# The Mllidhand Zepportere-Ulegramm 

## U. S. mediation 'still welcomed' by Israel

## by arthur max   drawal from the war-won areas and establismment of a Palestinian homeland At its weekly session Sunday Begin's cabinet unanimously adopted   Carter adminisistration.

THE WINTER SUN shines doifn on a stone house
in Hampton, N.H., Sunday, highlighting a glaze of in Hampton, N.H., Sunday, hignignt storm. The
people swarming to the coastal area during the people swarming to the coastal area during the
weekend to record the damage - and unique weekend to record the damage - and unique
beauty - of the storm's aftermath. (AP Laser-
photo)

Carter pledges more 'aggression, visibility' during election year


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Its candidates.
Interviews with a halt dozen aides
indicated Carter will be experimenting, here and on the road with such ideas for burnishing his
public image in the hope of boosting pubic image on
his sagging popularity retings. Besides courting popular approval,
Carter hopes to solicit public support Carter hopes to solicit publice support
for his programs and seek the favor of
influential Demects influential Democorats who could help
him in Congress, besides presumably him in Congress, besides presumably
boosting his expected reelection bid
in 1980 . in 1980 . sress secretary Jody Powell, Press secretary Jody Powell,
looking back on Carters rather
limited domestic travels last year. said in an interview. "think we hurn ourselves with the pubilc by not being
more forceful and visible advocates of our programs.
An Associat An Associated Press-NBC News
poll last month showed that only 41 poir last month showed that only 41
pereent of 1.604 persons interviewed
pated rated Carter's overall performance
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since enterint excellent or good, his lowest rating
since entering office in January 1977 .
Predicting Carter will take a more 3B
Srediecting Carter in will take a more aggressive stance, Powell declared:
We spent a god portion of last
year listening to the counsel of those
who said 'IT you year listening to the counsel of those
who said, If you just go around and
pat all these people on the back who said, 'II you just go around and
pat all these peoppe on the back,
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that doesn't work." When Carterk visits. Rhode Island When Carter visits Rhode Island,
Maine and New Hamphire on Friday
and Saturday, and Delaware on Mane saturday, and Delaware on
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Monday, Powell sidid the president
will emphasize such domestic con will emphasize such domestic con-
cerns as energy, a planned overhaul


Cards say everything except 'I love you'

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$\begin{aligned} & \text { "Relationships are changing } \\ & \text { these days and the cars are) } \\ & \text { changing with them," she said. }\end{aligned}$

However. Begin said today the
dispute "cannot impair dispute "cannot impair the very States and Israel."
He said srael looked forward to the return of Assistant Secretary of State
Alfred Atherton to Cairo and Jeresalem later this month. Atherton
will shuttle between the capitals to try will shuttle between the capitals totry
to get stalled peace talks going again.

## Canal sentiment likely

## factor in fall polling

by broors jackson


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## Striking miners

 gain 'leverage'y The Associated Press savenue open to peace and that talks
could not resume unless a declaration
of principles was reached. Especially vulnerable are Democrats
Dick Clark of lowa, Floyd Haskell of
Colorado. William D. Hathaway of
Maine. and Wendell Anderson of They also hope to make it difficult
for any Republican who supports the or any Republican who supports the
treaties to win the party's presidential nomination in 1980, or to
win the election if nominated.
Sen. Howard Sen. Howard Baker's presidential
chances already are "done" says chances already are "done," says
Terry Dolan of the National ConEven Pormer Caliifornia Gov some aetivists because of what they
feel opposition to the treaties. of. Paul Laxalt, R-Nev, a leader as a favorite presidential prospect of
the conservative activists. The treaty foes say public sen-
timent timent runs wide and deep against the
pact, actually two mitertwined
documents that would turn over the documents that would turn over the
canal to Panama by the end of the
century and provide for its neutrality century and provide for
and defense thereatier.
Richard A. Viguerie, whose com-
puter-driven typewriters have produced millions of dollars in
campaign donations for conservative campaign donations for conservaite
political candidites including George
Wallace, says the canal tre Wallace, says the canal treaties beat
even racial busing or gun control for
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getting conservatives to donate
money money, "It eppears
issue by a longshot.
"Conservatives are not going to
quickly forget how these senators voted." he said. "It's a very good
litmus test. A wrong vote on this tsue cannot be compensated by right votes on ocher issues. "I ean't imagine that
Dolan agrees: "and
we'll support: a single senator who we'll support a single senator who
votes wrong on this issue." His group already is sending letters
to about 15,000 local Republican leaders asking them to threaten withdrawal of their support permanently
from any GOP senator who votes to from any Gop sena
ratify the treaties.


In New York, State Department
spokesman Hodding Carter said, , We pokesman Hodding Carter said, "We
have played the role of mediator in have played the role of mediator in
the MIddle East and will continue to Egyptian President Anwar Sadat
aid Atherton's shuttle Egyptian President Anwar Sadat
said Atherton's shuttle was the only
avenue open to peace and that talks fore leaving for Rome, the in last top top on his whirlwind eight-nation tour to arum up international support for
Egypt's bargaining terms in Mideast negotiations.
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cannot operate ale cannot operate plants at a 70 percent
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Kentucky was expected to anKentucky was expected to an-
nounce power reduction plans today
Carter also announced he Carter also announced he was
asking his cabinet to prepare plans
for the movement of coal to areas
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weeks away, and emergency power
preparations were begun in several preparations were begun in several
hard-hitstates.
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million customers in eight states. It
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tise was chosen for the presidential task
force visit because "clearly ohio was
the hardest hit"" by the strike, a White



AREAS OF RAIN, snow and showers are forecast for parts of the West, with a large area of snow or rain for parts of states from
Idaho to West Virginia. An area of flurries for parts of some states Idaho to West Virginia. An area of flurries for parts of
In the Northeast are forecast. (AP Laserphoto Map) Midland statistics


## Extended forecasts

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New Mexico, Oklahoma



## Poll shows Texans

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poll by Sam Houston State University $\begin{aligned} & \text { Pollsters said their results in in } \\ & \text { dicated the biggest fear of most of }\end{aligned}$ poil by sam Houston state University
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gest that the public is very much gware of the primice is yery much
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Dr. Raymond Teske Jr. whe directis twice-a-year survey research pro-
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More than
half of the respondents (56 percent) sald they were atfrald to
walk alone at night within a mile of their home and 23 percent suid they block of their home.
Three out of four sald they had
brought a gun or other security device

Bess Truman celebrates 93rd birthday quietly



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dependence's most tamous resident. 1972 , when the former president died
Harry ependence's most famous resident. at age 88 . Since his death, she has
Harry S . Truman. was elected made only one pubile appearance -
president. Mrs. Truman's daughter, Margaret the 1974 funeral of the tamily cook. Truman Daniel, was here for her
birthday.
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Cloudy skies predicted



## Epileptics wait for drug's OK

By Paul west
Dallas Times Herald
WASHINGGON - It was just over one year ago, Joann $0^{\prime}$ Brien recalls,
that she first learned of the drug
sodium valproate. Used overseas by 200,000 patients Used overseas $\begin{aligned} & \text { sy } \\ & \text { ince } 1967 \text {, sodium valpoonote appears } \\ & \text { o be effective in controlling epileptic }\end{aligned}$ of effective in controlling appiept
eizures. especially in children. But it is presently against the law to uy or sell sodium valproate in the
Inited States. The Food and Drue United Stistration (FDA) believes more studies are needed before the drug
can be placed on the market in this Mrs. 0 'Brien's son, Paul, is 10 .
Since birth, Paul has suffered Since birth, Paul has suffrered from
a form op epilepsyy that affects the
depest regions of his brain. His
seizures, which come without war. seizures, which come without war-
ning. ause his arms to jerk unThe erratic firings in his brain impossible for Paul to concentra during these attacks. As a result, he simple mathematics.
Yet. his mother. insists. "If you
talked to him, you'd see that hes alked to him, you'd see that he's a
oright child. He's very inquisitive bright child. He's very inquisitive.
When he is not in the midst of his
seizures, he is very calm and seizures, he is very calm and in
telligent." Mrs. ${ }^{\prime}{ }^{\prime}$ Brien and Paul's
neurologist, Dr. Michael Blaw of believe there is a good possibility thai Paul's soizures could be controlied
with sodium valproate. with sodium vaiproate. hundreds of
But they, and the
thousands of Americans who thousands of Americans who
currently receive no ffective relief ronnepileptic seizures, are caught in
a squezee betwen the FDA and the
drug's U. drug's U.S. manufactu
In late 1974 Abbott purchased the
American rights to valproate from a French drugmaker ond informed
FDA of tits intention to introduce the
drug on the U.S. marke In industry terms. valproate is an
"orphan" orphan drug, meaning the potential
market for its use is relatively small.
Though an estimated Americans suffer from epilepsy, only about 700,000 are now receiving
medical treatment and only a portion medical treatment and only a portion
of those are considered likely users of of those are
valproate
According for the Control of E.Silepsy and Its Consequences, a congressionalty
funded panel, American drug compatent rights to to valproate because
"the market was too small (and) the develiopment costs would be too
great
In April , 1977, the Epilepsy Commission pubbicty ace Eused Absy Com- of
dragsing its feet on development of dragsing its feet on development of vigorously denied the charge.
Three months later. FDA took the
almost unprecedented step of asking
Ahbot to almost unprecedented step of asking
Abbott to submit its application for
placing valproate on the market. In
almost all cases. FDA leaves the
iniative in such matters to the drug companies Abbotes, which had planned to wait
until late 1978 before filing its official request, made its application in September. 1978. neurological adves ory committee, the
epilepsy branch of the National Inepilepsy branch of the National In-
stitutes of Health and the Epilepsy Commission - all had recommended here.
Supporters of the drug made
several arguments in its favor. Supporters of the drug made The drug has been used by more
several arguments in its favor man 200,000 patients in 14 nations to implicate Torrijos in drugs
The Washington Post
WASHINGTON Attorney $\begin{aligned} & \text { that the Senate could abandon the } \\ & \text { idea of having the session they are }\end{aligned}$ General Griffin B. Bell said Sunday
he knows of no material in he knows of no material in U.S., files
that would "Implicate" Panamanian leader omar Torrijos in illegal drug
dealings. dealings. did say he has seen material in Drug Enforcement Administration
files that would "involve" or "reflect
upon" members of Torli upon" members of Torrijos' family,
Bell, interviewed on the television program "ssues and Answer",
(ABC), said that $(\mathrm{ABC})$, said that a a lot of" the
evidence is hearsay. Pressed whether there was any "hard proof" in the gos, he said, I don't know. I am not
going to say any more about it because $I$ would have to tell you
everything I know about it and if Idid
Griffin changes mind, will seek re-election
DETROIT (AP) - Sen. Robert P.
Griffin, R -Mich., changed his mind and announc
re-election.
Griffin, the minority whip, is the the Senate. He served in the House of Representatives from 1957 to 1906 ,
when he was appointed to the Senate. His reelection announcement was
made at a news conference in his made at a news conference in his
home town of Traverse City. A copy
was distributed in Detroit. leave "Last April Ithought 1 was ready to leave public life. In the months since
then, quite frankly. Tve changed $m y$ mind, "Griffin said.
The race for the seat had been
thrown into turmoil in recent days by
reports Griffin wild

Bell denies knowledge of 'proof' | Frid |
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And an FDA official, Dr. Ronald
Kartzinell, head of hte agencys Keuropharmacology division, told the Epilepsy Commission last year he and effective." But on Dec. 15, the FDA ruled the
drug was not yet ready to be placed on
d the U.S. market. The reason, ac
cording to the agency. was that Abbott hat not met an FDA requiremen
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tific studies be submitted that demonstrate the effectiveness of Supporters of the drug vigorously
dispute FDA's interpretation of the dispute FDA s.interpretat


## DEATHS


Cora Langdon


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 Assembly of God. Burial was to follow in Ralls
Cemetery directed by Carter-Adams Funeral Home.
Mrs. Langon died Saturday in a She moved to Ralls in 1927 and to Lubbock in 1973 .
Other survivors include two sons. our daughers. five brothers. three
sisters.
ist grand hididren and 2 great Mary Vaughn




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Kappler gets Nazi burial
SOLTAU, West Germany (AP) - $j$ Kappler, acted on orders. You did
An unofficial honor guard snapped off - what every German officer would
Nazi salutes today at azi salutes today at the burial or
convicted war criminal Herbert Kappler who escaped from an Italian
prison hospital with the help of his rison hospital with the help of his

An unidentified man wearing sun
glasses stod at graveside in the glasses stood at graveside in the
nowy cemetery and shouted in the
name of the German Wehrmacht The man and at least three others of the estimated 200 mourners gave the
stiff-armed salute of the Third Reich which Kappler served as an SS of. ficer, as he was interred after a one-
hour service of prayers and hyms in
cemetery chapel. Close by the a cemetery chapel. Close by the
rumbling of artilery could be heard
from NATO firing from NATO firing ranges near this
north German town of 15,000.

Rusk to host programs
 uring February The first will be held beginning at
.30 p.m. today in the school's afetorium at which the Crime Family Services Feb. 27 will
Prevention Unitof the Midland Police present a play concerning death and Department will discuss the effects of $\begin{aligned} & \text { present a play cenceraing death and } \\ & \text { the teaching of children how to cope } \\ & \text { with it. }\end{aligned}$ Wendell Mayes Jr. to enter Hall of Fame LUBBOCK - Former Midland broadcaster Communications Hall of Fan hursday during Texas Tech's Mass Co

Mayes moved to Midland in 1957 to become vice
president and general manager of KCRS radio
He has helped establish scholarships for broadcast
tudents at Texas Tech University and The students at Texas
University of Texas.
Local ABWA to hold citizenship dinner
The third annual citizenship recognition dinner of
the Tall City Charter Chapter, American Business Women's Asspeciation, will be held at 7 p.m. today in
the Yates Room of the Midland Hilton.

New United States citizens to be honored at this native of Mexico, and Mrs. Jackie Mannen, formerly of France. Speaker for the event will be Dr. Julian
Tan of China, who is a candidate for e eitizenship.

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NATIONAL SCOUT WEEK got under way Sunday with area scouts attending the church of their

Striking farmers to meet Carter

By MILLER BONNER
of American agriculture will be ex. plained to a or ormer Georgia peanut
armer this week as striking farmer Parmer this week as striking farmers
filie to the White House for meetings
with President Carter "I don't have any butterflies as far as meeting a president goes." said
Gerald McCathern, a Hereford farmer and a spokesman for the
American Agriculture Movement.
"He should be a human being you can talk should be a human being you can
teason wing
before President Carter became president
he was just another fellow down there running a peanut shed." ${ }^{\text {M }}$. MeCathern will join Jim Kramer of
Kansas and Bud Bitner of Colorado Kor a 2 p.m. meeting Tuesday at the
White House. White House.
The president has scheduled
similar sessions with 23 farm groups similar sessions with 23 farm groups
on Tuesday, said MeCathern. The Tuesday meetings mark the
first time striking farmers will have first time striking farmers will have a
chance to voice their complaints and
hat farmers are receiving about 65 percent parity for their crops.
Without some immediate reliet Without some immediate relief
from the cost-price squeze they are from the cost-price squeeze they are
experiencing, claim farmers. experieacing, claim farmers,
America is totiering on the edge of
another Great Depression. another Great Depression.
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parity By restoring 100 percent parity,
farmers would make a profitit which would have a positive rippling effect
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they claim throughout the nation's economy
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. T ye they claim. to bo optimistic," said
MeCathern of Tuesday's talk with the McCathern of Tuesday's talk with the
president. "President Carter is this
nation's leader snd nation's leader and Iv ve got ot believe
he'd like to balance the budget, get he'd like to balance the budget, $g$
people off welfare and put peop
back to work. "A lot of people don't realize this
but when agricultere but when pegricile dort 't realize thists going
broke, like it is now eight, or nine mone is now, it takes about
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everybody that'll listen that that is
happening and if they think the cras happening and if they think the cr
of 2a was bad, they bayen't
anything yet." anything yet."

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Graduate Center sets three new courses

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by georgemearthur The Los Angeles times
TWO GIANT HEAT recovery units are being installed in the Stan-
dard Oil Co. of Indiana headquarters building in Chicago. They will have more than one million therms (one trillion British Ther-
mal Units) yearly, the company says. The recovery units will mal Units) yearly, the company says. The recovery units will
make it possible to recycle heat from the building's offices
Phillips announces contract for plant
 , prowne engine oil. Wisconsin Governor Mart J.
Acting Wiserer
Schreiber said, "we welcome Phillips
 For the state of Wisconsin, which
imports more than 9 percent of its energy, this announcement is very
encouraghg. Energy conservation
and environmental improvement and environmental improvement
efforts. like those proposed by
Phillips and Lubricants, are critical to Wisconsin's abbilitynts, to cone crititica its Etronil Malick, projects director at
Phillips. said the plant will be capable
of re-refining 2 million gallons of of re-refining 2 million gallons of
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Phillips process to offer the best
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Malick said. Malick said.
Malick said many private com-
panies and state and local govern-
ments have expressed interest in
PROP in the PROP in the U.S. and abroad since
the first palat was announced last
year. He said Phillips expectes to announce a
plants in 1978.
Malick said the same type of offer is
being made to other private and minimiz the uncertainties that a
normally posed by new ventures.

held until his recent appointment.


When the Malaysian Mavernment expressed a deysire for or forerign int
vestment in its stagnant petroleum
industry industrry. American entrepreneuer
Thomas. Huff decided to take gamble.
From the outset last year, it appeared that Huff had hit the jackpot.
But now he has oollided head-on with
the indigenous Malaysian problem of the indigenous Malaysian problem of
Bumputra, and he is spending more
time with his lawyers than his
business.
Bumputra translates roughly as
"sons of the soil" The word "sons of the soil." The word also is
shorthand for the government's New Economic Policy to give ethnic
Malays, who make up 54 percent of the population, more controlo overt of the
nation's econom, Up to now, it has been overwhelmingly dominated by
industrious descendants of Chinese
coolies, imported decades coolies, imported decades ago to work population.
Under the New Economic Policy, monopoly, Petronas, requires that
any company bidding on oil or gas
related projects be 51 percent locally - or Bumiputra - owned.
A veteran of 1 years in Asia at 38 ,
Huff had worke for several civian
contractors in Vietram Huff had worked for several civilian
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up, with an Asian partnee, a small but up, with an Asian partner, a small bu
growing busines in Singapore
primarily providing services for oil Companies.
With the approval of Petronas, the husky, energetic Huff set up a new Joint Ventures Managemen
Malaysia to perform similar services The 1 percent Bumiputra ownersship
was in the person of a Malaysian was in the person of a Malaysian
woman related by marraige to a woman related by marraige to to
partner. It was legal window dressing
but it was knownto Petronas and is, in fact, accepted practice.
Huff's Malaysian venture soon had
client list of a client list of 14 well-known
American and foreign companies. American and foreign companies.
Using his lieense failities, they were
bidding on projects. :in catering bidding on projects in eatering,
communications, construction and
other fields running into millions other felas running into millions of
dollars. He organized a catering
operation for one elient employing about 30 local people to feed oil crews.
That is being expanded to so people
with a locil paypoll of about $\$ 15,000$ Then Huff really. ran into the
Bumpiutra probelem. He almost lost
his business, and his license is least partially in doubt.
The government's Bumiputr policy extends everywhere - to
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eduuated Chinese in favor of the
Malays. Malays. who languished for centuries
in their tropical Kampongs (villages). in their tropieal Kampongs (villages).
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independence came 20 years ago, during a rebeelilion led by years ango.
of Chineme extration. special con-
sideration for Malaysians was writen sideration for Malaysians was written
into the constitution. The Bumiputra
policy, spelling. policy, spelling out stronger
measures and guidelines even though
these are flexible, began eight years ago. Ithas now become the cause of deep
economic concern for a nation that is economic concern for a nation that is
otherwise rich. virtually awash with
foreign reserves, and is the worlds
largest supplier of tin and rubber, largest supplier of tin and rubber,
both commanding Mop Maices.
The Mias see the Bumiputra
policy as a blessing. The Chinese view The Malays see the Bumiputra
policy as a blessing. The Chinese view
of as a disaster. The government
knows it is a knows it is a dilemma. Many foreign
investors are sympathetic but highly
skeptical. investors
sketica.
The nati
and stability, however, rest upon a delicate alliane between upper-crust
Malays who run the government and
Chinese who run the money. Un-
derneath are the poor - mostly
 vestment and industrialization to
create jobs. As rich as Malaysia is,
that solution paradoxicelly even more forerign and domestic in-
vestment, particularly from the
chinese price Chinese whose interests are
previdiced daily by the Bumiputra
policy. Seyolarly, quiel-spoken Prime
Minister Hussien Onn, a man who lives simply and is unversally
respected, has tried to reach a
balance by urging his people to work balance by urging his people to work
harder whilie promising "flexibility"
in applying the Buming policy,
businessmen complain that Oony's moderation becomes unrecognizable
as it fiters through gnalay
bureaucracy that is vulnerahe corruption, self-interest and ethnic
oversensitivity
Huffs experiences are reasonably Huffs experiences are reasonably
typical It is untypieal that he is
willingto talk about hem.
Although there are not enough
qualified Bumiputra to go around,
Huiff says he dif meet the gorit of the qualified Bumiputras to go around,
Huff says he did meet the spirit of the
policy by bringing in the on the
recommendation of Petronas - three

## Entreprenever collides with 'sons of the soil'

retired Malaysian army officers,
making one a director and operating
boss of the company boss of the company. At one point they
were about to be given, virtually free., 46 percent ownership.
Had this happened Huff would have Had this happened Huff would have
lost his company. He did not know
that his new associten that his new associates had a company of their own. Through
technicalities of Malaysian law lecienning share registration recently have been offered licenses to directorships and ownishtation, his door into many kinds of business
company could have become a sub- otherwise barred. In one sens company could have become a sub-
sidiary of the company owned by his Bumiputra associates.
While 'Huff's is a case, other businessmen say such
things happen often Some of the criticism is born of bitterness and
some of
Oit is thinly veiled racism. Outside economists confirm,
however, that most of the Bumiputra however, that most of the Bumiputra
participation in business is witbout
real substance. real sumstance. D. Mhathir D. Mahathir Mohamed, the trade
and industry minister who generally
has the confidence of foreign has the confidence of forentign
has the
businessmen, recently complaind businessmen, recently complained,
"the availability of opportunites,
licenses and capital will come to
othing if were is no managemen Tllamong the Bumiputras." Tee licenses he referred to in his
speech move in a sort of black market among influential people. They are pair of the Bummputra
given as political favors. Seeveral have been offered licessses to
opent finanace companies - an open
oper int otherwise barred. In one such
documented offer. A Malasyian
bluntly offered to be the mont bluntly offered to be the front man -
or Ali Babe, as one is called. In return
he wanted roee of charge shards
worth $\$ 125,000$, a questionabie loan to Worth \$125,000, a questionable loan to
purchase another $\$$ seno.000 worth plus
a $\$ 175,000$ "service fee." "The Bumiputra policy is creating
"rruptin, not business," one Westerner said. Many businessmen suspect that
such license sales will increase as such license sales will increase as
eleetions expected date this year get
closer. Electon funds are needed and many. peoction in the the reveng needed and
pantilition
partes to not share Prime Minister

## Devonian producer,

 new tests reported HNG Oil Co. No. 1.28 McFarland ECTOR TEST HNG oil co. No. 1-28 McFariandhas been completed in the Worsham-
Bayer (Devonian) area of Reeves

ECTORTEST KLOH is to be as an $8,600-100 \mathrm{O}$ deepened project in the TXL multipay
dield of Eetor County
Operator reoprted a calculated. absolute open flow potential of 2.1
millon cubic feet of gas per day,
through pertorations from 14, 1888 to through perforations from 14,288 to
1,4537 feet after a $3,000-$ gallon acid
treatment. treatment.
No condensate was produced during
the potential test. Total depth is. 17.968 feet and $7 \%$ -
inch casing is set at 15,988 feet. Location is 1,320 feet from south and
west lines of section 28 , bloek C-3, psi survey and seven miles northwest of
Wellsite is four miles east of other
Devonian production in the WorshamDevonian pro
Bayer field.

It is one milie northeast of Montoya production and 1, ,980 feet from north
and 60 feet from east lines of section 41, boock 45. TP-1.N.TaP survey and
2.5 miles northot Notrees. Ward prosect
Gulr Pil Corp. No. 1-WZ state is te
be drilled as as. Capriteo (midd ale Delaware) and Block Ward County. (Delaware) area of Location is 1 mille west of the Block west of the Caprito area. miles norin-
Drillsite is 680 feet from north and 800 feet from eass linet of neection and 38
block 17 , University 2 Lands survey and
four miles

## Nation's exchanges

 start 'shopper' rivalryBy COLLEEN SULLivan Most, who braved Mon- tracts also trade the
The Washington Post
day's snowstrom to bring futures contrats in
che WASHington ping convenience of supermarkets. So to
capitalize eqite
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tion's stocks, options tion's stockss, options and are rapidy exchanges moving
toward just such a pro-
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A B-52 takes off from March Air Force Base three times a month. This B-52 is just one of at Strategic Air Command bases at all times on a training mission. Crews fly an average of roughly 100 that are waiting, armed and ready

## Ancient vintage B-52 aircraft part of America's nuclear arm

By Michaze selier
 STEVE FOUGHT is 32 years old.
His copllot, 1 st $L$. Mike Rolte, is 25 .
The average age of a $B-52$ erew these


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| - mhere, iss a joke that B B.s2 pliots tell | Temore A bid droum than i joke.



 decision not to build the B-- t, the Air
Forees s planned successor to the B. 22 bomber, the giant elightenengine sub-
somic $B=52$ may be fyying well into the
1900s. At that point, the B.52s would be
pushing 40 years old the last B 5 was built in 1962), Planes-especially big.
complicated craf -are
to have expected a life-span anywhere near More importantly, the B-52. If it
hangs around that long, will be doing

- In fact is doing right now - a lask It fast is is doing right, now - a task
It wask designed to perform.
 later is supposed to duck in low under
an enemy's radar. interceptor fighters and antiaircraft missiles.
drop its nuelear bombs on target and
get outs get out. altitude in a real nuclear war
would mean 90 to 200 feet above the Cround at a speed of 450 mph. In
training frights over the United
State, the B.screws routinelf fy at
that speed at a minimum altitude of To avoid scaring the cows to death, low-level runs over isolated desert
and mountain areas.
The task Strategic Air Command The task, strategic Air Command
officers insist. Is in important one.
The bombers are onetion's nuelear triad of submarine:
launched Poseidon and Polaris missiles, silo-launched Minuteman
and Titon missiles, and land-based B-
528 . The total is more than the sum of its paris. ue Pentagon asy. None com.
ponent of the triad, nor any two of its parts, would be a sulficient nuclear according to the Pentagon.
And it folow, the nation needs
what it has dowir at the far end of THE HIGHSECURITY ALERT area of the base is bounded by 10 ofoot
tencing toped with barbed wire.
Guards armed with M-16 rifles stand in front or the cocked B-52s,
There'sa small swimming pool for the crews on alert, an outdooo boasketalert builiding itself is unremarkable,
except perhaps or the quality of the
tood in the caleteria, which is bad even by military standards.
The boilding hhis a tevevision room, The building has a television room,
a recreation room with pool tobles,
and a library complete with a $1971-75$
edition of Fodor's trabel guide to the
Soviet UUlion and
oopies of the magazine Soviet Life. day" - doubling up in motelilike
 WIVES, FRIENDS, children can
visit-there are three high chairs in corner of the dining room - but for
the most part it is a tedious $w$. No. 6873 and its crew is just one of
the roughly 100 B. 52 s waiting, armed
 are on 1s-minute alert at all times). Uniike submarine or Minuteman
launch crews., he men of No. 6673
know their target-know whether it's know their target-know whether it's
Moscow, Vladivostok, Minsk or Leningrad.
Fer their own mental and emotional
selfeservation, they try to keep self-preservation, they try to keep
their kowededge of the target to a
minimum and spend no time at all minimum and spend no time at all
thumbing through Fodor s.
"We know all we need to "We know all we need to know
about it the tharge)," Fought siad
"We know its size, how to get there
and plan. h y generaily
sidi his copilot. Mike Rolfe, "W
don't want to know any more., ON AN AVERAGE of once a week Jump into pickup trucks and head for their planes.
it never
ny "t never enters my mind that it is
the real thing," said No. 6673 elece.
tronics warfare officer, Maj. Roger M. Murray Jr. ${ }^{\text {Mr }}$
Mt's all reflex and no thought, the
rew explained. Maybe 90 seconds crew explained. Maybe 90 seconds
trom the building to the plane:
another $\begin{aligned} & \text { bo secons to get all } \\ & \text { engines fight } \\ & \text { engired up and taxi out on the }\end{aligned}$ By that time the message has come
nto the por By hat ume the message has come
into the plane, a voice message in
code composed of numbers and let-
ters. Go or no go.
no Lert. Gas or no go been no go, a practice
alert, said the crew of No. 673 . They
have never left the ground in a B-s have never left the ground in a B-S
armed with nuclear weapons.
That is one of the big changes That is one of the big changes in SAC since the 1966 loss of a nuclear
armed B-S2 over Palomares. Spain
The bomber collided with it tanker
which was which wos refueling it, spilliling bits
ind pieces of fout multimegaton
hydrogen bombs over the Spanish coast. The bombs didn't explode - they
weren't armed - but the ensuing Weren't armed - eut the ensening
upraoar, coupled withrising costs and
in increase in waring tume of
in an increase in warning time of a
potential enemy nuclear attack.
grounded the armed $\mathrm{B}-52 \mathrm{~s}$. grounded the armed B-528.
When Steve Fought's crew does
take a B- 52 D up out of March take a B-s2D up out or march-its
averages three higits a month -its
a grueling eight- to
1othour fight agrueling eight- to to
acrouss a good fight
United States.

the University of Southern California;
Rolfe in iotitical science at Texas
A\&M: OOlson in econometrics at the University of Calififroia-L Los Angeles
and Murray in business administra-
tion at the University and Murray in business administra-
tion at the University of Florida.
Only Holloway has a military school Only Holloway has a military school
background: he's a graduate of The
Citadel in South Fought's crew has been together a
year now, and there is the closeness sometimes live toget six men who sometimes inve cogecher, always work
together and depend on each other's
competence to insure their surviver They seem loose. They see each
other off-base and off-duty at an occasional barbecue and beer party. They
take a speceial pride in Fought's secret
recipe lake a special pride in Fought's secret
recipe for hot sauce. which doesn't
taste half bad. They all seem utterly sane.
Steve Fought took a visito Steve Fought took a visitor into the
cockppit of a B.52D - not No. 6673 ,
because outsiders arent allowed into cocked bombers - and did his best to
dispel the 1960 notion, fostered by movies like "Dr "Strangelove,". that
something could indeed go wrong.
TO BEGIN WITH, Fought explained, no one crew member con leet
aboard an alert B-5w without at least
another crew member present The
guard with the M-16 would see to that another crew member present. The
guard with the $\mathrm{M}-16$ would see to that.
If two or more crew members
boarded a boarded a $\mathrm{B}-52$ and started it moving
without a proper alert. then the
guard would take care of that. too.
"The guards are ordered to sho "The guards are ordered to shoot the
tiries out tif the plane moves without
the klaxon " Foplt the klaxon." Fought said.
off And. if the plane managed to get
ore ground with the whole crew gone eraar and somehow survived to
get to target, they couldn't arm the
weapon," he added (Higher-ranking SAC officers con-
firmed that tit takes a coded voice message to arm the weapons. Two
crewmen aboard each B - 22 must copy the message and verity it before the weapones thre members of the crew.
It aketing in concert to perform the com. acting in concert, to perform the com:
pliated task of arming the B.52's
weat plicated task or arming the B-52's
weapons system but only one man to
quickly and easily lock it. preventing
it from tel quickly and easily lock it. preventing
It from being fired, Fought said.
Bey Beyond that, said No. 667 y s com-
mander. SAC has a human eriability program wherein each member of the
crew keeps an eye on the others
"The "The regulations say that if you
have an individual under stress. you
get him away from weapons." Fought
said. Fought said he had never had that
kind of experience himself. but once
in a while p plene in awhile a plane commander had had
a man taken off a alight crew because
of the strain of a divorce or other
private MORE DOUBTFUL than the
reliability of the erew is the reliability of old $\mathrm{B}-522$ - to a layman anyway.
No. 6673 just didn't look like the backbore of Tho feern nuciear' deter-
rent force. That feling wasn't based solely on the oil puddles spreading
underneath its wings. The week No. $\begin{aligned} & \text { se73 and Fought's } \\ & \text { crew were on alert, the klaxon went } \\ & \text { off on a Monday a few minutes }\end{aligned}$. off on a Monday a few minutes after
noon. Fought and Rolife could get only
three of its eight engines started in the first minute or so after they boarded
the craft. Untimately, the other five
fired up, slowly and reluct fired up, slowly and reluctantly.
Fought's screw admitted that hardly
flight

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digil computer is anelogue rather tha
difital. Much of the radar equipmen
stili has tubes instead of transistors.

viewing system to allow easier low.
altitude flight and extensive wing and structural modifications.
Unlike the Ds, the $G s$ and $H$, now can carry short-range attack missiles
with nuclear warheads and will be with nuclear warheads and will be
modififed to bandle cruise missiles
with a range of up to 1,500 miles. THE CREW OF NO. 6673 have the
kind of love-hate affection a man sometimes has for a balky car -it
may not be the best transportation
available, but it will get you there aval not be uhe best transportation
avaliable, but it will get you there
without any bad surprises. "It doesn't turn like a fighter; it
turns like a truck." Fought said. "But
it's a it's s a tough airplane; it can take a lot
of hits and survive "I would like a better (navigation-
control) system that will get me low control) system that will get me low
faster. But I dontit have a choice. I
dont have a B-1. I Iust have a B-52D
and I can do the job with hit. and I cando to the job with hit."
And if the "go-code" is ever receiv.
ed by his crew?
F. ed by his crew?
eitherg. has ho doubts about that, He was sitting around a table in the
alert building dining room, spooning
out his homemade hot sauce to the out his homemade hot sauce to the
crew. Matter-offactly, he said,
think everyboly here has made
deecision that if were
we're going."
Playing sax
brings curfew
MIAMI (AP) - Frank Neffrs sax
ophone playing at ningt was giving his
neighbor the blues, so neighbor the blues, so a circuit judge
put a curfew on Neff and his
sat
sax.
Judge Thomas Testa ordered Nefi
to quit playing the saxophone between 10 quit playing the saxophone between
pown 8 a.m. because his
towhouse neighbor. Pamela Kuhn, has been ill and has trouble sleeping.
Neff Neff says he was stopping anyway
at 1 p.m. "I Iused do ppay my. saxa at all
hours of the night." says. the com-
 "I know she's sick but $I$ shouldn't
have to suffer and alter my hilestyle
just because she's got a health Testa disagreed and issued his
ruling Thursday.
Wall falls
on thief ROCK ISLAND, III. (AP) - Police
report that Guy Hayes, 18 , was pinneed
to the ground when a wall fell on him to the ground when a wall fell on him
as he attempted to steal a telephone
coin box. Coin box.
Police said Hayes tried to pull the
coin box off the wall of a car wash coin box off the wall of a car wash that the wall gave in and fell on
Hayes.
He was nabbed by police as he lay under the rubble.
Hyeses was treated for minor in
juries and charged with criminal


Futures on interest rates becoming big item for investors
 Builder
manager
trading
from sha
com modi
money.
Interes Interest-rate futures started
years agownen the Chicago Boar
Trade introduced tracts. The contract, traded since
Octobe October, 1975 , is for delivery of
s100.000 worth of certificates backed by home mortgages guaranteed by
the Government National Mortgage Association (GNMA or Ginnie Mae)
It has been one of the fastest growing new contracts ever introduced on
futures The Girnie Mae package is priced
somewhat like bonds, with a fixed interest rate (8 percent for the Board
of Trade contract) and a trading price
which rises when other interest rates of Trade contract) and a trading price
which rises when other interest rates
fall, and decline when other rates
rise. Instead of being quoted in cents rise. Instead of being quoted in cents
per pound or dollars per bushel, the
certificates are pried as a per-
centage of par. The minimum price centage of par. The minimum price
change on the exchange is 1.32 of a
point, worth $\$ 31.25$ per contract point, worth $\$ 31.25$ per contract.
Last August the exchange added a
similar contract in 15 -year Treasury similar contract in 1 -year Treasury
bond futures, and in October brought in a contract for 90 -day
commercial paper futures. commercial paper auures. Me. International Monetary Market
of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange started trading in three-month
Treasury bill futures in January 1976.
The T-bill and commercial paper Treasury bill futures in January 1976 .
The T-ill and com mercial paper
contracts were designed for trader
concerned with short ore triter rates, and the Ginnie Maes an
Treasury bonds were aimed at thos dealing with long-term rates.
Who uses these new contracts?
speculators are eust as willing to
bet on moves in interest rates as on bet on moves in interest rates as on
the erice of pork belies. brokers say
There could be even more speculative attention to the new contracts, they
point out, becaue point out, because more people are
familiar with interest rate changes.
than with the agricultural com. than with the a
modities and metals.
Interest-rate Interest-rate futures also have
attracted strong hedging interest
however - meaning that savings and however - meaning that savings and
loan officers, mortgage bankers.
construction companies and other businesses directly concerned with
interest rates are using the futures markets for price insurance, just as
farmers and grain dealers hedgecorn
and and wheat futures. This hedger
partiticitato is considered a critical
test of any new futures contract. "We've seen $\begin{aligned} & \text { a good deal of } \\ & \text { hedgingo." said Tully R Re Davia } \\ & \text { Chicago-based manager of finapheial }\end{aligned}$ instruments futures for Merrill
Lynch. Pierce. Fenner and Smith
"The Ginnie Mae market had very
good support from the mortgage good support from the mortgage
bankers from the begining., and six
months after it opened, from the savings and loans.
An example of how a savings and
loan might use the futures market loan might use the futures markets
was given in the California Savings
and Loan League's monthly Journal:

Midastouch Federal Savings ex-
pects to invest some cash in Ginnie
Mae certificates. but doesn't have the cash yet - and it expects yields on the
certificates to decline next spring. So in September, when the certificates
are selling in the cash market at

 buy $\$ 2$ million worth of Gininie Maes
for $\$ 1.95$ million cash. Instead, the $\$ 3$
and L buys 20 futures contract $\$ \$ 2$ million principal amount) for
delivery next Mareh, for 9508
(meaning 95 and $8-32$ dollars) yielding delivery next March, for 9508
(meaning 95 and $8-32$ dollars) yielding
8.62 percent. The value of the con-
tracts is $\$ 1,905,000$, but the broker 8.62 percent. The value of the con
tracts is $\$ 1,905,000$, but the broker
requires a maggin deposit of ponly $\$ 20,000$.
In December, Midastouch uses its
. expected mortg
low to buy $\$ 2$ million worth of cer-
fificates. But ificates. But now the price is $\$ 99.50$
and the yield is down to 8.023 percent.
no the so the $S$ and $L$ pays $\$ 1,999,000$ o ash
$\$ 40,000$ more than the price in Sep But Midastouch sells its 20 March
(utures futures contracts at a price of $97-29$,
total of $\$ 1,955,125$, for a gros profit o
$\$ 53,125$ on the futures market. After paying com missions of $\$ 1,200$ and
subtraet the $\$ 40,000$ loss on the cash
market transactions, the $S$ and $L$ still market transactions, the
comes out $\$ 11,925$ ahead The same Journal article, however
recounted another example abou Misfortune Federal Savings which
misjudged a $\$ 2$ million deal and lost ${ }_{\substack{\text { sen } \\ \text { Over the } \\ \text { Over past eight to } \\ 10 \\ \text { month }}}$ Over the past eight to 10 months
Davia said, dealers in the cas
narket for Ginnie Mae certificates market for Ginnie Mae
have started to use futures market
and the commercial banks and the commercial banks also are
getting into the action Kespecially
since bond futures started trading since bond futures started trading.
Some bankers have been hedigng their Treasury bill portolios, ce
ificates of deposit. bankers a eptances or even Eurodollars held
European banks, he said. Several banks have received the
Comptroler of the Currency's consent to trade futures. Savings and
loans are allowed to hedge on the
investment of the money they expect oreceive from loan repaymens.
The most active markets have been
in the ginnie Maes and Treasury bills. in the ginnie Maes and Treasury bills, bonds. Coming in a poor fourth so fa are the commercial paper futures
which did not start trading until las "The contract specifications were
written from the standpoint of a
isuer of commercial paper." Davia ssuer of commercial paper." Davia
said. "That's rather a small sample of
the people who Che people who might use the
market.
nother reason cited for relatively slow start of commercial
paper futures is the "upside down"
way they are traded. Instead of bein paper futures is the "upside down"
way they are traded. Instead of ening
traded by price, the contract is quoted raded by price, the contract is quote
in terms of rising or falling interes.
rates. And the holder of a "long contract, who normallywould b hought of as buying the commod
is required instead to deliver commercial paper to the marke
when his contract is colosed out. the
short" contract holder, normall the
seller. is the one who delivers the seller. is the one who delivers the It's a bit easier to understand if you
think of this as buying and selling a
loan : the buyer pays a price or his
loan in terms of how much interest he oan in terms of how much intererest he
nust pay, and the seller who hands over the money is delivering the loan.
Still, Davaia said "this somewhaa
ore complex than typical com more complex than typical com
modity makents (and) my opinion is
that contract specifications should be kept as simple as
courage use of them.

## Diplomat asks to stay

The Washington Po WASHINGTON - Ethiopia Amresigned his position andefro has sough
permission to remain the Unted permission to remain in the United
Sates. according to sources in
Washing Washingtoc. The Immingration and
Naturalization Service is reportedly considering his application.
The amba ssador, who only came to The ambassador, who only came to
Wassington last fall, wast he etarget of
an assassination attempt in Addis an assassination attempt in Addis
Ababa latst September when his acr
was riddled with bullets. He escap unin ridded with bullets. He escaped
Ayalew decided to resign - when his government ordered him home for
consultations last month because
he feared for his life, the sources said. They emphasized that, unlike a
number of Ethiopian ambassadors
who resigned last year, Ayalew did
not differ with the ams of his
govennment. Thmey said he still not differ with the aims of his
governent. Thmey said he still
supports the ruling military som. supports the ruling military com-
mittee and has not sought political
asylum, which has political conasylum, which has poincal
notations.
Neither Ayalew hor Ethiopian
embassy officials were available for embassy officias
comment.
The ambassador had served as Ethipia's defense minister untid last
summer and had negotiated he
massive Soviet arms buildup for his massive Soviet arms buildup for his
country.
There were indications, however,
he fell out of favor with the Soviets,

## BIRTHS

MIDLAND MEMORLAL

## February 7, 1978 Mr. and Mrr. Tryetilynn Skipper Rt. 3. Box 1000, Sp. ©0, a boy.

Mr , Febiruary $\mathrm{E}, 197 \mathrm{~g}$
Mr. and Mrs. David Lynn Davis,
2003 Northtown. an. airl
Mr. and Mrs. Harlin Ray Rhades
who were successtul in persuading LL
Col. Mengist Haile Mariam, the
country's military leader, to remove him. Until Ayalew's arrival, Ethiopia Washington for more than two years During his tenure, he mounted
campaign to convince the Carte campaign to convince the Carter
Administration to caldd for the with-
drawal of Somali forces from the
Ogaden. Session held for ministers sidernin Memous minuer in ticipants in Ministers Week at
Southern Methodist University in
Dallas. Dallas.
The special week is held annually at
SMU's Perkins School of Theology and features lectures and sermoms
by outstanding theologians and preachers. The event draws ministers
from the eight-state South Centra
Jurisdiction of the Unted Church. Midand where Dr. Harold Crom pastor of St. Mark's United Methodis
Church, and Dr. Charles Letrick senior minister of First United
Methodist Church, as well as the Rev.
Bil Weir, associate minister at Bill Weir, associate minister at First
Chureh, and the Rev. Richard
Gilmer, minister-in-training at First
Church.

## 13 Loma Vista St, a boy. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Gerald Wasse Mr. and Mrs. Mark Gerald 111 South Moranst.a a girl. February $9,1978$. Mr. and Mrs. Vietor Jordan Mr, and Mrs. Jaime Dominguez Sanchet, 1119 Belmont, MeCamey,

## Lee, MHS girls meet head-on for 5-4A cage title



Arkansas eyes lofty top perch




## There'll be another

 Earl...won't there?


Bill Rogers reacts to missed birdie SPORTS IN BRIEF
Rogers leads by two Austin posts victory


Mayer caps week of net upsets

 prize in the St. Stouics classic for
fis firs
Tensis tour ervent thitemplonship
 MeMilan baged their third
striigh WCT
Tomele by thrashing
Toker of The Netherlands and Poland's Wotjeck Fibak 6-3,
6-2
SEATTLE - Top-seeded Mar-

Cuban boxers defeat U.S., 7-4
 nationalioximitcem, iev oy ino champion Teofilo Stevenson.
defeated the team from the United
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Ritger's finish beats Holamn


 Phil Mahre edges Sweden's Stenmark






 period, "She's the type of player that can come diferce in a game," Stevenson said of her ace in the hole "Some players
dont have that ability to make things
 the fun the faltst few days and played Win over Abilene But she still
managed thit
 Cox and ofticiais trom beth schools to
decie on one and palae tor the
special playoff. Coaches Young and 5-4A standings



## Chaps to host Western Texas

As much satisfaction as Midland the trail of the 11-4 Wranglers. MC

 Western Texas College when the
teams clash at 8 p.m. today in the MC gym. AND THE way the Chaparrals The Chaparrals, atter all, have played against oc, Coach Jerryarstone
beaten the Wranglers before, a feat feels the team is capable of doing ot if they can't boast of against the
testerners. That's something Westerners. That's something MC
hasn'tachieved in three seasons.
Earlier this sea son, WTC posted $90-83$ win over the Chaps.
Going into tonights Western Junior
College Conference game, WTC is $9-1$ West rips The Greek LOS ANGELES (AP) - Los
Angees Lakers. Coach Jerry West
denied repors Sunday night Wat he
suggested to Kareem Abull-J.bbar
that he consider quitting professional suggested to Kareem Abdul-Jabbar
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basketball West strongly crititized Las Vegas
oddmaker Jimmy The Greek
Snyder Ther Snyder, who said during a National
Basketball Association $\begin{aligned} & \text { telecast } \\ & \text { Sunday }\end{aligned}$
Sit Sunday afternoon that West toild
Abdul-Jabbar to either "play or quit." Following the Lakers' $116-103$ loss to
the Atlanta Hawk Sunday night West
refuted Snyder's refuted snyder's statement.
"He is a very laughable
West "He is a very laughable figure,"
West said of Snyder ir has no
business being on the air as part of the business being on the air as part of the
halitime feature.
"He has lowered the credibility of this league,", added West. "He runs
arouna around all the arenas trying to get
information. If he would bother to ask sources instead of relying on heresay,
it might give him some creditibility, it might give him some creditibility."
Snyder works for CBS-TV as part of its haltime team during the weekly
NBA telecasts in addition to his NBA telecasts in adidition to his
similar role tor the network during
the National Football League season.
$\qquad$ it can keep up the good work.
In the 0 w win . Midiand got a couple
of recordbreaking efforts. Freshman of recorddreaking efforts. Freshman
Henry White set a new MC record
with 21 consecutive free throws by with 21 consecutive free throws by
making his first effort at the llie
against the Wranglers betore missing his next. The conversion beat the
previous mark of 17 by Scott Stamp last season.
Sophomore Ricky Huagins, en.
joying a
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wipont with 20 rebound. That topeded the
previous hiqh of 17 shared by Jackson
Pace and Dan Vanderzee in 1975-76. In a a pre Dan vanderzee in $1975-77$.
In a preliminary to tonigh's game,
the MC Faculty meets the MC Kappia Kappa service club from 6:45 p.m. to
$7: 20 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.
will be risking a two-gme
winning streak, atter aiso beating MC will be risking a two-gane
Frink streak, atiter also beating
Western Texas the road last week. Western Texas beat Clarendon, s6
so, before being snowed out agains
Frank Phillips. Tickets

Don King fears Bobick fate for Leon Spinks

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| it's the damage that may be done to him mentally," said the promoter, arriving for Wednesday's heavyweight |  |
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| Pavilion here. <br> It could break his spirit. Might destroy his career. Look what haste and greed did to Duane Bobick.' |  |
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| BOBICK, a heavyweight "White Hope," came out of the 1972 Olympics with lofty promise and joined Joe Frazier's stable in Philadelphia. Last May he was sent against a veteran Ken Norton and was knocked out in |  |
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| kayoed in Johannesburg by a little known South African, Kallie Knoetze. <br> "All of us now are very concerned about what might be the future of Bobick," said King. "He had tremendous promise but his handlers, offered a big purse, shoved him into a match over his head. <br> "I have the greatest respect for |  |
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| It have the greatest respect for |  |
| assets. He is strong, aggressive with great potential. Normally he should be champion some day. But he is not ready for this one. What is a bad beating now going to do for him? |  |
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| expect a beating. I don't care how old Alf is, how much overweight or how bored he seems. He's is still a great fighter - maybe the greatest ever and he's got a fierce pride. He's not going to softpedal with his title at |  |
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College basketball standings

"Clean filters can save on heating bills, soIcheck mine once a month."
"At Texas Electric, where I work, our job is to provide you with the our job is to provide

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Buty you need. costs are making it more expensive to do.

I can tell just by looking at my electric bill.

One thing I do at home is to keep a checklist right on my heating/airconditioning unit. I have the months listed, and every time I clean the filter I check off that month - so I make I check off that month - so I make
sure I check it at least once a month. sure I check it at least once a mont
I couldn't remember it otherwise, and it's important.

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uses more energy." Company

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