Monday by Judge Woodward.

A seventh defendant, Hunt attorney Ralph Shank, previously won a separate trial. The charge against him was unaffected by Monday's agreement.

Herbert Hunt said after the charges against him were dropped, "I wasn't guilty and I'm just glad the prosecution arrived at the same conclusion."

Nelson Hunt said his plea and subsequent fine "seems reasonably fair to me." He specifically pleaded no contest to information that he "did knowingly misbehave" by making offers of monthly payments to prospective witnesses if they did not testify about the 1969-70 wiretapping.

Furthermore, Nelson Hunt agreed to information that he made payments to Foreman in order to assure the witnesses would not testify.

Court to rule on 'gag'

WASHINGTON (AP) — "What is the difference between everybody else in the courtroom going out and talking about what happened in the hearing and the press reporting it?" asked Justice Thurgood Marshall.

"The difference," replied Nebraska assistant Atty. Gen. Harold Mosher, "is one of degree."

The exchange was one of dozens between the nine members of the Supreme Court and four lawyers who argued before them Monday on the power of judges to restrict news coverage of criminal cases.

The court is expected to decide the question within a few weeks.

Before the court is a judge's order that prevented newsmen from reporting most of the evidence at a preliminary hearing last October in a Nebraska mass-murder case. The hearing was open to the public.

The order was one of an increasing number being issued by judges to curtail publicity, which they contend could make it impossible to obtain an impartial jury.

E. Barrett Prettyman Jr., a Washington lawyer representing news media challenging the Nebraska order, said such orders are ineffective and an unconstitutional prior restraint on publications.

"I would be here making this argument even if prior restraints worked," said Prettyman. "They don't work. They result in rumor, gossip and speculation, which is far more dangerous to the defendant than factual reporting in newspapers."

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Petition seeks ban on cockpit smoking

WASHINGTON (AP) — A group of commercial airline pilots and two public-interest organizations petitioned the federal government today to ban smoking in the cockpit as a "particular hazard in aviation."

The petition to the Federal Aviation Administration also requested a government rule prohibiting smoking by any flight crew member within eight hours of take-off.

A report accompanying the petition said smoking in the cockpit, by the pilot or any other crew member, "significantly interferes with the physical and mental abilities airline pilots need to operate at maximum performance levels."

"An airline pilot who smokes during or before a flight thus is not merely

choosing to poison himself, but he is also endangering the lives of possibly hundreds of other people."

The petition was submitted by Ralph Nader's Health Research Group, the Aviation Consumer Action Project and the "Airline Pilots Committee of 76" representing 76 pilots from Eastern, United, Continental, Delta, Braniff, Pan American and National airlines.

The 52-page report, "Smoking: Its Adverse Effects on Airline Pilot Performance," was prepared by the Health Research Group.

Carbon monoxide in tobacco smoke, magnified by high-altitude flying, impairs the performance of crew members, the report said.

"The major impaired abilities include visual acuity, visual brightness threshold, reaction time to visual and auditory stimuli, vigilance, psychomotor coordination, manual dexterity and ability to make judgments and take action under stress," it said.

Even the pilot who does not smoke may experience eye and throat irritation, headaches and nausea if others around him smoke, the report said.

More than 70 per cent of the 767 United Airlines pilots who responded to a recent survey expressed opposition to smoking in the cockpit, the petition to the FAA said, and more than 80 per cent believed that their own health was jeopardized by others who smoke.

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BRIDGE Use psychology if all else fails

By ALFRED SHEINWOLD
If you offer your guests a bite when the larder is empty they will often politely decline the offer. You can't rely on such politeness from your bridge opponents, but you can often rely on their good habits.

East dealer North-South vulnerable

NORTH		EAST	
AK	AK	9532	Q9
J864	Q62	984	AKJ103
Q62	KQ32	J1084	95
SOUTH		WEST	
QJ106	AK	874	9532
K753	Q9	A102	Q9
75	AKJ103	984	AKJ103
A76	95	J1084	95
East South West North		Pass Pass Pass 1	
1	1	Pass	2
Pass	4	All Pass	
Opening lead — 9			

East won two tricks and led a third diamond to make declarer ruff. South knew the strength of East's diamonds from these tricks and felt sure that East could not also hold the ace of hearts since he had passed as dealer.

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MRS. GEORGE MAHON, wife of U.S. representative George Mahon of Lubbock, examines one of the museum's mineral exhibits. Mahon will be the speaker for the Annual Bosses Night Meeting of the Midland Desk & Derrick Club at 7 p. m. today at the Library and Hall of Fame Monday.

Conservation gets new status

WASHINGTON (AP) — In a policy reversal, the Ford administration is raising fuel conservation to equal status with developing new sources of energy in the effort to reduce U.S. energy research submitted to Congress on Monday.

ENERGY OIL & GAS

dependence on foreign suppliers. The Energy Research and Development Administration included the increased emphasis on conservation in an updated plan for

Explorers scheduled

Garza, Scurry and Runnels county wildcats are planned.

Petroleum Corp. of Texas, operating from Breckenridge, will drill No. 1 Eric Swenson, an 8,300-foot wildcat in Northeast Garza County, 24 miles northeast of Post.

Location is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 68, block 2, H&GN survey. It is one location west of the firm's reentry project on which reports are not available.

SCURRY SITE

James P. Dunigan, Inc. of Abilene intends to drill No. 1 McMillan, a 7,600-foot project, in attempt to reopen the Buffalo Creek (Ellenburger) field of Scurry County.

Location is 1,980 feet from north and west lines of section 100, block 3, H&TC survey, three miles northeast of Hermleigh.

The new test is 3/8 mile southeast of depleted production in the field.

The discovery, Exxon Corp. No. 1 James Davidson, was completed in April, 1952, to flow 315 barrels of 41-gravity oil daily, through a 1/4-inch choke and perforations at 7,590-7,608 feet.

RUNNELS EXPLORER

Tri-Star Petroleum Corp., Dallas, staked site for No. 1 Mickey Black as a 5,300-foot venture in West Central Runnels, seven miles northwest of Norton.

Location is 467 feet from most northerly south line and 319 feet from west line of L. N. Taylor survey 3, one location south of the firm's No. 1 Dismore, an indicated Gardner discovery.

No. 1 Dismore at last report flowed oil at the rate of 150 to 200 barrels daily, through perforations at 5,172-5,183 feet.

It is 1,500 feet from most northerly south line and 319 feet from west line of L. N. Taylor survey 3, 20 miles west of Winters.

energy research submitted to Congress on Monday.

The updated report estimated that conservation could save the nation at least one-third of today's oil consumption by 1985.

ERDA Administrator Robert C. Seamans Jr. said the update "reflects widespread public reaction to the initial plan," which last June downgraded conservation in favor of developing new energy sources.

The administration said then that significant fuel savings would require mandatory conservation measures that Congress would not pass.

Spraberry wells final

Britton Management Corp. No. 1-11 Blanche, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 11, block 36, T-2-N, T&P survey, five miles northeast of Lenora, has been finalized in the Martin portion of the Spraberry Trend Area.

It pumped 36 barrels of 34-gravity oil and 49 barrels of water on 24-hour potential test through perforations at 8,180-8,864 feet. The section had been acidized with 3,500 gallons and fractured with 120,000 gallons and 240,000 pounds.

Also in Martin, Discovery Operating, Inc. of Midland finalized No. 1 Edward Smith in the Spraberry Trend Area.

It gauged a daily potential of 45 barrels of 38-gravity oil and 45 barrels of water. Operator acidized with 3,000 gallons and fractured with 95,000 gallons and an unreported amount of pounds of sand fracture.

Location is 1,280 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 137, block A, M. Curtis survey, five miles west of Tarzan.

Eddy prospect still testing

Mesa Petroleum Co., Midland, No. 2 Nash Unit, Atoka prospect, 3/8 mile east of dual Strawn and Morrow opener in the Nash Draw field of Eddy County, N. M., flowed gas to pits at the estimated, daily rate of 8.5 million cubic feet from the Atoka.

Flow was through perforations at 12,432-12,441 feet, after acidizing with 2,000 gallons. Testing continued.

The test is 1,350 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 18-23s-30e, 10 miles northeast of Malaga.

The pool opener produces from the Strawn at about 12,150 feet, and from the Morrow at about 13,610 feet.

President asks Supreme Court to overturn license fees ruling

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Ford administration is asking the Supreme Court to overturn a lower court order that blocks the imposition of license fees on imported oil.

The administration, through the Federal Energy Administration, is arguing that the lower court order impairs presidential ability to move the country toward independence from foreign petroleum sources.

The FEA, in oral arguments today, is asking the high court to overturn an Aug. 11, 1975, ruling by the U.S. Court of Appeals in Washington in which the court said President Ford had exceeded his authority in setting the fees, which the White House

estimated would bring in about \$4.8 billion.

Eight Northeastern states, 10 utility companies and Rep. Robert Drinan, D-Mass., brought the original action and were victorious in the appeals court.

In papers filed with the Supreme Court last year, Massachusetts Atty. Gen. Francis X. Bellotti argued that the government appeal should be thrown out since Ford intended to lift the license fees.

The government pressed the issue, however, claiming the decision by the appeals court hampers presidential ability to act in the future in the in-

terest of national security. Government lawyers cite U.S. law that they say gives the president the right to impose "quotas, tariffs, fees and other controls" to adjust oil imports.

The appeals court had dismissed this argument, saying a 1955 law under which Ford acted authorized "direct controls" such as quotas, but not "indirect controls," including license fees.

In the papers filed last September, the government argued that this decision "limits the President to the use of quotas, which have proved unsuitable and could cause artificial shortages and dislocation and bars the imposition of license fees, which the President has determined to be 'necessary and consistent with the national security.'"

Government lawyers said the court of appeals decision was the result of

incorrect analysis of congressional intent in passing the 1955 law, and that Congress intended to give the president broad authority to take whatever action he deemed necessary to adjust imports.

In their written arguments, submitted to the court last year, the states, utility companies and Drinan hoped the court would refuse to take up the merits of the case. They said presidential announcements subsequent to the imposition of the license fee program indicated it was "not even basic to the President's energy program."

They argued that the President was willing to negotiate with Congress to lift the fees in exchange for passage of energy legislation with which he could agree and therefore "the interests of national security really are not the issue in this case."

Phillips denies guilt in discrimination case

BARTLESVILLE, Okla. (AP) — Phillips Petroleum Co. denied today it is guilty of age discrimination in lay-off of employes and predicted it will win a suit brought by the federal government.

The U.S. Department of Labor filed suit Monday, alleging the company has discriminated against older employes by forcing early retirement and demotions of some 400 sales and marketing employes.

Federal law prohibits employers from firing, demoting or otherwise discriminating against employes between the ages of 40 and 65 because of their age.

Phillips denies the allegations of the Department of Labor that there has been any discrimination based on age," the company said in a statement.

One of state's oil 'biggies' now under exploration

PEARSALL, Tex. (AP) — What may be "one of your biggies" in Texas oil finds is being explored around this rural town, nestled in the rolling brush country of South Central Texas.

Oil drillers say the limits of the Pearsall Austin Chalk field remain unknown. They began increased drilling last December.

"It's roughly 30 miles by 50 miles now. It's just spreading out," said James Walker, a consultant to several drillers

working the field. "In fact, it's going to be one or your biggies."

Oilmen first drilled the field in the 1930s, but until recent oil price advances and relatively new recovery techniques, production was uneconomical, they said.

High pressure fracturing increased average well production from three barrels per day to 100 barrels, Walker said, with some wells producing up to 200 barrels.

To fracture a well, drilling mud is forced into the bottom of a hole at very high pressure to split the fractures, or cracks, in an oil-bearing formation so that more oil will seep into the spaces and be recoverable.

George Singletary, chief engineer for the Texas Railroad Commission (RRC), which regulates oil production in the state, confirmed the field will be large, although he was hesitant to give any size estimates.

"Area extent, it's big," Singletary said. "But whether we'll get all that oil out of there, I don't know... somebody estimated it (the oil structure) was the equivalent of four major oil fields."

That estimate came from a producer during RRC hearings on the field last December. Operators estimated they would drill 1,872 wells on 150,000 acres at a cost of \$225,000 per well.

Since then the field has broadened.

"It's hard to say how many (wells) there will be," Walker said. "This is just the beginning."

The oil consultant added, "It's branching out in every direction and they have not found the limits of the field today. There's no indication of the limits."

Singletary said formations holding the oil are "tight."

DRILLING REPORT

CRANE — Blair & Metcalf No. 1-48 University; td 9,300 feet; perforated at 2,934-3,005 feet; preparing to test.

CROCKETT — Dawson No. 1 Bean; drilling 835 feet in redbed and anhydrite. Bill J. Graham No. 1 Hoover; td 660 feet; changing out rig. Bill J. Graham No. 1-A Hoover; td 12 feet; shut in for repairs.

DAWSON — John L. Cox No. 1 Johnson; drilling 11,046 feet. EDDY — Mesa No. 2 Nash; td 13,857 feet; opened to pits and flowed an estimated 4.5 million cubic feet of gas per day on a one-inch choke, through perforations at 12,432-12,441 feet, after being acidized with 2,000 gallons. Cities Service No. 1-CT State; td 11,425 feet; waiting on completion unit and preparing to displace hole (temporarily) dropped from report 4-9-76.

Cities Service No. 3-AB Government; td 3,000 feet in sand and lime; testing blow out preventer; set 8 1/2-inch casing at td. Northern Natural No. 1 McGruder-Hill; td 11,650 feet; evaluating logs; ran a drillstem test from 11,380-11,900 feet in the Morrow; tool was open 30 minutes; recovery was 465 feet of drilling mud; the sample chamber recovered 2,300 cubic centimeters of drilling mud.

FISHER — Friemel & Carpenter No. 1 Kiker; td 6,892 feet; waiting on pulling unit. GLASSCOCK — Tomlinson No. 1 Copeland; drilling 6,775 feet in lime and shale.

HOCKLEY — Lovelady No. 1 Holland; drilling 7,946 feet in lime and dolomite. IRION — Mobli No. 2-8 Sugg-Farmer; drilling 6,040 feet in

lime and shale. TEX & Weiner No. 3 Farmer-Sugg; td 7,380 feet; logging. Amoco No. 6-G Els Sugg; td 8,300 feet; waiting on completion unit; set 20-inch casing at td. Amoco No. 10-G Els Sugg; drilling 1,395 feet; set 6 1/2-inch casing at 717 feet.

LEA — Gulf No. 1-B ED Lea State; drilling 9,895 feet in shale and lime.

LOVING — HNG No. 1-19 Kyle; drilling 13,700 feet in shale. Williams No. 3 Gataga; drilling 16,309 feet in shale and sand. Williams No. 4 Gataga; drilling 13,902 feet in shale and lime.

LYNN — Amoco No. 1 Zant; drilling 10,970 feet. MARTIN — RK Petroleum No. 1 Madaline; drilling 11,945 feet in lime and shale.

McKenzie; drilling 8,255 feet in lime, shale. Brocke, Highland, Equity No. 2 Wimberly-Bryan; drilling 11,463 feet in lime, chert, dolomite. C&K No. 1 ARCO-Terraza; drilling 20,471 feet in dolomite.

HNG No. 1-20 Texas American-Syndicate; drilling 10,335 feet in shale.

Marathon No. 2 Josephine Slaughter; drilling 10,326 feet in shale sand. Monsanto No. 1 Fay-Ellen; drilling 11,324 feet. Tom Brown No. 2 Yeager; drilling 8,250 feet in lime.

H. L. Brown No. 1 Lloyd Estate; drilling 15,484 feet in shale. Gifford & Mitchell No. 1 Kicking Bird; drilling 11,950 feet in shale lime.

Gulf No. 2-2 West Gomer Unit; drilling 10,565 feet in shale. Gulf No. 1-27-34 South Gomer; td 21,632 feet; milling.

REEVES — Texas Co. No. 1 Moore; drilling 9,570 feet in shale. Williams No. 1 Modesta; drilling 11,300 feet in shale sand. Ladd No. 1 Ladd-Burns-Began; drilling 16,586 feet in shale.

SCURRY — Texas Land & Mortgage No. 1 West; td 7,025 feet; swabbing 1/2 swabbed 100 per cent oil, no gauges, from open hole at 7,012-7,025 feet. TERRY — Gulf No. 2-5 First National Bank of Roswell; td 7,865 feet; fishing.

Gulf No. 4-B First National Bank of Roswell; drilling 4,020 feet in anhydrite and salt. "Texland No. 1-A Coons; td 7,400 feet; pumped 12 barrels of oil and 40 barrels of water in 24 hours; perforations 6,628-6,880 feet. UPTON — Cotton Petroleum No. 1-A Cody Bell; td 12,475 feet; still fishing.

WARD — Amarillo No. 1 Pioneer-State; td 11,380 feet; circulating and preparing to cement 9 1/2-inch casing. Gulf No. 1-0B State; still "tight."

Skelly No. 2-14 University; td 15,983 feet; preparing to perforate. CITGO No. 1-12-18 University; drilling 15,393 feet in shale.

HNG No. 2-44 Sitton Estate; drilling 16,136 feet in shale, sand. WINKLER — Gifford, Mitchell & Wisenbaker No. 1 Black Kettle; td 22,300 feet; plugged back to 20,624 feet; "tight."

GMW No. 1 Comanche; drilling 17,875 feet. GMW No. 1 Yellow Wolf; drilling 22,275 feet.

YOAKUM — Pierce & Dehlinger No. 1 Clayton; td 5,500 feet; still shut in. Lovelady No. 1 Patterson; drilling 4,846 feet in lime.

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It is producing through perforations at 3,025-3,042 feet. Treatment was 300 gallons of mud acid.

Top of the Capps pay was picked at 3,010 feet, under Kelly bushing elevation of 1,739 feet.

The well was drilled to 3,535 feet, and plugged back to 3,202 feet, in 4 1/2-inch casing seated at 3,234 feet.

Well site is 2,456 feet from north and 3,019 feet from east lines of Abner Smalley survey 105.

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Offset staked in King sector

Gus Edwards of Abilene has staked an east offset to the one-well Prudence (Atoka) gas field of King County, about 14 miles northeast of Guthrie. The new project is No. 2 Floyce Masterson.

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Midstates well takes potential

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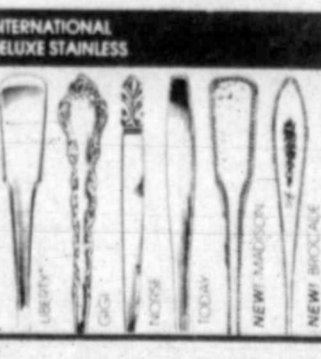
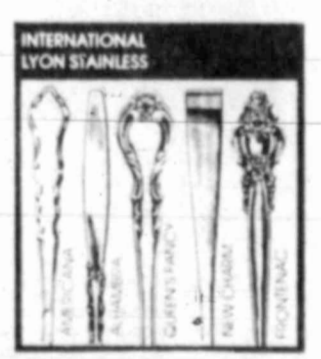
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Restaurant cash missing

Cash totalling \$6,500 was reported missing Monday from the Bonanza Restaurant, 903 Andrews Highway.

Kenneth R. Brakeville, of Odessa, told police the cash, all in \$100 dollar bills, was taken between 10:30 p.m. Sunday and 10 a.m. Monday. He was managing the restaurant in the absence of the manager and assistant manager.

The money was taken from the safe, police said. Police are looking for a suspect.

FURNITURE TAKEN

Household goods valued at \$1,374, were reported missing Monday from a rented storage shed at 1402 W. Florida Ave., police said.

The articles belonged to Shirley Kuykendall, 2502 Delano Ave. Included in the missing items were bedroom furniture, a dresser, a cedar chest, books and a bookcase, clothes, linens, dishes, small electrical appliances and other assorted items, police said.

She told police she locked the storage shed when she was last there on April 3.

The shed had been cleaned and swept, the manager at M&M Enterprise told police. He thought Mrs. Kuykendall had moved her goods out, so he rented the shed to another person, police said.

HOME BURGLARIZED

Electronic equipment valued at \$200 was taken from the residence of Robert Hendrix and Rodney Johnson, 1406 E. New York Ave., police said.

A portable color television, valued at \$100, and a tape deck-recorder-radio combination unit, also worth \$100, was taken from the house between 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Monday, Johnson told police.

POCKETS PICKED

Several patrons at The Pub, 401 W. Missouri, reported thefts of wallets and cash early this morning, police said.

Wanda Bennett, a waitress at the lounge, told police three young women came into the bar about 1 a.m. They danced with several men, and bumped into several customers, she told police.

Shortly after the women left the bar, one man noticed his wallet was missing. Other customers then noticed money missing, Mrs. Bennett told police.

About \$100 cash and a credit card was missing from one woman's purse, \$80 from another woman's purse and \$15 from a third woman's purse, police said. A fourth woman's purse was rummaged through but nothing was missing, police said.

One man told police his wallet, containing about \$5 cash, several credit cards and business papers, was missing.

Mrs. Bennett gave police a description of the suspects.

LIQUOR, CASH TAKEN

Change from two coin boxes and a case and a half of whiskey was reported missing from Price's Bar, 903 E. Illinois Ave., by Earle Hanson, a maintenance man, police said.

The coin boxes in the juke box and the pool table had been broken into, with \$250 estimated taken, police said.

A case and a half of assorted brands of whiskey was also taken, police said.

Jessie Price, owner of the bar, told police he closed about 2:30 a.m. Police said he may have locked the suspect inside the bar.

FIRES REPORTED

Two grass fires, a trash fire, a house fire and a vehicle fire were reported to the Midland Fire Department Monday.

A trash fire in the 1100 block of E. Hamby Ave. around 6 p.m. caused no damage, fireman said. The cause of this fire is unknown, a Fire Department spokesman said.

Firemen were called to the 5000 block of Leisure Drive at 2:14 p.m. Monday for a grass and trash fire, a spokesman for the Fire Department said. There was no damage, and firemen believe the blaze was set.

They were called back to the scene at 4:48 p.m. when the same fire re-kindled, but no damage was reported, fireman said.

Overheated grease on the stove was blamed for a fire at 2100 Wadley Ave., No. 104, fireman said.

The fire at the apartment of Owen B. Ingram heavily damaged the kitchen cabinets and floor, fireman said.

A trash fire in the bed of a pickup truck damaged the bed and spare tire, and caused light damage to the cab, fireman said.

The fire occurred around 3:15 p.m. on Farm Road 307, fireman said. The was owned by Haskell Martinez, 703 E. Delmar Ave., Midland, fireman said.

River rising

MINOT, N.D. (AP) — The swollen Souris River, already 6.5 feet above flood level, rose slightly as three-quarters of an inch of rain fell near this flood-threatened community.

The river's level had been receding at a slow rate since it crested on Sunday. Authorities said the rain Monday night caused a slight increase in the level, but they said it was not considered a major threat.

Toastmasters meet

The Pop-Up Toastmasters Club met Tuesday morning and recognized Al Jensen as the Toastmaster for the Day. Hap Weaver from the Permian Club was the guest speaker and was chosen to receive the best speaker award. Other honorees included Clarence Stovall, best evaluator, and Bobby Sparks, best table topic.

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LEGAL NOTICES

SHERIFF'S SALE
 COUNTY OF MIDLAND
 WHEREAS, I did on the 13th day of October, 1975, in Cause No. T-1387, in the District Court of Midland County, Texas, wherein Midland Independent School District, City of Midland, Texas, the State of Texas, and the County of Midland, Texas were Plaintiffs, Impleaded Party Defendants, and Intervenor, and recovered judgment against Windsor Builders, Inc., Defendant, for taxes, penalty, interest, and costs against the herein described property.

WHEREAS, on the 13th day of April, 1976, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the above mentioned District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law, the herein described property.

WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof, I did on the 13th day of April, 1976, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendant the following described property, situated in Midland County, Texas, to-wit: Lot 18 & 19, Block 14, South Park Addition, an addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas, as shown by deed from Marie V. Teasdale, recorded in Vol. 128, Page 128 of the Deed Records of Midland County, Texas as dated July 29, 1959.

And I will, on the first Tuesday in the month of May, 1976, the same being the 4th day of said month, proceed to sell the right, title, and interest of the defendant in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Midland, at 2:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash; provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

Said sale is to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest, penalties, and cost of suit; and the proceeds of said sale are to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED at Midland, Texas, this 13th day of April, 1976.

Ed Darnell
 Sheriff, Midland County, Texas
 By W. T. Mitchell, Deputy
 (April 13, 20, 27, 1976)

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WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof, I did on the 13th day of April, 1976, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendant the following described property, situated in Midland County, Texas, to-wit: Lot 9, Block 16, West End Addition, an addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas, as shown by deed from Marie V. Teasdale, recorded in Vol. 128, Page 128 of the Deed Records of Midland County, Texas as dated 196-4.

And I will, on the first Tuesday in the month of May, 1976, the same being the 4th day of said month, proceed to sell the right, title, and interest of the defendant in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Midland, at 2:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash; provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

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 WHEREAS, on the 23rd day of October, 1975, in Cause No. T-905, in the District Court of Midland County, Texas, wherein Midland Independent School District, City of Midland, Texas, the State of Texas, and the County of Midland, Texas were Plaintiffs, Impleaded Party Defendants, and Intervenor, and recovered judgment against Willey Gillit, Defendant, for taxes, penalty, interest, and costs against the herein described property.

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And I will, on the first Tuesday in the month of May, 1976, the same being the 4th day of said month, proceed to sell the right, title, and interest of the defendant in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Midland, at 2:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash; provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

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 (April 6, 13, 20, 27, 1976)
 Notice is hereby given that Jenkins Jewelry & Luggage, whose principal business is at 225 Dodson Street, Midland, Midland County, Texas, is incorporated without a change of firm name.

Raymond Jenkins, Owner
 (April 6, 13, 20, 27, 1976)

NOTICE OF INTENDED TRANSFER
 Notice is hereby given that on April 1, 1976, the entire assets of Jenkins Jewelry & Luggage, whose address is 225 Dodson Street, Midland, Texas, will be transferred to a new enterprise organized to take over and continue the business under the name Jenkins Jewelry & Luggage, Inc., a Texas corporation, whose address will be 325 Dodson Street, Midland, Texas.

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 Jenkins Jewelry & Luggage, Inc.
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LEGAL NOTICE OF SALE OF GOODS TO SATISFY WAREHOUSEMAN'S LIEN
 Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of the Uniform Commercial Code of the State of Texas, American Transfer and Storage Company, the American Mayflower Moving and Storage Services will on the 30th day of April, 1976, sell by public auction the following goods:

- 1. NAME: Cheryl Hooks
 - 2. LOT NO: 386
 - 3. AMOUNT DUE: \$87.99
- These storage lots contain household goods and items of personal property. The sale is to be held at 10:00 a.m. at the American Transfer and Storage Company Moving and Storage Services.
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