

With most Americans, the IRS 'honor system' works, taxman reveals

By MIKE FEINSLBER

WASHINGTON (AP) — Here, on tax day, is what the taxman thinks. — He thinks most Americans, on reflection after getting over their "emotional reaction to the tax system," will agree it is fair, and that taxes, after all, are not so steep. — He thinks a man from Mars would be amazed that Americans, by and large, pay what they owe without trying to cheat. They do it on the honor system and, by and large, it works. — He thinks, however, that honesty would not be so rampant if the Internal Revenue Service didn't check some tax returns and didn't occasionally send someone to jail for cheating, some 500 out of 90 million taxpayers in an average year. — And he'd like to double the tax returns that are audited, although even at that, only three or four of every 100 returns would be looked at. Today it is two of every 100. — But, like most of his predecessors, the taxman can't sell that view point to the Office of Management and Budget despite the fact that every additional dollar invested in tax enforcement is sure to return many times that much in taxes collected. — The taxman is Jerome Kurtz, 47, appointed IRS commissioner two years ago by President Carter. — He is a gourmet cook who hasn't had time to go into the kitchen since he got here. He gets to the office at 8:45 a. m. and leaves at 6:45 p. m. with a briefcase of things he must read in the night. — He was voted best dressed in West Philadelphia High School.

In his office hang the works of his wife, Elaine, an artist. They have two daughters. In Philadelphia, they lived in Society Hill; here they live in Georgetown. — Kurtz was an infant when his father died. He was raised by his mother, who worked as a bookkeeper, and his grandparents in a working class Philadelphia neighborhood. — He studied accounting at Temple University there and worked as an accountant while in school. He graduated magna cum laude from Harvard Law School, then built a reputation as one of the country's best tax lawyers. — As commissioner, Kurtz has raised the hackles of wealthy taxpayers. He has cracked down on tax shelter abuses and the misuse of travel and entertainment deductions. — He has also proposed that wealthy taxpayers who take a questionable business deduction in areas where the law is unclear be required to tell the IRS what they did so the agency can study the deduction's legality. — Usually the last thing such taxpayers want to do is call attention to their fuzzy deductions. They want to slide by and Kurtz acknowledges they often do. — He hasn't won that battle yet. — In an interview, Kurtz said the average American is not cranky about his taxes when he thinks about them for a while. — "A lot of people have an emotional reaction to the tax system because obviously it costs money, but I think in their more reflective moments (See TAXMAN, Page 2A)

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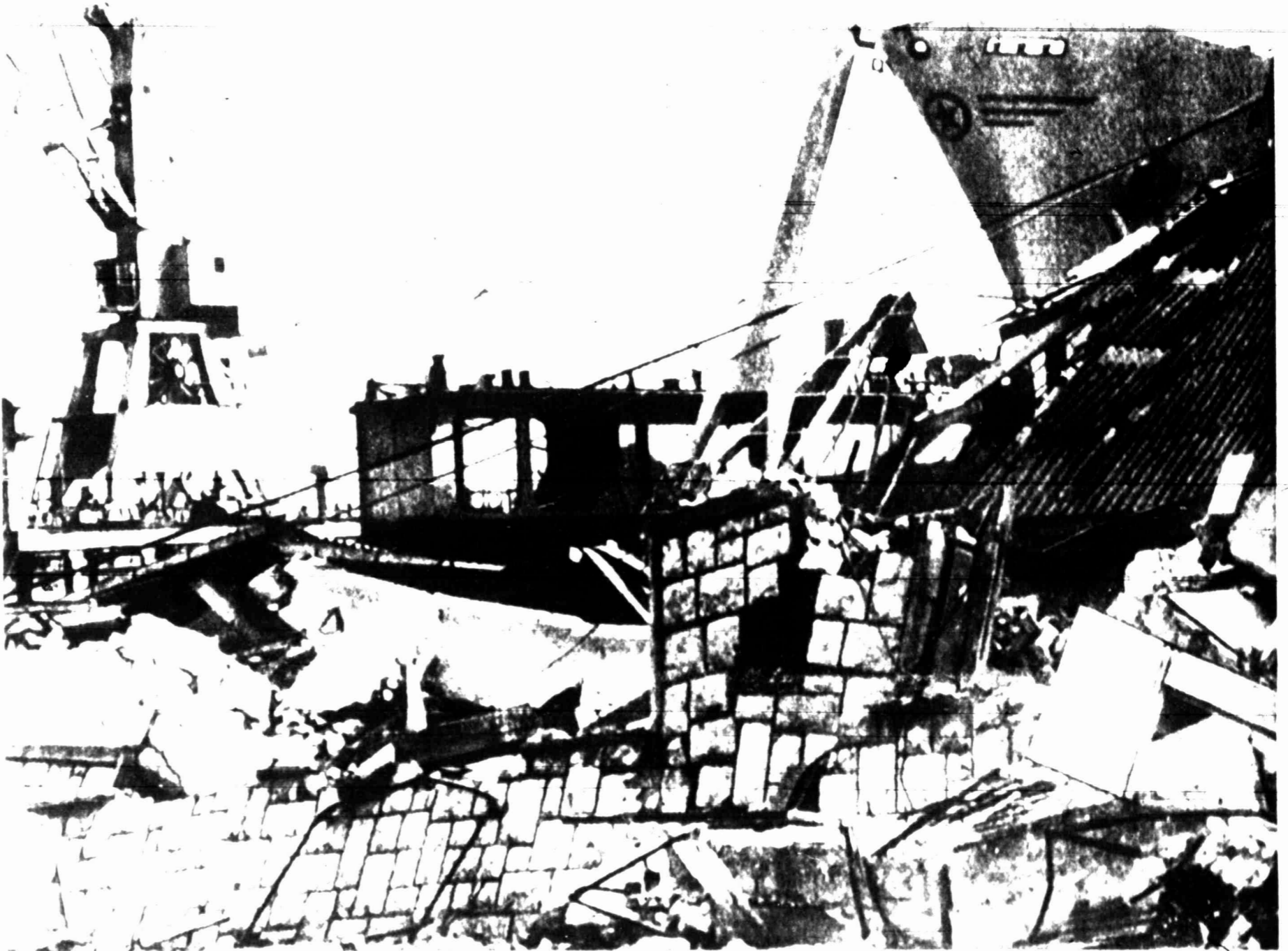
Mall's first permit issued

Midland's economy received a nearly \$9 million shot in the arm today when the first building permit for the proposed Midland Park Mall was issued. — The \$8,850,431 permit issued today allows permanent construction to begin on the central mall and Dillard's Department Store. — The regional shopping center at North Midkiff Road and FM 868 will occupy 750,000 square feet on a 64.48-acre site when completed next spring, spokesmen for developer Melvin Simon and Associates said. — Today's permit for 368,428 square feet includes 268,300 square feet for the mall area and 99,828 square feet for Dillard's, according to Midland building official J. B. Keaton. — Sears, Roebuck and Co., J. C. Penney and another department store will serve as the other major anchors of the mall. Separate building permits will be issued for those stores, Keaton noted. — Groundbreaking for the regional shopping center was held in September. Since then, ground preparation and other preliminary site work has been under way. — Construction is being handled by Kelley Nelson Construction Co. of Little Rock, Ark. — The 80-shop mall will include a 112,000-square-foot Sears store to replace the current store at Cuthbert and Midkiff roads. Sears is scheduled to be the largest of the tenants in the mall, according to the Simon and Associates spokesmen. — Next in size will be J. C. Penney with 100,000 square feet. — The Dillard's outlet will have a unique floor plan with a single traffic aisle that will permit shoppers to view all departments in the store with ease and accessibility, a Dillard's spokesman said at the September opening of the mall. — Developer Fred Simon, chairman of the fourth largest mall developer in the country, said Midland Park Mall will feature storerooms opening on to pedestrian arcades and shopper avenues with planter areas, seating arrangements and water fountains. — The fully lighted and landscaped parking area will have spaces for about 1,000 cars. — Midland leasing for the mall will be handled by Len Weinman, Heuer, Johns, Noel, Rivers and Webb of Monroe, La., prepared the basic architectural design of the mall.

30 people take unnecessary shots

By JOHN MOULDER Austin Bureau — AUSTIN — Through a rare human error in the State Health Department laboratory here, officials in six Texas cities were notified they had a rabies problem on their hands. — As a result, 30 persons unnecessarily began the long and involved inoculation procedure to avoid contracting the disease. — "It was one of those flukes," says Lon Gee, assistant deputy commissioner of health. "It has never happened before and we are sure it will never happen again." — The cities involved are San Angelo, Victoria, Bay City, Dayton in Liberty County, Hallettsville in Lavaca County and Bryan. Health officials in those cities sent severed heads of animals to the Health Department in Austin to be examined for rabies. The Health Department sent back word that the tests were "positive." — The error, according to Gee, occurred during a two-hour period on March 20. The goof was discovered a week later, but by then 30 people around the state had already begun the rabies vaccination process. — The error occurred, said Gee, after two severed animal heads were sent to the Austin laboratory in a single container. "We ended up with one more head than we had identification slips for," said Gee. — This started a series of errors in the labeling sequence. In all, the error affected the test reports on about 25 heads that were sent to the department. — "Fortunately they were all false positives. There were no false negatives. That's what really keeps you awake at night," said Gee. — But the biggest problem was in Bay City. The state erroneously reported that a puppy there was rabid. In Bay City alone, 23 persons who had handled the pup began taking the rabies shots. — In Victoria, three persons began the inoculations. — One person each began taking the shots in Hallettsville, Bryan, San

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The quay at the Yugoslav harbor of Bijela is a mass of rubble today following Easter Sunday earthquakes and a night of aftershocks that struck the Adriatic coast. The official Yugoslav news agency Tanjug places the death toll at more than 200 with hundreds of persons injured or still missing. Many deaths also were reported in Albania. (AP Laser-photo)

Easter earthquakes rock coast

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — Tens of thousands of Yugoslavs spent the night in the open after an earthquake Easter morning devastated more than 60 miles of Adriatic coastline in southern Yugoslavia and Albania and killed at least 233 persons. — Aftershocks continued through the night. — Belgrade Radio said there were more than 200 known dead in Yugoslavia. It said the Albanian news agency reported at least 35 persons killed and 50 injured in Albania, Yugoslavia's southern neighbor. — Doctors flown in from across Yugoslavia treated hundreds of injured in makeshift relief centers. Rescue workers, using specially trained dogs, searched more than a dozen coastal towns and villages for survivors or bodies buried in the rubble. Frogmen probed the coastal waters for persons whose homes slid into the sea. — The Seismological Institute in Belgrade said today that the original quake registered 6.5 on the Richter scale, revising previous reports that gauged the quake at 7.2 on the ground motion scale. It was the strongest quake ever recorded in Yugoslavia, although the toll was far less than that of the 1963 quake in Skopje, 100 miles to the east, in which more than 1,100 were killed. — Officials at the institute said the quake, which occurred at 7:20 a. m. Sunday, had the power of 10 million tons of explosives. Hardest hit was a coastal strip in southern Montenegro from the town of Herceg Novi on the north to Ulcinj, 10 miles from the Albanian frontier. — The initial 50-second shock tore open hotels, hospitals, factories and homes along the coast. Buildings and roads slid into the sea. There were waves of violent aftershocks, and by evening more than 80 tremors had been reported.

"There is not a single house that has not been damaged in one way or another in Herceg Novi," said Dusko Seferovic, mayor of the resort town on Kotor Bay. — Local officials said the quake leveled virtually all older buildings in 13 towns along the coast, a popular, sun-drenched tourist area. — All roads and most rail lines in the area were damaged and telephone, water and power lines were broken. — "The blow was tremendous," said the captain of a ship anchored a mile off the coastal town of Bar when the quake struck. "At first I thought some other ship had collided with us or we ran aground." — Vojislav Savic, who was riding in a bus near Petrovac, said he saw "a church wall crumble and others followed. Smoke rose, as if from a volcano. The sea turned red from the Earth." — President Josip Broz Tito, who was vacationing near Herceg Novi, visited the stricken area and ordered aides to mobilize rescue and relief operations. — "It was lucky it was not a working day," the 86-year-old president said, surveying a shipyard buried in a landslide. — "Many families sustained a tragedy and these losses cannot be recovered," Tito said in a broadcast appeal to the nation for help. — Belgrade scientists said the focal point of the quake was in the Adriatic seabed off the coastal resort city of Dubrovnik, just north of the hardest-hit zone. They said it originated about 12 miles underground, causing damage to be spread over a larger area than the Skopje quake, which was three miles beneath the surface, localizing the impact but making it more concentrated.

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Weather

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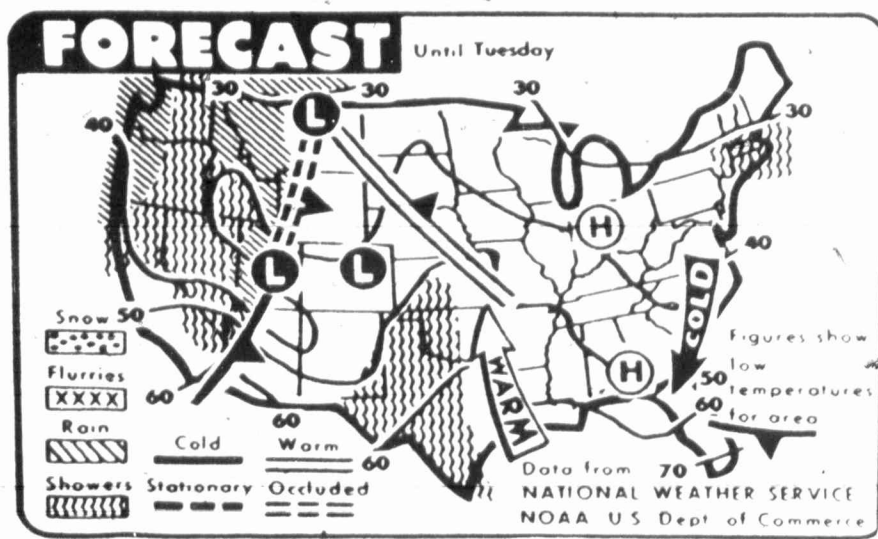
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Tornado damage called 'almost incredible'

WICHITA FALLS, Texas (AP) — National Red Cross officials toured this tornado-stricken North Texas city Easter Sunday and termed the damage "almost incredible." — "I'm terribly sorry I had to visit Wichita Falls under these circumstances," said Red Cross national Chairman Jerome P. Holland, who flew over the devastated eight-square-mile area. — "From the helicopter, the extent of the damage is almost incredible. It's going to be hard to give a real accurate picture to other board members of the damage," Holland said. — The massive twister killed at least 44 persons and injured 600 Tuesday. It was the worst of a series of tornadoes that chewed across both sides of the Red River, killing a total of 54 persons in Texas and another three in Oklahoma.

Property damage was set at \$204 million in Wichita Falls alone. — Disaster relief centers were opened during the weekend here and in Vernon, and officials began bringing in house trailers for the homeless. — Wichita Falls, a city of 94,000, remains under a curfew, officials estimate the restricted hours will remain in effect 10 more days. So far, 25 persons have been arrested for looting, and 32 others have been jailed for violating the curfew. — The casualties of the storm included 10 churches, but their congregations were absorbed by other churches in the city as residents sought comfort and strength in Easter Sunday services. — More than 2,400 persons attended a city-wide service titled "The Dawn of a New Day" at the municipal auditorium while another 500 sat through services in their cars at a wrecked drive-in theater. — "I don't believe the storm was the Lord's work, but I think the Lord's work will come from the storm," the Rev. Ted Savage told his Faith Baptist Church congregation of about 500. Many wept. — "I think that we are going to be closer and stronger because of this," said minister Jack Dial of the Evangel Temple Assembly of God. — "Our building is gone, but our church is still alive and here. We have the most important thing still with us. We still have our faith." — Dial said the tornado was "God testing our faith." Dressed in everything from Easter Sunday best to ragged blue jeans, the congregation sang hymns and clapped hands. — Nearby, members of the Southwest Baptist Church pulled into the Seymour Drive In Theater where the Rev. Larry D. Lilly preached to them from a flat bed truck. — Red Cross officials released revised figures Sunday showing the twister damaged or destroyed at least 6,711 structures in Wichita County. — The report said 2,566 homes were destroyed, another 879 had major damage, and minor damage hit 1,659 homes. In addition, 84 mobile homes were destroyed, 1,274 apartment units were destroyed, 170 apartment units were damaged, and 79 businesses were destroyed.

WEATHER SUMMARY



Rain and showers are expected in the forecast period until Tuesday morning for most of Texas and much of the West Coast. The Atlantic Coast is expected to be cooler, but most areas will be warmer.

Midland statistics

MIDLAND, ODESSA, BIG LAKE, HANKIN, GARDEN CITY FORECAST. Partly cloudy through Tuesday with a chance of afternoon and evening thundershowers. Not so warm Tuesday. Low tonight in the upper 50s, high Tuesday in the low 80s. South to southeast winds decreasing to 5 to 10 mph tonight. Probability of rain 30 percent tonight and Tuesday.

The weather elsewhere

Table listing weather conditions for various cities including Albany, Albuquerque, Amarillo, Anchorage, etc.

National weather service readings

Yesterday's High: 54 degrees, Overnight Low: 31 degrees, Sunset today: 7:18 p.m., Sunrise tomorrow: 6:18 a.m.

Local temperatures

Table showing local temperatures at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 12 noon, 2 p.m., 4 p.m., and 6 p.m.

Southwest temperatures

Table showing southwest temperatures for cities like Abilene, Denver, Amarillo, El Paso, etc.

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday with scattered showers and thundershowers mainly south. Not quite so warm Tuesday. Low tonight lower 50s to the mid 60s. High Tuesday upper 70s and lower 80s except low 90s in the Big Bend.

North Texas

Increasing cloudiness and continued warm tonight and Tuesday. Widely scattered thundershowers extreme west tonight and central and west Tuesday. High Tuesday in the 80s. Low tonight 60 to 62.

South Texas

Partly cloudy and warm through Tuesday. Intermittent drizzle late tonight over the coastal plains and South Central Texas. Widely scattered thundershowers over the western half of the region Tuesday. High Tuesday in the 80s except low 90s in the southwest. Low tonight upper 60s to mid 70s.

Extended forecasts

Wednesday-Friday: West Texas: Windy with a chance of showers and thundershowers most sections Wednesday, becoming fair and not so warm later part of the week. Highs in the 80s except 90s in extreme southwest on Wednesday, cooling to the north 80s, southwest by Friday. Low 50s and 60s, cooling to 40s and 50s by Friday.

North Texas

Increasing cloudiness Tuesday. Partly cloudy Wednesday through Thursday. Scattered showers and thundershowers spreading a new area from west to east Wednesday night and Thursday. Warmer nighttime temperatures, seasonably warm days. Highest temperatures near or below the low.

South Texas

Mostly cloudy with a chance of thundershowers Wednesday and Thursday. Decreasing cloudiness and a little cooler with showers ending Friday. Highs mostly 80s, Wednesday and Thursday and 70s Friday. Low 70s to the 80s except 70s along the coast and in the lower Rio Grande valley.

Jackson 'sandbagging, praying'

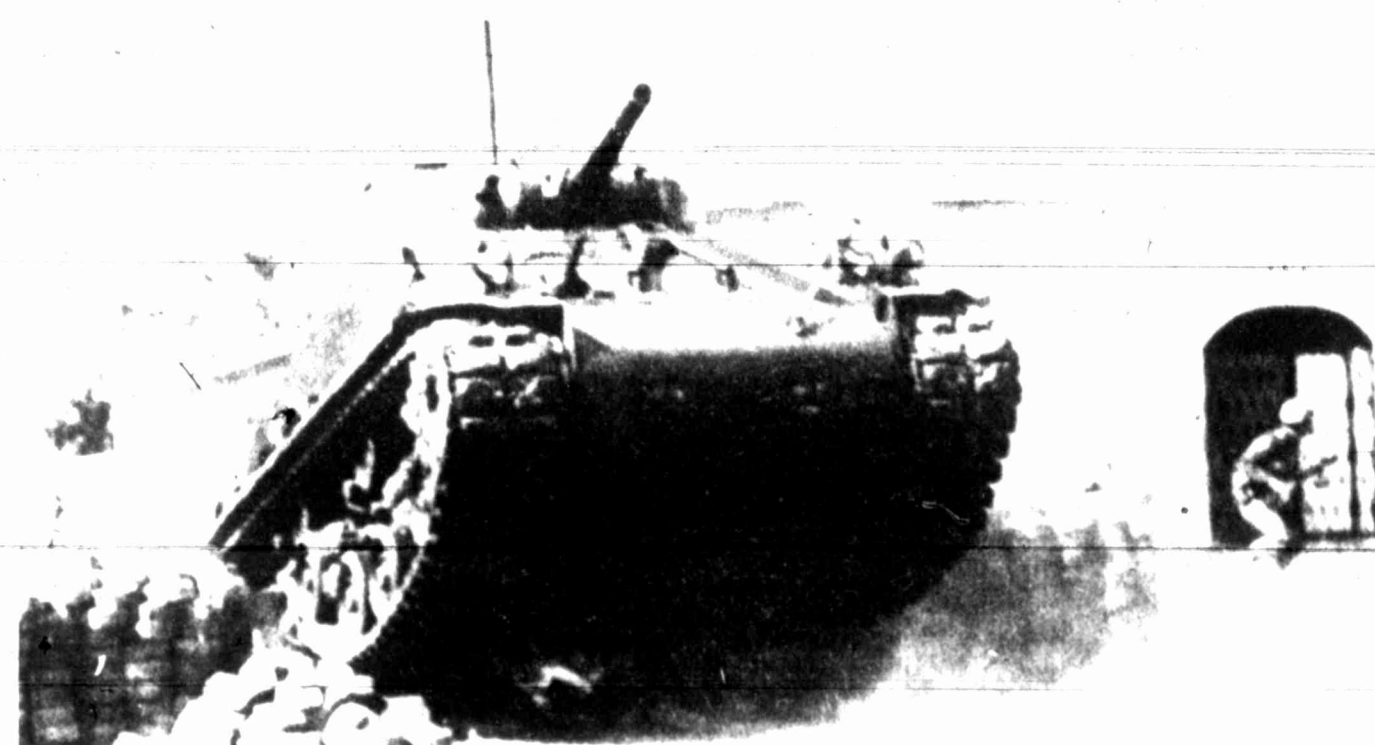
Flooding forces thousands from Mississippi homes

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) — Workers frantically piled sandbags along muddy levees today to try to contain record flooding of the Pearl River which has forced thousands from their homes and inundated the city's new \$48 million sewage treatment plant.

dirt-laden dump trucks and emergency vehicles and sightseers searched for routes into flooded sections. The National Weather Service said it expected the river to stabilize today after more than two days of relief from heavy rainfall that saturated most of Mississippi, Georgia and Alabama last week.

Spring showers possible for Permian Basin

Summer temperatures may be showing on the thermometer, but spring showers still are a possibility tonight and Tuesday, the weatherman said.



A World War II vintage Sherman tank crashes through barricades erected by leftist guerrillas in the northern Nicaraguan city of Esteli as the National Guard drove into the rebel stronghold Saturday.

Texas thermometer

Table showing high and low temperatures for various Texas cities like Abilene, Amarillo, Austin, etc.

Uganda remains a no-man's-land following overthrow of Idi Amin

KAMPALA, Uganda (AP) — Thousands of Ugandans are reported fleeing east into Kenya to escape looting and killing in eastern and northern Uganda, still a no-man's-land following the overthrow of Idi Amin.

Three hurt in accident near Penwell

ODESSA — Three Lovington, N.M., men were injured Sunday afternoon when the pickup they were in left the road and rolled two complete times near Penwell, Department of Public Safety officials said.

Odessa police probing armed robbery of store

ODESSA — Odessa police are investigating the armed robbery of a convenience store in the 2700 block of North Dixie St. here at 3:54 a.m. today.

Esteli residents tell of atrocities

ESTELI, Nicaragua (AP) — Blood-stained sidewalks, broken glass and spent cartridge cases littered the streets of Esteli as residents told of atrocities by President Anastasio Somoza's army during the week-long fight to take the city from leftist guerrillas.

DEATHS

Mrs. E. Valencia

BIG SPRING — Rosary for Mrs. Eleuterio (Cruz) Valencia, 70, of Big Spring will be said at 7:30 p.m. today in Nalley Pickle Funeral Home.

Ruby I. Vaughan

Services for Ruby I. Vaughan, 77, of 1600 N. Fort Worth St. were to be at 10 a.m. today in Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home with Dr. Harold Cates, pastor of St. Marks Methodist Church, officiating.

Funeral Home

Mrs. Stillely was born April 29, 1905. She moved to Midland in 1970. She was past worthy matron of the Eastern Star and a member of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church. Her husband, John C. Stillely, died in 1973.

Ruth H. Stillely

Ruth H. Stillely, 73, of 2106 N. H St. died Sunday in a Midland hospital. Services will be 2 p.m. Tuesday in Holy Trinity Episcopal Church with the Rev. Sam Hulvey officiating assisted by the Rev. Darrell Manley of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park directed by Newnie W. Ellis.

Rabies diagnosis 'just lab's fluke'

Angelo and Dayton. The Texas Health Department laboratory makes more rabies tests on animal heads than any other lab in the country, Gee said.

HOME DELIVERY

Table showing home delivery rates for different subscription periods and services.

Taxman, who fills out his own long return, awaiting refund

most people have to say that it's a fair system and that it is not by any objective standard a very steep tax system," he said. People in many other countries pay far more, he noted.

Odessa police probing armed robbery of store

ODESSA — Odessa police are investigating the armed robbery of a convenience store in the 2700 block of North Dixie St. here at 3:54 a.m. today.

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(Stations reserve the right to make last-minute changes.)

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9:00	Of Second Avenue	Lou Grant	Won	24 Horas	Movie: "Edge Of	Bill Moyers' Journal	Ross
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12:00	Tomorrow	Movie "McMillan"	Of Arabia" Part 1		To Far Side Of The Sun"	Am. Story	

Explosion hits cultural center

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — An explosion blew in the main entrance to the John F. Kennedy Cultural Center in Beirut early today but a spokesman for the U.S. Embassy said there were no casualties.

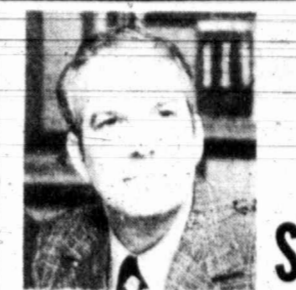
The blast occurred shortly after midnight, and there was no one at the two-story library in the Moslem sector of the Lebanese capital, the spokesman said.

It was the second attack on an American government building in Beirut since Egypt and Israel signed their peace treaty under President Carter's auspices at the White House on March 26.

On April 2, two rocket grenades damaged the first and fifth floors of the U.S. Embassy building, which is also in the Moslem sector. There

also were no casualties in that attack.

The explosion today blew the cultural center's front door apart, dug a crater 3 feet in diameter in front of the entrance, brought down a few bookshelves on the ground floor of the library, broke some windows and put the elevator out of commission.



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Fonda again in hospital

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actor Henry Fonda, who just returned from a one-week hospital stay in Chicago, has been admitted to Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, hospital officials said.

Fonda entered the hospital Sunday night for tests and observation of the same affliction that kept him hospitalized in Chicago — "inflammatory arthritis of the left hip," said spokesman Robert Powell.

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Fanciful speculation

Inevitably, the morning-after light on the new U.S.-China relationship has illuminated some disconcerting realities for the United States.

In the immediate aftermath of President Carter's normalization of relations with Peking last December, important segments of the American business community waxed enthusiastic over chances for a trade bonanza. China's plans to modernize its economic base and transform the country into an industrial giant by the year 2000 only encouraged such fanciful speculation.

After all, Vice Chairman Ding Xiaoping and other Chinese leaders were talking in terms of \$600 billion in modernization investments by 1985. Anything close to that figure would require huge imports of industrial products and technology with much of the business going to American companies.

Alas, it now appears the Chinese vastly overestimated the capital they will have to devote to modernization. Either that or they deliberately exaggerated the potential of their overseas buying spree in an effort to bring domestic pressure on President Carter to speed diplomatic recognition of Peking.

At any rate, China has substantially reduced the projected pace of its modernization drive. Plans to double steel production by 1985 have been cut back to a hoped-for 50 percent increase. Almost \$5 billion in actual or anticipated orders for Japanese industrial equipment and technology, including oil drilling gear, have been cancelled or put on indefinite hold.

A Central Intelligence Agency study presently making the rounds of corporate headquarters in the United States expresses serious reservations about China's ability to pay for, or absorb, the industrial products and technology it desires.

China's foreign currency reserves stand at just \$2.5 billion. Peking's hopes of earning significant amounts of foreign capital through oil exports are dimming. Exploiting China's petroleum reserves will require time and substantial investment. As increased oil production comes on line, much of it will go to satisfy China's own growing energy needs.

China's ability, and willingness, to borrow to finance its purchases abroad form the subject of heated debate. The U.S. Commerce

Department estimates China's borrowing capacity at up to \$25 billion. Tokyo's estimate — or is it wishful thinking? — is closer to \$200 billion.

But even if it borrowed enough to import what it wants, China's capacity to absorb all this sophisticated technology is questionable. Due in part to damage inflicted on the country's educational system during the turmoil of the Cultural Revolution, China has only about 60,000 trained scientists and engineers. Skilled workers also are in critically short supply.

The economic reality of China is that its agricultural sector is so backward it must employ 70 percent of the country's work force. Even the Soviet Union gets by with 26 percent of its work force engaged in agriculture. The comparable figure for the United States is three percent.

And China's most modern industrial plants are anywhere from 10 to 30 years out of date.

Barring massive international charity or China's equally unlikely transformation from socialism to a more efficient economic system, the pace of modernization is likely to be slow — much more so than had been anticipated by the eager industrial equipment merchants of Japan and the Western countries.

And while profits will be made selling China the tools of modernization, not many in Japan or the West will get rich quick.

But one must admit that Vice Chairman Deng Xiaoping and his entourage had a marvelous time shopping in the United States, at the expense of U.S. industrialists. And that's the way it goes these days, with the White House making the arrangements.

Mark Russell says

Pope John II urgently reaffirmed the doctrine of celibacy for all priests and governors of California.

Liberals may grumble, but celibacy enables a governor to perform his duties more efficiently.

A Vatican spokesman said, "Too many governors are asking to be released from celibacy in times of crisis and African safaris."

However, none of this applies to governor Jerry Brown who has only taken the vow of expediency.



CHARLEY REESE No escape from fact we live in a nuclear age

By CHARLEY REESE Sun Belt Syndicate



Charley Reese

ORLANDO, Fla. — The accident at the Three Mile Island nuclear power plant has already taught us one lesson. The nuclear industry is prepared to deal with a serious nuclear accident; government and the news media are not.

It is also true, that despite the panicky statements by assorted politicians and propagandists, that more people get sick watching Jane Fonda movies than get sick from radiation at Harrisburg, Pa.

The incident did not, I repeat, did not in any way justify the anti-capitalist propaganda in the socialist thriller, "The China Syndrome," the point of which was not that nuclear accidents can happen but that evil, greedy businessmen would recklessly endanger human life for the sake of a buck.

Harrisburg proved the opposite. While various politicians made keynotes out of themselves trying to say something sensational enough to grab a headline, the management and employees at the Three Mile Island plant worked calmly and heroically to bring a dangerous situation under control.

When they succeeded, you could see the disappointment on the faces of the anti-nuclear crowd whose opposition to nuclear power has nothing to do with the realities of the situation. My own trade didn't show up to

well. They were grabbing anybody and everybody who would open their mouths and obviously scooped up quite a few who didn't know what they were talking about. There was evidence, too, of the old tendency to add a touch more drama than perhaps the bare facts justified.

Nobody has ever contended that a nuclear power plant is a risk-free proposition. What many of us have contended is that the benefits outweigh the risks and that the emotional and mental runts who march about demonstrating against nuclear energy greatly exaggerate the risks.

It is rather foolish to get so excited about a nuclear reactor when there are over 14,000 nuclear warheads poised on top of missiles and in the bellies of bombers in different parts of the world.

The fact is no source of energy is risk-free, including solar which is the energy source of hurricanes and tornadoes. Tornadoes kill an average of 214 Americans every year. Hurricanes cause damage measured in the millions of dollars.

Fossil fuel explosions kill people regularly and if fossil fuel "wastes" aren't dangerous, then the Environmental Protection Agency has wasted a lot of our money diddling around with cars and fossil fuel power plants.

When fossil fuels exploded in Texas City, Tex., on April 16, 1947, killing 561 people, nobody suddenly called for the closing down of American ports. Coal mine accidents continue to claim human life and no doubt someone somewhere has fallen off a windmill and broken his neck.

So it's rather pointless to talk about possibilities and worst cases. The proper focus should be on probabilities and risk-benefit. There are about 170 nuclear reactors producing electricity around the world and about 70 of them are in the U.S. Their safety record has been good.

The time to demonstrate against nuclear energy was prior to the completion of the Manhattan Project. Of course even if anyone had known enough to demonstrate, it would have been futile since so many people were working on the problem it was bound to be solved. We live in a nuclear age and there is no escape from it. Therefore we must come to terms with it, not run from it in blind panic simply because it is more difficult to understand than a coal furnace or more dangerous.

More importantly, we should not allow ideologically-motivated people to poison the atmosphere by ascribing evil motives to the people in the nuclear industry. People in that industry are no different from people in government, education, the ministry or the press — they are just people, most of them decent and well-intentioned and not a one of them omniscient or infallible.

Before I ran to government to protect me, I think I'd meditate on the fact that nuclear power in private hands hasn't killed anybody but nuclear power in government hands has killed thousands.

Most of these anti-business types have never had any direct experience with business. They've gotten their information from the classroom or the movie screen or from a novel. If you want to have a people-judging contest, I'll give you 10-to-1 odds you'll fine more morality, more emotional stability, and more honesty in the business world than you will in entertainment, communications or government.

Socialists naturally see businessmen as devils. Their religious theory depends on it and they are no more likely to be objective about businessmen than a Baptist preacher is about a lesbian, atheistic go-go-dancer.

The rest of us, however, are better served by granting businessmen the same presumption of innocence we grant common thieves and murderers and not jump to conclusions in the absence of evidence.

I've already heard people accuse plant officials in Harrisburg of lying, but there is no public evidence that they did anything but tell the truth as best they knew it at each stage of the developments.

That's more than you can say for Jane Fonda and the anti-nuke rabble.

WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

Ecuador Indians tell of torture



By JACK ANDERSON

WASHINGTON — A bitter struggle between Indians and encroaching white settlers is taking place right now in the mountain jungles of eastern Ecuador. Some of the whites' tactics sound disturbingly like the brutal repression of our own native Americans in the Old West a century ago.

Michael, a Danish researcher working with several international human rights groups, recently investigated charges of politically motivated, government-condoned torture of members of the Shuar Indian tribe. We located him with the help of the Council on Hemispheric Affairs, and he made his report available to our reporter Bob Sherman. It did not make pleasant reading.

The Shuars, a fiercely proud tribe that once practiced headhunting, occupy more than 100 villages along Ecuador's eastern frontier with Peru. The tribe became ranchers and has claimed title to thousands of acres of previously unclaimed land.

The Shuar land was considered undesirable until recently. But improved agricultural technology and the possibility of oil deposits drew white settlers into the remote area. They were encouraged by the central government in Quito, which initiated a homesteading program.

Michael's report details the arrest, torture and detention without trial of two Shuar adults and two minors, suspected of a murder last August. Provincial authorities produced signed confessions from the prisoners.

Michael visited the suspects and reported the following:

Alfonso Cruz, youngest of the prisoners, told Michael that "they had been hung by their thumbs and beaten with gun barrels, and that electric shock torture had been applied to the tips of their tongues as well as the fingertips, their genitals and their anuses."

Shortly after their arrest, the prisoners were forced to eat approximately a pound of salt, following which they became violently ill.

Faced with additional torture, the Indians signed confessions, which they have since recanted.

Local authorities denied the Indians' accusations of torture, and explained the prisoners' frail physical condition to Michael by saying, "The boys suffered from anemia."

The Ecuadorian government is proud of its human rights record. After eight years of military dictatorship, democratic elections are set for this month.

But the Shuar Indians are miles from the Quito government's effective control, and our sources say the "law of the Old West" prevails in the Shuar territory. Nevertheless, the central government assured us that "if we find any member of our police force behaved in this matter against the law then he will be processed and punished."

And the Shuars have warned the government they will fight. "You will have to burn the trees covering our lands, dry the rivers, erase from our minds all that is Shuar," the Indians declared, "and to that the whole world will never agree."

ANOTHER SONGBIRD? Within the next year, the Justice Department may decide to let its top underworld songbird, James Fratianno, go public. If he is allowed to sing out, the Mafia will be thrown into a panic.

Fratianno, a confessed hit man for the mob and the one-time head of a West Coast "family," is currently helping the government in a murder case. He has been described to us as "bigger than Joe Valachi" in terms of what he knows about Mafia operations.

We have just seen still-confidential government wiretap transcripts from the early 1960s, when Valachi was regaling a televised Senate committee hearing with the enthralling details of the Cosa Nostra's inner workings. Valachi died in 1971, still in protective custody, to prevent gangland retribution.

Consider this plaintive conversation between John Masiello and Anthony "Hickey" DiLorenzo on Sept. 27, 1963: Masiello: "He (Valachi) is going to make it hot for everybody."

DiLorenzo: "They (the government) are going to harass people and are definitely going to try to pass that wire-tapping law. If they ever get that law passed, forget about it. They probably have miles of tape that they put together."

Masiello: "It isn't a free country anymore."

According to an Oct. 16, 1963, transcript, Chicago mobster Sam Giancana "has issued instructions to all political associates to discontinue their practice of attending weddings and funerals of hoodlum families."

Another transcript reports that Midwest crime boss Joseph Zerilli "has ordered all Detroit Italian numbers syndicate operations closed ... as a result of the Valachi hearings." A March 1964 transcript reports that Charles Luciere, "consigliere" of a Brooklyn Mafia family, "tells an FBI informant that money was being gathered to fight Valachi's testimony."

A September 1963 transcript of a conversation between Buffalo mobster Stefano Magaddino and associates notes: "Magaddino's concerned over the fact that some time in the past he had told Valachi about a murder that he, Magaddino, had committed."

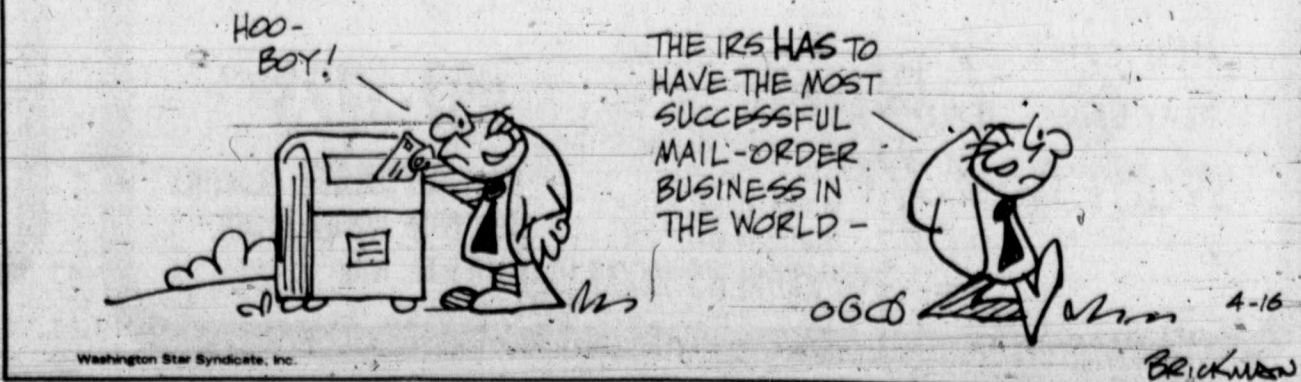
Valachi's effect on the mob was stunning. But if Fratianno is allowed to sing, the Mafia will be reminded of Al Johnson's cocky response to audience applause: "You ain't heard nothin' yet!"

BIBLE VERSE

"Let these sayings sink down into your ears for the Son of man shall be delivered into the hands of men." — Luke 9:44.

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INSIDE REPORT:

Is Gov. Jerry Brown tough enough to be president?

By ROWLAND EVANS AND ROBERT NOVAK



Evans

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WASHINGTON — On the morning after his self-inflicted humiliation in New Hampshire, Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr. telephoned the notorious William Loeb of the Manchester (N.H.) Union-Leader, inadvertently multiplying new doubts about his capability to challenge Jimmy Carter for the Democratic presidential nomination.

Although he had bowed to pressure the previous evening and cancelled his testimony in favor of a constitutional amendment to enforce balanced federal budgets, Brown told publisher Loeb he would like to return to New Hampshire to push the measure. Since the state's Democratic establishment views Loeb as a right-wing devil figure, Brown was sending them a message of defiance and contempt.

But he was also making an unintended revelation. If he truly had not backed away from his uphill fight for the constitutional amendment in Concord, why did he not deliver his testimony? Because he was stared down by a tough provincial politician named Chris Spiro, minority leader of the New Hampshire House of Representatives.

The valid question: Is Jerry Brown tough enough to run against the incumbent president of his own party? Does he have the inner resources of a Eugene McCarthy or a Ronald Reagan, each of whom challenged incumbents of their own party despite the abuse heaped on an insurgent? That may be the real meaning of

mary as Loeb's candidate. Brown tried to fight back. Dr. Steve Kemijl, who runs the "Greek-American Committee for Justice and Human Rights in Cyprus," telegraphed Spiro (who is Greek-American) requesting courteous treatment of Brown as "pro-Greek" in contrast with Carter's "pro-Turkish actions." Spiro's tough response: leaking the telegram to Alan Baron's political newsletter.

As Brown's April 2 appearance came closer, the governor grew more nervous. Brown aide Grey Davis called Spiro twice, followed by a call from Brown himself. Stay home, Spiro insisted. Brown responded by asking for a meeting with Spiro in Concord before he testified.

Brown the fly thereby invited himself into the parlor of Spiro the spider. Even worse, the governor at the eleventh hour inexplicably decided to take not a single aide.

"I cleared the decks and opened up the guns of Navarone on him," an exuberant Spiro told us. How? By informing Brown that the hearing procedure snubbed just-elected Democratic Gov. Hugh Gallen (a Carter supporter and amendment foe). Brown accepted this as a pretext for capitulation.

Surrender did not buy him kindness. Gallen publicly accused Brown of trashing the U.S. Constitution. Spiro compared Brown's Concord expedition to Gen. Custer's trip West. "We were very kind to him, considering what he deserved," Spiro told us.

When Gene McCarthy announced against President Lyndon B. Johnson,

Robert F. Kennedy told us McCarthy would have a chance in New Hampshire only by ignoring the state's regular Democratic leadership — their threats and their sensibilities. McCarthy did so, and ran well. Brown did not. Seeking detente with Spiro, he ended up surrendering. The call to Loeb was tacit admission of his weakness the night before.

Brown's advisers say bravely that the bare-knuckled treatment in Concord is now backfiring, and cite new Democratic support from the state legislature to prove it. But one legislator previously leaning toward Brown told us: "I was struck that he didn't have much presence of mind."

More important is the fact that Chris Spiro is only the first of myriad hard-nosed politicians Brown must confront if he persists in trying to bring down a president. That is something for him to contemplate on his romantic safari.

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By PATSY GORDON Lifestyle Writer

The Woman's Wednesday Club will be hostess to Midland Woman's Club active, shareholding, patron, life and sustaining members and their guests Thursday at 11:30 a.m.

The program to be held at the Hogan Park clubhouse will be provided by "The Sonshiners," a nine-member ladies' ensemble of First Baptist Church. The group performs frequently for church and civic groups in Midland and surrounding areas. They are directed by Doris Bruce, organist-music associate at the church, under the music ministry of David Campbell, minister of music.

SUSAN V. DAVIS of Midland has been initiated into the Texas A&M University chapter of Mortar Board, an honor society for seniors who have exhibited excellence in academics, leadership and public service.

Mortar Board, founded in 1915, was the first organization honoring senior college women in the United States. The national group initiated its first male members in 1975, as a result of Title IX legislation.

The Texas A&M University chapter, the 183rd of the national organization, initiated 34 members during the ceremony.

Ms. Davis is majoring in environmental design and psychology.

CRAIG Y. NEELEY, whose wife, Rhonda, lives in Midland, recently was promoted to Army private first class while serving as a behavioral science specialist with the 2nd Armored Division at Fort Hood.

Neeley entered the Army in June, 1978. He is a 1978 graduate of Henry High School, Minneapolis, Minn.

PAT HARRIS of Midland placed in the American Forensics Association's national individual events tournament last weekend in Ames, Iowa.

She was a member of the Odessa College team which placed 13 overall against 71 other colleges and universities. OC was one of only two junior colleges qualifying for the competition.

Pat took eighth for OC in impromptu speaking. Judges awarded first through twelfth places in each event.

More than 800 forensics students from colleges and universities in 39 states competed.

STEVE MORSE of Midland was selected an outstanding student in his section of Automotive/Diesel Mechanics classes at South Plains College.

Steve, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morse of Midland, was named Outstanding Student in Section AM 1402 by his instructor at the Automotive/Diesel Mechanics banquet recently.

MARALEE BUTTERY AND BLAKE STANFORD, both of Midland, have been employed to work in the state capitol at Austin.

Both graduates of Lee High School, they are students at Southwestern University and began their work as student interns.

Miss Buttery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Buttery, of 3216 Frontier St., is a Brown Scholar and a member of Delta Zeta sorority at Southwestern. She is working on two degrees, a bachelor of arts in history and a bachelor of social sciences in political science. The son of Alma Jo Stanford, of 2014 Bedford, Stanford is a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity and is also majoring in political science.

JUDY TUTOR, chairman of the Share-A-Meal program, reports the number of persons served has increased from 35 to 48.

The program is sponsored by St. Paul United Methodist Church, with the assistance of Covenant Presbyterian Church, Hollowell United Methodist Church donated 35 barbecue dinners to the program.

DON'T FORGET Tuesday's talk by Prudence Mackintosh at the Midland Community Theatre.

The program, sponsored by Midland Junior League, begins at 10:45 a.m. and is open to the public.

Ms. Mackintosh, a contributing editor to Texas Monthly magazine, will speak on Texas women. She has also appeared in Redbook, D Magazine, The Dallas Morning News and The Washington Star.

Ms. Mackintosh received the Penney-Missouri Award for excellence in lifestyle journalism in 1976. She excels in writing about contemporary family life.



Students at Antioch Baptist Church Day Care Center modeled fashions at a recent benefit style show. Standing front row from the left are Melvin Dunson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Griffith, and Cecily Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Moore. Back row includes Damon Cole, son of Ocie Cole, and Chane Gildon, daughter of Elvetta Gildon. Groups in the cradle roll, beginner's and pre-kindergarten departments modeled. Spring fashions for children spell comfort and beauty. Colors are bright and springy. (Staff Photo)

She's happy in dumps

By BARBARA BASLER AP Newsfeatures

Dorothy Parker is never happier than when she is down in the dumps. That's because Mrs. Parker has decorated her whole house with items found in the dump, under the garbage and on the sidewalks.

And in her new book, "Ms. Pinchpenny's Guide to Interior Decorating," Mrs. Parker shows the reader how the old, the broken and the obsolete can be turned into useful, even tasteful treasures.

While Mrs. Parker is a firm believer in old materials, she has little use for old, cliched gimmicks. Putting candles in chianti bottles and turning wooden coffee mills into lamps is not her idea of the innovative use of discards.

These "conversions" are just other forms of hackneyed triteness, her book maintains.

"Sometimes," she warns, "even the scavenger or do-it-yourselfer lacks imagination in his decoration. He uses everything he finds or makes precisely as it is intended."

In the Parker home, then, that coffee grinder may end up as a coat-hook, while those candles stand in old coils of wire or blocks of cork.

If those ideas seem odd, they don't stand out in the Parker guide—not in a book where a section of picket fence serves as a headboard, a plastic dish-drainer holds office files, and a welcome mat serves as a bathroom rug.

"If you want to become an amateur interior designer on a tight budget, loosen up your notion of what things are for," the guide advises.

And remember, the book adds, you can change not only the function of a piece of junk but also the junk itself. Don't pass up an item just because it doesn't fit your decorating scheme perfectly. Remember that color, finish or covering can be changed, and most damage can be repaired.

Indeed, according to Mrs. Parker, the damage to cast-offs is often minimal. She says Americans have an odd, even disturbing propensity for throwing away furniture and knickknacks with only one piece missing, "and the piece is usually not all that vital or irreplaceable."

A perfectly good upholstered chair, for example, may be put out for the trashman simply because it lacks one four-inch leg, which is no big project to replace, she points out.

Of course, useful items may be found not only in your neighbor's trash, but in your own, as well, the guide says. An old bedspread may become new curtains, and an aged tablecloth can be turned into pillow.

Fantasy called good for kids

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — Fantasy and folklore can be powerful and beneficial influences during childhood, believes Gertrude Herman, library-school professor at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

In a course in storytelling and oral literature she passes her belief on to students who are or will be librarians and teachers.

"As we write more realistic stories for children about death, drugs and divorce, college students are fascinated by tales of fairies, gnomes and hobbits," she says. "Maybe they're telling us they missed something."

cases or a mattress cover for a baby's bed.

And for Mrs. Parker herself, "a length of burnt-orange twill has been a cape, a pillow sham, a blouse, and, finally, a collection of pot holders."

The guide teaches that ingenuity may be used not only to create but to camouflage, and so for Mrs. Parker, an imperfection is an invitation. For instance, if floorboards are rotted in one spot, rather than putting down a new floor, pull up the rotted section.

Next sink a window box or metal trough into the hole. Either of these can be used to hold plants or a collection of shells and rocks, the guide advises.

In her book, Mrs. Parker tells the reader how to apply a scavenger's skills to furnish, decorate and maintain every room in the house. Additionally, each chapter is sprinkled with how-to guides that teach the reader to build everything from a bunk bed to a sofa.

And, of course, if the reader wants to know how to make a chair out of a pickle barrel, or a lamp out of two colanders, the step-by-step instructions are here.

"Ms. Pinchpenny's Book of Interior Design," by Dorothy Parker. Van Nostrand Reinhold, \$12.95.

Weekend artist spends weekdays as senator

WASHINGTON (AP) — His wife won't let him paint in the apartment and he never sells any of his canvases, but Sen. Warren Magnuson still spends his weekends with brushes and oils, as he has for 25 years.

The 74-year-old Washington Democrat has spent the last 42 years serving in Congress, including a stint from 1937 to 1944 in the House.

Now, as president pro tempore of the Senate, he is third in line for the presidency.

His painting time is squeezed in among the demands of his duties.

"When you just get weekends, you don't go at it seriously," said Magnuson.

"My wife won't let me paint in the apartment. I have to wait until a nice weekend. Then I go out on the balcony where I can throw the paint around."

His audience is limited to close friends and a few hundred people who get Christmas cards showing reproductions of his artwork.

Some of his works are displayed at home, but none at the office, and you won't find any in galleries or art sales.

"I never sold any and I never intend to," Magnuson says.

Magnuson's subjects are varied. A sampling of cards over a dozen years shows snow scenes, a manger and many seascapes — boats at dock, gulls hovering over a windswept sea, or a lighthouse.

DEAR ABBY



By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: My wife and I divorced after a 20-year marriage. My girlfriend has been living with me for the last nine months.

My eldest son, 19, has his girlfriend living with him, and the problem is that his girlfriend does not like my girlfriend at all. My son and his girlfriend told me they are getting married in July. They've made wedding plans and have decided that my ex-wife and I will be invited, but neither of us is allowed to bring a date. This plainly means the girl I live with is not invited.

I am ready to tell them that if I can't bring my girlfriend, I will not attend, either. My girlfriend is so hurt that I'm not even sure she'd go if they changed their minds and invited her.

I'm leaving the decision up to you.

MIXED-UP MESS DEAR MIXED-UP: First find out whether your son and his fiancée will change their minds and invite your girlfriend. If they won't, and you want a good relationship with your son, go

Male pill may be used in China

BOSTON (AP) — A birth control pill for men may be approved for general use in the People's Republic of China later this year, a visiting Chinese professor says.

The pill, which was proclaimed 99.8 percent effective in a report publicized earlier this year by Chinese researchers, is made from an extract, known as gossypol, derived from cotton seeds.

Dr. Lei Haipeng, spokesman for a group of reproductive system specialists, said Saturday that if the pill for men is approved, Chinese couples would probably alternate the responsibility for birth control.

"The husband would take the male pill for one year and then his wife

without her. If they DO invite her, try to persuade her to attend with you. If she refuses, go alone.

DEAR ABBY: With the rising divorce rate and the trend toward total truthfulness these days, I firmly believe that the marriage vows should be changed from "til death do us part," to "til something better comes along."

What do you say? — TELL IS LIKE IT IS

DEAR TELL IT: I say that it will never play in Peoria.

DEAR ABBY: The letter about getting rid of door-to-door religious pitchmen reminded me of how I got rid of the first team I encountered.

I had just moved from New York to California, after growing up under two religious influences — Episcopal and Quaker.

A young mother, I was having one of those hectic days. The baby had just thrown a bowl of pablum on the floor, the older boy was smearing the dog with honey, the cat had just given birth to kittens on the clean clothes in

the linen closet, and the vacuum cleaner had given up the ghost. At that point the doorbell rang. I answered it and was faced with two obese women, the daughter as wide as the mother. The mother, with no introduction whatsoever, sang out, "How would you like to live on this earth forever?"

My instant response was: "GOD FORBID!"

Talk about being stopped cold! They were totally speechless! — E. A. J.: HUNTINGTON BEACH, CALIF.

CONFIDENTIAL TO M. J. M. IN GARDEN CITY: Yes, I know obesity is unhealthy. But I refuse to starve myself to death in order to live a little longer.

Do you hate to write letters of condolences, congratulations, and thanks. It's not difficult when you let Abby guide you in her booklet, "How to Write Letters for All Occasions." Send \$1 and a long, stamped (28 cents), self-addressed envelope to Abby: 132 Lasky Drive, Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212.

Most U.S. research to develop male contraceptives has centered on the use of sex hormones to halt sperm production.

The Chinese have been testing gossypol on about 10,000 men for four years. The researchers have reported that the pill does not interfere with sexual activity and has only slight side effects.

Men who take the pill regain their

fertility when its use is discontinued, Lei said.

One Italian company claims to have developed a male pill which has been found harmful to rats and monkeys but not to humans, according to Dr. Gabriel Bialy, chief of contraceptive development at the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development in Bethesda, Md. That drug is still under investigation here, Bialy said.

'Star of Nepal' auctioned

FORNEY, Texas (AP) — An anonymous movie mogul's \$360,000 telephone bid won him the 64-carat "Star of Nepal" diamond at a most unlikely auction in a corrugated tin building in this small North Texas city.

Charles Clements, president of the corporation that owns the Clements Auction Gallery, said the winning bidder was a movie producer connected with the film, "Superman." But the new owner of the teardrop diamond asked that his identity be kept secret.

Auctioneers entertained nine bids in three minutes from the crowd of 300. But the only two serious contenders dropped out of the bidding when the price tag topped \$350,000.

"Come on people," said the girl displaying the diamond. "You act like we're selling a pair of shoes."

Crowds jammed the one-story building for a look at the diamond, rated by experts as the 96th largest polished stone in the world.

"I was disappointed it didn't sell in the audience," Clements said. "There would have been more excitement and better publicity."

Though the diamond itself is glimmering and clear, its lineage is not. It is thought to have been mined in India's Bolconda region around the turn of the century.

Its "sister," the \$1.5 million Transvaal Diamond, is on loan to the Smithsonian Institution.

A prominent Indian family planned to sell the stone to an Iranian family until political turmoil in that country negated the sale.

Then Clements was chosen to handle the deal, at a fixed commission he estimated at 10 to 25 percent of the sale.

"We're one of the 10 largest galleries in the United States," said Norman Garrett, manager and part owner of the gallery.

LIFESTYLE

would take the female pill the next," Lei said.

"In that way, each partner would have a year when their reproductive systems would be working normally," he said.

Haipeng said the contraceptive is expected to be endorsed by a scientific board in China at its annual meeting this year.

The board's decision would then be considered by China's health ministry, which approves drugs for use by the general population, Haipeng said.

He gave a progress report on the pill-to-birth control specialists from Harvard University and Boston Hospital for Women. His remarks were reported in The Boston Sunday Globe.

When Chinese scientists announced the development of the new contraceptive last January, U.S. scientists contacted for reaction said they wanted to review the data before deciding whether the Chinese claims were valid. It could take years to approve use of such a pill in the United States, they said.

The Chinese pill relies on a chemical process to prevent fertilization.

HOROSCOPE

By Carroll Righter (Tues., April 17)

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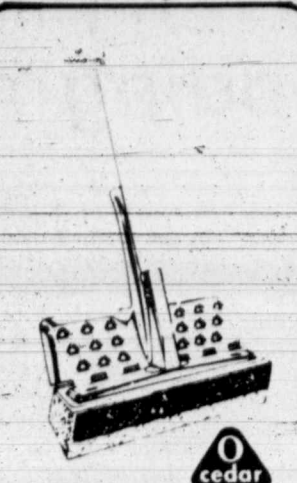
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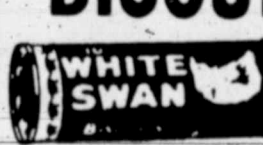
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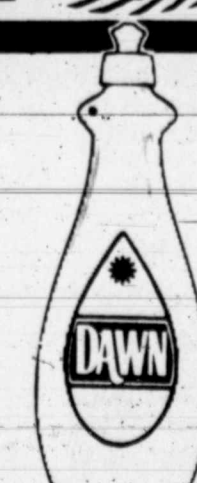
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DEATHS

'Tommy' Roberts

BIG SPRING — Services for T.S. "Tommy" Roberts, 66, of Forsan will be at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church in Forsan. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park in Big Spring directed by Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home.

Roberts died Sunday in a Big Spring hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born July 31, 1912, in Chattanooga, Tenn. He was married to Jessie Clinton April 24, 1945, in San Angelo. He grew up in the Big Spring area. Roberts returned to the Big Spring area in 1956 and moved to Forsan in 1969. He retired in 1976 as a pumper for T.C. Anderson Oil Co. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife; four sons, Dale Roberts of Big Spring, Doyle "Ben" Roberts of Cleveland, Thomas Edward Roberts of Alvin and Ronald Owen Roberts of Alto; two daughters, Mrs. Jimmy (Dorothy Jean) Crosby of Alto and Mrs. Richard (Elizabeth Ann) Akovenko of Las Vegas, Nev., 19 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Lucille Warner

FORT WORTH — Services for Lucille Warner, 60, sister of Leona Dailey of Lamesa and Eloa Miller of Big Spring, will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Johnson's Funeral Home in San Angelo with the Rev. W.D. Metzgar of the First Assembly of God officiating. Burial will be in Fairmount Cemetery.

Mrs. Warner died Saturday at her Fort Worth residence.

She was born July 7, 1918 in Rails. Other survivors include her husband, a daughter, three sisters, a brother, two stepsisters, a stepbrother and three grandchildren.

'Marie' Bryant

ANDREWS — Services for Annie B. "Marie" Bryant, 68, of Andrews were to be at 2 p.m. today in Singleton Funeral Home with the Rev. Billy Stone, pastor of the Bible Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was to be in Andrews Cemetery directed by Singleton Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bryant died Saturday in an Andrews hospital after a brief illness.

The Tarrant County native moved to Andrews 30 years ago from Seagraves. She was married to Ernest Bryant Jan. 17, 1947, in Seminole.

Survivors include her husband; a son, R.C. Houtchens of Midland; a daughter, Betty Ivey of Burkburnett; a stepson, Buster Bryant of Monahans; a stepdaughter, Polly Griggs of Lubbock; two sisters, Bertha Houtchens and Mrs. W.W. Harrelson, both of Brownfield, 17 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were to be Dick Carroll, Wesley Gross, Leslie Gross, William Gross, Ted High and Danny High.

Ralph Eagle Sr.

BIG SPRING — Services for Ralph W. Eagle Sr., 63, of Big Spring will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home. Burial with military honors will follow in Trinity Memorial Park.

Eagle died Saturday in a Big Spring hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was born Jan. 16, 1916, in Rockford, W. Va., and was married to Clara Venetty Sept. 30, 1941 in Wyatt, W. Va.

He was a former deputy sheriff in Pawpaw, Mich. The couple moved

to Big Spring two years ago following his retirement from police work.

Eagle was a member of the Methodist Church, the Fraternal Order of Police and the Disabled American Veterans. He served in the Army Medical Corps.

A daughter, a brother and two sisters preceded him in death.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Ralph Eagle Jr., Danny Eagle and Allen Eagle, all of Big Spring; two daughters, Ethel Eagle and Nedra Marion, both of Big Spring; three brothers, Paul Eagle, Clarence Eagle and Andrew Eagle, all of West Virginia; three sisters, Christine Lafayette of West Virginia, Irene Pace of Maryland and Pauline Gallup of Michigan, and 11 grandchildren.

Glen E. Mitchell

ACKERLY — Services for Glen E. Mitchell, 54, of Dallas, brother of Beulah Lillard of Stanton, Imogene Hammond of Big Spring and Tom Mitchell of Andrews, will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Lamesa Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Lonnie Fortner, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Ackerly Cemetery

Doctors reconnect prison inmate's severed arm

PORTLAND, Maine (AP) — A prison inmate was in stable condition after doctors reconnected a forearm that had been severed in an accident at the Maine Cor-

rectional Center in South Windham.

"It looks very hopeful," said Dr. Edward G. Friedman of Portland, a surgeon. "(But) it's going to be a very, very long haul."

Doctors at the Osteopathic Hospital of Maine reconnected the left forearm of inmate George D. Poliquin, 38, who caught the limb in an overhead radial saw in the prison woodshop Friday.

Doctors reconnected the limb in a 10-hour operation, and by Saturday afternoon, the circulation had returned, the fingers of the left hand were warm, and doctors spotted motion in the thumb and fingers.

Friedman said re-implant surgery has a very high failure rate, because each particular case has different types of complications that can occur.

In New Hyde Park, N.Y., an 18-year-old woman was in the intensive care unit of Long Island Jewish Hospital after undergoing emergency surgery to stop bleeding in the muscle of her reattached left arm.

directed by Branon Funeral Home of Lamesa.

Mitchell died Thursday at his Dallas residence.

The Ackerly native had lived in Dallas 25 years. He was district manager of a Dallas pharmaceutical supply company. He was a veteran of World War II.

Other survivors include his wife, a daughter, two sisters and a grandchild.

Carlota Garcia

HEREFORD — Services for Carlota F. Garcia, 91, mother of Andres Garcia of Hobbs, N.M., will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in San Jose Catholic Church with Father James O'Conner officiating. Burial will be in St. Anthony's Catholic Cemetery.

Mrs. Garcia died Sunday in a Hereford hospital after a brief illness.

A native of Brackettville, Mrs. Garcia had lived in Hereford for 26 years. She was a member of the San Jose Catholic Church.

Survivors include two sons, four daughters, 32 grandchildren, 58 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

(More Obituaries, Page 2A)

Chicago apartment building fire kills man, injures 38

CHICAGO (AP) — Fire broke out early today at a North Side apartment building that housed a large number of elderly or blind people, killing one person and injuring at least 38 others, authorities said.

An unidentified 70-year-old man who lived in the building died of respiratory failure, police said.

Five of those being treated at nearby hospitals for injuries are blind, hospital officials said. The extent of their injuries was not known.

At least one firefighter was among the injured. Three other persons were admitted to hospi-

tals for serious injuries.

One of the three was identified as Dennis Becker, 35, who was in serious condition in the intensive care unit of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, hospital spokeswoman Gloria Mazurkiewicz said.

At least 19 adults and three children were treated in emergency rooms for smoke inhalation and other minor injuries, hospital officials said.

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A birdseye view of Cubs Stadium shows the scene Sunday night as Cubs played Diablos. That's the new scoreboard in left field. (Photo by Mike Kardos)

Tracy, Beal combine to give Cubs split

BY TED BATTLES
Sports editor

While the Midland Cubs could manage only a split with the El Paso Diablos in their Texas League double-header Sunday night, they may have gotten more out of the twinbill than at first meets the eye.

Midland won the opener 4-1 and El Paso came back to win the nightcap 5-3 on the eight-hit pitching of Mark Miller, but the Cubs had a couple of route-going pitching performances from rookie Calvin Beal in the win and Jack Ledbetter, the veteran who suffered the season-ruining torment of a sore arm most of last season.

The series winds up with a single game at 7:30 p.m. with Bill Earley, 10-3 at Geneva last season, going for Midland against Dave Gronlund, who started his career with the Montreal organization and last year pitched at Denver, but is coming off arm surgery.

BEAL, A pitcher nobody wanted when he graduated from college two years ago, may make a scout or two blush in embarrassment if Sunday's five-hitter is an indication of what's to come while Ledbetter, with a timely hit or two with men on base, could have come home a winner instead of a loser with his one-walk, eight-hitter.

First baseman Jim Tracy yanked an inside fast ball over the right field fence for a three-run homer in the fifth inning to provide Beal with his winning margin. It was Tracy's second homer of the young season and broke up a duel between Beal and the Diablos' Bob Border, whose seven walks finally caught up with him.

Beal graduated from Southern University in 1977, but went unnoticed and unpicked in the June draft. He finally talked Chicago into giving him a tryout last summer and he showed enough to earn a contract with Pompano Beach of the Class A Florida State League, where he was 4-4 last season.

Maybe you really couldn't blame the major league scouts if they overlooked Beal, after all, who was going to notice the pitcher at Southern when Danny Goodwin was catching. Goodwin, last year's Texas League batting champion, now with Minnesota, was drafted No. 1 by California a few years back.

The one run Beal did give up was an awesome shot over the doubledeck Green Dragon in center by Steve Whitehead in the fourth, tying the score at 1-1. It came an inning after Beal escaped a bases loaded situation.

WHITEHEAD, out with the virus the first three games, is the infielder Chicago Cubs hitting instructor Billy Williams watched take batting practice early last season and said he'd like to see him hit in a game. Moose Stubing obliged and it didn't take Williams long to decide Whitehead was showing him more than he cared to see from someone in an opposition uniform.

Midland's first run came after two were out in the second when Carlos Lezcano walked, stole second and raced home on Mike Turgeon's line single to right.

The Cubs loaded the bases on Brian Rosinski's infield hit and a couple of walks in the third before generating the winning rally, a rally that looked like it might not get off the ground. Rosinski walked to open the fifth and was forced at second as Dan Rohn attempted to bunt. Jared Martin singled off the pitcher's glove, but Rohn was out trying to steal third. Jesus

(Continued on 2B)



Jim Tracy...hits game-breaker.

Rebels, Bulldogs seek second wins

Midland High and Midland Lee will try to capitalize on recent victories when second half District 5-4A baseball play swings into high gear Tuesday afternoon.

Coach Larry Peel's Bulldogs, 1-0 in district and 12-5 overall, will entertain Big Spring, 0-1 and 8-12, respectively, at 4 p.m. on the Memorial Stadium diamond. In the first half, the Purple Pack dropped the Steers, 3-1.

Senior righthander Archie Booth, 4-2, will likely start for the Purple Pack while the Steers will go with ace Larry Smith or Luis Rodriguez.

Midland High grabbed a big victory Thursday when they opened second half action by shading Odessa Permian, 4-3. On the other hand, Big Spring is coming off Saturday's 12-7 loss to Abilene High.

For Coach Ernie Johnson's Rebels, Tuesday's 4 p.m. road engagement with San Angelo will be a chance for revenge. The Bobcats, behind Moses Reyes' fifty two hitter, trimmed Lee, 1-0, in the first half.

Lee, nearly everybody's choice to win the first half, slumped badly, but has put together a pair of wins, including a 10-8 second half opener against Odessa High Thursday.

The Rebels, 1-0 and 15-9, will probably have either Wade Cartwright, 3-0, or Alan Koonce, 4-3, on the hill while the Bobcats, 0-1 and 4-10, should give

Reyes the nod.

In Tuesday's other league battles, Abilene High, 1-0 and 8-8, will visit Permian, 0-1 and 13-7, while first half titlist Abilene Cooper, 1-0 and 14-2, hosts Odessa High, 0-1 and 6-16.

Cooper, which stopped San Angelo 9-3 Saturday, will probably throw talented Eddie Jacques against the Red Hoses. Either Brian Cantrell or Billy Rumbaugh should throw for Odessa High.

Youthful Abilene High, a real first half surprise, will likely use Mac Rogers as their starter while Conley Crawford should open for the Panthers.

Both games have first pitch set for 4 p.m.

Top hitters for Midland High include senior shortstop Jimmy Zachry, who's batting .466 with six doubles, two triples, six homers and 28 runs-batted-in, senior catcher Tommy Munoz, who's at .444 and has a team-high 28 hits, designated hitter Sam Driskill, who's at .383, and junior centerfielder Tracy Gann, who's at .350 with five homers.

Lee's led at the plate by centerfielder John White, who has 28 hits and a .394 average, catcher Clay Calhoun, who's at .344, pitcher Terry Willis, who's at .309 after a tremendous day against Odessa High, and pitcher-third baseman Cartwright, who's at .308.

Rookie Zoeller Masters Augusta with playoff win

By ED SHEARER

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP)—Fuzzy Zoeller considers booming tee shots "a God-given gift."

But his free and easy style is of his own making.

And, he combined both Sunday to win one of golf's most coveted prizes — the Masters championship.

The triumph came on the second hole of a sudden death playoff — first in Masters history — with 1977 champion Tom Watson and Ed Sneed, a bitterly disappointed 11-year veteran who saw his hopes of a first major title slip by when he blew a 5-shot advantage in the tricky winds of the famed Augusta National Golf Club course.

THE VICTORY came on an eight-foot putt on the 445-yard 11th hole, a part of the famous Amen Corner that has provided victory as well as agonizing defeat during the 43 years of this prestigious event.

But that winning putt was set up by his God-given talent.

"I just had to let one go," he said of the booming shot off the tee at 11, one that carried almost 300 yards and left him within easy range of the flag, some 150 yards away.

When the putt fell, the broad-shouldered Indiana native hurled his putter into the air, raised his arms in a victory salute and embraced his caddy, Jerry Beard, who Zoeller said "led me around all week long."

The fifth-year professional thus destroyed the myth that a player in his first Masters had no chance to win.

"I felt none of that pressure," he said.

"To me, all the pressure was put on by other people. They were the ones that said I couldn't win. I never said it. I wouldn't have been here if I didn't think I could win."

But he did have some doubts earlier in the round.

"I didn't think I had a chance (going to 15)," Zoeller said. "I was sitting at 7-under and Ed was at 11."

BUT SNEED then opened the door by going bogey-bogey-bogey on the final three holes, giving him a closing 76 on a sunny Easter Sunday that left him at 8-under-par 280, a figure matched by Watson's closing 71 and Zoeller's 70.

Sneed had seen his lead dwindle to only 1 shot over Watson, one of the game's top players, over the first 10 holes.

He also had to worry about Jack Nicklaus, who reached 8-under with a birdie at 16, only to lose that shot when he bogeyed 17 and finished at 69-281.

He built his advantage back to three with birdies at the two par 5s, Nos. 13 and 15, before disaster struck.

"I never at any time felt like I lost control," Sneed said. "It just didn't happen. There's no other way to explain it."

The victory was worth \$50,000 to the 5-foot-10, 190-pound Zoeller, who had earned his first tour victory earlier this season in the San Diego Open — a triumph that got him into this invitational event.

Watson, leading money winner on tour this year, and Sneed each earned \$30,000.

After Nicklaus came Tom Kite with a 72-283 and first-round leader Bruce Lietzke finished sixth at 74-284.

ZOELLER SAID he knew Masters rookies could win here because of the caliber of the young player on tour.

"They are coming out with more guts and enthusiasm," he said. "I

wasn't blowing smoke. I've had a hell of a great year this year. I felt I could win."

Asked what a Masters victory meant to him, Zoeller replied, "I don't really think I'll notice until tomorrow morning. I'm still on Cloud 9 and I'll probably be on it another two or three weeks."

He said he just regretted that his wife, Dianne, was unable to be here. She remained home at New Albany, Ind., expecting the couple's first child in two weeks.

"This kind of excitement may force it a week early," said Fuzzy, who took his nickname from the initials of his full name — Frank Urban Zoeller.

The agony for Sneed probably stemmed from a misread putt on the final hole — a 6-7-footer.

"I thought it would break to the right and my caddy thought it would break to the right. It didn't. I played it on the lip and that's where it stayed. I should have played a straighter putt."

SNEED, WINLESS since capturing the Tallahassee Open two years ago, said, "I still feel very good about my game. I played awfully well. It's a big disappointment."

Faulty putting cost Watson the title, missing a half-dozen putts in the 10-15-foot range.

"It was just a terrible round of putting," he said.

Asked when he felt he might have a chance, Watson said, "Only when Ed Sneed bogeyed the last hole."

"I felt Ed Sneed was going to win the tournament. Ed Sneed deserved to win the golf tournament. Ed's disappointed. I'm disappointed. But you can't play ifs. The past is past. You can't look back on it."

SPORTS IN BRIEF

Barnes, Borg, Connors among weekend winners

VALE DO LOBO, Portugal — Britain's Brian Barnes shot a 1-under-par 72 for a four-round total of 287 to win the Portuguese Open golf tournament.

Barnes was two strokes better than Francisco Abreu of Spain, who shot a final-round, 2-over 75 for a total of 289.

Chungshyan wins Korean Open

SEOUL, Korea — Shen Chung-shyan of Taiwan shot a 76 and won the \$60,000 Korea Open golf championship by two strokes over countryman Chen Tze-ming.

Chen had a 78 in the final round for a 291 total, as opposed to Shen's 289.

The top American finisher was Bruce Douglass, who shot a 296, including a final-round 69.

Connors, Reid post victories

TULSA, Okla. — Top-seeded Jimmy Connors defeated second-seeded Eddie Dibbs 6-7, 7-5, 6-1 in a \$50,000 Grand Prix tennis tournament.

In the doubles final, Elliott Teltcher and Francisco Gonzalez defeated Colin Dibley and

Tom Gullikson 6-7, 6-4, 6-3.

HILTON HEAD ISLAND, S.C. — Tracy Austin outlasted Kerry Reid 7-6, 7-6, in a women's tennis tournament championship match.

In a consolation match, Martina Navratilova defeated Evonne Goolagong 6-4 for third place.

MONTE CARLO, Monaco — Bjorn Borg of Sweden beat Vitas Gerulaitis of the United States 6-2, 6-1, 6-3 to win the final of the \$175,000 World Championship Tennis Tournament.

In doubles, Ilie Nastase of Romania and Raul Ramirez of Mexico beat Victor Pecci of Paraguay and Balazs Taroczy of Hungary 6-3, 6-4, while Masthoff defeated Italy's Sabina Simmonds 6-3, 6-2 for the women's title.

Caulkins sets 4th record

LOS ANGELES — Tracy Caulkins set her fourth American record in the National AAU short course swimming championships and a total of four United States standards were broken during the competition.

Southern California teenagers Cynthia Woodhead and Brian Goodell and Kim Linehan of Sarasota, Fla., also cracked American records.

Caulkins won the women's 200-yard individual medley in 1:57.86, breaking her one-year-old mark of 1:59.33.

Woodhead set her second American record of the four-day competition by clocking 49.39 seconds in winning the women's 100-yard freestyle.

Goodell established a U.S. standard by capturing the men's 1,650-yard freestyle in 14:47.27.

Linehan won the women's 1,650-yard freestyle in 15:49.10.

Villeneuve posts easy win

BRANDS HATCH, England — Gilles Villeneuve, the French Canadian who is the world's current top Grand Prix racing driver, won the 40-lap Race of Champions at Brands Hatch by more than 15 seconds.

Driving last year's model Ferrari 312 T3, Villeneuve wore down Mario Andretti, the reigning world champion, who had led the race for 18 laps. Andretti eventually finished third.

Brazilian Nelson Piquet was the runner-up.



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JIM MURRAY

It's all Big League, except the umpires

The Los Angeles Times Syndicate
When you go to a big league ball park, you expect to see a big league game. You expect everything to be big league. I mean, the sign outside says it will be. The field is the finest that agronomy—or Monsanto—can produce. The ballpark probably cost taxpayers \$100 million or so, the payers all have \$2 million contracts, the uniforms are the finest stretch knit, they put in new bases every couple of pitches, the network television equipment is right out of "Star Wars," Howard Cosell is paid millions to call the action. It's all first class.

Until you get down on the field, that is. The game there is run by bush leaguers, or guys who aren't even that, who are really cost accountants on holiday, or real estate brokers on a lark. The umpiring is strictly Three-Eye League. If that.

How you can trust a half-billion-dollar industry to a bunch of sandlotters you got out of a phone book is some-

thing for Chub Feeney and Lee MacPhail, the league presidents, to answer, not me. I can think of a lot of places baseball can cut corners. But umpiring isn't even in the top 10.

It's like putting a battleship in command of a canoeist from Altoona, or turning over the controls of a Concorde to a bus driver.

IF YOU buy a ticket when you see "Carmen" is to be sung, and you go inside and find Caruso and Lily Pons in the lead, all right. But if the orchestra is to be conducted by Lawrence Welk, you'd walk out and get your money back. You wouldn't want your Indy race car to be driven by Leon Spinks.

I know of no other sport where experience counts quite so much as in baseball. Even a natural-born hitter has to learn the hard way when it's going to curve. Even a natural-born pitcher has to learn not how to throw pitches but where. A natural-born

runner can be made to look like a monkey on the base paths by a crafty pitcher or catcher.

And, an umpire is not a true big leaguer until he learns by heart the thousand-and-one situations that can come up in a ballgame, which have to be called instantly and authoritatively. Baseball is not on the honor system. A baseball player will pretend to his own mother that he caught a ball he really trapped. He will throw illegal pitches, pretend to be hit by pitches that missed him, interfere with a thrown ball, and roar with indignation when he is called out, incite riots, and threaten bodily harm or insult your parents if you frustrate him.

THE CROWD is hostile, often mutinous, the stakes are high and the position often embarrassing. In his rookie year as an umpire, Art Passarella, was once calling one of Bob Feller's early games. No one knew

the kid had a curveball in those days, and Passarella was calling the pitches fast. When Feller was throwing, you had to. One of them came in high and hard and inside. "Ball one!" shouted Passarella, flinging his left arm foolishly in the air—just as the ball curved wickedly over the heart of the plate. The catcher Rollie Hemery, one of the few guys in baseball who knew Feller had anything but a fastball, was sympathetic: "Easy, sonny," he said soothingly to the rookie umpire. "Up here, you got to wait to call 'em. They bend 'em on you up here in the big leagues."

NO ONE pays to see umpires umpire. But it has always been a source of wonder to me that in the long years of baseball no finger of scandal has ever pointed at an umpire. Lots of players conspire to throw ballgames. Eight of them even threw a World Series once. And they were by no means the first to get caught in part-

nership with the gamblers. Also, one home plate umpire could affect the outcome of a game far more than an entire outfield. But even Arnold Rothstein knew better than to try to bribe an umpire.

Umpires are baseball's finest. There have been crooked players, double-dealing owners, barred managers, and even ticket office scandals. But umpires uphold a tradition morally superior. Players may question their eyesight, judgment or even their hustle—but never their honesty.

The best of them are autocrats, imperious, forbidding, rulers of their areas. The late Tim Hurst was once umpiring a game pitting the Braves against John McGraw's Giants in the Polo Grounds and one of McGraw's batters was at the plate against the Boston pitcher, Kid Nichols. "Ball one," called Tim on the first pitch. McGraw was silent. The next pitch came in. "Strike one!" said Hurst

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SPORTS SCOREBOARD

MASTERS GOLF (AP) — Final scores and money-winnings Sunday in the 43rd Masters golf tournament on the 7,046-yard, par-72 Augusta National Golf Club course. (A denotes amateur, A.M. denotes death playoff.)	
Jack Nicklaus, \$150,000	71-68-76-28
Tom Kite, \$12,000	71-68-76-28
Tommy Aaron, \$10,000	71-68-76-28
Lee Trevino, \$8,740	71-68-76-28
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Cubs divide with El Paso

(Continued from 1B)

Alfaro walked and then Tracy, who hit a futile homer in the final inning of a 7-6 loss Saturday night, drilled a 1-1 pitch into the night.

It was a three-run third that did the Cubs in the nightcap as Steve Luby, a self-proclaimed, stole second and rode home on Jeff Bertoni's two-out single and then Brian Harper, in the game only because centerfielder Scott Moffitt suffered an injury, powered a homer to right to make it 4-0.

Martin and Alfaro singled and Tracy doubled to lead off the fourth, but the Cubs got just one run out of it. In the fifth Rohn's one out single, Martin's double and Alfaro's fly produced a second run and in the ninth Rohn doubled and Martin singled him home.

Ledbetter enjoyed a promising 12-9 rookie season for Midland in 1977 and appeared headed for a future in Wichita when his arm acted up last year and the Clearwater, Fla., native wound up a discouraging 3-5. He had nine complete games in 1977 and did not finish any last year.

Tigers devour Rangers as hitters break loose

By ALEX SACHARE
AP Sports Writer

The pitchers are supposed to be ahead of the hitters this time of year, but you'd never know it from Sunday's American League games. Five teams scored in double figures and the 14 AL clubs combined for 96 runs, an average of nearly seven per game.

"That was wild and wooly," said Detroit Manager Les Moss, after his Tigers rallied for seven runs after two were out in the ninth inning to hand the Texas Rangers their first loss of the season Sunday, 11-6. "What's the odds on something like that happening?"

Bill Mankowski had a two-run single and Lance Parrish delivered a two-run double in the Tigers uprising.

Detroit's frantic finish was only one of many scoring outbursts around the AL.

Yankees 6, White Sox 5

Mickey Rivers broke a 4-4 tie with a run-scoring double in the fifth inning and scored on a single by Willie Randolph that Chicago right fielder Claudio Washington lost in the sun as the Yankees beat the White Sox.

The White Sox got one run back in the bottom of the ninth on an RBI single by Alan Bannister before Rich Gossage got Eric Soderholm to ground into a game-ending double play.

Brewers 4, Orioles 2

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Baseball's top 10

AMERICAN LEAGUE	NATIONAL LEAGUE
1. Detroit	1. St. Louis
2. Kansas City	2. Cincinnati
3. Toronto	3. Philadelphia
4. Baltimore	4. Pittsburgh
5. Milwaukee	5. San Francisco
6. Chicago	6. Los Angeles
7. Minnesota	7. Houston
8. Cleveland	8. New York
9. Oakland	9. San Diego
10. Texas	10. San Antonio

WHA at a glance

World Hockey Association	World Hockey Association
1. Quebec	1. Quebec
2. Winnipeg	2. Winnipeg
3. New York	3. New York
4. Philadelphia	4. Philadelphia
5. Toronto	5. Toronto
6. Vancouver	6. Vancouver
7. Los Angeles	7. Los Angeles
8. St. Louis	8. St. Louis
9. Chicago	9. Chicago
10. Dallas	10. Dallas

THE MINNESOTA Twins rapped 20 hits, seen of them for extra bases

including home runs by Willie Norwood, Mike Cabbage and Jose Morales, and routed the Seattle Mariners 18-6. The 18 runs were the most scored in the majors this season.

The Twins loaded the bases against Lyle, who was making his fifth appearance in as many days, on two walks and a single. Corrales then called on Jim Kern, who had pitched well early this season but was hit on the wrist by a line drive Friday night.

Kern yielded a two-run single to Mankowski and RBI singles to Tim Corcoran and Lynn Jones. An error by Texas shortstop Bert Campaneris kept the inning going and Parrish capped it with his two-run double.

Texas outfielder Al Oliver tried to put the Rangers' first defeat after six victories in perspective.

"I don't think anybody should be shocked that we finally lost a game," he said, adding, "I'd like to win it."

Twins 18, Mariners 6

The Twins scored three times in the first and fourth innings and five times in the fifth and eighth innings. Their 18 runs and 20 hits were the most against the Mariners in the franchise's three-year history.

"It was one of those days when they could have thrown the resin bag up and somebody would have hit it for a two-base hit," said Twins Manager Gene Mauch. "It's a lot of fun when you're on this side. I'm just glad I'm not on the other side."

Jerry Kosman, 2-0, eased to the victory despite allowing 12 hits, including home runs by Leon Roberts, Bill Steinhilber and Larry Cox.

Red Sox 14, Indians 4

Remy drove in two runs with a triple and a single. Burleson had three RBI with a double and a single, Lynn hit a two-run homer and Scott had a two-run single as the Red Sox drove 13 hits, eight of them for extra bases.

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NBA summaries

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2. Philadelphia	2. Philadelphia
3. New York	3. New York
4. Los Angeles	4. Los Angeles
5. Chicago	5. Chicago
6. Houston	6. Houston
7. Dallas	7. Dallas
8. Phoenix	8. Phoenix
9. San Antonio	9. San Antonio
10. Portland	10. Portland

Sunland results

SUNLAND PARK, N.M. (AP) — Royal Crowned favorite Patsy Mary and her 2-year-old son, Patsy Junior, captured the 19th running of the Sunland Park Handicap and pay the fattest price on the board.	
1. Patsy Mary	1. Patsy Mary
2. Patsy Junior	2. Patsy Junior
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5. Patsy Junior	5. Patsy Junior
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7. Patsy Junior	7. Patsy Junior
8. Patsy Junior	8. Patsy Junior
9. Patsy Junior	9. Patsy Junior
10. Patsy Junior	10. Patsy Junior

Montreal's Bill Lee may quit over Kuhn fine

MONTREAL (AP) — Left-hander Bill Lee of the Montreal Expos said Sunday he is considering quitting baseball in light of a \$250 fine levied by Commissioner Bowie Kuhn for conduct detrimental to the game.

Lee discussed his use of marijuana with reporters during spring training in Florida and was the subject of an investigation by the commissioner's office. He received a letter last week notifying him of the fine.

"The letter was from the commissioner and told me to pay the money to a charity that he named," Lee said.

Minor leagues

EASTERN LEAGUE	NATIONAL LEAGUE
1. Detroit	1. St. Louis
2. Kansas City	2. Cincinnati
3. Toronto	3. Philadelphia
4. Baltimore	4. Pittsburgh
5. Milwaukee	5. San Francisco
6. Chicago	6. Los Angeles
7. Minnesota	7. Houston
8. Cleveland	8. New York
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CHL playoffs

Central Hockey League
1. Dallas
2. Houston
3. San Antonio
4. Fort Worth
5. El Paso
6. Phoenix
7. San Diego
8. Los Angeles
9. New York
10. Philadelphia

Transactions

Baseball Transactions
1. Boston
2. Philadelphia
3. New York
4. Los Angeles
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7. Dallas
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9. San Antonio
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Ghosts haunt beleaguered Mets

By KEN RAPPOPORT
AP Sports Writer

Since being traded to the Philadelphia Phillies from the New York Mets four years ago, Tug McGraw has come back on more than one occasion to haunt his old teammates. Now Nino Espinosa is beginning to scare them a bit.

Both ex-Mets came through with strong performances against their former club Sunday as the Phillies swept a double-header from New York 3-2 and 6-3. McGraw saved the opener for Dick Ruthven and Espinosa combined on a six-hitter with Ron Reed in the nightcap.

"I liked that trade when we made it and I like it even more now," said Philadelphia Manager Danny Ozark, referring to the deal this year which brought Espinosa to the Phillies for Richie Hebner.

"Espinosa didn't have overpowering velocity today, but he moved the ball around and mixed his speeds very well," Ozark said. "He didn't look so good when he got behind the hitters in the eighth inning, but I thought he pitched very well."

Espinosa allowed a first-inning double by Lee Mazzilli and then limited the Mets to two singles until the eighth, when Mazzilli hit a three-run homer. Then the right-hander needed help from Reed.

"It was a terrific feeling to have a six-run lead," Espinosa said. "I almost lost it when Mazzilli hit that shot. But I think I'm going to like pitching for this club."

Ruthven and McGraw combined on an eight-hitter and Bob Boone drove in the winning run with a sixth-inning single in Philadelphia's opening-game triumph. Espinosa got hitting support in the nightcap from Mike Schmidt, who slugged a three-run homer for the Phillies in the eighth.

Braves 11, Dodgers 4
Barry Bonnell and Jerry Royster each drove in three runs to pace Atlanta over Los Angeles. Atlanta scored four runs in the first two innings off Burt Hooton and added five more in the seventh and eighth against reliever Charlie Hough. The Braves picked up two more runs in the ninth with the help of a throwing error by first baseman Steve Garvey.

"In the four years I've been with the Braves, this is by far the best series we have played," said Royster, whose Braves beat the Dodgers three out of four times over the weekend. "If we put everything together, obviously we can win a lot of games. We had no offense at all at the beginning of the season. But by playing the way we have in the last four games, it certainly helped our confidence."

"Our defense was outstanding and

our pitching was more than adequate. Never have I had the opportunity to make so many good plays in a series as I have in this one."

Cards 9, Pirates 4

A three-run double by Keith Hernandez capped a five-run, 10th-inning burst that triggered St. Louis past Pittsburgh in a game played in cold weather and intermittent rain at Three Rivers Stadium.

Bernie Carbo's sacrifice fly preceded Hernandez's big hit, then Tony Scott singled home the final run of the rally off Pirates reliever Kent Tekulve. Winner Mark Littell pitched the final two innings.

The Pirates held a 4-1 lead after seven innings, but the Cardinals tied the game with two runs in the eighth on Ken Reitz's two-run double and one in the ninth on Ted Simmons's RBI single.

Cubs 5, Expos 1

Lynn McGlothen pitched a six-hitter and Dave Kingman slammed a two-run homer to pace Chicago over Montreal. The victory was the Cubs' first of the year after four losses.

The Cubs nicked Expos starter Steve Rogers for a run in each of the first two innings, then scored three more times in the sixth on Bill Buckner's RBI double and Kingman's two-run shot.

Astros 4-9, Giants 3-1

Jose Cruz belted two home runs — one in each game — and drove in eight runs to power Houston's sweep of San Francisco. Right-hander J.R. Richard improved his record to 3-0 with relief help from Joe Sambito in the opener and right-hander Joaquin Andujar pitched a five-hitter in the second game.

Cruz's two-run homer was the key blow as Houston erupted for three runs in the fourth inning of the first game. He then smashed a three-run shot to help the Astros mount a 5-0 lead after five innings of the nightcap.

Padres 6-5, Reds 3-7

San Diego scored six unearned runs and Randy Jones gained his second victory of the year with relief help from John D'Acquisto as the Padres won their opener from Cincinnati.

Cesar Geronimo launched a string of six consecutive singles for Cincinnati in a four-run sixth inning to help the Reds win the second game.

Johnny Bench, who sat out the nightcap, had an RBI in the first game to give him a career total of 1,116, moving him past Tony Perez for first place on the all-time Cincinnati RBI list.



Toronto's Rick Cerone holds ball despite collision with Kansas City's Frank White at plate in American League action Sunday. (AP Laserphoto)

Baseball standings

Texas League					American League					National League										
Eastern Division					Western Division					EAST					WEST					
W	L	Pct.	GB		W	L	Pct.	GB		W	L	Pct.	GB		W	L	Pct.	GB		
Shreveport	3	3	.500		Midland	3	2	.600		Milwaukee	6	2	.750		Montreal	4	2	.714		
Arkansas	3	3	.500		Amarillo	3	2	.600		Boston	4	2	.667		Philadelphia	4	3	.571	1	
Tulsa	0	0	—		San Antonio	3	3	.500		New York	5	4	.556	1 1/2	St. Louis	4	3	.571	1	
Jackson	0	0	—		El Paso	2	3	.400	1	Toronto	4	4	.500	2	Pittsburgh	4	5	.444	2	
										Baltimore	3	6	.333	3 1/2	New York	3	4	.429	2	
										Cleveland	1	6	.143	4 1/2	Chicago	1	4	.200	3	

Montreal begins Stanley Cup defense with Leafs

By FRANK BROWN
AP Sport Writer

The National Hockey League's own version of the marathon, the race for the Stanley Cup, continues tonight.

But unlike the field of some 7,800 scheduled to contest Boston's running event, the NHL playoff event, the NHL playoff has been pared to eight entries — each of which springs into best-of-seven quarter-final action.

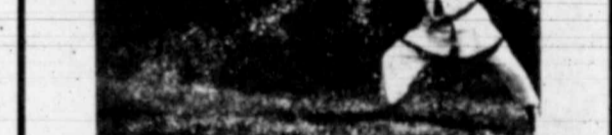
And as Bill Rodgers entered the race seeking his third marathon victory, the Montreal Canadiens entered tonight's game against the Toronto Maple Leafs seeking a fourth consecutive league crown.

To advance, the Canadiens will have to get past Toronto goalie Mike Palmateer. The 25-year-old netminder blanked Montreal in March 1976, and that was the last time the Maple Leafs beat the Canadiens.

"With one more season under my belt, I'm improved in little ways," he continued. "I know the NHL shooters a little better. I can read plays more quickly now. I'm a little better technically. I play the (shooting) angles better and I don't fall to the ice as often."

All of which may mean trouble for the Canadiens, who lost only 17 games but did not have one of their better seasons.

Palmeater knows the Canadiens aren't going to be easy, either. "The Canadiens are the toughest offensive team in the league," he says. "They're the club with the most good shooters."



Montreal center Pierre Mondou said Toronto will be "a tough opponent for us. They play a very close-checking style. They like to hit. We just have to be ready to get out there and work hard because they aren't going to be easy."

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Spurs, Bullets fresh after rest

By ALEX SACHARE
AP Sports Writer

After six months of arenas and airports, there's nothing like a week of rest and relaxation to get a basketball team back on the beam.

The Philadelphia 76ers and Atlanta Hawks found that out the hard way Sunday when they went up against two well-rested division champions as the second round of the National Basketball Association playoffs got underway.

The 76ers ran into a buzzsaw at San Antonio, where the run-and-gun Spurs took advantage of the weary 76ers by racing to an 18-point halftime lead and coasting to a 119-106 victory in the opener of their best-of-7 series.

The Hawks managed to stay with the defending champion Washington Bullets for 3 1/2 periods before running out of gas. The Bullets outscored Atlanta 18-4 down the stretch to pull away to a 103-89 triumph.

SAN ANTONIO and Washington earned byes through the first round of the playoffs by winning the Central and Atlantic Divisions, respectively. That gave them a chance to rest last week while the 76ers and the Hawks were upsetting the Houston Rockets in best-of-3 miniseries.

Also on Sunday, the Los Angeles Lakers and Phoenix Suns advanced to the second round of the playoffs by winning the third games of their respective Western Conference miniseries.

The Lakers beat the Denver Nuggets for the first time ever in Denver 112-111 on Kareem Abdul-Jabbar's hook shot with 12 seconds left and the Suns outscored Portland 33-15 in the fourth quarter to beat the Blazers 109-99.

In Tuesday night's second-round openers, Los Angeles will play at Seattle and Kansas City at Denver. The second games of the two-East series also will be played Tuesday night.

BILLY CUNNINGHAM, coach of the 76ers, knew his team would be in for a long afternoon after playing at

New Jersey Friday night and then traveling 1,500 miles Saturday. "There was no question that the rest helped the Spurs," he said. "We were just a step slow."

But San Antonio Coach Doug Moe wasn't buying that. "You play three nights in a row sometimes in the regular season," he said. "You're not tired when you have a day off."

George Gervin scored 31 points and Larry Kenon had 30 for the Spurs, who were ahead 63-45 at halftime and then outscored the Sixers 10-2 at the start of the period to stretch the lead to 26 points. Philadelphia could come no closer than 11 points after that.

Despite the easy win, the Spurs are being careful not to become overconfident. "It's only one game," Coach Moe warned. "We remember what happened to us last year."

The Spurs easily won the Central Division last year, got a bye into the Eastern Conference semifinals and blew out Washington in the first game. But they lost at home in the second game and eventually were ousted by the Bullets.

"We had a tremendous effort this afternoon but we haven't forgotten what happened last year," said Gervin. "We were kind of cocky last year. This year we've got our confidence, but we're not cocky."

WASHINGTON Coach Dick Motta said his club played "almost picture-perfect defense" in the final period to pull away from Atlanta. "When it came down to the white knuckle time, we had the experience and poise to get the ball down deep."

The Bullets trailed 76-71 going into the fourth quarter and the score was tied 85-85 before Washington put the game away with 12 points in a row. The Bullets outscored the Hawks 32-13 in the fourth quarter.

Elvin Hayes led the Bullets with 31 points and 15 rebounds while Washington's other forward, Bobby Dan-dridge, scored 30. Phoenix also came up with a big defensive effort in the fourth quarter to wipe out a 76-68 third-period deficit.

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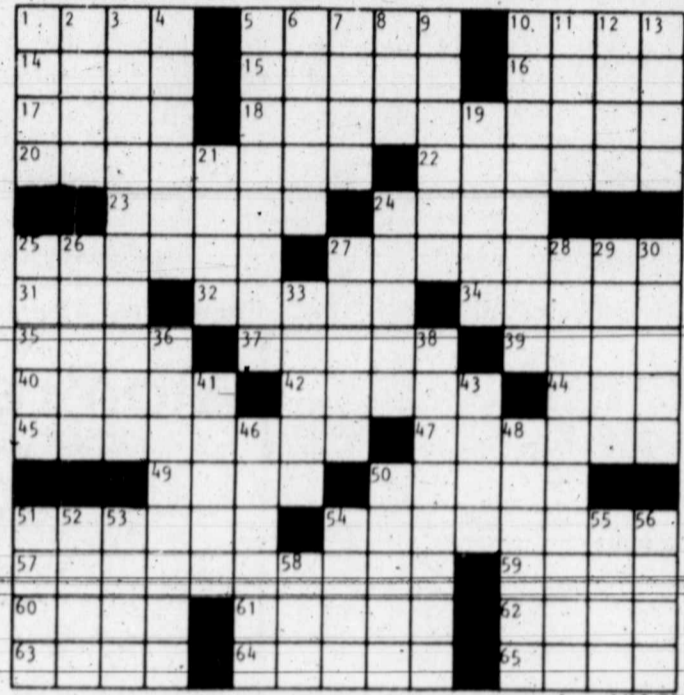
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 - 16 Louisville's river
 - 17 Nancy Mitford's term for hot-polloi
 - 18 Household needs
 - 20 Voting time
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 - 27 Overdoor window
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 - 35 Above
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 - 3 Academic robe
 - 4 Part of a china set
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 - 6 Dumas character
 - 7 Bestow abundantly
 - 8 Fitting
 - 9 Intensity
 - 10 Threshold
 - 11 Greek letters
 - 12 Helper
 - 13 Russet pear
 - 19 Clansmen
 - 21 Layer
 - 24 City of NW Switzerland
 - 25 Accra's country
 - 26 Consumed
 - 27 Amusing
 - 28 Gymnastic stunt
 - 29 German philosopher
 - 30 A thing found
 - 33 Constructed
 - 36 Arithmetical symbol
 - 38 Traveling
 - 41 Small ship
 - 43 Makers of epigrams
 - 46 Cease: Slang
 - 48 Muse of comedy
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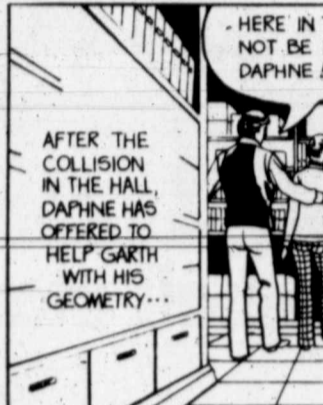
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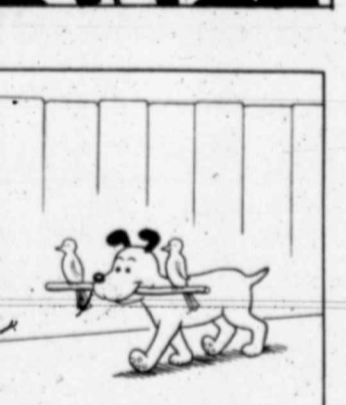
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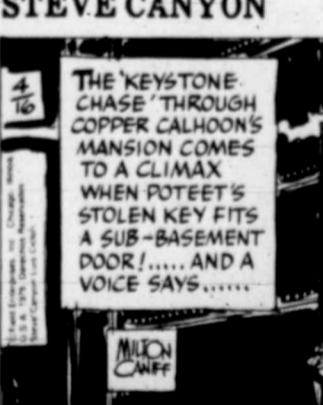
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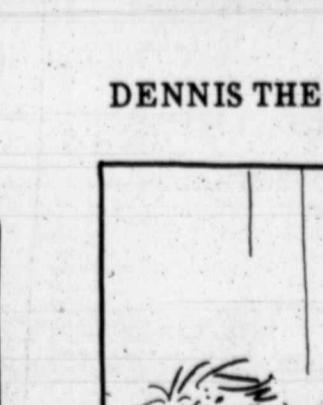
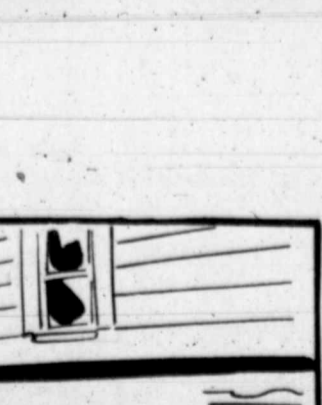
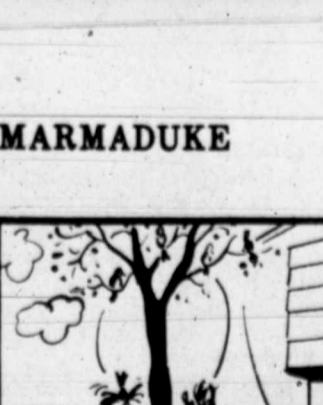
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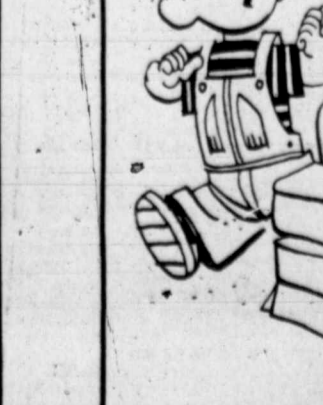
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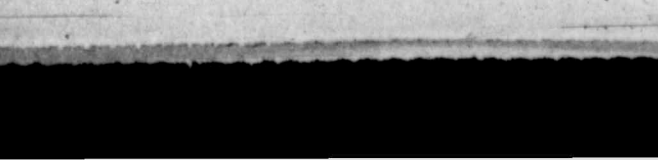
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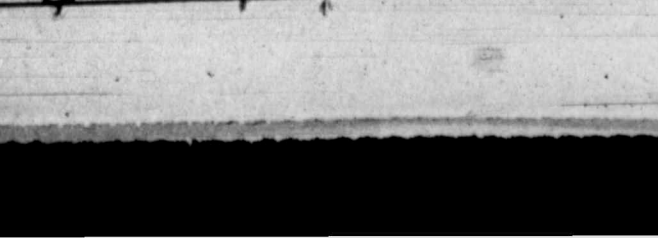
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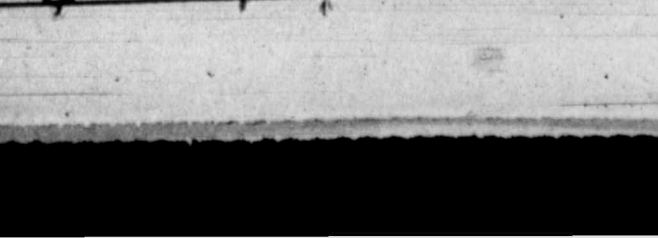
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Three policemen make an arrest Sunday in what officers termed a full-scale riot at a Wichita, Kan., city park that broke out at a rock concert. About 500 officers were called to the scene and arrested about 100 persons. (AP Laserphoto)

Riot at rock concert leaves 65 injured, 100 arrested

WICHITA, Kan. (AP) — A three-hour riot at an outdoor rock concert in which 28 policemen and 37 concertgoers were injured was the worst such incident in the city's history, authorities say. Four remained in the hospital overnight, including one officer, as a result of the rioting that occurred Sunday night in a four-block area on the city's south side, officials said. About 500 law enforcement officers used tear gas to quell the riot at the Herman Hill Park concert. One hundred of the estimated 3,500 persons gathered for the concert were arrested.

Police Chief Richard LaMunyon said the incident began about 5:30 p.m. when officers asked from the bandstand for vehicles parked illegally to be moved. Most persons complied with the order, he said, but a group of men around a pickup truck carrying a keg of beer "decided to take the officers on." "The police were doing their job, enforcing the law, but maybe getting a little rambunctious," said Bob Lawrence, program director for radio station KICT, which had publicized the concert. "It just broke into warfare."

LaMunyon said incidents like the disturbance always prompt such allegations. "I can just tell you at this point the situation was totally out of control and when a situation is out of control, the first thing you do is get control of it again," he said. By the time reinforcement officers arrived, LaMunyon said, "pandemonium was in progress...." "The officers were besieged by rocks and bottles from every side. So until we got a sufficient number of people here to move the people out, the officers could only hold their own."

A contingent of 300 city policemen was augmented by 200 officers from the Kansas Highway Patrol, Sedgewick County sheriff's office and other area law agencies. The officers used tear gas to disperse and control the crowd. Some rioters threw the gas canisters back at police. Lawrence said he saw persons he described as "hoodlums" destroy two police cars with tire irons. A police spokesman said about 15 police cars were damaged at a cost of at least \$50,000, and 17 county cars also were damaged.

Some still remember fatal Squaw Valley tram accident

By TOM GARDNER
SQUAW VALLEY, Calif. (AP) — As a blizzard raked the Squaw Valley Ski Resort, a cable crashed through the red tram car, killing four skiers and injuring 30 others. David Penning of Menlo Park, Calif., was one of the injured. As his wife and daughter watched, Penning was sucked from the wrecked car and blown to the ground below. Penning, who was 47 on the day of the accident a year ago this past Sunday, limped to safety. "He thought he would die," said his wife, Mary. "But he has a marvelous facility to take care of himself and I knew he'd think of something. He did. He used every bit of his training as a private pilot and positioned himself just right for the fall." Penning broke a rib and a cheek bone and injured a leg ligament. The injuries have interfered with his previous interest in skiing and other sports. "As a family, skiing was what we

did best until the accident. Now, we don't do it a lot any more," Mrs. Penning said. The wind has been blamed for contributing to the accident, but the exact cause has not been pinpointed. Scores of lawsuits have been settled out of court or are pending. A new tram meeting specifications intended to assure its safety has been in operation since January. Business is good, resort officials say. Jim Mott heads the Ski Patrol at Squaw as he did when he led the rescue operation following the accident. "I'm reminded about it occasionally, but I try not to think about it," he said. "Occasionally, I'll ride the tram and go by the area where it broke down and have some pretty queasy thoughts, but it usually erases pretty rapidly. It was just part of the job." He said there have been no incidents at the resort this year. "Everything's been running real smooth." "It's old history. It should be forgotten," says Bill Boardman.

Search mission continues for missing jets

ALAMOGORDO (AP) — Search missions were planned again today in an effort to find two Nellis Air Force Base F5E fighter jets missing since last Thursday on training exercises. The pilots of the missing military planes were identified Friday as Capt. Thomas S. Pollock, 38, of Hermiston, Ore., and Capt. Michael G. Humphries, 29, of Dallas. Today's search route included the Ruidoso, Carrizozo and Sierra Blanca areas.

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Congressmen making costly overseas trips

WASHINGTON (AP) — At least 115 members of Congress are journeying overseas this Easter recess in tax-paid quests for knowledge of world affairs. Air fares alone, assuming all 106 representatives and nine senators are traveling tourist class on commercial airliners, would top \$180,000, just for some of the most popular one-destination trips. And that doesn't count air fares for the staff aides, Defense Department guides and others considered essential on such fact-finding missions.

Congressmen get up to \$75 a day in living expenses plus taxi fares and other incidentals on such foreign trips. Most trips this 11-day recess last from seven to 10 days, so the living expenses could total anywhere from \$60,000 to \$86,000.

Sen. Jacob Javits, R-N.Y., asked before leaving for 11 days in China why so many congressmen were going overseas when President Carter is urging Americans to save energy, said:

"We spend \$125 billion preparing for war, making what you are talking about — this trip and any other trip like it — penny ante. So we should spend those billions for war, but we shouldn't spend anything for peace or to enlighten the men who will determine whether there is war or peace? It just doesn't make any sense."

There could be even more members of Congress overseas than The Associated Press survey of congressional committees shows.

For example, the chief clerk of the Senate Armed Services Committee, John Ticer, refused to say if that panel had authorized any overseas travel. He would say only that the committee "has a policy not to discuss members' travel." And while calls to the Senate Finance Committee elicited a response of no travel, Sen. William Roth, R-Del., announced in a press release that the committee was picking up the tab for part of his trip to Jordan, Egypt, Israel, Saudi Arabia and Japan.

Only one of 17 senators who have joined to co-sponsor legislation to cut government travel is going overseas during the Easter recess. Sen. Paul Sarbanes, D-Md., is with Javits and three other members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee in China.

None of the five representatives sponsoring legislation to sharply curb congressional travel is taking a foreign trip during the recess. Congressional leaders have often defended such trips as worthwhile because they give members firsthand knowledge of what is happening abroad.

However, a big critic of such trips, Rep. Ron Paul, R-Texas, said, when he introduced legislation to curb overseas, congressional travel, "Some of these trips

may be in the national interest — although I seriously doubt it since this is what we have ambassadors for."

Normalization of relations with China probably accounted for that nation being the most popular destination.

Committees' records showed 44 House members and five senators heading to China in three separate groups. The House Armed Services Committee said its 21 traveling members planned to meet with Chinese leaders, visit military installations and talk with military officials. Seventeen other members are on a China trip headed by Rep. Jack Brooks, D-Texas, and six went on a trip authorized by the House Education and Labor Committee.

A trip led by House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill, D-Mass., to Great Britain, Belgium, Hungary and Ireland also was popular, attracting 16 members of the House.

Russia attracted a sizable group of House members, with Majority Whip John Brademas, D-Ind., and Minority Whip Robert H. Michel, R-Ill., leading a 17-member delegation.

Ambassador to Egypt announces resignation

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — A U.S. Embassy spokesman confirmed today that the U.S. ambassador to Egypt, Hermann Eilts, is resigning to take a teaching post at Boston University.

Egypt's official Middle East News Agency reported from Washington over the weekend that Eilts, 57, would be replaced by Alfred Atherton, the State Department's special Middle East envoy who was the mediator between Israel and Egypt during much of their peace treaty negotiations.

The embassy spokesman said Eilts plans to leave June 10. But he

said he did not know if a replacement has been chosen.

Eilts has been ambassador since Egypt and the United States restored diplomatic relations in 1974.

Final arguments ordered in Davis divorce trial

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Final arguments were ordered today as the long and stormy divorce trial between industrialist Cullen Davis and his estranged wife, Priscilla, nears its end.

District Judge Clyde Ashworth has promised a final decision by April 23 in the 5-year-old case, which has been delayed by a shooting spree at the Davis mansion and two criminal trials against Davis.

Property settlement is the only issue at stake in the trial.

Ashworth is the third judge to preside in the case. The first one, Joe Eidson, withdrew last year after Davis was accused of plotting to have him killed by a "hit man." Eidson was not killed, and Davis' trial ended in January in a hung jury.

The next judge, John M. Barron of Bryan, withdrew March 24 after it was revealed he had met privately in a hotel room with Davis.

Attorneys for both sides rested their cases April 3, and Ashworth said he needed two weeks to read the transcripts of

testimony presented before he took over. Mrs. Davis says the financial empire of the industrialist is community property and her share amounts to \$53 million. Davis, who inherited part of the Kendavis Industries conglomerate from his father, said the value of his community property with Mrs. Davis is only about \$600,000. The couple was married in 1968.

Davis was acquitted in 1977 of charges he shot to death his stepdaughter during a 1976 shooting spree at the \$6 million mansion he built for Priscilla after they were married.

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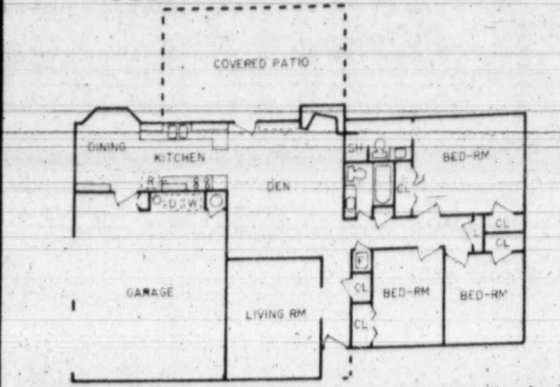
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OXFORD	Beautiful new home, decorated in earth tones with sequestered master, 1 living w/fireplace, total electric. Only \$3,100. down plus closing.	\$60,200
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ILLINOIS - Light and bright, and well cared for! Pretty decorator touches in this 3 b/2, 1 1/2 bath. Refrigerated air. Equity buy. \$36,000

KANSAS - Charming Contemporary. Cul-de-sac location. POOL! Personality and warmth in this 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 living area quality built home. \$95,000

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MARENFIELD - Great Rental! Two story in old Midland. Residential or office. Zoned "O". \$75,000

TANNER - A pleasure to show this neat, clean little house with personality in its one living area, three bedrooms, two baths. \$39,500

THOMASON - SOLD. SOLD. SOLD

PLEASANT - Means pleasure giving-and this home does with its pretty fireplace and beamed ceilings in a cozy den plus 3 b/2, 2 bath. Good equity buy. \$52,500

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DAVIS ROAD - Away from town with many extras. \$70,000

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WALTON - "A" luxury development in the housing world. Cluster Homes keyed to Contemporary Southwest Architecture. A new and unusual plan in comfortable living. Magnificent settings with high windows. Designed for privacy with landscaped courtyard. \$86,500

DUNBAR - Invest in happiness in this NEW, NEW AREA, NEW PLAN 3 b/r, 1 1/2 baths, the country for a family. \$75,500

DUNBAR - On the Mark! Get set for comfortable living! 3 b/2, 2 baths. Cozy country kitchen-Pretty entry. \$78,500

T. J. MELTON III & ASSOCIATES
2811 GOLF COURSE - Large living area, beamed ceilings, wet bar. Spacious master bedroom and bath. 2 other large brs, with adjoining bath. \$116,000

HUMBLE - Absolutely New-Choice school area. Patio tile home-Energy geared-3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths large and pretty den-Low maintenance. \$76,500

VALLEY - Out of the common place. Colonial patio home. 3 b/r, 2 1/2 baths, living room, Outstanding rock fireplace. Game room with wet bar and fireplace. Many more amenities. \$135,000

OTHER NEW HOMES
DALTON - Open airy feeling. Earth tones throughout. 3 b/2, 2 baths, in this custom patio home priced to sell. \$87,500

DORMARD - Softly Contemporary with atrium, spacious living area, sequestered master bedroom. Close to completion with 90% financing available. \$72,500

GREENWOOD - Country-Boy at heart! You'll love this well constructed country home-Plant a field of alfalfa in front and smell the country breeze this summer. Choice acreage. Priced Right

INVESTMENTS, LOTS & CREAGE
GREENWOOD - Acreage with 25% down. Owner will carry papers. \$2,800 ac.
GREENWOOD - County Road 89E. Acres divided into 4 parcels. \$4,500 ea.
CLOVER DALE RD. - .22 acres. May be sold in two parcels. 20% down. owner will finance. Total price \$28,000. \$28,000
NORTHERUP - residential lots, pro-rata paid. \$21,000
INTERIM FINANCING available on FHA-VA approved quality built homes. Call KAREN. Price from low. \$300
4+ ACRES - Big Spring. frontage, zoned LR2. Terms-arrangements. Call \$300

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NEW HOMES BY CONCEPT, will consider Trade-ins 85% CONVENTIONAL FINANCING AVAILABLE

3618 ANETTA	3 bed, 2 ba, 1 gar	\$2,050. down plus closing \$40,000
409 BENTWOOD	4 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar	\$2,450. down plus closing \$48,000
3614 ANETTA	3 bed, 2 ba, 1 gar	\$2,050. down plus closing \$39,200
3616 ANETTA	3 bed, 2 ba, 1 gar	\$2,050. down plus closing \$39,900
418 SWETHBRAR	3 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar	\$2,300. down plus closing \$45,100
4800 SHADYLANE	3 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar	\$2,350. down plus closing \$46,300
4800 ILLINOIS	3 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar	\$2,300. down plus closing \$45,600
4800 STOREY	4 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar	\$2,450. down plus closing \$48,400
4806 STOREY	3 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar	\$2,350. down plus closing \$46,300

20 ACRES W/ MOBILE HOME Beautiful view of the city on Farm Road 1150, nice 2 bed, 2 ba, trailer, fenced yard & good water. \$40,000

ANETTA Beautiful new home by Concept w/3 bed, 2 ba, kitchen w/built-ins & fireplace. Builder will sell VA, FHA or Conventional. \$40,000

ANETTA Excellent for newbies, beautiful choc. brown carpet, kitchen w/built-ins fireplace & ref. air, 3 bed, 2 ba & 1 living area. \$39,900

ILLINOIS New listing in excellent condition, 3 bed, hollyhwd ba. living room & den, ref. air, only \$12,500 for equity & assume \$280.00 mo. payment. \$39,500

NORTH "D" Close in older home w/formal dining, 3 bed, 1 ba, breakfast area. Only \$3,500. down plus closing. \$-5,000

COUNTY ROAD 1130 NORTH New listing. Older home sitting on 3 acres w/4 bed, 2 ba, 2 water wells & 500 gal. septic tank. \$32,000

STOREY Older home in excellent condition w/3 bed, 2 ba, den & corner lot. \$28,000

LORAIN Older home, close in with 2 bed, 1 bath, sunporch and fireplace. \$28,000

COMMERCIAL BUILDING Approximately 24 x 30' with attached apartment that has one bedroom & bath. New roof and excellent condition. \$30,000

3118 DELANO New listing, 2 bed, 1 bath, carpet. Fresh paint inside, kitchen redone. Will FHA, low move in. \$18,000

RIDGE LANE 2.69 acres, cleared, has excellent water well, 25-30 gpm with 1 horse pump & utility building is 12' x 16'. \$12,000

NORTH BIG SPRING, lot for \$65,000RIDGE DR. & LAMESA DR. 64 acres for \$160,000**LOTS IN GREENHILL TERRACE available**26 acres OFF COUNTY ROAD 150 E for \$11,500. has water well**LOT ON DENGAR for \$2,500**1.25 ACRES ON COTTON FLAT RD. FOR \$12,000**PATIO lot, JASPER, TX, for \$6,000.**

COUNTRY REALTY 684-9020
 Rural Property Specialists, MLS
 Small Tracts Farms & Ranches

7.69 acres, Cardinal Lane, 3 BR, 2 bath, barn	\$150,000.00
15.76 acres, 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath in Brownwood	\$62,000.00
2 acres, 3 BR, 1 bath, brick, fireplace	\$30,000.00
1.72 acres S. Midliff, large brick home, 2 wells, shop	\$154,000.00
12 acres, 2 story brick, 3 BR, 2 baths, bar & fenced	\$70,000.00
Greenwood, 5 acres in alfalfa, 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath, house	\$85,000.00
2 acres, 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath, pipe fence, S. of Airport	\$62,500.00
500 acres, Greenwood School District, Irig. water	\$500,000.00
1 acre, 2 houses, good wells on 130 west	\$18,000.00
1972 Woodmoor on 1 1/2 acres S. Midliff	\$21,500.00
44 acres ranchette. Well improved, near Junction	\$47,000.00
11 acres, Greenwood, 6 acres alfalfa	\$33,000.00
1 section improved grassland-Upton County-owner finance	CALL
150 acres, Palo Pinto County 1/2 mineral	CALL
26.18 acres, Greenwood School District, 3 wells. Term	\$39,500.00
12.5 acres, 5 Midliff, 5 acre tracts, Call for more info	\$21,500.00
Mobile home, 4.38 acres, double wide Villa, 40 GPM well	\$38,000.00
Commercial, corner of W. New Jersey & "N" St.	\$35,000.00
Commercial, 2108 W. Carter St. Water well, 146x130	\$18,000.00

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