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## NEWS IN BRIEF



Idi Amin

### Idi Amin threatens anti-America action

NAIROBI, Kenya (AP) — President Idi Amin said today that very soon he is going to make "a very drastic and serious decision on America or anyone connected with America" because of the U.S. ban on trade with Uganda over human rights violations.

There was no immediate indication what moves are planned by Amin, whose remarks were carried by Uganda Radio. But in February 1977, Amin barred all Americans from leaving Uganda for several days following President Carter's criticism of "horrible murders" in the country.

### Vance, delivers Carter's best wishes

CLEVELAND (AP) — Secretary of State Cyrus Vance said he didn't discuss the Camp David accord between Egypt and Israel with condescending Saudi Arabia's King Khaled, but did talk about the cease-fire in Lebanon with the Saudi defense minister, Prince Sultan.

Vance, who spent about two hours here Wednesday before flying back to Washington, said he brought only "the president's best wishes" to the ailing monarch.

### VA agrees to act on Agent Orange

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Veterans Administration says it will provide medical treatment for any Vietnam War veteran who says he's suffering ill effects from the herbicide Agent Orange.

VA officials said Wednesday the government has begun a broad research program to learn whether veterans might suffer long-term health effects from the herbicide, used to defoliate Vietnamese jungle areas that sheltered enemy troops.

### U.S. OKs Russian grain deal increase

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States, anxious to sell off huge supplies of wheat and corn, has given the Soviet Union approval to increase its American grain purchases.

However, the Soviets gave no immediate indication Wednesday whether they planned any grain buys above the minimum they are required to make under a purchase agreement now in its third year.

### Austrian newsman expelled by Russia

MOSCOW (AP) — Erhard Hutter, the only Austrian correspondent in the Soviet Union, left for Vienna today after Soviet authorities withdrew his visa in a move that amounted to expulsion, an Austrian diplomat said.

The 41-year-old newsman, who reported for Austrian radio and television in Moscow for almost seven years, will join his Russian wife, who went to Vienna last week.

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Celebrating National School Lunch Day, students at Midland's Sam Houston Elementary School Wednesday select from what was billed as a "universal menu." Throughout the country, school

children consumed fried chicken, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, hot rolls, oatmeal cookies and milk. (Staff Photo)

## Janeway predicts fiscal disaster

By ED TODD  
R-T Staff Writer

The nation is in an economic, inflationary "mess,"

The world is on the verge of a depression that would make the Great Depression of 1929 look like a "prosperous lawn party."

U.S. Sen. Edward Kennedy of Massachusetts and former Texas Gov. John Connally likely will be the presidential candidates battling for the White House in 1980. President Jimmy Carter is out.

"And anyone can make a difference" in the state of the nation by writing his congressman in Washington, D.C., but this must be done by "lots" of people.

Such were the comments and forecasts of controversial New York political economist Eliot Janeway. He was in Midland Wednesday to talk economics and politics with city businessmen.

Janeway, 65, deems himself a "policy engineer."

He has been a financial adviser to presidents, senators, congressmen and industrial leaders for more than 40 years. Janeway said he has advised "all of them (presidents) from Hoover on, and that includes Khrushchev."

"This country cannot have any troubles bothering it that are not self-inflicted," said Janeway, who warned of the economic takeover of the United States by the more economically aggressive foreign powers.

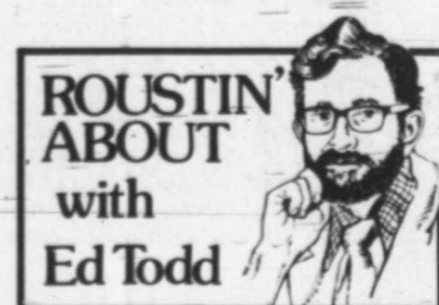
Janeway, addressing a full house in

the Midland Hilton ballroom, said "the world is waiting for some signal that we have snapped out of our fit of amnesia."

"Our problem is not a problem of

*Janeway described the dollar as "a hydrant at an international convention of dogs."*

policy. Our problem is one of stance,"



The jack rabbit is not a rabbit but a hare.

The hare is not a rabbit. The rabbit is not a hare.

And the hare is not always a jack rabbit.

That may seem like something Monty Python might drum up out of the London fog on an uneventful day.

Perhaps it's like saying a mule is neither a mare nor a jackass, although the "beast of burden" sprang from the mating of the two.

More of the same: Mate a stallion

with a jenny, and the offspring will be a henny. But the hybrid henny is not a mule; it's a whinny henny and, unlike the braying mule, the henny is not the "workhorse" the mule is.

All of the foregoing may seem to be verbal hopscotch. But life sometimes drifts toward the absurd, and that's all right.

Back to the bunnies. Rabbits hop about, make game for junior trying out his new shotgun, munch and nibble at their wild plate of vegetables, grain, leaves, twigs, bark and weeds without always finishing it, and turn out to be fair game for preying coyotes, eagles, hawks, dogs, jackals, snakes and man.

The hare thumps and bounds in quicker leaps than the kangaroo, skeddaddles like a scared eat and has been put into American literature in Lewis Carroll's "Alice's Adventures in Wonderland."

Maybe Joel Chandler's Brer Rabbit

was a cottontail, and if so, the cute bunny won't feel neglected or slighted in literature.

Now, if you so happen to be interested in rabbits, you can catch a field of 'em caged up down at Crane this Friday and Saturday. They'll be on public display in a Crane County open 4-H Show.

And if you want to raise a stink, you might throw around the words "hare" and "rodent" and get some feedback. Rabbit fanciers know their furry ones aren't kin to rats, squirrels, beavers and the like. They have a different way of gnawing.

The exhibit may be worth seeing, though it may not be as wild as a pig or goat show — unless the bunnies get loose.

Harry Campbell, a youth specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Fort Stockton, and Fred Wilkinson, Crane County's agricultural agent, are advisers to the

## Big tax cut fight looms

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter is making a last-minute plea to Congress to hold down the size of next year's tax cut, as Republicans launch a final attempt to assure additional cuts in 1980 and beyond.

Carter arranged a meeting today with Sen. Russell B. Long and Rep. Al Ullman to spell out how their Senate-House conference committee could tailor the tax bill more to his liking.

Meanwhile, Republicans were asking the House to instruct its members on the conference committee to endorse a Senate provision that would reduce taxes in 1980 through 1983 by an extra \$164.5 billion if the growth of government spending is limited.

When the House was debating next year's budget on Aug. 16, a similar proposal failed by only five votes.

Now, with the congressional elections less than four weeks away, outnumbered Republicans are hoping to gain enough strength from Democrats to ensure that the Senate measure — with its combination of tax cuts, spending cuts and promise of a balanced budget — will be retained by the conference committee.

Carter, viewing an economy struggling against inflation and unemployment, is said to oppose any action that would lock in tax cuts beyond 1979.

Carter also says he thinks the Senate's proposed \$29.3 billion tax cut for 1979 is too big. All of the tax cuts contained in the bill for 1979 would

come into play on individual income tax returns filed in early 1980.

Carter says both the Senate measure and the \$16.3 billion version passed by the House are much too generous to the high-income investors who would benefit most from a big cut in capital gains taxes.

Republicans, who pressed hardest for a bigger tax cut and more for investors, have a different idea.

Their favorite tax-cut plan, the Kemp-Roth proposal for a one-third cut in individual tax rates over a three-year period, was rejected by the House and Senate.

Now they are claiming as their own the Senate amendment, sponsored by a bipartisan coalition headed by Democrat Sam Nunn of Georgia, which would allow multi-year tax cuts if, and only if, Congress can sharply reduce the growth of federal spending.

"The Senate has adopted the essential elements of Republican tax policy," Senate Republican Leader Howard Baker said at a news conference Wednesday.

Opponents of the Nunn proposal say it would tie the hands of Congress and make it more difficult to stimulate the economy in times of recession and slow it down when inflation threatens.

When coupled with the Senate-

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## Chief witness to take stand

HOUSTON (AP) — David McCrory, the chief witness for the prosecution in the kill-for-hire trial of Fort Worth millionaire Cullen Davis, is expected to be called to the stand today in the pretrial hearings before State District Judge Wallace Moore.

The defense attorneys have spent three days going through a few of some 90 motions, and McCrory is to be one of their witnesses in an effort to release more evidence prepared by prosecutors and to suppress other testimony.

Judge Moore told The Associated Press that he is no fortune teller and had no idea how many witnesses would be called to the stand but, "In my opinion now, I don't think the case can start Monday."

Moore had set Oct. 16 as the tentative date for the beginning of the trial.

"There is really no way of knowing now," the judge said, "but it doesn't look like a trial starting Monday."

The defense Wednesday continued to crack the credibility of tape recordings allegedly linking Davis to a plot to kill Fort Worth Judge Joe Eidson. The judge had presided during the long and bitter divorce proceedings of Davis and his estranged wife Priscilla. Eidson recently removed himself as the trial judge.

Moore already has ruled that the tapes may be admitted to evidence when the trial begins.

Chief defense attorney Richard "Racehorse" Haynes has insisted "there has been an ongoing effort to make some sort of case against Cullen Davis ever since he returned from

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## Nikita: 'Left no one indifferent'

By NIKKI FINKE

MOSCOW (AP) — Some Russians still place small bunches of flowers on his grave, but time has not been kind to Nikita S. Khrushchev, deposed by colleagues in the Communist Party 14 years ago this weekend.

Visitors to the grave in a corner of Novodevichy Cemetery are quick to move on, almost embarrassed to be seen at the gravesite of the former premier and party chief, whose memory has been tarnished and left bereft of all official tribute.

"The only thing I can say is that he left no one indifferent," Khrushchev's computer-engineer son, Sergei, said at his father's simple funeral in 1971. "There are people who love him, and people who hate him, but no one can pass him by without turning to look."

Khrushchev's widow, Nira Patrova, now 78, lives on a small pension in a villa outside of Moscow. Their daughter, Rada, is still deputy editor-in-chief of the magazine Science and Life, the job she held when the other leaders of the party met secretly in Moscow on Oct. 14, 1964, to purge her father while he was vacationing on the Black Sea.

Khrushchev had been first secretary of the party since 1953 and premier since 1958. Leonid I. Brezhnev succeeded him as party chief and now has been in power three years longer than his predecessor lasted. The purged leader died in peaceful obscurity seven years ago at the age of 77.

Khrushchev's de-Stalinization program three years after the death of Josef Stalin in 1953 deserves remembrance from the historians, Soviet intellectuals say.

He dismantled Stalin's regime of terror, which took an estimated 80 million lives through executions, concentration camps and famine resulting from botched agricultural planning. At a party congress in 1956 he denounced the old dictator and his despotism, and de-Stalinization spread to the rest of the Soviet Bloc.

"For that alone, the country should forgive him," one intellectual said.

But many Russians are slow to remember Khrushchev's achievements and quick to recall his failures.

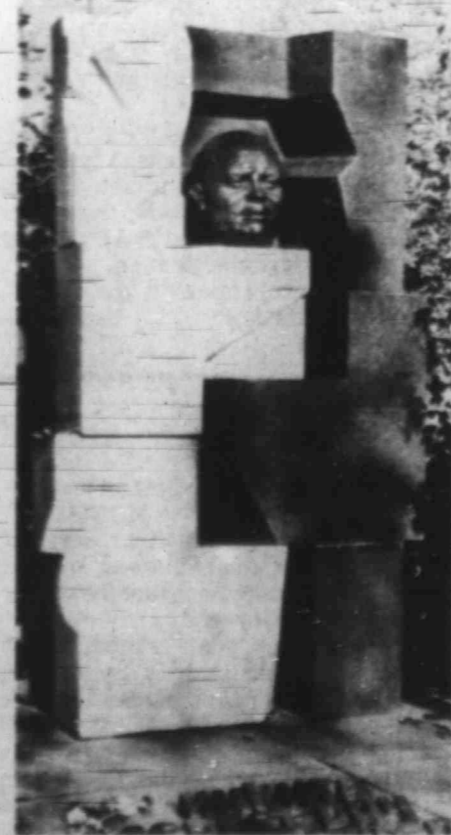
"Khrushchev?" replied one woman when asked her feelings toward him. "That was the guy who wanted to plant corn everywhere, and then everything went to hell."

Most persons interviewed recalled him with a certain air of contempt, a man full of "hare-brained schemes" that never worked out.

Agriculture was his main domestic concern, and his campaigns to force farmers into unprofitable corn growing were bitterly resented. When he moved in, Brezhnev put the emphasis back on wheat and other traditional grain crops.

Some Russians recall the day Khrushchev disrupted the U.N. Gen-

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Khrushchev's tomb



# Flier battles 'drug user' label

SAN DIEGO (AP) — The Pentagon says Navy flier Peter Chmelir is a drug user and wants him out of the service. But Chmelir says he accidentally absorbed the drug called "angel dust" through his skin.

The 27-year-old lieutenant said he found his luggage and the clothing inside contaminated with the drug PCP after a commercial flight June 9 from San Diego to Pensacola, Fla.

PCP is a powerful animal tranquilizer known chemically as phencyclidine and by the slang term

"angel dust."

Chmelir insists he doesn't use drugs and has no history of drug abuse. And he says he spent two months languishing in Navy hospitals this summer wondering if he was going mad. When not in a violent rage, hammering his fists against the wall, he would sit drooling, eyelids closed, watching dazzling abstract visions flash before his eyes, he said.

"I was violent," said Chmelir. "That's highly typical of that kind of intoxication."

Chmelir said he gave little thought to the water-like liquid he found spilled on his bags until he opened them and found the substance had seeped inside and contaminated his clothes.

He put the bag outside his room because of the smell and laundered his clothes twice, but two days later became ill.

Medical personnel at Pensacola performed blood tests on Chmelir, but he says no tests were done on the clothes. He said blood tests, which did not include drug screening, proved inconclusive.

He later was transferred to Oak Knoll Naval Hospital in Oakland, Calif., for long-term psychiatric treatment.

Drug tests were performed there and PCP was found in Chmelir's system. He was stamped a drug abuser and the Navy moved to oust him.

But a number of drug researchers and scientists believe he may have absorbed PCP through his skin from the clothing. If so, it would be the first reported case where the drug has entered the system through the skin, drug experts say.

"It's plausible," said Steven Lerner, an expert on PCP and its effects. "It's highly unusual, but if you're in an enclosed environment with PCP you can become intoxicated."

George Ellis of Miramar Naval Air Station's drug rehabilitation center at San Diego said it was possible for the drug to have entered Chmelir's body either through the skin, or more likely, through his mouth while eating.

Chmelir had his suitcase and clothes analyzed by outside researchers who found both the zipper liner and clothes contaminated with PCP and a substance used in manufacturing the drug.

Although he has lost one round in appealing his discharge from the service, he still has three more appeals.

His superior, Rear Adm. F.G. Fellowes of Miramar, declined comment other than to say Chmelir will have a chance to tell his side of the story at a hearing.

# Statewide 'news blackout' in effect on prison strike

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) — A statewide news blackout shrouds the Texas prison system today, leaving outsiders wondering about the status of a week-long hunger and work strike that has involved hundreds of inmates and triggered at least one shooting incident since last Thursday.

The no-news edict was issued Wednesday by Texas Department of Corrections Director W.J. Estelle as news agencies attempted to update their accounts.

Tuesday night the episode rang a tense note as prison officials put all but eight striking prisoners in their cells, some forcibly.

Prison spokesman Ron Taylor said officials had decided the protest had reached a "limit" after it reportedly spread to include half a dozen units of the prison system Tuesday.

Taylor said there had been no incidents of violence, but conceded that "some reasonable force" was used to return prisoners to their cells at the Coffield Unit near Palestine.

Late Tuesday night, Taylor said the strike was over "for today."

However, when reporters attempted to learn if the protest had resumed Wednesday morning, they were told Estelle had clamped a blackout on all information releases from the system.

Taylor read a prepared statement he said was "authorized" by Estelle, who for the most part has declined comment on the continuing strike.

Reading from the statement, Taylor said inmate

actions have been "substantially diminished" over the past several days.

"While there remain problems and potential for problems, the situation appears to be easing and significantly improved. Throughout this time, the department has attempted to show its concern for the public right to know by actively responding to press inquiries," the statement said.

"However, it is the department's feeling that our primary responsibility to insure institutional order and the safety of inmates and staff has not been aided by our willingness to respond in detail to the various inquiries that have been made.

"Therefore the department will make no further statements regarding attempts by inmates to disrupt the programs and activities of the institutions until such time that those actions have been curtailed."

The striking prisoners say they are seeking publicity for a class action inmate suit being heard in Houston. That suit generally charges the TDC with inhumane treatment of prisoners.



Young children peer through the bars with other Laotian refugees as they wait in Nong Khai Province jail Wednesday as part of the Thailand lockup for processing of refugees. Laotians who flee their Communist-controlled homeland are sent to camps for processing and often are locked up for as much as two weeks. Thailand now plays host to more than 100,000 Indochinese refugees. (AP Laserphoto)

# Papal mourning period ends today

VATICAN CITY (AP) — The official mourning period for Pope John Paul I ends today as preparations for the election of his successor neared completion.

"Mourning time is over Thursday. The diocese of Rome, in communion with the whole Catholic Church, turns joyfully to waiting for its new bishop and pastor," Cardinal Ugo Poletti, the papal vicar for Rome, said.

Poletti ordered daily prayers for the cardinal electors and for the man who is to become the 264th pope "so that God, overcoming human weakness, may give him confidence and strength."

The Vatican Radio reported that workmen had virtually completed preparations for the lock-up area where the cardinals will retreat in seclusion Saturday evening. Voting begins Sunday.

A total of 112 bedrooms were prepared, ranging from spacious frescoed sections of the Vatican museums to narrow and barren rooms in the attic of the Apostolic Palace.

There are 112 cardinals eligible to vote in the conclave, but Boleslaw Filipiak of Poland announced that he was still confined to the hospital and could not attend. Illness also kept him away from the conclave that elected John Paul on Aug. 26.

Another ailing absentee from the August conclave, Cardinal John J. Wright of the United States, is present for this one.

After hearing a report at their daily meeting Wednesday, the cardinals issued a statement saying that "services had been noticeably improved in order to make the stay of the cardinals in the conclave less uncomfortable." No specifics were given.

The cardinals rejected a request from the press corps to inform the press room by telephone when the new pope is elected rather than leaving the journalists dependent on the often-confusing smoke signals from the stove in which the ballots are burned.

# Bombs explode in train in outskirts of Belfast

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (AP) — A series of bombs ripped through a Dublin-to-Belfast passenger train this morning on the outskirts of Belfast, killing one person and seriously injuring three others, police said.

The train, carrying about 132 passengers including Lord Killanin, president of the International Olympic Committee, was approaching Botanic Station about two miles from the center of Belfast when the first of three bombs went off, damaging four of the seven passenger coaches, police said.

Lord Killanin, 64, who lives in Dublin, was on his way to Belfast to attend a bank directors' meeting. He was not injured.

"There was panic when the first bomb went off," said George Brown, a passenger. "People attempted to jump out and the train careened 300 yards past the station."

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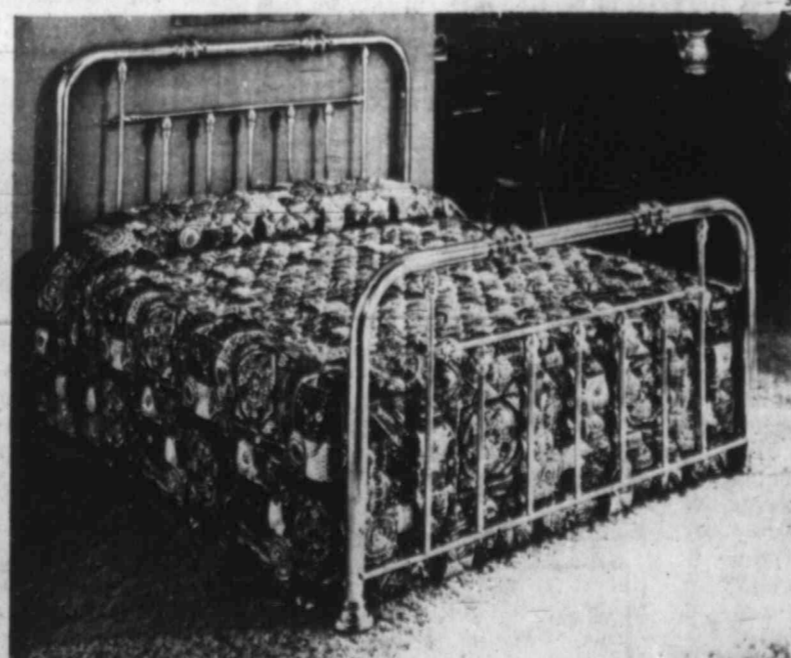
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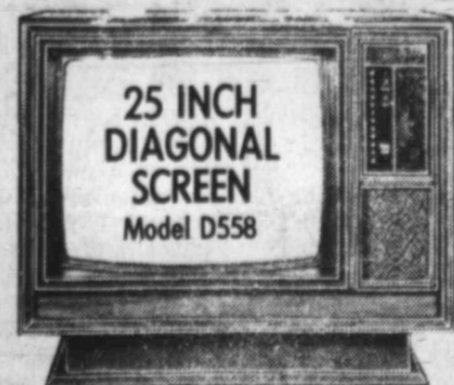
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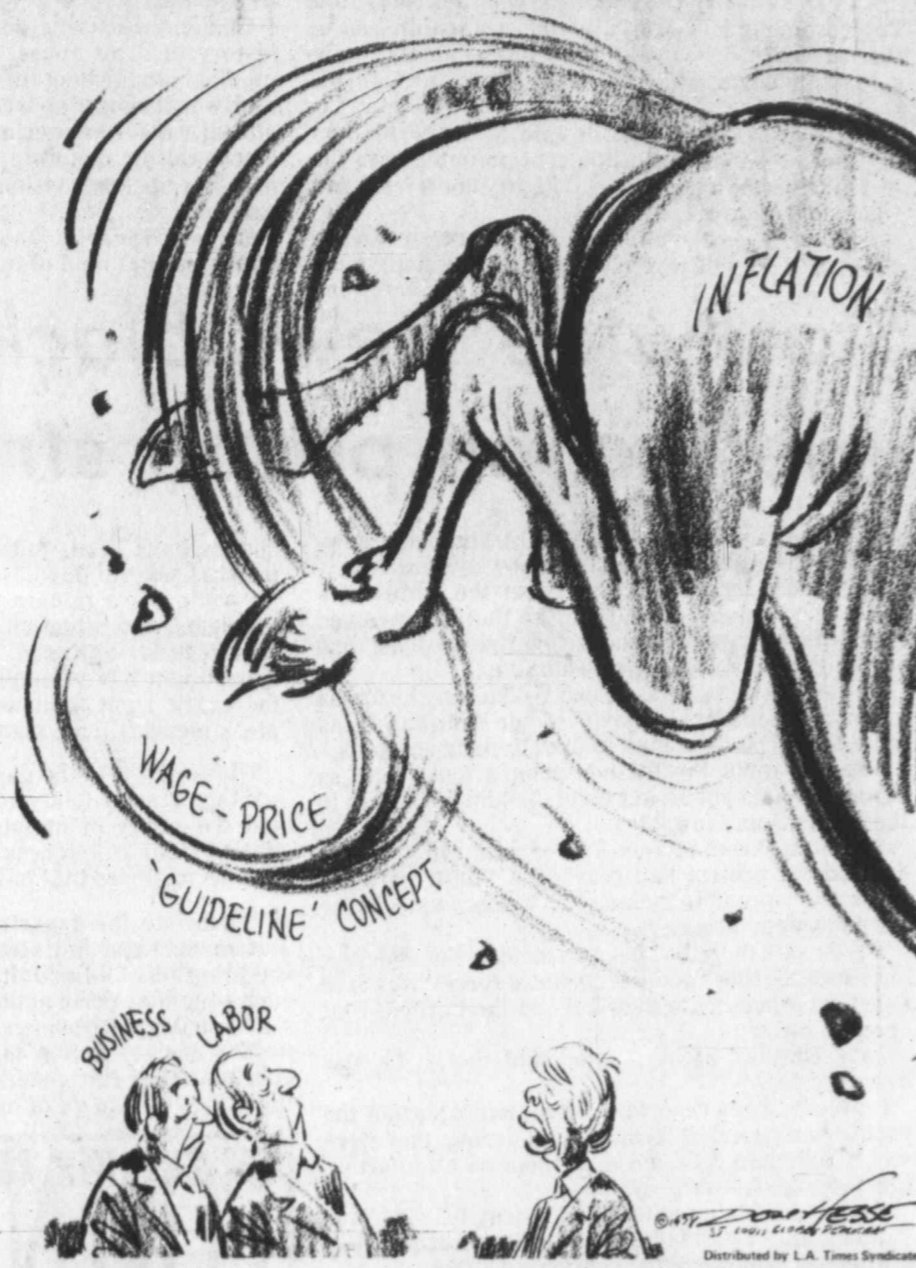
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'ALL WE HAFTA DO IS GRAB HIS TAIL...'



ART BUCHWALD

## Jingle bells, jingle bells and Christmas tree bills

WASHINGTON — You've probably heard of a Christmas tree bill but you are not sure exactly what it is. This is how it works.

Traditionally, Congress celebrates Christmas two months before the rest of the country, by passing out presents to its constituents in the closing weeks of its fall session. This is a time when everyone is anxious to get home, and no one is paying too much attention to what someone wants to add on to a bill. The wiser senators and congressmen always wait until the last minute before they add their own decorations, hoping no one will challenge them in debate.

Let us say Cong. Goodfeeling proposes a bill to make Columbus an honorary citizen of this country because he discovered America.

Cong. Glucose rises to his feet and says, "I am in full agreement with this bill which honors one of the greatest men in history, and I wish to propose just an amendment. To show our appreciation for everything Columbus has done, we vote \$6 billion for the building of a new nuclear aircraft carrier to be called the 'Santa Maria.'"

Cong. Hogtippie says, "I will accept the amendment, but it seems to me that we could do this explorer greater honor if we lowered the present capital gains tax to 25 percent, so business will have an incentive to invest in this great continent that Columbus opened up to Western civilization."



Art Buchwald

"Are you proposing this in the form of amendment?"

"I am."  
"Mr. Speaker," a congressman from Texas says, "when we speak of Columbus, we must not forget some other great explorers. I am talking of the men who drill for oil and gas and who are risking their lives and fortunes to find new sources of energy. I would like to add an amendment to the Columbus bill, taking all restrictions off the price of crude oil and gas, so that our modern-day explorers can make this country the great industrial empire Columbus dreamed it would someday be."

"Are there any other amendments?"

"Mr. Speaker, as you know I come from the state of Ohio. Our capital is named after this great man. The Ohio State football team plays all its home games there. I would like to offer my own amendment in keeping with the spirit of this excellent bill. My amendment calls for immediate tariffs on imported steel, as well as automobiles and soybeans. We cannot compete in the marketplace when Europe and Japan are constantly underpricing our product. If Columbus were alive he would be the first to criticize this unfair competition."

"Are there any seconds?"

"I second the motion, Mr. Speaker, and wish to add an amendment of my own. The EPA has just ruled that the Spangle Hanger Co., which is in my district, must either clean up the pollution in the Spangle River or close down. My amendment asks that the Spangle Hanger Co. be given an extension of 20 years to comply with this order."

"What has this got to do with Columbus?"

"If the Spangle Hanger Co. has to shut down 34 Italian-Americans will lose their jobs."

"That puts a different light on things. It's getting late. Are there any more amendments?"

"Mr. Speaker, I have one. My amendment would raise the pensions of all congressmen and senators by \$10,000 a year or the cost of Columbus' trip to America, whichever is greater."

"All those in favor says 'Aye.'"

"AYE."

"All those against?"

(Silence)

"The 'Ayes' have it. Making Columbus a citizen is one bill that even the President wouldn't dare veto."

### THE BIBLE

#### CAN YOU QUOTE IT?

BY LAVINA ROSS FOWLER AND ELIZABETH ROSS WIERSEMA

1. The republic of Israel was founded in 1948 and covered 7,993 square miles. When did the name "Israel" come into existence? Genesis 32
  2. Why do many believe the second coming of the Lord will be from out of the east? Matthew 24:27
  3. Why is the great exodus from Egypt considered to be a time of proving? Deuteronomy 8
  4. Why did Paul defend himself by speaking in Hebrew at Jerusalem? Acts 21:37-40
  5. Where did the expression "feet of clay" come from? Daniel 2:32-35
- Four correct...excellent. Three correct...good.

### The Country Parson

by Frank Clark



"Of course folks live longer these days — dying costs more than they are willing to pay."

### BIBLE VERSE

Scornful men bring a city into a snare; but wise men turn away wrath. — Pro. 29:8.

## A game of 'I Spy'

Seventeen years after American spy satellites began photographing Soviet military installations, President Carter, in his speech at Cape Canaveral, became the first president to acknowledge the fact formally. This ostentatious admission that has long been an open secret begs an explanation.

Mr. Carter could not simply have been seeking to put the Russians on their best behavior. The satellite spy business is a two-way street and the Soviet satellite program surely gives the Russians a good idea of our capabilities.

Nor could the president's revelation have had much impact in the Senate, where knowledge of the importance of satellite reconnaissance is long established.

The most reasonable explanation, therefore, is that President Carter sought to allay public doubts about the wisdom of a new strategic arms limitation agreement by suggesting that satellite photography would keep the Russians honest.

To be sure, satellite reconnaissance is essential to the SALT verification process. Without it, strategic arms limitation agreements with the Russians would be impossible.

But as Mr. Carter undoubtedly knows, spy satellites have inherent limitations. Their photographs cannot reveal a missile's range or how many separate nuclear warheads are packed into its nose. They cannot directly determine the accuracy of a missile. They can probably be fooled by sophisticated camouflage and they certainly cannot peek inside Soviet laboratories and missile factories

to determine that weapons prohibited by a SALT treaty are not in fact under development.

It's apparent then that the next SALT agreement must rest as much on shared Soviet-American objectives of mutual security as on unilateral verification techniques.

What worries many Americans is a growing fear that mutual security may be a goal honored only in Washington. Six years after ratification of the first SALT agreements, the Soviets seem no less determined to forge ahead with military programs that would give them strategic superiority. They also seem to believe that a nuclear war might some day be waged — and won — by the Soviet Union.

By contrast, the United States has long since renounced in word and deed any effort to obtain superiority in arms over the Soviets. And Washington's nuclear strategy remains rooted in deterrence with little thought to survivability if deterrence fails.

The point is this: as vital as will be the debate over this country's ability to verify Soviet compliance with terms of a new SALT treaty, its prospects for ratification will likely depend as well on a more general assessment of the Soviet Union's ultimate political and military goals. Many Americans already suspect, not without reason, that a country determined to cheat on treaty limits might do so despite satellite photography.

In persuading the American people that a SALT II treaty is in their best interests, President Carter will have to do more than publicly acknowledge that American satellites take photographs of Russian missiles.



### WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

## Mafia aides use pension funds

BY JACK ANDERSON

WASHINGTON — To the Machiavellian bosses of the underworld, the valued currency is not money, but power; the price of failure is not bankruptcy, but death.

However, the supposedly legitimate businessmen who front for the Mob are cut from a different piece of cloth. It's the bait of easy money and high living that lures them into the fringes of the Mafia. That is as far as they go; they never reach the inner circle of ultimate gangland power.

Nevertheless, the respectable front men pose as serious a threat to society as the hoodlums they represent. They loot public corporations, endanger the actuarial soundness of the union pension funds they borrow from, and evade millions of dollars in taxes.

A team of federal investigators in Las Vegas is now trying to prove that Allen Glick, a real estate and casino tycoon, is just such a front man for Anthony "Tony the Ant" Spilotro, the most feared gangster in Glitter City. Overnight, Glick created a casino and hotel empire on the strength of loans from the Teamsters Union Central States Pension Fund in Chicago.

Glick's activities as head of the Argent Corporation, which operates the Stardust and Fremont hotels-casinos, have come under scrutiny by the Securities and Exchange Commission. The SEC charged in a complaint that Glick, using fictitious

names, forced Argent to grant him \$317,500 in inside loans, which he used to pay off personal debts, to remodel his home and to maintain his luxurious life-style.

But a federal judge refused to grant the SEC lawyers an injunction to curtail these transactions. He ruled that Glick posed only a potential, not an actual, threat to Argent's financial health.

Although Argent defaulted on a pension fund loan and lost \$10,652,000 between 1974 and 1976, the corporation is now doing well. SEC sources told us the casino-hotels are profitable enough now to withstand Glick's alleged shenanigans.

Glick clearly owes his phenomenal success to the Teamsters' pension fund. He once, for example, received a \$62.7 million loan from the Central States Pension Fund within nine days of his application — without even submitting a personal financial statement.

The Justice Department has spent vast amounts of money and manpower investigating Glick. At one point, according to secret intelligence reports, they thought they had hit pay dirt: Tamara Rand, an aide to Glick and a reputed courier for the Mob, had a falling-out with her boss and was threatening to tell federal agents everything she knew. But she was executed, gangland-style, before she could talk. The G-men are still investigating her murder.

Glick is only one of several entrepreneurs who have had easy access to the Central States Pension Fund. Another of the lucky ones is Hyman Green, a land developer and investor who divides his time between Florida and New York. He maintained a mysterious relationship with former Teamsters boss Jimmy Hoffa, who allegedly was cut into some of Green's business deals.

Since 1960, Green has been allowed to borrow more than \$40 million from the pension fund, despite a default record that would discourage a loan shark.

He started with a \$4 million loan to invest in Honeymoon Island, in the Gulf of Mexico off Dunedin, Fla. A year after the loan was approved, Green's firm received an angry letter from the pension fund. "The Pension Fund has repeatedly requested... that you furnish the Fund detailed income and expense statements of Honeymoon Isle Development Corp.," the letter said. "This corporation has been in business since June of 1960, and yet you have continued to advise us that no statements have been prepared."

Green evidently cleared up his complaint, because the pension fund lent him an additional \$6 million to develop the island. He missed his payments, the loan went into default and Green decided to unload the property on the state of Florida.

The state initially agreed to pay \$75,000 an acre, but the deal was held up while a federal grand jury investigated allegations that a scheme was in the works to offer a \$1 million bribe to a state official in connection with the sale. No one was either charged or exonerated. But when negotiations resumed, the state lowered the price to \$64,000 per acre. Recently, the state discovered that Green had exaggerated the acreage of Honeymoon Island, and the original sale price of \$25.5 million was cut to \$23.7 million.

Green was also involved in another loser that was financed by the pension fund. The Beverly Ridge Estates Corp. received more than \$10 million from the fund to develop a residential and golf course complex in Beverly Hills, Calif. Again there were allegations that key officials took payoffs for their approval. The corporation eventually defaulted on the loan.

When his favorite source of cash, the Central States Pension Fund, dried up in the heat of federal action, Green turned to Teamsters Union Local 282 in New York. The local's pension fund recently okayed a \$20 million loan to finance construction of a hotel and casino in Las Vegas.

But this time there'll be no default. The Labor Department, with the help of the Professional Drivers Council, a dissident Teamsters group, sued to block the loan, and won.

## Stuffing, indeed

The potato growers of the nation are beginning to fight back. They're angry over those television commercials of husbands choosing stuffing over mashed potatoes.

Currently the potato board is running an advertisement that states potatoes have a third the daily vitamin C requirement for adults and that stuffing has none.

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Fed up to the ears with the scene, The National Potato Promotion Board has decided to launch a counterattack.

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### NICK THIMMESCH

## Black juries can be as sophisticated as any other

WASHINGTON — During the most acrimonious sessions of the Watergate trials, some defenders of the Nixon gang complained that the accused whites couldn't get a fair hearing from the predominantly black juries because of Nixon's unpopularity with citizens of that hue.

In a word, black jurors could not be trusted to make dispassionate judgments if there was any racial aspect in the case. A fair number of people in this town have made the same cynical observation over the years, and some courtroom lawyers have indulged in racial grandstanding.

But now both the complaint and the observation have lost considerable water. It was a predominantly black jury, hearing testimony for black witnesses, which found the Republic's senior black Congressman, Charles C. Diggs Jr., guilty of 29 counts of mail fraud and criminally diverting salary money of his congressional employees to pay his own bills.

Diggs' lawyers and outside-the-courtroom defenders certainly tried to go the racial route. Outside the courtroom, various black "leaders" were heard to say, what a shame for all blacks if Diggs, founder of the Black Caucus and Chairman of the House District Committee and the Subcommittee on Africa, goes down the tube. Inside, Diggs' lawyers produced black luminaries (Andrew Young, Coretta Scott King, Detroit Mayor Coleman Young, D.C. Delegate Walter Fauntroy and the Rev. Jesse Jackson) to testify to the high integrity and honesty of the accused.

But the 11 black jurors (there was one white) wouldn't buy it. "He was playing on people's sympathy, bringing in black leaders," Luvenia M. Williams, a black juror told the Washington Star's Gloria Borger. "During



Nick Timmesch

the trial there was always an emphasis on his being black. They didn't have to make it so obvious. It irritated me."

The jury foreman, a black, said this of Andy Young & Co.: "Even though they were famous black Americans, they simply were character witnesses and knew nothing of the issues in the case... If Diggs had done wrong, they would be the last to know... I made my decision based on the weight of evidence. I didn't consider whether I was harming a black leader."

The single question in the case was, as the prosecutor argued, did Diggs devise a scheme to defraud the United States? He evidently did. Three black congressional employees of Diggs testified that he inflated their salaries so that they could pay his personal bills and some congressional expenses.

Another witness, black, testified she was put on Diggs' payroll with the understanding that she would spend about 80 percent of her time trying to collect bills owed Diggs' funeral home. Then there was George Johnson, also black, a Detroit accountant, who testified that Diggs repaid money he owed Johnson by putting him on a congressional payroll, and not requiring him to work for it.

The explanation for all this payroll hanky-panky was that Diggs was ho-

pelessly in debt, although income tax returns showed that he and his wife had an average annual income of \$70,000 in recent years. The jurors hardly felt sympathy after hearing that.

"A man you can trust," Andy Young said of Diggs. "A man of dedication," declared Coretta Scott King. "We were boys together," proclaimed Mayor Young, who described his chum as a man of his word. Rev. Jackson upped it — he trusted Diggs "absolutely." Ditto from Fauntroy.

Diggs' lawyer was David Povich, a disciple in the House of Edward Bennett Williams, who has played this luminary-witness game before. In 1957 the feds thought they had Jimmy Hoffa cold in a bribery case and that he was headed for the slammer. Williams was Hoffa's lawyer. Who walks in the courtroom here to warmly greet Hoffa, in full sight of the predominantly black jury? Why it was Joe Louis, beloved and revered. That stunt and some points of law got Hoffa off. The late Robert Kennedy gnashed his teeth in anguish.

In 1975, John Connally was being tried here on a variety of charges stemming from contributions to the milk industry made to the Nixon campaign. Again, the jury was predominantly black, and Williams was Connally's lawyer. Williams trotted out all manner of star character witnesses for Connally, including at least two who could make a black person's heart go pitty-pat — Lady Bird Johnson, whose late husband stands as second only to Abraham Lincoln in Presidents who helped blacks in epic fashion, and Barbara Jordan, a first-rate congresswoman greatly admired by blacks. Connally was found not guilty.

In the Diggs case, Povich not only

displayed an all-star black cast, he also declared that there was something "selective" and "unholy" in the prosecution, a scantly veiled charge that Diggs was hit because he is black.

It's over now. Black juries can be as sophisticated as any other. As for Diggs, he says he'll surely be reelected in a district which hasn't sent a Republican to Congress in 50 years. Let it be so. He represents his district well.

The jury found him guilty of illegalities which other congressmen — white or black — probably could also be charged with. There ought to be a congressional investigation of how the lopsided Democratic majority in Congress abuses the entire congressional staff system.

A number of congressmen and Senators have taxpayer funded payrolls of over \$1 million a year, and some of this so-called work isn't performed at all, or is performed for the political purposes of the Democratic officeholder or the Democratic Party. But only an ass thinks the Democrats will investigate themselves.

### the small society



### by Brickman

# Three-martini tax deduction ban runs into hopeless odds

By DAVID ESPO

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter did battle this year against the three-martini lunch. He never had a chance. The Senate approved a bill Tuesday calling for about \$29.3 billion in income tax cuts for individuals and corporations, but making only minor changes in the tax deductions businessmen are allowed to take for entertainment. Businessmen can take associates or customers to lunch, dinner or the theater and claim a tax deduction for their company, claiming the event was a necessary and ordinary part of conducting business.

"I don't care how many martinis anyone has with his lunch," Carter declared at a news conference in Cranston, R.I., on Feb. 17, "but I am concerned about who picks up the check." "I don't think a relatively small minority has some sort of divine right to have expensive meals, free theater tickets, country club dues and sporting events tickets paid for by higher taxes on everybody else," the president said then. His tax proposals, sent to Congress in January, would have permitted a businessman to deduct only half the cost of a meal. They would have disallowed tax deductions for all entertainment ac-

ivities and facilities, items such as country club dues, cruises, visits to hunting lodges and tickets to baseball and football games. And instead of permitting a deduction for the entire cost of business-related air fare, it would have limited the break to the cost of regular air fare. The House Ways and Means Committee dismissed the proposals, along with other Carter administration-proposed "reforms," before sending the tax cut bill to the House floor, where the issue never came up. In the Senate, the Finance Committee voted to deny tax deductions in the future for entertainment facilities such as yachts, hunting lodges, fish-

ing camps and swimming pools. But it left untouched other provisions the administration objected to, including the meal deduction. When the measure reached the floor of the Senate, Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass., tried first to attach a provision that would eventually have ended a deduction for half of a business meal. That proposal was tabled, and thus killed, 49-9. Then, Kennedy tried a three-part proposal to deny deductions for sporting events and entertainment, limit the deduction for business meals to \$25 per person per meal and restrict deductions for travel to coach fare. The vote was 70-22 against him.

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**DEATHS**

**C.C. Perkins**

**BROWNFIELD** — Services for C.C. "Champ" Perkins, 61, of Plains, stepfather of Mrs. Bennie Green of Midland, were to be at 2:30 p.m. today in the First Baptist Church at Plains. The Rev. Jim Mosely, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Ackerly, was to officiate, with the Rev. Glenn Harlan, pastor of the Plains church, assisting.

Burial was to be in Terry County Memorial Cemetery directed by Brownfield Funeral Home.

Perkins died Tuesday in a Brownfield hospital after a sudden illness.

He was born in Stonewall County and moved to Terry County in 1938 from Lynn County. He was married to Opal Clannahan Jan. 14, 1956, in Lubbock. He moved to Yoakum County that year.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge here and the Scottish Rite. He was a deacon at the First Baptist Church at Plains. He was a World War II veteran.

Other survivors include his wife, a stepson, a stepdaughter, two brothers, five sisters, six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

**Mrs. E.B. Boone**

**BIG SPRING** — Mrs. E.B. (Era) Boone, 67, of Kingsland, formerly of Midland, died Wednesday afternoon in a Burnet hospital.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home with burial in Trinity Memorial Park here.

She was born Aug. 1, 1911, in Alba. She was married to E.B. Boone Jan. 20, 1935, in Bossier City, La. The couple had lived in Kingsland four years, moving there from Midland, where they lived from 1960 to 1974. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, E.B. Boone of Kingsland; two sons, Douglas L. Boone of Midland and Don W. Boone of Houston; a daughter, Mrs. Carrol (Cherie) Holtzclaw of Midland; a sister, Nila Richbourg of Kingsland; a brother, John Paul Woodson of Mesquite and three grandchildren.

**William McKay**

Graveside services for William McKay, 94, of Houston, a former Midland resident, were to be at 11 a.m. today with Dr. Ray Riddle of the First Presbyterian Church officiating.

Burial was to follow in Resthaven Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Newie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

McKay was born Nov. 19, 1883, in Youngstown, Ohio. He moved to Houston last November from Midland. He was a retired accountant for the Skelly Oil Co.

McKay lived in Tulsa, Okla., for 50 years before moving to San Antonio, where he lived for 12 years prior to moving to Midland.

Survivors include a son, Bill McKay of Houston; a daughter, Mrs. Don (Betty Jo) DeBerry of Midland; a brother, Lloyd McKay of Meadeville, Pa.; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

**B.B. Richards**

**SAN ANGELO** — Services for B.B. Richards, 60, of San Angelo, father of Mrs. Weldon Rosser of Midland, were to be at 11:30 a.m. today in Johnson's Funeral Home here with the Rev. Neal Brillhart, pastor of Baptist Temple Church, officiating.

Burial was to be at 3:30 p.m. today in Elmwood Memorial Park in Abilene.

Richards died Monday in a San Angelo hospital from injuries received in an industrial accident.

He was born March 6, 1918, in Jinks, Okla. He was a truck mechanic for J.E. Cox & Sons, Inc. He was a veteran of World War II. He was married to Myrtle Ray Sullivan Nov. 8, 1941, in Phoenix, Ariz. He was a member of Temple Baptist Church in Odessa.

Other survivors include his wife, a daughter, four sisters, a brother and six grandchildren.

**Doss Allen**

**ROSCOE** — Services for Doss Allen, 94, of Roscoe, mother of A.J. Allen of Big Spring, will be at 2 p.m. Friday in First Lutheran Church here. Burial will be in Dewey Cemetery, three miles west of Lawn, directed by McCoy Funeral Home here.

Mrs. Allen died Wednesday in a Roscoe nursing home.

She was born Nov. 12, 1883, in Ellis County. She was married to Dolph R. Allen Dec. 25, 1910, in Ellis County. He died April 17, 1933. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

Other survivors include two daughters, a sister, eight grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

**Esther M. Clark**

**SAN ANGELO** — Services for Esther M. Clark, 83, of San Angelo, sister of Lester Parker of Midland, were to be at 10 a.m. today in Johnson's Funeral Home here.

Officiating was to be the Rev. James Andrews, associate pastor of First Baptist Church. Burial was to be in Fairmount Cemetery.

Mrs. Clark died Tuesday.

She was born April 14, 1895, in Texas. She had lived in San Angelo 60 years. Her husband, Robert Clark, died in 1962.

Other survivors include a daughter, a son, three sisters, three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

**Bettie J. Hughes**

**SEYMOUR** — Services for Bettie J. Hughes, 88, of Seymour, mother of Ileta Gore of Midland, were Wednesday in the First United Methodist Church in Vera. Burial was in Vera Cemetery directed by Seymour Memorial Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hughes died Tuesday in a Seymour hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born April 24, 1890, in Boonesboro, Miss. She was married to George A. Hughes April 26, 1913, in Vera.

Mrs. Hughes moved to Seymour 11 years ago from Vera, where she had lived 59 years.

Other survivors include a son, a daughter, seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.



Khoren I, center of the Orthodox Armenian Church of Cilicia, center, and his Coajutor Karekine II, formerly of New York City, right, pray for dead and wounded congregation members at 40 Saints Church in East Beirut's Bourj Hamoud district Tuesday. The hole in ceiling, top center, is one of many in the church which was caught in the artillery and rocket duels between Christian rightist militias and Syrian troops of the Arab peacekeeping forces during the past nine days. (AP Laserphoto)

**Beirut's Armenians war's innocent victims**

**BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP)** — The plight of Beirut's Armenian community, sandwiched between Syrian and Christian guns in Lebanon's latest bloodletting, proves once again the validity of the maxim that innocent civilians are war's greatest victims.

Beirut's tightly-knit Armenian community, members of an autonomous Christian church, remained neutral in the fighting between Syrian troops and Maronite Christian militiamen. But Armenian neighborhoods in predominantly Maronite East Beirut were among the hardest hit.

About 90 killed and more than 500 wounded were reported in the Armenian community in the 10 days of Syrian-Christian conflict before the cease-fire Saturday. Some of the Armenians openly blamed the Christian militiamen, as well as the Syrians.

Because one Armenian enclave, in the Bourj Hamoud district, is built on marshland, its residents did not have the basement shelters that afforded some protection in other parts of East Beirut.

"We had to organize quickly and find interior shelters on the ground floor," said a spokesman for the Armenian Tashnag Party, which runs the district. "We put most of our top-floor residents in schools, which are more strongly constructed here than other buildings."

The northeastern suburb of Dora also was hard hit. "Fires were so bad that some people were incinerated in their cars as they were trying to escape," said John Sarkissian, a local grocer.

Tashnag Party officials, anxious not to make relations with the militias any worse, played down assertions of damage by militia guns. But other Armenians were less tactful.

One old woman, sweeping broken glass from the doorstep of her apartment, blamed "the Kataeb," the Arabic name for the Christian Phalange Party militia.

Suspicious between the two Chris-

tian communities stem from the Armenians' refusal to join the Maronites in the 1975-76 civil war against the leftist Lebanese Moslems and their Palestinian allies.

The Armenians defend their neutrality, saying they lost too many sons in the previous civil war in 1958. Armenians are particularly sensitive to survival since the Ottoman Turks massacred an estimated 1.5 million Armenians between 1894 and 1915.

Maronite extremists freely admit their anger. They say the Armenians enjoyed the fruits of the Maronite domination of Lebanon for nearly 60 years and they should have fought to preserve them.

"While we were spilling blood, they were making money," said one spokesman for former President Camille Chamoun's National Liberal Party.

The Armenians deny they profited from the civil war. They say they suffered more than 500 fatalities and provided medical care, rescue services and shelter for both Christians and Moslems.

**MC trustees eye Chapparral Center's use**

Midland College trustees are expected to rule on the future use of the Chapparral Center for the Shrine Circus at their regular meeting Tuesday.

Board members also are scheduled to review the food service concession contract for the center at the 4 p.m. meeting.

Reports on the success of the community service classes and total enrollment figures also will be presented to the board at the meeting.

**Person sought in shooting; No one hurt**

An unidentified person is being sought for allegedly firing an AR-15 rifle into the air and into a group of people at Red's Drive-In about 3:20 a.m. today, according to Midland Police officers.

Salomon Buttons of the 1800 block of East Front Street, location of the restaurant, told authorities of the incident in which apparently no one was hurt.

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## Six Basin counties gain wildcat testers

Six Permian Basin areas have drawn wildcat projects. MGF Oil Corp. of Midland spotted its No. 1 Santa Fe Railway as a 5,100-foot wildcat in Lea County, N. M., nine miles southeast of Crossroads.

The project is 760 feet from north and east lines of section 13-16-36e. Ground elevation is 3,979 feet.

The drillsite is three and three-eighths miles northeast of the Dickinson (San Andres) field and one location east of a 5,010-foot dry hole.

### RUNNELS PROJECTS

W. W. West of Midland staked a Runnels County wildcat and announced plans to re-enter another project and test it as a wildcat.

The new project is No. 4 H. F. Bredemeyer, 2.5 miles northwest of Winters.

It is 2,140 feet from north and 1,850 feet from east lines of section 73, block 63, HT&B survey.

The site is one mile east of the Fennell (Breckenridge, Cisco reef, Goen, King sand) field. It is scheduled to 4,700 feet for tests of the King sand.

W. W. West will re-enter a well offset to the Morris gas discovery of the P. W. C. multiphase field and deepen to 4,000 feet for wildcat tests.

The project is No. 2 J. L. Hoffman, one mile northeast of Benoit and 910 feet from north and 1,660 feet from east lines of section 161, ETRR survey. It was abandoned in 1966 at total depth of 2,411 feet.

### MCCULLOCH WILDCATS

A trio of wildcats have been announced for McCulloch County.

Cook's Producing Co. of Goldswaithe will drill two 1,600-foot wildcats five miles west of Jiles.

No. 1 R. L. Jones is 406.8 feet from south and 342.3 feet from west lines of section 91, H&TC survey, abstract 650. Elevation is 1,445 feet.

Cook's No. 2 Jones is 1/2 mile east of No. 1 and 355.6 feet from south and 2,689.7 feet from west lines of section 91, H&TC survey, abstract 650. Elevation is 1,445 feet.

The projects are one and one-quarter miles southeast of the Walker-Grant (Strawn gas) field and separated from it by a 1,576-foot dry hole.

Esperanza Energy Corp. will drill No. 1 Nowlin as a 1,350-foot wildcat in McCulloch County, 14 miles north of Brady.

It 330 feet from south and 410 feet from west lines of F. Roccius survey No. 589, abstract 1179. Elevation at ground level is 1,565 feet.

The site is one location east of the only well in the Byrd (Strawn oil) pool.

### SCHLEICHER TEST

Esperanza Energy Corp. also spotted location for a 7,500-foot wildcat in Schleicher County, 13 miles northwest of Eldorado.

It is No. 1 Lux, 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 52, block 17, TCRR survey.

The test is one-half mile southwest of the nine-well Verex (upper Henderson oil) pool. The field also produces from the Canyon and Cisco. The upper Henderson pay in the field has no producers at the present time.

The elevation is 2,511 feet.

### CROCKETT EXPLORER

Dan J. Harrison Jr. of Houston announced location for a 9,000-foot wildcat in Crockett County, 16 miles west of Ozona.

It will be dug as No. 2-30-30 University, 1/2 mile southwest of his No. 3-30-30 University, active wildcat one location southeast of the depleted Howard's Creek (Canyon gas) pool.

The location is 1,650 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 30, block 30, University Lands survey. The elevation is 2,356 feet.

### CONCHO TESTER

E. L. Smith III of Dallas spotted his No. 1 Sansom Cattle Co. as a 1,500-foot wildcat in Concho County.

The explorer is one location west of the depleted Sansom Ranch (1,200 oil)

field and 3.5 miles west of Millersview.

The location is 330 feet from north and 1,650 feet from west lines of F. Schrader survey No. 337. Ground elevation is 1,751.4 feet.

### UPTON ACTIVITY

John L. Cox of Midland No. 1-C Half Estate has been completed 1/2 mile southeast of a three and one-quarter-mile west extension to the Spraberry Trend Area of Upton County.

On 24-hour potential test it pumped 77 barrels of oil and 27 barrels of water, through perforations from 6,952 to 8,339 feet. Gas-oil ratio is 740-1.

Location is 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 55, block Y, TCRR survey, 15 miles north of Rankin.

Cox No. 1 Langford was completed one mile north of production in the Spraberry Trend Area field of Upton County, 15 miles northeast of Rankin.

It finished for a daily pumping potential of 48 barrels of oil a24 barrels of water, through perforations from 7,202 to 8,652 feet after 130,000 gallons of fracture solution. Gas-oil ratio is 710-1.

Total depth is 8,680 feet and 4.5-inch casing is cemented on bottom.

Cox will drill No. 1 H. F. Neal one and three-eighths miles southeast of Spraberry Trend Area production in Upton County.

It is 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 5, block A, EL&RR survey. It is slated for an 8,700-foot bottom.

Cox also will drill No. 1-37 Langford one mile north of Spraberry Trend Area production. It is 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 37, block C, CCSD&RGNG survey. It also will drill to 8,700 feet.

### UPTON DEEPENING

Frank Cass of Dallas plans to re-enter and deepen to 8,700 feet for tests of the Dean zone in No. 4-21 Proctor, former Reagan County Spraberry Trend Area well. If successful, the well will be assigned to the Calvin (Dean) field. Location is 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 21, block 37, T-4-S, T&P survey.

### REAGAN PROJECTS

Hanley Co. of Midland spotted a pair of Spraberry Trend Area projects in Reagan County.

No. 1-58-18-A University is 1/2 mile west of production and 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 18, block 58, University Lands survey.

No. 1-58-18-B University is 5/8 mile southwest of production and 1,980 feet from north and west lines of section 18, block 58, University Lands survey.

Scheduled for 8,100-foot bottom, they are seven miles north of Texon.

### PECOS WELL

Ike Lovelady of Midland No. 1 Iowa Realty Trust has been completed as the fifth Wichita-Albany gas well in the Lehn Apo, South field of Pecos County, 11 miles south of Imperial.

It completed for a calculated, absolute open flow potential of 2,133,000 cubic feet of gas per day, with a gas-liquid ratio of 152,083-1.

Completion was through perforations from 4,441 to 4,596 feet after 3,000 gallons of acid.

Location is 660 feet from northeast and 1,980 feet from northwest lines of section 67, block 10, H&GN survey.

### NOLAN OILER

Alvin C. Hope Jr. of Abilene No. 3 Arthur S. Frymire, a former Ellenburger well, has been recompleted as a Canyon sand gas production, 1/2 mile northeast of production from that zone in the Lake Trammell, West multiphase field of Nolan County.

The well finished for a daily flowing potential of 105 barrels of 40-gravity oil through a 10-64-inch choke and perforations from 6,702 to 6,712 feet.

Location is 2,025 feet from south and 1,050 feet from west lines of section 80, block 22, T&P survey.

It finished for a daily pumping potential of 49 barrels of 40-gravity oil and 96 barrels of water, through perforations from 7,267 to 8,145 feet. Gas-oil ratio is 1,286-1.

Total depth is 8,950 feet and 4 1/2-inch casing is set on bottom. The plugged back depth is 8,666 feet.

Location is 1,485 feet from south and 1,555 feet from west lines of section 25, block 37, T&P survey and 9.5 miles northeast of Midland.

Wagner & Brown of Midland announced location for an 8,400-foot project in the Conger (Pennsylvanian) field of Sterling County.

It is No. 2-15 Bade, 660 feet from north and west lines of section 15, block 22, H&TC survey and 10 miles west of Sterling City.

## Injunction refused

HOUSTON (AP) — District Judge Arthur Lesher has refused to grant a temporary injunction against Superior Oil Co., accused by Mobil Oil Corp. of pirating Mobil employees along with trade secrets.

Lesher ordered Superior, however, to turn over materials that originated at Mobil but now are in the hands of former Mobil employees working for Superior.

The judge said Wednesday that notes gathered by B. A. Thomas, head of Superior's Neptune Oil Co. in Israel, and L. F. Burson, an explorationist for Superior, would be kept in sealed containers pending any further action in the suit.

Thomas and Burson testified they had had taken notes on oil and gas land sales from Mobil to Superior.

Lesher had been asked to enjoin Superior from luring Mobil employees to their company in order to obtain confidential Mobil industry information.

Mobil said in a prepared statement that while the court did order the return of documents taken by two former employees "we are surprised the court did not restrain Superior from continuing its past actions until such time as the complaint can be heard by the trial court."

Mobil said the ruling "does not change plans to proceed to the trial court on the merits of the case."

Thomas McDade, a Mobil lawyer, said testimony showed two men had worked for both companies on a scheduled sale of offshore-leases near Puerto Rico.

McDade said Mobil doesn't want former Mobil employees now working for Superior working on the same projects at Superior that they worked on at Mobil.

Philip John, a Superior attorney, said Lesher's ruling was a victory and "vindication of the charges made against these people and the company."

John argued the employees left Mobil because they were offered better job opportunities. "It's not a raid when people come to us and say, 'I read your ad and I want a job,'" John said.

## OPEC firm on request

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — Oil cartel officials wound up a three-day seminar Wednesday in a demand for help from industrial countries to develop their own petroleum refining industries. But the exporters set no deadline for carrying out a threat to cut back oil supplies if they don't get cooperation.

The call for a joint approach and a dialogue between crude oil suppliers and consumers was made by Kuwaiti Oil Minister Ali Khalifa al-Sabah at the end of the seminar on "downstream operations," or the manufacture of finished petroleum products, organized by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries.

Members of OPEC are unhappy that such operations and marketing are dominated by industrialized nations. OPEC claims that efforts by member countries to diversify into refining and petrochemical industries are being discouraged, and even obstructed, by the developed nations.

Sabah, who presided at the seminar attended by OPEC officials, oil industry executives and other experts from 35 nations, said if this attitude continues, OPEC may be forced to tie the quantity of crude oil supplied to industrialized countries directly to the quantity of finished products OPEC is able to sell in those countries.

Sabah did not specify any particular country and did not mention any specific cases of obstruction. He said producing countries do not want "to remain residual suppliers of raw materials."

"They look at the problem of downstream operations from the standpoint of technology acquisition and a greater measure of knowhow, employment, long term economic balance, especially external payment balances. In other words, the producers investing in downstream operations are considered to be instrumental in speeding up the process of structural diversification of their economies and enhanced capital accumulation of their nations."

Sabah said that as far as penetration of markets by OPEC members was concerned, "they cannot dissociate the market penetration for their products from their considerable weight as the major supplier of crude oil. This means that ultimately the oil producers may be confronted with linking the exports of products to their exports of crude oil."

"We have been seeking cooperation for a long time," he said, "but not even lip service was paid. Now there is an opportunity. If we waste it, and if development plans are frustrated, not us, the decision-makers, but conditions in our countries would dictate that we take a more aggressive approach. This is the nature of the game."

## House leaders trying to merge bill facets

By TOM RAUM

WASHINGTON (AP) — House leaders are trying to merge a tax on fuel-wasting cars and tax credits for home insulation with other parts of President Carter's energy program on the theory that the larger the package, the better its chance of passage.

The House Rules Committee scheduled a meeting today to consider putting the fragmented energy plan back in one piece.

Consolidation would set up a final House vote Friday on the remnants of the program Carter submitted in April 1977 as "the moral equivalent of war."

However, opponents of the controversial section calling for natural gas deregulation by 1985 are vowing an all-out fight, saying they want separate votes on each of the five compromise bills submitted by conference committees.

There also was a question on whether the final part of the plan — calling for higher taxes on gas-wasting autos and lower taxes for homeowners who upgrade the insulation of their homes — can make it to the House in time to be included in the package.

The energy-tax legislation emerged from a House-Senate conference committee on Wednesday. Senate action on it was expected sometime today.

Leaders first planned to bring it before the full Senate on Wednesday, but senators representing auto-making states threatened a filibuster unless changes were made.

That sent negotiators back to the conference room to modify the proposal to make it more palatable to the auto industry and its allies in Congress.

The proposed compromise tax on big, uneconomical cars would start on 1980 models instead of 1978 models as once proposed by Carter. It would add at least \$200 to the sticker price of 1980 cars getting less than 15 miles per gallon. The tax would escalate in yearly steps to a maximum tax in 1986 of \$3,850 on cars getting less than 12.5 mpg.

## Borden gets wildcat site

A wildcat operation has been staked in Borden County by Cotton Petroleum Corp. of Midland.

It is No. 1 Good and will be drilled seven miles northeast of Vealmore and 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 4, block 32, T-3-N, T&P survey.

It is one location south of production in the Good (middle Clear Fork) field.

### GULF WELL

Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1-QK State has been completed in the Caprito (middle Delaware) field of Ward County.

Operator reported a daily pumping potential of 12 barrels of oil and 89 barrels of water, through perforations from 5,001 to 5,011 feet after 9,000 gallons of acid.

Gravity of the oil is 37.6 degrees and the gas-oil ratio is 1,417-1.

Location is 1,980 feet from north and west lines of section 22, block 17, University Lands survey.

### LYNN PROJECT

Grand Banks Energy Co. of Midland No. 1 W. G. Lumsden will be drilled as a 10,500-foot project in Lynn County, one location south of the two-well Tahloka (Pennsylvanian) field.

Location is 467 feet from north and 2,117 feet from east lines of section 143, block 12, EL&RR survey and 14 miles northwest of Tahoka.

### CROCKETT WELL

Shell Oil Co. No. 2-B Forristall has been completed as the sixth Wolfcamp well in the Tippett, West multiphase field of Crockett County.

One mile east of other production, it finished for a daily potential of 2,900 barrels of 37.6-gravity oil, plus 183 barrels of water, through a one-inch opening and perforations from 5,465 to 5,927 feet. Gas-liquid ratio is 13,440-1.

Location is 5,812 feet from northeast and 440 feet from northwest lines of section 31, block 31, H&TC survey.

A free-entry project, it originally was drilled to 6,310 feet. It was a lower Leonard oil producer.

The location is 10 miles southeast of McCamey.

## Crude spill reported

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Fire officials kept some families from their homes throughout the night while workers cleaned up about 40,000 gallons of spilled gasoline on the city's sparsely-populated east side.

Chief M.L. Coleman estimated about 200 persons were evacuated, but only the residents living nearest a million-gallon tank at a Texaco refinery were not allowed to return home. The spill from one tank into a ditch containing the large tank was reported about 8 p.m. Monday.

The last-minute modifications sought by automakers resulted in conferees agreeing to make the mileage thresholds about 1 mpg more lenient than under their original proposal, which covered for model years 1983-1986.

The tax is the only one of four taxes Carter included in his April 1977 energy program to survive. The crude oil tax, which Carter once called the centerpiece of his energy program, as well as proposed taxes on gasoline and industrial uses of oil and natural gas, were killed.

## Land bill passage prospects get better

WASHINGTON (AP) — Prospects of passage for the Alaska lands bill, President Carter's top environmental priority, are picking up, although success is far from assured.

Sen. Henry Jackson, D-Wash., Senate manager of the bill, is predicting a compromise version can be put together in time for passage before Congress' scheduled adjournment Saturday.

And Sen. Mike Gravel, D-Alaska, said Wednesday he could be convinced by fellow Alaskans to drop plans to kill the legislation through parliamentary maneuvers.

Gravel said, "I can let a bill pass this year or I can stop anything from passing. It is only fair in the light of this situation to involve as many Alaskans as possible in my decision."

Gravel's Alaska colleague, Republican Sen. Ted Stevens, is working with Jackson and key House members to arrive at a compromise that could be passed in the Senate, sent quickly to the House and on to President Carter.

"We're close," Jackson told a re-

ported. But without Gravel's cooperation it would be impossible to bring any compromise to the floor. Gravel feels that a bill more favorable to Alaskans can be passed next year.

Nevertheless, Gravel said he will step aside and let Stevens and the others work for a compromise, if that is the will of Alaskans.

Both the bill approved by the Senate Energy Committee and the version passed by the House would set aside at least 100 million acres of federal land in Alaska as national parks and other conservation areas.

Conservationists and House managers of the legislation say the Senate committee bill leaves too much of the conservation land open for mining, logging and hunting.

The incentive for Stevens and Alaska in passing a bill this year is that it would transfer to state control 75 million acres of land promised under the law which admitted the state to the union in 1959.

Industry groups prefer the Senate bill, claiming it would be less harmful to development in the resource-rich state.

## DRILLING REPORT

### ANDREWS COUNTY

Amoco No. 3-H David Fasken, id 13,185 feet in dolomite and sand, logging.

Bial No. 1-11-C University, drilling 7,790 feet in lime and shale.

Williamson No. 1-11 University, clearing out at 1,200 feet.

Cola Petroleum No. 1 Long, id 4,820 feet, swabbing, no gauge, through perforations 4,725 to 4,735 feet.

Cola No. 2 Bourg, id 7,650 feet, released-rig.

### BORDEN COUNTY

Britton Management No. 1-270 Gray, drilling 4,520 feet.

### CHAVES COUNTY

R. E. Williamson No. 1 Plains-State, id 1,115 feet, has been taken over by Whittenburg and Pool.

Cox No. 1-32 State, drilling 10,470 feet.

Penrose No. 1 Bar C, id 812 feet, fishing.

### COCHRAN COUNTY

Union Texas No. 72 Slaughter, shut in.

Union Texas No. 73 Slaughter, id 5,100 feet, rigging up pulling unit.

Union Texas No. 74 Slaughter, drilling 3,977 feet in lime.

### COTTE COUNTY

Bass Enterprises No. 1 Fields, id 6,275 feet, setting 3 1/2-inch casing slip.

### ROCKETT COUNTY

Southland Royalty No. 1-70 Todd, id 250 feet, fishing.

Robert M. Wynne No. 1-14 University, finished 624 feet in red beds.

Mesa No. 2-49 Houder, id 7,176 feet, preparing to potential.

Eastland No. 1 Todd, drilling 7,250 feet in lime and shale.

### ECTOR COUNTY

Amoco No. 2-AU Midland Farms, id 10,450 feet, plug back depth 10,050 feet, testing perforations 9,812-9,802 feet.

### EDDY COUNTY

Amoco No. 1 Ingalis Gas Co., id 8,120 feet in shale.

Union Oil No. 1-132 State, testing, no gauges.

Amoco No. 1-EC State, id 11,432 feet, plug back depth 11,352 feet, testing perforations 10,970 to 11,141 feet.

Amoco No. 1-GF State, id 11,091 feet, running logs.

Amoco No. 1 Williams, drilling 10,575 feet in lime and shale.

Amoco No. 1-17 Teledyne, id 12,352 feet, plug back depth 12,306 feet, testing perforations 12,531 to 12,532 feet.

Black River No. 1-Cerro-Comit, id 11,720 feet, running 7 1/2-inch casing.

Southland Royalty No. 1-23 State, drilling 6,245 feet in dolomite.

7-00 Oil & Gas No. 2 Indian Hills State, spudded 10-7-78, ran 1 1/2-inch casing to 510 feet, drilling ahead.

Amoco No. 1 Panasco State, testing to measure gas & water.

Mesa No. 2 Bogie-State, id 8,803 feet, shut down for repairs.

Mesa No. 1 Berry Federal, drilling 1,670 feet in anhydrite and lime.

Eastland No. 1-23 State, id 1,030 feet, shut down for repairs.

Union No. 2 Pennzoil-Federal, id 2,510 feet, plug back depth 2,510 feet, waiting on pumping equipment.

### GAINES COUNTY

Masten No. 1 Sanderson, coring 5,066 feet.

Mobil No. 1-McDonnell, 2,551 feet, moving in completion unit.

### GARZA COUNTY

# 26 wildcats, 69 field operations staked in Basin

Petroleum operators working in the Permian Basin Empire of West Texas and Southeast New Mexico last week filed permit applications for 26 wildcats and 69 development tests, for a total of 95 projected tests.

The total number of tests staked in the two-state area, two weeks ago was 126, making last weeks count show a decrease of 31 projects.

Railroad Commission District 8-A, Lubbock, was the leader in wildcatting activity with eight projects planned in that category. The San Angelo office reported seven, while the Midland office had six.

RRC District 7-C processed 43 pool development applications. Development sites planned in District 8 totaled 13 and District 8-A had three.

The county-by-county tabulation:

County	Wildcat Field	Field
<b>District 8</b>		
Crane	0	2
Culberson	0	1
Ector	1	1
Glasscock	0	1
Martin	0	1
Mitchell	1	0
Pecos	3	4
Reeves	1	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>District 8-A</b>		
Borden	1	0
Cochran	0	1
Dawson	1	0
Gaines	2	2
Kent	2	2
Lubbock	2	0
Yoakum	1	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>District 7-B</b>		
Fisher	1	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>District 7-C</b>		
Coke	0	2
Conch	2	0
Crockett	2	9
Irion	0	2
McCulloch	0	2
Reagan	0	6
Runnels	2	2
Schleicher	0	2
Sutton	0	3
Upton	1	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>43</b>
<b>Southeast New Mexico</b>		
Chaves	1	1
Eddy	2	0
Lea	1	6
Roosevelt	0	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>69</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>95</b>

## DISTRICT 8

**ANDREWS COUNTY**  
Means—Rule 37—amended—Exxon Corp. No. 1382 Means (San Andres) Unit, 1,520 feet from south and 2,275 feet from east lines of section 1, block A-35, PSL survey, seven miles northeast of Andrews, 4,700, (amended location).

Deeprock (Devonian)—amended—Marallo, Inc. No. 4-B Miles, 1,980 feet from south and 1,245 feet from west lines of section 12, block A-46, PSL survey, five miles west of Andrews, 10,100, (amended location).

**CRANE COUNTY**  
Sand Hills (Judkins & Tubb)—a amended—Exxon Corp. No. 1-151 J. B. Tubb, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 22, block B-27, PSL survey, 16 miles northwest of Crane, 4,450, (amended lease name and location).

Sand Hills (Judkins & Tubb)—Rule 37—Exxon Corp. No. 1-174 J. B. Tubb, 705 feet from north and 4,398 feet from west lines of section 1, block B-27, PSL survey, 17 miles northwest of Crane, 4,750.

Lea (San Andres)—Gulf Oil Corp. No. 96 P. J. Lea, et al, 2,640 feet from south and one foot from west lines of section 47, block 32, PSL survey, 10 miles west of Crane, 3,400.

**CULBERSON COUNTY**  
Marsh, South (Delaware)—C&K Petroleum, Inc. No. 1 Bateman, 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 40, block 45, PSL survey, 14 1/2 miles southwest of Oria, 3,000.

**ECTOR COUNTY**  
TXL, North (McKee & Waddell)—OWWO—Shell Oil Co. No. 1-10-L TXL, 1,961 feet from south and 1,968 feet from east lines of section 41, block 45, T-1-N, T&P survey, 2 1/2 miles north of Notrees, 9,810.

Wildcat—Benchmark Oil Co. No. 2 Diamond Lill, 1,980 feet from north and 990 feet from west lines of section 44, block 43, T-3-S, T&P survey, 12 miles southwest of Odesa, 13,500.

**GLASSCOCK COUNTY**  
Clyde Reynolds (Wolfcamp)—Lingen Exploration, Inc. No. 1 Pearl and Joe Cole, 2,173 feet from north and 467 feet from east lines of section 4, block 32, T-4-S, T&P survey, 10 miles northeast of Garden City, 8,000.

**MARTIN COUNTY**  
Spraberry Trend Area—MGF Oil Corp. No. 1 Hernandez, 1,650 feet from north and 990 feet from west lines of section 20, block 36, T-2-N, T&P survey, three miles northwest of Lenora, 9,200.

**MITCHELL COUNTY**  
Wildcat—MGF Oil Corp. No. 1 Ritchey, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 35, block 26, T&P survey, two miles west of Colorado City, 7,550.

**PECOS COUNTY**  
Wildcat—Great Western Drilling Co. No. 1 Lea, 990 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 228, block 10, GH&SA survey, 30 miles southwest of Fort Stockton, 14,000.

Rajo Caballos, South (Devonian)—amended—Gulf Oil Corp. No. 2-A Ivy B. Weatherly, 2,310 feet from south and west lines of section 26, block 49, T-8, T&P survey, 10 miles south of Coynosa, 19,000.

Payton—The Three-B Oil Co. No. 1 Brander, 3,187 feet from south and 330 feet from east lines of section 100, block 8, H&GN survey, one mile southeast of Grandfalls, 2,100.

Payton—Three-B No. 2 14-10 Payton Pool (Yates sand) Unit, 3,875 feet from south and 160 feet from west lines of section 2, block 8, H&GN survey, one mile southeast of Grandfalls, 2,100.

Wildcat—OWPB—A. G. Kasper No. 1-A F. A. Perry & Nita Silleman, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 23, block Z, TCR survey, 10 miles southwest of Iraan, 8,102.

Wildcat (Ellenburger)—Magnetex Corp., Oil Division No. 1 Iowa Realty Trust, 1,980 feet from northeast and 660 feet from southeast lines of section 81, block 10, H&GN survey, 10 miles south of Imperial, 5,000.

Yates—Marathon Oil Co. No. 22011 Yates Field Unit, 790 feet from south and 2,000 feet from east lines of TCR survey 103, two miles west of Iraan, 1,314.

Yates—Marathon No. 39021 Yates Field Unit, 1,090 feet from north and 330 feet from west lines of section 62, block 1, I&GN survey, one mile southwest of Iraan, 1,300.

**REEVES COUNTY**  
Wildcat—Great Western Drilling Co. No. 1 Downes, 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 3, block 70, PSL survey, 6.1 miles northwest of Toyah, 13,000.

Worsham—Bayer (Devonian; Atoka; Pennsylvanian and Wolfcamp)—Gulf Oil Corp. No. 3 S. E. Ligon-State, 990 feet from north and 1,320 feet from east lines of section 16, block 7, H&GN survey, 11 1/2 miles northwest of Coynosa, 14,200.

Aylesworth (Cherry Canyon)—HNG Oil Co. No. 1-13 Phillips-TXL, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 13, block 55, T-4, T&P survey, 20 miles northwest of Pecos, 6,200.

Mi Vida (Permo-Pennsylvanian)—OWPB—amended—The Superior Oil Co. No. 1 Camp Unit, 334 feet from north and 1,650 feet from west lines of section 3, block 4, H&GN survey, eight miles north of Pecos, 19,050, (amended field).

Waha, North (Delaware sand)—Marathon Oil Co. No. 5 Fidelity Trust Co., et al, 1,850 feet from south and 1,760 feet from west lines of section 23, block C-3, PSL survey, 10 miles northwest of Coynosa, 5,500.

**DISTRICT 8-A**

**BORDEN COUNTY**  
Wildcat—Britton Management Corp. No. 1-270 Gray, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 270, block 97, H&TC survey, nine miles east of Gail, 9,000.

**COCHRAN COUNTY**  
Levelland—Texas City

Refining, Inc. No. 2-23 Miller-Wright Unit, 2,005 feet from north and 440 feet from east lines of league 61, Martin CSL survey, abstract 57, three miles southwest of Whiteface, 5,000.

**DAWSON COUNTY**  
Wildcat—OWDD—Ferguson & Bosworth & Associates No. 1 Lauderdale, 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 39, block 36, T-5-N, T&P survey, abstract 177, seven miles south of Lamesa, 12,000.

**GAINES COUNTY**  
Wildcat—Tom Brown, Inc. No. 1 Peter Flynn, 2,310 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 119, block H, D&WRR survey, abstract 160, 12 miles east of Seminole, 12,000.

Wildcat—Wessley Energy Corp. No. 1 Matthews-Grimes, 660 feet from north and west lines of section 430, block G, CCSD&RGNG survey, 14 miles west of Seminole, 8,200.

Cedar Lake—OWWO—Amoco Production Co. No. 3-F T. S. Riley, 1,988 feet from north and 1,985 feet from west lines of section 3, block H, D&WRR survey, 10 miles southeast of Loop, 3,200.

Newsom (Yates)—Mobil Oil Corp. No. 2-291 H&J, 990 feet from south and east lines of section 291, block G, WTRR survey, abstract 200, six miles southwest of Seminole, 3,400.

Block A-34 (Yates)—amended—Wood, McShane & Thams No. 2 Simpson, 660 feet from north and 2,640 feet from west lines of section 23, block A-22, PSL survey, 16 miles north of Andrews, 3,100, (amended location)

**KENT COUNTY**  
Wildcat—R-K Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 McArthur, 3,018 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 15, block B, PSL survey, 10 miles southwest of Spur, 6,400.

Weger, Southwest—H. D. Oden, Inc. No. 1 Pfleger, et al, 467 feet from north and 2,183 feet from west lines of section 1, block 1, EL&RR survey, nine miles south of Big Lake, 2,700.

Weger, Southwest—Oden No. 1 Strauss, et al, 1,829 feet from north and 1,787 feet from east lines of section 1, block 9, D&E survey, nine miles south of Big Lake, 2,700.

Weger, Southwest—Oden No. 1 Strauss-Pfleger, et al, 3,187 feet from south and 467 feet from west lines of section 1, block 1, EL&RR survey, nine miles south of Big Lake, 2,700.

Wyatt—Southland Royalty Co. No. 4-67 Todd, 1,609 feet from north and 567 feet from west lines of section 67, block UV, GC&SF survey, 17 miles northwest of Ozona, 1,800.

**IRION COUNTY**  
Christi (6800 Canyon)—Tucker Drilling Co., Inc. No. 3 H. Carson, Trustee, 467 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 62, block 1, H&TC survey, abstract 773, four miles southwest of Mertzon, 6,900.

Christi (6800 Canyon)—Tucker No. 2-A Frank Lindley, 2,004 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 61, block 1, H&TC survey, abstract 261, four miles southwest of Mertzon, 6,875.

**MCULLOCH COUNTY**  
Heart of Texas (Marble Falls)—Ellis & Young No. 7 John G. Jones, 780 feet from north and 1,625 feet from east lines of Carl Junker survey 817, abstract 793, three miles west of Mercury, 1,100.

Heart of Texas (Marble Falls)—Ellis & Young No. 10 John G. Jones, 380 feet from north and 1,675 feet from east lines of Carl Junker survey 817, abstract 793, three miles west of Mercury, 1,100.

**REAGAN COUNTY**  
Spraberry Trend Area—Saxon Oil Co. No. 2-9-9 University, 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 9, block 9, ULS, 10 miles northwest of Big Lake, 7,800.

Farmer (San Andres)—Rial Oil Co. No. 1-23-A University, 1,650 feet from north and 2,310 feet from west lines of section 23, block 48, ULS, five miles southeast of Big Lake, 2,800.

Farmer (San Andres)—Rial No. 1-23-B University, 2,310 feet from north and east lines

of section 23, block 48, ULS, 10 miles southeast of Big Lake, 2,800.

Farmer (San Andres)—Rial No. 2-4-A University, 2,310 feet from north and east lines of section 4, block 49, ULS, five miles southeast of Big Lake, 2,800.

Spraberry Trend Area—Tamarack Petroleum Co., Inc. No. 1-46 Aldwell, 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 46, block C, L&SV survey, abstract 819, eight miles northwest of Stiles, 8,100.

Spraberry Trend Area—OWWO—Frank Cass No. 5-2 Nunn, 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 5, block B, L&SVRR survey, 28 miles northwest of Big Lake, 7,700.

**RUNNELS COUNTY**  
Leonard—Delray Oil, Inc. No. 4 Raymond Rush, 1,378 feet from south and 1,061 feet from west lines of section 110, ETRR survey, abstract 1376, two miles southwest of Talpa, 3,950.

Wildcat—OWPB—E. B. Fletcher No. 1 Pendergrass, 786 feet from south and 467 feet from east lines of section 94, block 64, H&TC survey, abstract 752, five miles northwest of Winters, 2,906.

Clarke (Gardner)—Master Drilling Co., Inc. No. 1-A Kirkham, et al, 330 feet from north and west lines of section 319, block 64, H&TC survey, abstract 329, four miles northeast of Winters, 4,800.

Wildcat—Frank J. King No. 1 W. T. Billups, approximately 4,500 feet northwest, thence 467 feet east from southeast corner of T. J. 267, seven miles northeast of Winters, 4,100.

**SCHLEICHER COUNTY**  
Velrex (upper Henderson)—Esperanza Energy Corp. No. 1 Harper, 1,980 feet from north and 550 feet from east lines of section 56, block TT, TCR survey, abstract 1098, 13 miles northwest of Eldorado, 7,000.

Chaney (Harkey)—Fortune Drilling Co., Inc. No. 1-38 Cheaney, 467 feet from south and 2,179 feet from east lines of section 38, block 8, TW&NG survey, abstract 831, 24 miles northeast of Eldorado, 4,300.

**SUTTON COUNTY**  
Mayer Ranch (Canyon)—World Producers, Inc. No. 3 Mayer Ranch, 3,866 feet from south and 2,869 feet from east lines of McMullen CSL survey 6, 6 1/2 miles west of Sonora, 7,800.

Mayer Ranch (Canyon)—World Producers No. 4 Mayer Ranch, 2,681 feet from north and 4,249 feet from east lines of McMullen CSL survey 6, 6 1/2 miles west of Sonora, 7,800.

**TERRELL COUNTY**  
Brown-Bassett (Strawn-Ellenburger)—Mobil Oil Corp. No. 6 Banner Estate, 532 feet from north and 1,379 feet from west lines of section 331, TW&NG survey, abstract 1284, 30 miles northeast of Dryden, 15,500.

**UPTON COUNTY**  
Wildcat—OWPB—Laguna Petroleum Co. No. 1 Fulmer, 660 feet from north and west lines of section 33, C&M survey, abstract 6, three miles north of Rankin, 6,700.

Spraberry Trend Area—Cola Petroleum No. 1-19 Elkin, 1,290 feet from north and 1,320 feet from west lines of section 19, block 37, T-5-S, T&P survey, abstract 390, two miles east of Midkiff, 9,200.

Calvin (Dean)—Cola No. 2-29 Elkin, 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 29, block 37, T-5-S, T&P survey, abstract 393, three miles southeast of Midkiff, 9,200.

Spraberry Trend Area—John L. Cox No. 1 Felmon-Owens, 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 51, block Y, TCR survey, abstract 376, nine miles northeast of Rankin, 8,700.

Spraberry Trend Area—Cox No. 2 Felmon-Owens, 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 51, block Y, TCR survey, abstract 376, nine miles northeast of Rankin, 8,700.

Spraberry Trend Area—Cox No. 3 Fel-

mont-Owens, 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 51, block Y, TCR survey, abstract 376, 10 miles northeast of Rankin, 8,700.

Spraberry Trend Area—Cox No. 4 Felmont-Owens, 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 51, block Y, TCR survey, abstract 376, 10 miles northeast of Rankin, 8,700.

Spraberry Trend Area—Cox No. 1-B Felmont-Owens, 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 52, block Y, TCR survey, abstract 804, 10 miles northeast of Rankin, 8,700.

Spraberry Trend Area—Cox No. 2-B Felmont-Owens, 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 52, block Y, TCR survey, 10 miles northeast of Rankin, 8,700.

Spraberry Trend Area—Cox No. 3-B Felmont-Owens, 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 52, block Y, TCR survey, abstract 804, 10 miles northeast of Rankin, 8,700.

Spraberry Trend Area—Cox No. 4-B Felmont-Owens, 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 52, block Y, TCR survey, abstract 804, 10 miles northeast of Rankin, 8,700.

Pegasus—OWWO—Mobil Oil Corp. No. 1710 Pegasus (Spraberry) Unit, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 36, block 41, T-4-S, T&P survey, abstract 1420, 18 miles west of Midkiff, 8,100.

Pegasus—OWWO—Mobil NO. 1-V TXL, 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 47, block 41, T-4-S, T&P survey, abstract 485, 19 miles west of Midkiff, 8,000.

Pegasus—OWWO—Mobil No. 2902 Pegasus (Spraberry) Unit, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 41, block 40, T-4-S, T&P survey, 16 miles west of Midkiff, 8,100.

Pegasus—OWWO—Mobil No. 4308 Pegasus (Spraberry) Unit, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 48, block 41, T-4-S, T&P survey, 18 miles west of Midkiff, 8,100.

Pegasus—OWWO—Mobil No. 4903 Pegasus (Spraberry) Unit, 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 1, block 41, T-5-S, T&P survey, 18 miles west of Midkiff, 8,100.

**CHAVES COUNTY**  
Wildcat—OWWO—Stevens Oil Co. No. 1-A Federal, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 13-8S-30E, 14 miles southeast of Elkins, 3,680.

Chaveroo (San Andres)—El Ran, Inc. No. 1 Roberts, 440 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 3-8S-32E, 20 miles south of Elida, 4,400.

**EDDY COUNTY**  
Wildcat—Mesa Petroleum Co. No. 1 Catclaw State, 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 31-17S-24E, six miles southeast of Hope, 4,900.

Wildcat—Mesa No. 1 Gardner-State, 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 8-19S-23E, nine miles south of Hope, 7,900.

**LEA COUNTY**  
Fowler (Tubb)—Amoco Production Co. No. 33 South Mattix Unit, 1,650 feet from north and east lines of section 15-24S-37E, nine miles northeast of Jal, 6,100.

Fowler (Tubb)—Amoco No. 34 South Mattix Unit, 1,650 feet from north and 2,310 feet from west lines of section 22-24S-37E, five miles northeast of Jal, 6,100.

Langlie-Mattix (Queen)—Amoco No. 95-B A Myers-Federal, 390 feet from south and 330 feet from west lines of section 9-24S-37E, eight miles north of Jal, 3,600.

Warren (Tubb)—Tamarack Petroleum Co. No. 1 Korngay, 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 21-20S-38E, seven miles north of Eunice, 7,300.

Eumont (Queen)—OWWO—Gill-Mc Oil Corp. No. 2-A State, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 36-18S-36E, three miles north-

east of Arkansas Junction, 4,600.

Wildcat—MGF Oil Corp. No. 1 Thompson, 660 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 23-10S-36E, eight miles southeast of Crossroads, 5,100.

Jenkins (San Andres)—OWWO—Tip-top & Denton No. 1 Clements-Glenn, 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 29-9S-35E, three miles southwest of Crossroads, 4,900.

Tomahawk (San Andres)—Sundance Oil Co. No. 7 Cone-Federal, 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 31-7S-32E, 16 miles south of Kenna, 4,350.

Tomahawk (San Andres)—OWWO—Tip-top & Denton No. 1 Langley-Federal, 2,310 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 30-7S-32E, 15 miles south of Kenna, 4,350.

Milnesand—amended—Union Texas No. 521 Milnesand (San Andres) Unit, 2,630 feet from north and 100 feet from east lines of section 24-8S-34E, five miles southwest of Milnesand, 4,800, (amended well number).

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leum Corp. No. 319 Milnesand (San Andres) Unit, 1,310 feet from north and west lines of section 19-8S-35E, five miles southwest of Milnesand, 4,800, (amended well number).

Milnesand—amended—Union Texas No. 521 Milnesand (San Andres) Unit, 2,630 feet from north and 100 feet from east lines of section 24-8S-34E, five miles southwest of Milnesand, 4,800, (amended well number).

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