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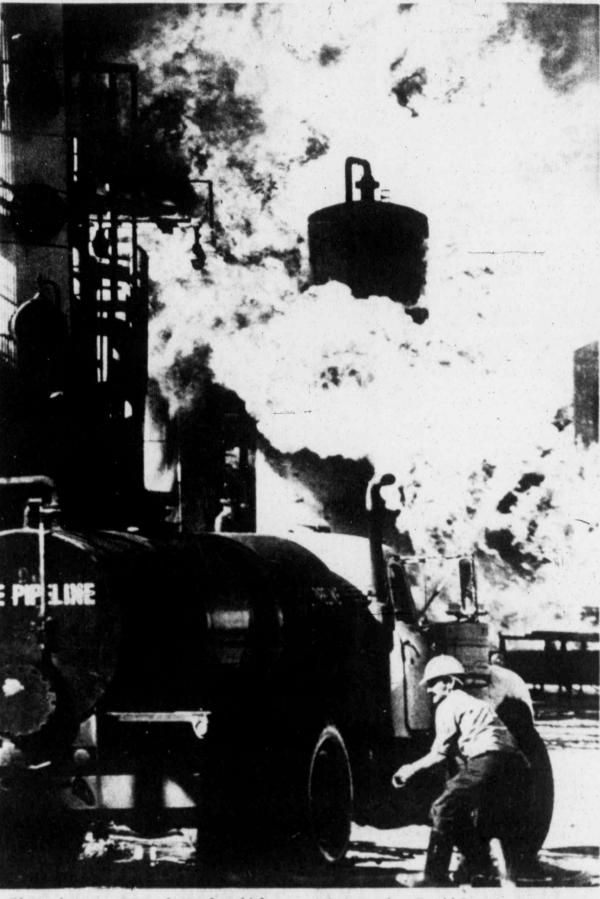
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ICC chairman Daniel O'Neal said he felt the surcharge would encourage thousands of angry independent truckers to end their work stoppage.

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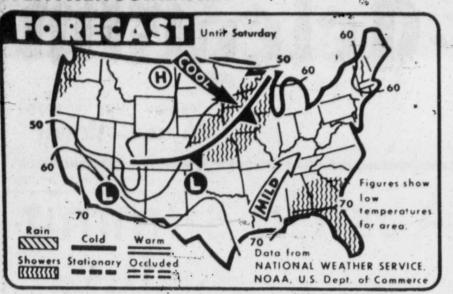
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Today's satellite cloud picture, recorded at 3 a.m., shows a bright band of cloudiness extending from central Canada southwestward across the upper Midwest into the Rockies. Broken clouds cover the southeastern states and portions of the Northeast. (AP Laserphoto)

### Midland statistics

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NATIONAL WEATHER SE	RVICE READING	is:
Yesterday's High		3 degrees
Overnight Low		3 degrees
Sunset today		8:56 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow		6: 42 a.m.
Precipitation:		
Last 24 hours		0 inches
This month to date		2.75 inches
1979 to date	municipal de la company	8.75 inches
LOCAL TEMPERATURES		
6 a.m	6 p.m	
7 a.m 65	7 p.m	88
8 a.m	8 p.m	
9 a.m	9 p.m	
10 a.m	10 p.m	69
11 a.m	11 p.m.	65
noon	Midnight	67
1 p.m92	1 a.m	65
2 p.m	2 a.m	63
3 p.m. 93	3 a.m	64
4 p.m	4 a.m	65
5 p.m 92	5 a.m	65

SOUTHWEST TEMPERATURES:	н	1
Abilene	96	61
Denver	89	51
Amarillo	94	6
El Paso	99	54
Ft. Worth	94	6
Houston	90	7
Lubbock	95	6
Marfa	91	4
Okla City	91	-
Wichita Palls	97	- 4

### Texas thermometer

		High L	wo.	Pep
	Abilene	96	69	:00
	Alice	90	62	.00
	Alpine	91	M	.00
	Amarillo	94	64	.00
	Austin	88	69	.00
	Beaumont	89	67	.00
	Brownsville	87	65	.00
	Childress	98	70	.00
	College Station	87	65	.00
	Corpus Christi	86	73	.00
	Cotulla	90	60	.00
	Dalhart	95	64	.00
	Dallas	91	69	.00
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	El Paso	99	. 56	.00
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	Lubbock	95	66	.00
	Lufkin		65	.00
	Marfa	91	43	.00
	McAllen	93	67	.00
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	Palacios	58	65	.00
	Presidio	100	M	.00
	San Angelo	92	65	.00
	San Antonio	87	64	.00
	Shreveport	88	67	.00
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West Texas: Fair with very warm afternoons through Saturday. Highs mostly in the 90s except near 105 along the Rio Grande from El Paso to Big Bend. Lows mostly in the 60s except 50s mountains.

North Texas: Continued fair and very warm through Saturday. Highs 91 to 96. Lows 67 to 71.

# Tech graduate joins staff of District Attorney's office

Richard L. Moore, a recent graduate of the Texas Tech University Law School at Lubbock, has joined the staff of the Midland County District Attorney's office.

Moore, who joined the district attorney's staff May 18 as an assistant district attorney, is filling a vacancy created when present Assistant District Attorney Timothy Sloan resigned. Her resignation was to become effective today

Moore and his wife, Sandy, moved to Midland recently from Lubbock and reside at 3001 Midland Drive.

Moore's responsibilities in the district attorney's office will include the prosecution of criminal cases and keeping track of trial dockets.

Asked his philosophy regarding the prosecution of criminal cases, Moore said, "I think that the duty of this office should not be to see that convictions always take place, but that jus-

tice is done. Moore, 28, said he and his wife are pleased with their move to Midland. "I think it's a really nice town."

A native of Seminole, Moore was graduated from Seminole High School in 1969 and received his bachelor of business administration degree from the University of Texas at Austin in

From 1973 until 1976. Moore was



Richard L. Moore

employed as a right-of-way agent in

After 1976 he attended law school at Texas Tech and received his law degree May 12, 1979.

Ms. Sloan said her immediate plans have not been formulated. She has been an assistant district attorney here for 21/2 years.

# 600 receive notices of reappraisal

(Continued from Page 1A)

appraisal of agricultural land was done in a different manner this year in compliance with House Bill 1060, passed May 28 by the Texas Legisla-Owners of agriculture land will

find two values on their tax notices, according to Jones. These will be the regular market value appraisal and a productivity value

All land devoted to agricultural use will qualify for productivity evaluation, which usually amounts to less than the market value when applied to the Midland area, Jones said.

Midland Countians who are to pay their taxes based on productivity level may find the taxation reduced when that amount is compared to taxes based on the same land's mar-

But revenue coming into the four taxing bodies won't go down, said Jones. In general, he observed, Midland-area residents have been paying taxes based largely on the productivity value of the agricultural land.

Land which would qualify for productivity evaluation must be devoted principally to agricultural use for at least five of the preceding seven years, said Jones.

Uses for the land are described in the bill as livestock, crops or orchards or land left idle as part of a normal crop or livestock rotation or to participate in a government program.

For property owners to be covered by the bill's provisions, they must file an application for agriculture use valuation. That application will be considered if it is filed within 45 days from the time Gov. Bill Clements signs the act into law, said

Owners who have a question about reappraisal notices may discuss the notices with the Board of Equalization when it begins reviewing complaints June 26 in the Midland High School cafeteria

Jones said the School Tax Assessment Practice Board has recommended that the Midland Independent School District be reimbursed on the difference in revenue, if any, produced by taxes being paid on a productivity basis rather than according to market value.

### More violence

(Continued from Page 1A)

from blockades at fuel depots after Gov. Lamar Alexander threatened to get a court order to keep the supplies

The truckers say they are being squeezed out of a living by the rise in

Tyler's Truck Stop in Rockport, Ind. Raymond Moffatt, on ground, was accused by Kenny Caldwell of supporting the strike but still operating

Two independent truckers scuffle Thursday at

trucks. Moffatt denied the charge. Everet Peach, another independent trucker, looks on. No one was seriously injured in the scuffle. (AP Laserphoto)

# Testimony phase of Estes trial starts today

DALLAS (AP) - The first day of testimony in what is expected to be a complicated and tedious fraud trail of paroled Abilene flim-flam man Billie Sol Estes was to begin today in federal court here.

Estes - once called the "wonder boy of Texas agriculture" - was sentenced to 15 years in prison in the 1960s after his paper empire crum-

Potential jurors' vague memories of Estes' earlier conviction slowed jury selection to a crawl Wednesday and Thursday.

There is a noted absence of male businessmen on the jury, which is made up largely of housewives or women who work part-time.

Most of the prospective jurors ex-

Gerbils may

nab hijackers

with sniffers

PHILADELPHIA (AP) -

Gerbils could help nab airplane

hijackers in the future if current

research supports suggestions.

of their talent for detecting

It may sound far-fetched, but

the Federal Aviation Adminis-

tration is funding such research

by Dr. David Moulton, a re-

search physiologist at the Phila-

delphia Veterans Administra-

tion Medical Center. The FAA

got the idea from a similar pro-

Moulton is testing gerbils to

determine if their sense of smell

is sensitive enough to detect the

odor of stress in a potential hi-

jacker or explosives in lug-

If the tests prove gerbils can

Moulton explained that dogs

require waking, pettng, scratch-

ng, cleaning and emotional in-

volvement. But give a gerbil a

clean cage, good food and water,

and you have a happy, portable

"Gerbils are not as sensitive

as dogs are," Moulton says,

"but they may be easier to han-

Moulton's experiments in-

volve about 30 gerbils that put in

a nalf-hour day in something

like a converted Skinner box,

used for behavior modification

sniff out explosives, Moulton

says they may replace the dogs

now used to do the job.

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gram in Canada.

cused said they were at least vaguely. familiar with Estes, associating him with some kind scheme to defraud investors. But the majority said they were not familiar cith the details of Estes' 1962 conviction on charges he built a fortune through mortgages on non-existent anhydrous ammonia fer-

Three grand jury indictments returned Feb. 22 against Estes and codefendant Raymond K. Horton of Midland spell out a plan almost identical to the fertilizer scam.

According to the indictment, a total of 38 cleaners were bought and sold on paper only through dummy corporations using money loaned from the legitimate leasing companies.

The government has charged Estes and Horton with conspiring to bilk

four leasing companies of more than \$589,000 by financing oil field steam cleaners that do not exist. Estes was paroled in 1971, and the

unusual terms of his parole prohibited him from engaging in self-employment or promotional activities.

M.L. Copenhaver, who was scheduled to stand trial with Horton and Estes, last week pleaded guilty to one conspiracy count. Rolfe said prosecutors would move to dismiss the other charges against him. Copenhaver i listed among the prosecution wit-

The allegations spelled out in the grand jury indictments are not new. Many surfaced in newspaper accounts two years ago, when state and federal agencies began their investigations of Estes and his associates.

ber, Estes pleaded guilty to conspiracy to conceal assets from the IRS and plotting to defraud investors:

But he withdrew his plea when a federal judge rejected the bargain, which hinged on approval of the U.S. Parole Commission.

Another indictment says Estes and Horton ran several businesses in Horton's name, although they actually were owned by Estes. That indictment also charges Estes with conspiring to defraud the government of income tax for the years 1959-1962, 1971 and 1977.

According to the hefty indictments, Estes and Horton allegedly filed false financial statements with the leasing companies and received fraudulently obtained checks in the mail.

# Police rounding up Hell's Angels

All of those arrested Thursday, in-

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - For 30 years, the Hell's Angels have been one step ahead of the law as the motorcycle gang grew from blue collar bikers into outlaw legends. But as far as police are concerned - it's roundup time.

More than two dozen Angels are behind bars today, and nearly a dozen more are being sought after the biggest legal crackdown in the gang's Mild nights, very warm afternoons

With summer only a week away,

dress rehearsals for the coming sea-

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ternoons through Saturday is the offi-

cial word from the National Weather

Service office at Midland Regional

High Saturday is expected to be in

Today's southerly winds should die

ODESSA - AmeriGas Inc. will

build a \$3.8-million liquid carbon

dioxide plant adjacent to the chemi-

The plant will process 300 tons of the

Construction is to begin in July and.

The AmeriGas plant will utilize

feedstock for an adjacent anhydrous

the plant should be operational Octo-

liquid on a 31/2-acre site near the El-

cal complex in south Odessa.

down to 10-15 mph by tonight, the

the mid-90s with the overnight low

dipping only to the upper 60s.

weatherman said.

Paso Products Co.

son are fully under way.

Airport.

cluding gang leader Ralph "Sonny" Barger and his wife Sharon, were being held on federal drug-related racketeering and conspiracy charges. Barger's bail was set at \$1 million and his wife's at \$250,000. Among those still being sought is

James "Jim Jim" Brandes, an alleged Angel enforcer who "participated in drug activities, attempted murder and murder activities of the

Thursday's high was a sunny 93

Record temperatures for the date

No rain fell Thursday and none is

degrees with the overnight low re-

are 105 set in 1945 and 56 set in 1940.

expected over the weekend, so the

monthly total is likely to stay at 2.75

with the annual rainfall accumulation

Area weather watchers were re-

porting the same sunny day Mid-

landers enjoyed this morning, with all

recording sunny skies and cool tem-

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In addition to the plant, AmeriGas

will construct a 2,500-foot pipe line to

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Liquid carbon plant construction set

enterprise," according to the federal grand jury indictment.

The 31-page indictment, the resultof a year-long investigation, covers acts dating back to 1971. Each of the nearly three dozen defendants was charged with three counts of violating the federal Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organization laws.

During the raids, federal agents said they recovered a \$500,000 cashier's check at one location and a total of \$35,000 in cash. Officials also seized 50 firearms, six motorcycles, two autos, eight balloons of heroin and a predicted for Basin through Saturday pound of amphetamines.

U.S. Attorney William Hunter, who coordinated the arrests, said the manufacture and large-scale distribution of amphetamines was the cornerstone of the Angels' illegal activi-

Barger took over the gang in 1957, seven years after it was founded, when he formed a chapter in Oakland at age 18.

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### DEATHS



Rev. Tommy E. Nelson Jr.

### Rev. T.E. Nelson 4627 Leisure Drive, were to be at 4 p.m. today in St. Paul United Methodist Church directed by Newnie W.

Ellis Funeral Home. Officiating ministers were to be the Rev. Royce Womack of St. Luke's United Methodist Church, the Rev. Robert P. Metzger of Lubbock and Dr. Loyd Hughes of Big Spring.

Burial was to be in Resthaven Memorial Park.

He died at his home Thursday following an apparent heart seizure.

Nelson was born April 4, 1931, in Amarillo and attended school there. He entered the ministry during his teen-age years. He was graduated from McMurry College in Abilene in

He began serving as a pastor with the Methodist Church, going from the Dumont-Delwin circuit in the Matador and Paducah areas to Paradise in the Denton District. He went to Perkins Seminary in Dallas, where he earned his master's degree.

In 1954 Nelson went asseninister to Colorado City for three years and, in 1957, he moved to the San Jacinto United Methodist Church in Amaril-

In 1958, he moved to Rule, where he served for two years. He then returned to Forest Hill Methodist Church in Amarillo for six years. From 1966 to 1970, Nelson was pas-

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tor at the First United Methodist Church in Olton. He went to Memphis for four years and, in 1974, he moved to Midland as pastor of St. Paul United Methodist Church.

He received a master of arts degree from Scarritt College in Tennessee in 1972. He received his doctorate of ministry degree from Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tenn., in 1978.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Timothy O. Nelson of Midland, Thomas E. Nelson III of Denver, Colo., and Robert Joel Nelson of Buvina, a sister, Anna Harris of Amarillo, and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers were to be Darrell Hulme, Emmet Adamson, A.J. Spain, Don Spain, Harmon Lowe, John Norris, Rayford Woods and the Rev. John Riggs.

Honorary pallbearers were to be the administrative board of St. Paul United Methodist Church and other

# 'Pete' Wendt

Services for Pier "Pete" E. Wendt. 72, 716 W. Storey Ave., were to be at 4 p.m. today in the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity with the Rev. Sam Hulsey officiating.

Graveside services will be at 5 p.m. Saturday in Prairie Lee Cemetery at Brenham, directed by Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Wendt died Wednesday following an automobile accident.

He was born Sept. 28, 1906, in Berlin and spent his early life in Brenham. He was graduated in 1930 from Texas A&M University with a degree in business. He taught school at Washington-on-the-Brazos for several

Prior to that. Wendt was a pitcher for a baseball team in Waco under the old Texas League. While at A&M, he was All Southwestern Conference two years. Wendt also was commander of Company C Infantry during his senior year at A&M.

He went to work for Sun Oil Co. in Brenham and was transferred to. North Cowden, Field in 1939. Other transfers were to Monument, N.M., to Odessa in 1942 for a six-year period and finally to Midland in 1948 in the production department of Sun Oil. He retired from the company in 1968. He

was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity.
Survivors include two daughters,

Nina Wendt of Midland and Jane Ann

The family has requested that me-

morials be directed to the Midland

Resugio A. Fierro

OZONA- Services for Resugio A.

Fierro, 60, of Ozona were to be at 3

p.m. today in the Church of Christ

here. Burial was to be in the Lima

Cemetery directed by the Gutierrez

Fierro died Wednesday in a San

He was born July 4, 1919, in Terlin-

gua. He was a veteran of World War

II. He was a member of the Church of

Survivors include his wife, Guada-

lupe; two daughters, Alicia Lopez of

Ozona and Lina Mendoza of San An-

gelo; three sons, Roberto Fierro,

Everto Fierro and David Fierro, all

of Ozona; two sisters, Manuela Perez

of Ozona and Genovea Gonzales of

Salt Lake City, Utah, two brothers,

Citriano Fierro of Marble Falls and

Juan Fierro of Ozona, and eight

Red' Barrington

COLEMAN - Services for Cecil

Melvin "Red" Barrington, 74, of Co-

leman, father of Mrs. Chester (Reta)

Faught of Big Spring, will be at 2:30

Cambodia conditions appall

spread famine, malnutrition and epidemics.

French doctors visiting country

PARIS (AP) - Three French doctors, recently

The doctors, all working in Paris hospitals, also

returned from a 10-day trip to Cambodia, said toxday

the Southeast Asian nation is threatened with wide-

said at a press conference that medical standards

throughout Cambodia were appalling and that al-

most all the nation's medical personnel had dis ap-

Jacques Beighiti, Richard Planells and Jean-Ywes

Follezou, invited to visit by the Cambodian Ministry

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p.m. Saturday in the Henderson Funeral Home Chapel in Coleman. Burial will be in Coleman City Cem-

Barrington was born Nov. 15, 1904, in Caradan in Mills County and was married to Marie E. Bell on Oct. 29, 1922, in Rising Star.

He had lived in Coleman since Barrington was production superin-

tendent for an oil field drilling compa-He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, three daughters, two sons, a brother, 23 grandchildren and 20 great-grand-

## Jesse Grizzle

SNYDER - Services for Jesse Grizzle, 58, of Ira, father of Dennis Grizzle of Hobbs, N.M., were to be at 3 p.m. today in Ira Baptist Church with burial in Ira Cemetery directed by Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

Fle died Wednesday in Midland. Grizzle was born Aug. 18, 1920, in Mabank. He was married to Eugenia Carlile March 14, 1945, in Ira.

neer for the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation for 28 years.

He had been employed as an engi-

Other survivors include his wife, three sisters and three brothers.

# House mulls nuke ban

WASHINGTON (AP) - The House is considering a ban on new nuclear power plants in states that do not have adequate evacuation plans for coping with nuclear accidents.

In pushin g the licensing ban, Rep. James Weaver, D-Ore., says the accident at Thre e Mile Island in Pennsylvania raisec I doubts about the ability of authorities to move people out of

### danger swiftly. Child actress Darla Hood dies

HOLLYVVOOD (AP) - Darla Hood, the dark-eyed, curly-haired female member of the "Our Gang" kid comedy troup ie of the 1930s, has died at the age of 48 in a Canoga Park hospital.

The cause of Miss Hood's death Wednesday was unknown and an autopsy was schieduled, Peter Moran, a spokesman for Pierce Brothers Mortuary, said Thiursday

Miss Hood appeared in 132 "Our Gang" comed y films from 1935 until 1942. Known as the sweetheart of the series, Miss Hood remained active in show business throughout her life.

For many years, she was a featured part of Jimmy McHugh's night club act, appeared on numerous radio and television shows and was seen in two motion picture's, "The Calypso Heat Wave" and "The Helen Morgan Story." In her later years she appeared in television commercials.

Commission aids states in developing ... evacuation plans, but the safety agency has no authority to require a state plan before granting a license.

A survey by the congressional General Accounting Office found that only 10 states had emergency plans meeting all the criteria suggested by the

Aides to Weaver say the provision probably would affect 25 states which have failed to draft, test, or submit a suitable plan to the commission. They had no estimate on the number of plants that might be affected in those states.

Weaver's proposal, expected to come up for debate today, is to insert the ban in a bill appropriating \$10.6 billion next year, for public works projects and programs of the NRC and the Department of Energy.

Under a separate bill, the commission would be required to develop new evacuation plan guidelines for eventual approval by Congress. Backers. of this approach say the Weaver version would give states a veto on nuclear plant construction. To stop a plant, a state could decline to draft an evacuation plan, they say.

In floor work Thursday on the appropriations bill, the House rejected a move to drop \$9.1 million for acquiring land next year for the Stonewall Jackson Dam in West Virginia. Opponents said the \$117 million project on the West Fork of the Monongahela River was a waste of money.

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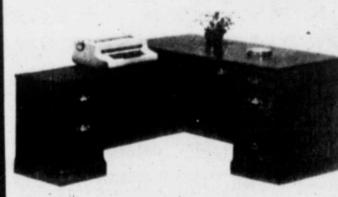


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# Carter's statement prompts editorial comment

NEW YORK (AP) — Here is a sampling of editorial consment on President Carter's boast that he would win in a race for the I remocratic presidential nomination against Sen. Edward M. Kennedy

Carter was quoted as telling several congressman at a White House dinner this week: "If Kennedy runs, I'll whip his ass."

The Rocky Mountain News, Denver, Colo.: "Now that latter: phrase is sure to set bluenosed editoriaists and educators to clucking that a president shouldn't talk like that lest he set a poor example for youth. Let

us be the first to write otherwise, based on recent history. "The nation knows from the (expletive deleted) Oval Office tapes that Richard Nixon had a gamy vocabulary. In private Harry Truman and Lyndon Johnson talked like mule skinners. Dwight Eisenhowier chewed out erring aides in the tones of an Army top sergeant, and John Kennedy had a fondness for four-letter words, delivered with a Harvard ac-

The Memphis Press-Scimitar: "Carter has had more than his share of problems and frustrations in the White House and one of them is Ted Kennedy. The Massachusetts senator has been criticizing, sec ond-guessing and upstaging him, and so it was healthy for the President to blow off some steam with his earthy boast.

"Having defended Carter's right to say what he will do to the Kennedy derriere, we're left with the question of whether he can. ... Of course, a year is a long time and things can change swiftly in politics. But right now, what with inflation, a slowing economy and his slumpin g popularity, it seems rash for Jimmy Carter to challenge anybody to a whipping

The Raleigh (N.C.) Times: "Born-again President Carter appears to have been born still again. ... Obviously Carter, currently suffering from an extremely low popularity rating, was striving for effect in much the same way some adults as well as little boys, puncuate their coversations with profanity during moments of stress.

The Raleigh, N.C., News and Observer: "There surely will be those who will egg Big Teddy on with the old prod of 'Let's you and him fight. So far, the only thing we know is that Big Teddy laughed when he got the word and said he didn't intend to fight but would hope to win if he did.

They newspaper also ran an editorial cartoon showing a bull looking yery much like Sen. Kennedy pawing the ground and preparing to charge Carter, who holds a red flag that says: "Ah'll whup yo' ass."

The Richmond (Va.) Times-Dispatch: "No doubt some Americans are now accusing Mr. Carter of bad taste, while others are commending him for expressing his views so forcefully. People who don't like either President Carter or Senator Kennedy may be having a hard time making up their minds how they feel on the subject.

The editorial notes that Presidents Harry Truman and Richard Nixon also used strong language, but did not have to face voters after doing

"There is this disquieting possibility: If Mr. Carter runs and is re-elected, that fact - coupled with the generally high regard in which Mr. Truman as president is now held - could serve to lead future excupants of 1600 Pennsylvania Ave. to conclude that the most mundarie language possible is a political asset.'

Knickerbocker News, Albany, N.Y.: "Considering Edward Kennedy and Jimmy Carter are both Democrats and aren't (as of this moment) running for the same political office, they sure hand out the jibes.

"President Carter's are colorful, to say the least. That is, when he's responding to the dynamic Sen. Kennedy. "It was 'baloney' when Mr. Kennedy criticized his energy policies, and

now, asked what he'd do if the Massachusetts senator challenged him in a Democratic primary, Mr. Carter said he'd 'whip his ass.'

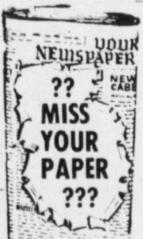
'We'd like to see a little of Mr. Carter's southern grit and backbone so evident in the scrappy tone he takes with Mr. Kennedy - applied to a few of this nation's most pressing problems. ...

# High level backing

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa (AP) - Edward Kennedy finally had a quip ready about President Carter's recent comment that Carter would "whip his ass."

At a meeting of the Iowa State Bar Association, he brought up President Carter's comment about Kennedy chances.

"I always felt the White House would stand behind me, but I didn't realize how close they would be. Kennedy



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# Contracts nixed for live-in lovers

SPRINGFIELD, III. (AP) - Amid talk about lovers "living in sin," a state Senate committee has defeated legislation requiring contracts for live-in lovers if they want to separate and split

their property. The measure, struck down Thursday, would have applied to couples 'living together in a sexual relationship, but without marriage. Under the bill, any legal action involving a settlement after the relationship ended would have to be based on a prior written

In effect, backers said, the bild would have barred lawsuits similar to the Lee Marvin-Michelle Triola Marvin case in California, in which Miss Marvin, who had lived with the actor for six years, sued her former lover for \$1.8 million. A state judge awarded her \$104,000.

A Senate Judiciary Committee on Thursday voted 5-3 against the bill. which had passed the House.

Sen. Adeline Geo-Karis, a Republican, told sponsors: "I think your bill would discourage marriage.

"What you're really doing is nullifying the public policy of marriage .. that a couple should marry instead of living

in sin," she said. Sen. Arthur L. Berman, a Chicago Democrat who sponsored the bill in the Senate, said the measure was needed to guard against "open-

ing up the courts to all ty, Ill. kinds of litigation" by

former live-in lovers. House sponsor Rep. John W. Hallock Jr., said the measure was introduced not because of the Marvin case, but because of a similar case

filed in Champaign Coun- herself and the couple's In it, Victoria L.

property, and support for her right to sue.

three children.

Arguments in that case Hewitt, who lived with were heard recently by Robert M. Hewitt for 17 the Illinois Supreme years but was not mar- Court, which has yet to ried, has sued for an decide the issue. An ap-"equal share" of his pellate court has upheld

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Joe Berardi, 9. Wayne Hoci Calif., 8,729. 10. Larry Laub

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Ruidoso Downs

RUIDOSO, N.M. (AP) — True Lace, a 27-1 shot, beat the odds Thursday and notched a neck win in the feature race at

True Lace, with Terri Allen aboard,

9.40, 1-1:08 4-5 Second—400 yards. Tiny Yava 68:00, 27.40, 11.20; Good Time Two 9:80, 6:00; Jack Collins 6:20; T-21.22

Third—400 yards; Mighty Malice 7.00, 4.00, 3.20; Minertes Image 5.00, 6.20; Call Me Baby Face 4.60; T—20.67.

Quiniela \$39.60.

Fourth 4 furlongs; Bottle Game 9.20, 4.60, 3.40; True Sailing 16.80, 9.80; Pixie Dust 7.40; T—48.1.5

Quiniela \$65.60. Fifth 400 yards; Reckless Char Go 15.40, 5.00, 3.40; Nothingbutthebest 3.00,

2.60; Jet Bar Runner 3.40; T-20.93. Quiniela-\$15.20. Sixth-6 furlongs; Shawn Henri 18.20; 10.80; 5.00; Atomic Boy 4.00; 3.40; Pure

Quiniela—119.00 Seventh—870 yards, Southern Cause 5.20, 3.40, 2.80; Neighboi: Rex 16.40, 9.80; Come On Bruce 7.40; T.—47.79. Quiniela—\$68.00 Eighth—400 yards, Racine Day 14.20; 5.60, 4.20; Sticky Fingurs 4.80, 3.60; Sugar and Tea 7.00; T.—26.69. Quiniela—\$20.80.

Quiniela \$20.80. Ninth—6 furlongs, What A Tale 10.20, 4.20, 3.80, Clente 440, 3.20, Unstoppable 8.40; T—I: 15.1-5.

Wiskoway 3.20, T—1: 17.2-5.
Thirteenth—7 furlongs; Mr. Pike 8.00, 5.60, 3.20; Regal Vault 11.60, 11.00; African Sun 3.60; T—1: 29.4-5.

Commercial Bank Cubs 14, Alpine Oil

Patriots 5
W-James Pyle. L-Robert Rian. 2BMorret (P); Diaz, Pyle, Moore (C). 3BMorret (P); Hicks 2 (C).
Commercial Bank Cubs 9, Western Com-

pany Astros 8
W-James Pyle, L-Tommy Guttlierez.
2B-Noel Aguierre, Eddie Portillo (A);
Lane Marks (C).

Quiniela-\$74.60. Big Q-\$4,045.20.

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Quiniela—\$19.80

Quiniela-\$96.40. Daily Double-\$1,306.60.

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LPGA scores ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP) — First-round scores in the \$100,000 Ladies Pro-fessional Golf Association tournament over the par-73, 6,206-yard Locust Hills course: Jane Blalock 35-34-69 Sally Little Barbara Maxness Connie Chillemi Dot Germain Sharon Miller Murie Breer Mary Dwyer Joyce Kazmiersk Pat Meyers Sandra Post Pat Bradley Vicki Fergon Angie Tsal Debbie Austin Alice Ritzman Barbara Barrow Louise Bruce Beth Solomon Lauren Howe Marbo Sasaki Cathy Morse Dale Shaw Jo Ann Washam Jerilyn Britz Silvia Bertolaccini Marlene Floyd Donna Davis Shannon Johnson Kathy Whitworth Vicki Tabor Bonnie Bryant Maria A. Combs Susie Berning Kathy Postlewait Jan Ferraria ni JoAnn Dost Betsy Culien Carol Mann
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Larry Ziegler
John Mahaffey
Fuzzy Zoeller
Lee Trevino
Bob E. Smith
John Fought
Vance Heafner
Mac Mel endon

Runs Batted In Baylor, California, 56; Lynn, Boston, 2, Porter, KansasCity, 48, Bochte, Seatlé, 47, Cooper, Milwaukee, 45, Pitching (6 Decisions)

Kern, Texas, 8-1, 889, John, New York, 9-2, 833; Zahn, Minnesota, 5-1, 833, Martinez, Baltimore, 9-2, 818, Clear, alifornia, 6-2, 758; Ryan, California, 6-2, 758; Ryan, 6-2

California, 6-2, 756; Ryan, California, 6-3, 727; Renko, Boston 5-2, 714; Jen-kins, Texas, 7-3, 790.

Based on 125 at Bats.

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Kingman, Chicago, 20, Schmidt, Philadelphia, 18, Lopes, LosAngeles, 18, Simmons, St. Louis, 16, Winfield, SanDiego,

Runs Batted In Winfield, SanDiego, 55: Foster, Cincin-nati, 50: Kingman, Chicago, 49: Sim-mons, St Louis, 45; Garvey, LosAngeles,

Piching (6 Decisions)
LaCoss, Cincinnati, 8-0, 1.000; JNjekro, Houston, 16-2, 833; Zachry, New York, 5-1, 833; Knepper, SanFrancisco, 6-2, 750; Lamp, Chicago, 5-2, 714; Blee, Montreal, 6-3, 667; Nuckovich, St. Louis, 6-3, 667; Fortier of the American Sci. 1, 667; Proceedings of the San Sci. 1, 667; Proceedings of the Hooton, LosAngeles, 6-3, 667; Fingers, SanDiego, 6-3, 667.

## NASL at a glance

Eastern Division
W L GF GA BP Pts Atlanta

True Lace, with Terri Allen aboard, toured the six-furlong distance in 1.14 2.5 and returned \$56.00 to win, \$20.60 to place and \$9.20 to show.

Rebel Leader got in second and refunded \$17.40 and \$8.80.

And the show horse was Jerrie-Plaasure, who gave back \$11.60.

Here are the results of Thursday's races at Ruidoso Downs.

First—55, furlongs; Lovely Eyes 18.00, 7.40, 5.80. Restyle 5.40, 5.00, Quick Hug 9.40, T—1.08 4.5.

Second—400 yards. Tiny Yava 68.00, Tampa Bay 11 4 29 19 25 Fort Lauderdal 7 6 31 20 25 Philadelphia 5 10 26 27 26 New England 6 10 21 29 18 Memphis San Diego

San Jose 2 11 18 31 18 30 NOTE—Six points awarded for a vic-tory and one bonus point per goal with a

maximum of three per game
Thursday's Games
No games scheduled
Priday's Game
Toronto at Portland, 11 p.m.
Saturday's Games
Philadelphia at Chicago, 4:30 p.m.
San Jose at Fort Lauderdale, 8 p.m.
Tampa Bay at New England, 8 p.m.
Minnesotta at Dallas, 9 p.m. Minnesota at Dallas, 9 p.m.
San Diego at Edmonton, 9:30 p.m.
Atlanta at California, 10:30 p.m.
Detroit at Los Angeles, 10:30 p.m.
Memphis at Seattle, 1030 p.m.
Cosmos at Vancouver, 11 p.m. Sunday's Games Rochester at Washington, 2:30 p.m. Houston at Tulsa, 3: 30 p.m.

### **Bowling summaries**

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) - Thursday's fifth-round leaders and their total pinfall in the \$100,000 Professional Bowlers As-

the \$100,000 Protessional Bowiers As-ciation National Championship at owboat Lanes:

Ed Ressler, Bethlehem, Pa., 8,892.

Earl Anthony, Kent, Wash., 8,857.

Gary Mage, Seattle, 8,828.

Jimmy Certain, Huntsville, Ala.

Jim Winklepleck, Gladstone, Ore. 6 Mark Roth, North Arlington, N.J.

7. Ernie Schlegel, Vancouver, Wash., Hi-Junior 8. Joe Berardi, Pearl River, N.Y., 8,

Wayne Hockersmith, Montclair,

10. Larry Laub, Santa Rosa, Calif., 11. Mike Aulby, Indianapolis, Ind., 8,-

2. George Pappas, Charlotte, N.C., 13. Steve Westberg, Cottage Grove, Ore., 8,663.

U.S. Open scores

TOLEDO, Ohio (AP) — First-round scores Thursday in the 79th United States Open Golf Championship on the 6,982-yard, par 35-36—71 Inverness Club course (a-denotes amateur):

NEW YORK (AP) — National League All-Star voting after second week's tabu lation. CATCHER CATCHER
Johnny Bench, Cincinnati, 346,474, Ted
Simmons, St. Louis, 335,474, Steve
Yeager, Los Angeles, 246,539; Bob
Boone, Philadelphia, 241,902, Gary
Carter, Montreal, 98,183; Gene Tenace,
San Diego, 132,805, Dale Murphy, Atlanta, 83,728, John Stearns, 49,433
FIRST BASE
Peter Rose Philadelphia, 560,128, Steve PIRST BASE
Pete Rose, Philadelphia, 560,128; Steve
Garvey, Los Angeles, 416,650; Keith Hernander, St.Louis, 160,743; Willie Stargell,
Pittsburgh, 111,389; Tony Perez, Montreal, 100,862; Bill Buckner, Chicago, 78,687,
Dan Driessen, Cincinnati, 57,916.
SECOND BASE

**ALL-Star** balloting

Dan Driessen, Cincinnati, 57, SECOND BASE SECOND BASE
Davey Lopes, Los Angeles, 422,414; Joe
Morgan Cincinnati, 391,268; Manny Trillo, Philadelphia, 268,672; Mike Tyson,
St. Louis, 128,597. Bill Madlock, San
Prancisco, 111,077; Dave Cash, Montreal, 71,526; Rennie Stennett, Pittsburgh,
61,348, Art Howe, Houst, 52,596.

THIRD BASE Mike Schmidt, Philadelphia, 598,072; Ron Cey, Los Angeles, 333,933; Ken Reitz, St.Louis, 179,709; Enos Cabell, Houston, 98,632; Bob Horner, Atlanta, 95,049; Richie Hebner, New York, 79,600; Larry Parrish, Montreal, 64,365. Darrell SHORTSTOP

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Larry Bowa, Philadelphia, 442,600;
Dave Concepcion, Cincinnati, 354,410;
Garry Tempieton, St.Louis, 188,763; Bill
Russell, Los Angeles, 184,160; Ozzle
Smith, San Diego, 164,321; Chris Speier,
Montreal, 80,5549; Ivan DeJesus, Chicago, 70,099; Frank Taveras, New York,
52,112

OUTFIELD Greg Luzinski, Philadelphia, 442,588; Dave Parker, Pittsburgh, 390,818; George Foster, Cincinnati, 374,624; Garry Maddox, Philadelphia, 285,784; Dave Winfield, San Diego, 269,324; Bake McBride, Philadelphia, 243,357; Reggie Scibide, Philadelphia, 23,357, Reggie Smith, Los Angeles, 193,897; Dave King-man, Chicago, 191,394, Rick Monday, Los Angeles, 171,868; Dusty Baker, Los An-geles, 152,384; Ken Griffey, Cincinnati, 135,786; George Hendrick, St.Louis, 110,-916; Cesar Cedeno, Houston, 108,852; Jose Cruz, Houston, 107,304.

### Minor Leagues

At A Giance
By The Associated Press
EASTERN LEAGUE Thursday's Games Reading 6. West Haven 4 Friday's Games Buffalo at Bristol

Buffalo at Bristol Holyoke at Reading, 2 West Haven at Waterbury Saturday's Game Buffalo at Bristol Holyoke at Reading West Haven at Wate Sunday's Games Buffalo at Bristol West Haven at Waterbury

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INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE Thursday's Games Syracuse 14, Charleston 4 Columbus 8, Pawtucket 5 Toledo 5-4, Rochester 4-5 Only games sched Friday's Games

Sunday's Games Columbus at Tidewater

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Wichita at Oklahoma City Sunday's Games

Denver at Omaha Evansville at Springfield, 2 SOUTHERN LEAGUE

Friday's Games Charlotte at Savannah

Montgomery at Columbu Sunday's Games

TEXAS LEAGUE sort 6. Jackson 3 Friday's Games Midland at Amarillo San Antonio at El Paso Shreveport at Jackson Saturday's Games Midland at Ama

San Antonio at El Paso Shreveport at Jackson Tulsa at Arkansas Sunday's Games Midland at Amarillo San Antonio at El Paso Shreveport at Jackson

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE Thursday's Game Spokane 3, Hawaii 2 Portland 7, Vancouver 5 Only games scheduled Friday's Games Hawaii at Spokane Salt Lake at Phoenix

Tucson at Ogden
Saturday's Games
Hawaii at Spokane Salt Lake at Phoenix Tacoma at Albuquerqu

## Little League

Tucson at Ogden

Western American Midland National-12, Core Lab-1 WP-Anthony DeAnde LP-Neil Lungs-ford 2B-Flippin, Neatherland (M). 3B-Neatherland (M).

Western National Maliard-14, Coquina Oil-11 WP-Martin LP-Lugendre

8.40; T—1:15 1-5.
Quiniela—\$23.60.
Tenth—409 yards; Ima Bailey Oak Too
6.60, 3.80, 2.60; Hezamynativ; 6.20, 3.60;
Kinda Speedy 2.40; T—20.31
Quiniela—\$21.80.
Eleventh—6 furlongs; True Lace 56.00, 20.60, 9.20; Rebel Leader 17.40, 8.80; Jerrie Pleasure 11.60; T—1:14 2-5.
Quiniela—\$134.00.
Twelfth—6 furlongs; Noisy Tenny
37.60, 17.40, 7.00; Clarinet Solo 10.20, 5.80;
Wiskoway 3.20; T—1:17 2-5. Western Texas Mallard-12, Coquina Oil-8 WP-Paul Marlowe, LP-Andy Vesquez.

North Central American Foy Boyd-7, Frank See-5
WP-Terry Baxter, LP-Allen Foret, 2BForet (Frank See); Baxter (Foy Boyd). Foy Boyd-13, American Quasar-6 WP-Jay McCarty. LP-Darryl Barnes 2B-Mike Dobry, Barnes (A).

Tipperary 8, Frank See-7 WP-Scott Almy LP-Todd Sparks 2B-Foret, Hatcher, Johnson, Eldridge (F). \*Victory by Tipperary gives them the league championship. North Central National

Rangers-6, Sox-4 WP-Brandon Brunson, LP-Steve Row-land, 2B-Brunson, Indians-8. Yankees-0
WP-Mike Cantrell. LP-Jeff Reed. 2B-Thorpe, Edgar, Baca (I); Eccleston (Y).

but they'll have to change their tone from the last time we talked," he said. "They made the outrageous demand that they get 50 percent of the

wins of \$100,000 or more, will try to

Another snag developes

Sixto Lezcano (16) watches the ball skip away as

he steals second in game between Milwaukee and

Texas Thursday night in Arlington. Bump Wills

By The Associated Press

Coastal in last Saturday's Belmont

Stakes gave the trainer five stakes

make it six Saturday when Waya, a

grass specialist, takes to the turf Sat-

urday at Belmont Park in the \$125,-

000-added Bowling Green Handicap.

Waya, a 5-year-old French-bred

mare trained by Whiteley, will carry

top weight of 125 pounds against

seven other horses in the 11/4-mile

race in an attempt to capture his fifth

race in six 1979 starts. Her last two

M.Brant and George Strawbridge,

won the Top Flight Handicap in her

debut on the dirt and then came back

March 3 to win the Saratoga Springs

Cup Handicap, which was switched

from the grass to the dirt because of

LAKE PLACID, N.Y. (AP) - An-

other snag has developed in the sale

of tickets for February's Winter

Robert Ohanseian, the man in

charge of tickets for the Lake Placid

Olympic Organizing Committee, said Thursday that legal delays and plan-

ning changes would set back his pro-

gram for the rest of the month, mean-

ing at least another two week delay.

viewing the bulk sales agreement,'

been some changes in the times.'

Ohanseian said. "There have also

The LPOOC's legal office has been

running behind schedule in a number.

of areas recently, especially in con-

The sales program also hs been

hampered by the pace of changes in

the LPOOC transportation program,

LPOOC General Manager Petr

Spurney and State Transportation

Commissioner William Henessy are

still trying to negotiate an agreement

on who will pay for the parking lots

where those with tickets will have to

whic has yet to be made final.

abandon cars for buses.

'The legal department is still re-

Waya, who is owned by Peter

wins were on dirt.

Olympics.

tract matters.

David Whiteley, whose victory with

Also entered Thursday for the Bowling Green were Bowl Game, 123; Overskate, 117; Leonard Da Vinci, 115; Alias Smith, 113; Scythian Gold, 109; Sten, 108, and Najd, 107. Prince Majestic, 120 pounds, and

big stakes victory in row

Whiteley seeking sixth

Hot Words, 115, head the seven-horse field- for Saturday's \$30,000-added Isaac Murphy Memorial handicap at Arlington Park. The race is 11/4 At Hollywood Park Saturday will be

the Cortez Handicap, 13-8 miles on the turf for 3-year-olds and up, which will be split into two divisions.

The first division has a \$34,900 purse with 10 entries, including Blondie's Dancer, 118; Sir Gregor, 115; and Clear Leader, 116. In the \$34,500 second division, the field of nine entries include Saros, 118; Surera, 112; and Ardiente, 115.

for Winter Olympics

Wednesday and Thursday. The APA's hearing officer fell asleep several times during the testimony, which did not get into the negotiations but dealt with environmental impacts. He later adjourned the hearings to give negotiators a chance to wrap up their agreement.

The APA, a state zoning board that has jurisdiction over this small mountain community, is trying to force the LPOOC and the state to explain all the environmental impacts before giving its approval to the

The Department, which, with the state police, has been put in charge of area transportation, has provided the APA with some data while continuing to say that the lots are the LPOOC's responsibility.

Department officials say they will turn the lots over to the LPOOC under a use and occupancy agreement that will provide the environmental assurances the APA wants.

Lawyers for the two men fenced with each other and the Adirondack

Park Agency at a hearing on the lots to beat in the Hallandale

Sunday, the Inglewood, Calif., track will feature the \$50,000-added Wilshire Handicap, a 11-16-mile affair on the turf for fillies and mares. Some of the horses competing in the 10-horse field will be Country Queen under highweight of 121 pounds; Sisterhood, and the entry of More So and Ca-Fourteen 3-year-old fillies are ex-

waits for thorw that never gets there. (AP Laser-

pected to go Friday night at Atlantic City Race Course in the featured \$29,-475 Seashore Stakes, a mile race on

Among the lineup of horses will be Out Ruled, High Voltage Sport, Letter Lady, and Shanachie.

The feature Saturday at Ak Sar Ben, the 4-H Handicap, will have a pounds

Elsewhere Saturday, the \$125,000 Hazel Park Handicap will be run at the Michigan track, the \$30,000 Fleur De Lis Handicap at Churchill Downs, the \$30,000 Long Branch Stakes at Monmouth, the \$25,000 Dogwood at Pimlico and the \$25,000 Hallandale Handicap at Calder

Don Aronow and That's A Nice head a field of nine in the Hazel Park at 11/4-miles. Likely Exchange tops the Fleur De Lis. Quiet Crossing, Our Gary and Durham Ranger are the co-high weights in the Long Branch.

A Real Girl and Two Many Sweets are the main contenders in the Dogwood. Raymond Earl is rated the one

# Hot dog man happy over lower prices

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - Ron Gordon, a Don Quixote against the windmill of inflation for nearly a year, is a happy man - hot dog prices at Candlestick Park are going back down to 75 cents.

It's only a nickel, but for 11 months Gordon has stopped anyone who would listen to tell them that every nickel counts, especially if you are Stevens California Enterprises, which sells hot dogs at the park. Thursday, he finally convinced the

San Francisco Park and Recreation Board to roll back the nickel surcharge it allowed Stevens to get for its hot dogs last July. "I can't believe it took this long,"

an elated Gordon said after a-unanimous vote by the board. "A friend of mine's wife was pregnant when this began and now they have a 10-month old baby. The long fight began last July when the board granted Stevens' request

for a nickel hike on vended hot dogs and beer to pay for equipment and labor necessary to wrap the dogs in paper, as ordered by the state health

When Gordon saw a newspaper story about the surcharge, he reached for a pencil and paper. His quick tally showed that Stevens could make more than \$60,000 over its costs with the extra nickel.

Initially rebuffed by the board, the 33-year-old Redwood City biology teacher took his case to the media. He made the local papers, local TV, the Wall Street Journal, Sports Illustrated and CES. He wrote to Stevens, the Giants, the President's Council on Wage and Price Stability and even President Carter himself.

He wrapped hot dogs in front of the board to show that anyone could wrap a dozen in a minute, instead of the 2.47 Stevens said its workers could wrap. And he made a blizzard of charts showing, among other things, that the 1,836,740 extra nickels the company made weighed 10.2 tons.

In all, Gordon figures his one-man crusade cost him nearly \$1,500 - and that he'll have to eat 30,000 hot dogs at the old ballpark price to make up for

"I'm a Dodger fan," Gordon admits, "and I only come out to Candlestick a couple or three times a year. But I figure that the money I spent was an investment in justice.

"The only thing that bothers me is and the last I know more about this than about it than I know about anything

# Kupchak ailing

LANDOVER, Md. (AP) - Mitch Kupchak's ailing back has been diagnosed as a herniated disc, but doctors have made no prognosis for his future, the Washington Bullets announced.

The 6-foot-10 center-forward was admitted to Sibley Hospital in Washington, D.C. on Monday to undergo a myelogram, the National Basketball Association team said Thursday

# Houston Oilers sign speedy running back, big lineman

HOUSTON (AP) - The Houston Oilers have signed second round draft choice Jesse Baker, a 6-5, 265 defensive lineman from Jacksonville, Ala. State, and speedy running back Wayne Wilson, a 12th round draft pick

from Shepherd, W. Va. College. Baker, 6-5, 265, made 71 tackles and grabbed a school record seven fumble recoveries last season. He became his school's first representative in the East-West Shrine game.

Wilson, 6-3, 208, has been clocked at 4.5 for the 40 yard dash by Oiler

The Oilers now have signed five of

their 10 draft choices.

Iowa State's Mike Stensrud, also chosen in the second round by the Oilers, re-mained unsigned. His agent, Alan Heridrick of Houston, said he has had several amicable exchanges with the Oiler's but no contract settlement has been reached.

Oklahoma running back Kenny King, who rushed 781 yards last season behind Heisman Trophy winner Billy Sims, Georgia Tech offensive tackle Mike Taylor, 6-7, 270, and Oklahoma linebacker Darrell Hunt, 6-3, 220, also have signed Oiler contracts.

# Giannoulas seeks settlement

SAN DIEGO (AP) -Ted Giannoulas and officials of KGB radio station - at odds over a chicken suit oth parties popularized- meet today in Los Angeles in an effort to hammer out

a special settlement. The station fired Giannoulas two months ago for alleged contract violations. A \$250,000 law suit was lodged against him and the station succeeded in having him barred from wearing the

Southern California, counties. Giannoulas, 24, said he and his attorney will lishis future early next

week 'If nothing is accomplished, it's not going to drag on any more," said Giannoulas, who, in five years, turned the \$2-anhour job inside the chicken suit into a \$50,000-ayear golden egg.

"I'm willing to listen,

revenue from The Chick- something no one has. Jeven thought of," Giannoulas, son of a said.

Greek carpenter, is deciding whether to change his identity or relocate out of the area as a modified chicken. "A lot of people say The Chicken is dead and

en for life."

to resurrect it would be fool-hardy," he said Thursday. If he switches to a new character - "I have already designed it" - he could remain in San

6-foot chicken suit in four Diego, his hometown. "But I'm not averse to new pastures. He hinted that his new

identity would remain in

night (915) 836-4304

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His major concern, he

said, is "whether the personality and the goodwill of The Chicken can be transferred to a new creation. Over the weekend, he

has plans to meet with officials from several professional sports teams and other organizations to hear out their final offers. This week he met with

millionaire hamburger king Ray Kroc, owner of the San Diego Padres and mastermind of the McDonald's fastfood ten to KGB before an- the bird family. "It's a chain. Kroc, 76, has often nouncing a decision on one-of-a-kind thing, stated he is The Chick-

said a National Football League team "that swore me to secrecy" is bidding for his services and the Seattle Mariners baseball team "is going all out."

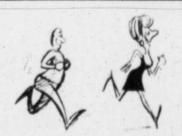
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# Stocks in the spotlight

| NEW YORK (AP) - Sales, 4 p.m. price and net change of the fifteen most active New York Stock Exchange Issues, trading nationally at more than \$1.\$ Tesoro Pet 1,314,500 18% + ½ CharterCo 1,028,000 36½ - 8½ IBM \$ 627,800 74½ - ½ NLT Corp 531,600 31 Amer Hess 476,000 45½ + 4½ Maremont 396,000 14 + 1½ Maremont 396,000 14 + 1½ CharterCo wt 378,400 32 - 7½ LTV.Corp 373,100 10½ + 1½ ChesarsWid \$ 349,600 30½ - ½ Heller Int 335,100 27½ + 1½ DowChem 278,800 27 - ½ Harnischfg 266,500 23 ½ ½

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Grain

Commod futures index

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) Export wheat 4.56-4.62. Milo 4.89-5.15. Yel-low corn 3.2214-3.3214. Oats 2.09-2.13.

KANSAS CİTY, Mo. (AP) — Wheat 50 cars: Unch to 1 lower, No. 2 hard 4.25 ½-4.35; No. 3 4.31 ½; No. 2 red wheat 4.24 4.46 ½n, No. 3 4.22 4.45 ½n.

Corn 59 cars: Unch to 6½ higher, No. 2 white 2.85-3.10n; No. 3 2.65-3.05n; No. 2 yellow 2.83; No. 3 2.55-2.89 ½.

Oats 0 cars: Unch to 1 higher, No. 2 white 1.71-1.79 ½n; No. 3 1.63-1.78 ½n.

No. 2 millo 4.17-4.57n.
No. 1 soybeans 7.55-7.74 ½n.

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KANSAS CITY (AP) - Wheat futures Thursday on the Kansas City Board of WHEAT

S,000 ba minimum; dollars per bushel Open High Low Close Chg Jul 4.12 4.27 ¼ 4.12 4.20 + .18 ½ Sep 4.12 4.32 ¼ 4.12 4.25 + .17 ¾ Dec 4.20 4.39 ½ 4.20 4.33 + .18 ½ Mar 4.35 4.41 ½ 4.35 4.38 + .18 May 4.21 ¼

# Cotton

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) Today's base price cotton quotation for-strict low middling 1-116 inchs at Lubbock is 58.20 cents per pound.

# **Gold Futures**

London: morning fixing \$278.80, up \$2.20; London: morning 1329.00 up \$2.40.
Paris: afternoon fixing \$279.00 up \$2.33, up \$2.14.
Frankfurt: Closed on holiday.
Zurich: bid \$278.50 up \$1.75; \$279.25 New York: Handy & Harman base price \$279.00, up \$2.40. New York: Engelhard selling price

New York: Engelhard selling price \$279.30, up \$2.40. New York: Engelhard fabricated gold

Stock market mixed

NEW YORK (AP) - 'A spreading reduction in the bank prime lending rate helped the stock market recover from a wide early loss and finish mixed Thursday. North American energy

stocks and some takeover candidates were among the leaders of the afternoon upswing.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials, off more than 5 points at the outset, fin-ished with a .17 gain at 842.34.

New York Stock Exchange volume remained active at 37.85 million shares, against 40.74 million Wednesday. The Bank of America, the largest in the nation,

lowered its prime lending rate Thursday afternoon from 11% to 11% percent, matching reductions posted earlier in the week by Morgan Guaranty Trust of New York and Continental Illinois of Chicago. Chase Manhattan of New

York followed suit after the close.

New York's Citibank, the second largest in the country, is due to announce Friday morning whether it will also cut the basic charge on blue-chip loans.

But hopes for a lasting downtrend in interest rates were dealt a blow by Federal Reserve figures issued after the close, which showed a record \$6.9 billion increase in the basic measure of the money supply for the latest reporting week. Among actively traded

U.S. and Canadian energy stocks, Tesoro Petroleum rose 3 to 181/4 on volume of more than 1.3 million shares as of the 4 p.m. close in New York, and Amerada Hess jumped 41/4 to 451/4. Great Basins Petroleum

climbed ½ to 12%; Dome Petroleum % to 431/4; Ranger Oil of Canada 1% to 25%, and North Canadian Oils 1 to 141/4 at the American Stock Exchange.

# Livestock

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AMARILLO, Texas (AP)
Texas Panhandle and Western Oklahomafeedlot report.
Confirmed: 3700.
Trade very slow throughout the Panhandle area Thursday. Slaughter steers 1.752.50 lower, not enough heifers sold to test trends. Feedlots reported very limited interest and inquiry. Sales on 3500 slaughter steers and 200 heifers. Note: all live cattle prices based on net weights fob the feedlot after 4 percent shrink.
Slaughter steers: good and m5stly choice, 70-80 percent choice, 2-3 1050-1100 lb 90.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 1050-1100 lb 90.00.
Slaughter heifers: few loads mixed good

Slaughter heifers: few loads mixed good and choice 2-3 950 lb 67.50. SAN ANTONIO (AP) - Cattle and

calves: set not enough any one class on offer to test trade. SAN ANTONIO (AP) - Cattle and

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Cattle and calves: Receipts this week estimated at 2650 and compares with 1781 last week and 4878 for same period last year. Compared to last week: Slaughter cows 4.00-5.00 lower, extremes 6.00-7.00 lower on utility 4 and 5s. Slaughter bulls 2.00-3.00 lower not step to the feet of the f

and canner and low cutter ranged from 40.00-45.00.
Slaughter bulls: Yield grade 1-2 1250-1725 lbs. 57.00-85.50, late 57.00-64.50.
Feeder steers and bulls: Few individual choice 225-275 lbs. 129.00-148.00.300-350 lbs. 112.00-129.00 and 330-400 lbs. 107.00-117.00, weighing 400-425 lbs. 300-600 lbs. 85.00-95.00. Good and choice 300-400 lbs. 89.00-110.00, few 111.00-115.00, 400-300 lbs. 87.50-101.00, few 111.00-115.00, 400-300 lbs. 87.50-101.00, few 111.00-115.00, 400-300 lbs. 87.50-101.00, alse 87.50-98.00. 300-575 lbs. 81.00-94.00. Good 250-300 lbs. 107.00-125.00, 300-350 lbs. 100.00-107.00, 330-400 lbs. 91.00-101.00, 400-500 lbs. 88.00.94.00. few blink kinds 94.50-99.00, few early sales on Monday down to 80.50, 500-800 lbs. 72.00-81.00, few 83.00-95.00. Standard and low good 300-400 lbs. 86.00-90.75. Feeder heliers: Choice 300-400 lbs. 91.00-101.00 and 400-500 lbs. 82.50-92.00. Good and choice 235-300 lbs. 105.00-113.00, 300-400 lbs. 87.50-97.50, few thin kinds near 300 lbs. 87.50-97.50, few thin kinds near 300 lbs. 87.50-97.50, few 50.00-500 lbs. 74.00-84.00. 900 lbs. 75.00-82.00. Good 250-300 lbs. 74.00-84.00. and 500-600 lbs. 76.00-76.00. Chbers: Few choice cow and calf nature.

and 500-600 lbs. 70.00-75.00, few 600-700 lbs. 63.00-70.00.
Others: Few choice cow and calf pairs 800.00-925.00 per pair. Few good pairs 895.00-745.00 per pair.
Hogs: Receipts this week 950 last week 2144 and last year 854. Compared to last week Barrows and gilts. 50-75 lower and sows 2.00-4.00 lower.
Barrows and gilts: US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 41.00-41.50 US 2-3 230-270 lbs. 40.00-41.00.
Sows: US 1-3 300-350 lbs. 35.00-37.00. US 1-3 350-550 lbs. 32.00-35.00.

Sows: US 1-3 300-350 lbs. 35.00-37.00. US 1-3 350-550 lbs. 32.00-35.00.

DES MOINES, lowa (AP) — Central US carlot beef report · (includes the major production areas in the midwest & Texas-Oklahoma Panhandle) as of 11:15 Compared to Wednesday's 4:30 report: Choice steer & helfer beef steady to 1.00 lower than limited trade of late Wednesday. Demand moderate; trade moderate. Transportation—difficulties rontinue to be major problem—with many loads lacking guarantee of delivery. Sales reported on 21 loads of steer and helfer beef.

Loads: 13 loads steer beef fob Omaha basis: 1 choice 4 600-900 lbs. 98.02 choice 2-3 500-800 lbs. 98.00 (Hols type) steady, fob Amarillo basis; 3 choice 3 530-700 lbs. 105.75 late Wednesday. 6 choice 2 550-700 lbs. 106.75 late Wednesday. Belfer beef: 8 loads fob Omaha basis: 7 choice 3 500-700 lbs. 10.05.01.00 lower Monday & Tuesday delivery. 1 choice 3 500-700 lbs. 10.10.01 limm delivery.

Cow beef supplies limited. Breaking utility generally steady.

Cow beef: 1 load fob Omaha basis: 1 utility 450&up lbs. 85.50 Gnrly, steady (brkg) 3-4.

Primal beef cuts: 8 loads fob Omaha basis: 1 choice 3, 8 fores, 130-210 lbs. 87.00 late Wednesday, steady.

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# **BUSINESS MIRROR** Many doubt credibility of Digest 'sweeps'

NEW YORK (AP) - At 7:30 one morning last March, William Hogan of North Little Rock, Ark., received a telephone call from John O'Hara, the President of Reader's Digest, telling him he had won

Hogan, was the one millionth sweepstakes winner since the Digest began the promotions in 1962. Until . Hogan's name had been picked from a drum, he said, nobody knew who the winner would be As it turned out, the Digest probably was as lucky

as Hogan, 35, his pretty wife Sheila, and their two children, a son McCall, 6, and a daughter, Kelly, 2. A nice American family from a nice American town. But, in a way, unlucky too. The matter of credibili-

ty intrudes on the scene: Was it mere chance, people were inclined to ask, that events fell into place so "It was unreal," concedes Frank Ronnenberg, vice president and circulation director. Almost everyone, he said, thought the company had chosen a

dozen candidates and then decided which would be the winner. The credibility problem is long-term. People find it hard to believe, for example; that all prizes are awarded, that winnners are picked at random, that

non-subscribers can win as easily as subscribers. When they learn some of the other statistics their awe, and doubts sometimes rise. A sweepstakes letter last January was sent to about 50 million households, and was guaranteed to provide 61,022

Every return is opened, said Charles Pintchman, a public affairs executive. They must be, he said, decause people include letters and, inadvertently, personal items. One time \$2,200 and a bank deposit slip were found and returned.

Nevertheless, a listener observed that a recent letter to the Digest drew no response. The accompanying check was cashed, but the writer was later dunned. Somewhat lamely, Pintchman conceded the fallibility of the Digest. Accidents happen, he said.

Each sweepstakes return goes into a barrel, he said, and each winner is drawn at random by the Reuben H. Donnelly Corp., in Mount Vernon, N.Y. He insists the process is as closely secured as a voter's

Nevertheless, the doubts. "I've never known anyone who won," is the typical complaint, even though the Digest claims that one in every 74 households has won at least a \$5 prize, and that more than \$15 million has been delivered to winners in the past 17 years. Winner lists are available from the Digest, and are

on file also with the states of New York and Florida. The Federal Trade Commission watches. And so, presumably, does the U.S. Postal Service. Still, the magazine felt compelled to publish an

article in 1976 that began, "Surprisingly, some mis-conceptions still persist..." As with other articles of exceptional interest, the Digest has reprinted it. Of equal interest is why the Digest involves itself in sweepstakes, which differ from lotteries mainly in

that the entrant need not put up cash or its equivalent in order to win. He simply enters. The reason is simple: It pays. Sweepstakes are tremendous promotional tools. They attract atten-

tion; they compel the recipient's undivided attention, if only for seconds. They aren't easily thrown away as junk "When you're sorting your mail we know we've got five seconds or less while you decide whether to

chuck the envelope in the garbage," said Ronenberg. A sweepstake envelope, he believes, is usually Because it is, and because the Digest is certain to

include in the packet a return evelope, the next step -that of entering the stakes - is almost mechanical. And only a bit less so is the decision to buy. "We believe the sweeps get people to read materi-

al describing our product, material they might not otherwise read," said Pintchman. They draw, he said. "They're like a brass band at a political The Digest believes sweeps provide the best use of

the ad dollar, even though their postage bill for all company mailings totaled \$75 million in fiscal 1978. And even though sweepstakes irritate some people. Enough people are made happy so that the word

spreads. The Hogans, whose winnings also include this coming weekend in New York at Digest expense, aren't likely not to tell their friends and neighbors.

# Interest-paying checking account plan defended

WASHINGTON (AP) - Predictions that interestpaying checking accounts will cause bank failures and high service charges are groundless, the chairman of a House banking subcommittee says. Rep. Fernand J. St Germain, D-R.I., said experi-

ments with so-called NOW accounts in New Englandand New York have led to consumers earning much more in interest than they pay in service charges and have not resulted in bank closings. St Germain's comments Wednesday were in re-

sponse to claims by an association of rural and suburban banks that small banks and small savers will be hurt if Congress approves interest-bearing checking accounts nationwide. St Germain has proposed such a bill in face of a court-imposed deadline that would prohibit automat-

ic savings-to-checking tranfers and similar accounts that, in effect, permit depositors outside New England and New York to earn interest on checking Last April, a U.S. Appeals Court in Washington banned those accounts, but delayed its effective date until next Jan. 1 to give Congress time to decide whether such interest-paying checking accounts should be legal across the country. The ruling did not

Raymond D. Campbell, president of the Independent Bankers of America, told a House Banking subcommittee that because NOW accounts are of fered by banks at a financial loss, they could drive many small banks out of business. Campbell also claimed that interest-paying check-

affect NOW accounts in New England and New

ing accounts would force banks to assess high service charges, making the accounts expensive for small depositors who write large numbers of checks.

"We would concede that the consumers in New England are benefitting from NOW accounts," responded Campbell. But he added that those benefits result from a "competitive environment that can't go on for long." "Isn"t there something to be said for competi-

tion?" remarked St Germain.



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# Four areas gain wildcat operations

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Four C Oil & Gas Corp. of Dallas will re-enter a project in Pecos County, 13 miles east of Imperial and one location southeast of Clear Fork oil production in the Mar-Glo pool and 5/8 mile west of Clear Fork producrion in the Horsehead Crossing

Originally drilled by Humble Oil & Refining Co. and abandoned in 1962 as No. 1 George T. Abell at 5,450 feet, it is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 39, block 9, H&GN

Four C will operate the project as No. 1-A Abell. Hole will be clean tout

STERLING AREA

HMH Operators of Midland spotted location for an 8,000-foot wildcat in Sterling County, 16 miles northwesrt of Sterling City and 7/8 mile northeast of the Credo, North (Wolfcamp oil) pool.

It will be tested as an oil and gas

Scheduled as No. 1 McDonald, it is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 226, block 29, W&NW survey.

WARD PROJECTS HNG Oil Co. of Midland announced

locations for a pair of projects in the Pitzer multipay area of Ward County, eight miles southwest of Pyote Each will be drilled to 7,000 feet and tested in wildcat zones.

The No. 2-8 TXL-State is a southwest offset to the Cherry Canyon oil discovery and lone producer from that pay in the Pitzer field. The site is 1,980 feet from northeast and northwest lines of section 8, G. G. Houston

HNG No. 3-8 TXL-State is 660 feet from northwest and 1,980 feet from southwest lines of section 8, G. G. Houston survey. It is 3/4 mile southwest of the Cherry Canyon disco-

LEA RE-ENTRY

Antares Oil Co. of Denver, Colo., announced plans to re-enter an 11,325foot dry hole in Lea County, N.M, and deepen to 14,300 feet as a wildcat. It is No. 1 Hannah, 1,980 feet from

north and 660 feet from west lines of section 30-14s-36e and eight miles north of Lovington. The project originally was drilled

by Monsanto Co. as the No. 1 Han-

Wharton Drilling Co. of Odessa has the contract.

EMPIRE AREA

Tenneco Oil Co., operating from Houston, announced location for a 9, 300-foot project in the Empire, South (Cisco-Wolfcamp) field of Eddy County, N.M., six miles southwest of Loco

### DRY HOLES

ANDREWS COUNTY
Gulf Oil Corp. McKnight, No. 1-FI State, 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 32, block 9, University lands survey, nine miles southwest of Andrews td 12,440 feet.

Jack L. Kirby, wildcat, No. 2 Runkles, 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 21, block W. T&P survey, 14 miles southwest of Robert Lee, td 5,282 feet.

CROSBY, COUNTY 4
Threshold Development Co. wildcat, No. 1 Clara Stevens, 467 feet from north and 1,410 feet from east lines of section 2, block ELARR, survey, abstract 557, 2.5 miles northwest of Crosbyton, 1d 4,300 feet.

CULBERSON COUNTY
G. M. Poynor, No. 1 K.P. Looney, 467 feet from south and east lines of section 16, block 93, psi \*\*\*.vey, 47 miles northeast of Van Horn, id 2,484 feet

RK Petroleum Corp. wildcat, No. 1 Vandivere, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 75, block 35, T-6-N, T-6-P survey, 1.5 miles northwest of Lamesa, td 12,661

Summit Energy, Inc. wildcat, No. 1 Thingpen, 1,780 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 7-16s-25c, nine miles northwest of Artesia, td 62 feet. HOCKLEY COUNTY

Hytech Energy Corp. Clauene, North, No. 1-A Palmer, 1,320 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 9, block 23, Baylor county school lands survey, six miles south of Levelland, abandoned location.

W. C. Blanks, wildcat, No. 1 Coleman, 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 28, block 32, T.-2-N, T&P survey, 11 north of Big Spring, td 10,116

Simpson-Mann Oil Producers, wildcat, re-entry, No. 1 Clifton Brooks, 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 3, block 3, H&TC survey, three miles east of Mertzon, id 1,411 feet.

Guy A. Swartz, Irion oil, No. 3 H. M. Phillips, 340 feet from north and 1,350 west-lines of section 5, Gonales County School land survey No. 1, four miles south of Mertzon, abandoned location.

LUBBOCK COUNTY McCormick Oil & Gas, wildcat, No. 1 J.W. Hairston, 1,990 feet from north and east lines of section 50, block A. HE&WT survey, eight miles east of Lubbock, td 10,604

Shell Oil Co. wildcat, No. 1 McCullouch, 567 feet from south and 1,880 feet from east lines of section 409, block 1, D&SE survey, 12 miles northwest of Tahoka, td. 10,332

McCULLOCH COUNTY RESCO stacey Grant (Strawn gas), No. 1 Sally Taylor, 660 feet from north and 352.5 feet from east lines of section 54, Borough brothers survey, abstract 1671, three miles east of Stacey, td 1,575 feet.

Nordan Oil & Gas Corp. wildcat, No. 2 Whitehead, 2,173 feet from south and west lines of section 35, AB&M survey, abstract 28, nine miles northwest of Menard, td 3,000 feet.

lke Lovelady, Inc. wildcat, No. 1-79 Powell, 467 feet from south and east lines of section 79, block 27, T&P survey, seven miles southwest of Colorado City, td 584 feet.

NOLAN COUNTY
Fisher-Webb, Inc. wildcat, No. 1 Dickson, 2,145 feet
from south and 1,960 feet from west lines of section 87,
block 22, T&P survey, six miles south of Sweetwater, td 6,780 feet.
Fisher-Webb, Inc. wildcat, No. 1-47 McLaughlin, 1,880 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 47, block 1-A, H&TC survey, 12 miles couhwest of Maryneal, td \$1050 feet.

Empire Drilling Co. wildcat, re-entry, No. 1-E Shan-non Estate, 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 330, block 97, H&TC survey, td 8,123 feet, water disposal well.

TERRELL COUNTY
El Ran, Inc. Mesa Grande, No. 1 Allison, 1,530 feet from north and 4,100 feet from east lines of section 8, block A-4, Mrs. A. Pride survey, 10 miles southeast of Sheffield, abandoned location.

YOAKUM COUNTY
Williamson & Williamson, No. 2-105 Edwards, 1,650
feet from south and 467 feet from west lines of section
105, block D, John H. Gibson survey, seven miles
northeast of Bronco, td 12,630 feet.

Scheduled as No. 23-G Las Cruces, it is 1,980 feet from north and 1,820 feet from east lines of secion 33-17s'0-

CATCLAW DRAW

Texas On Gas Co. of Midland No. 1 Catclaw Draw-State Communitized is a new 10,950-foot operation in the Catclaw Draw (Morrow) area of Eddy County, five miles northwest of

It is 660 feet from south and west lines of section 18-21s-26e

HACKBERRY TEST

Mesa Petroleum Co., operating from Midland, staked No. 1 Bass-Federal in the Hackberry, North (Yates) pool of Eddy County, 15 miles southeast of Loco Hills.

It is 460 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 6-20s 31e. Ground elevation is 3,457 feet.

HONDO GASSER

Hondo Drilling Co. of Midland No. 1 Trigg-Jennings Communitized has been completed in the Turkey Track, North (Morrow) field of Eddy County, N.M., 15 miles northeast of Carls-

The operator reported a daily flowing potential of 2,000,000 cubic feet of gas, through a 3/4-inch choke and perforations from 11,194 to 11,225

Completion was natural. Total depth is 11,320 feet and 5.5inch pipe is set one foot off bottom. Location is 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section

VAL VERDE WELL

Resouces Investment Corp. No. 1-8 Arledge has been completed in the Will O (Ellenburger) pool of Val Verde County, 8.5 miles northreast of

It finaled for a calculated absolute open flow potential of 11,186,000 cubic feet of dry gas per day, through Ellenburger perforations from 13,285 to 14,664 feet after a 171,000-gallon fracture treatment.

Total depth is 14,862 feet and 5.5-inch pipe is set on bottom. Location is 1,320 feet from south

and west lines of section 8, block Q-4, TCRR survey.

REEVES PRODUCER

Northern Natural Gas Co. No. 1-15 Maddox-Wilbanks has been completed to extend the Hershey, West (Devonian-Montoya) pool from Pecos County into Reeves County.

Operator reported a calculated absolute open flow potential of 5,050,000 cubic feet of gas per day, through perforations from 15,817 to 16,553 feet after 6,000 gallons of acid and 153,-000 gallons of fracture solution.

Total depth is 16,700 feet and fiveinch liner is set on bottom. The plugged back depth is 12,278 feet.

Location is 1,787 feet from south and 1,845 feet from east lines of section 15, block 1, H&TC survey and 19 miles east of Balmorhea.

It is 5/8 mile northwest of rthe same operator's No. 1-6 Herhenson which was completed as the second well in the field.

C&M PROJECT

Kern Co. of Midland No. 3-B Sealy-Smith is to be dug in the C&M (Queen oil)pool of Ward County, 1/2 mile northwest of Monahans.

The opertor spotted location 3,180 feet from north and 619 feet from west lines of section 61, block A, G&MMB&A survey. It is scheduled for a 5,200 feet bottom and is one location southeast of production. The pool has six producers.

HOWARD TESTER

W. C. Blanks of Midland No. 2 Blassingame is to be drilled as a 5/8-mile southswest stepout to the Luther, Southeast (Siluro-Devonian) pool of Howard County, 11 miles north of Big

The 10,000-foot project is 660 feet from north and 1,320 feet from east lines of section 28, block 32, T-2-N, T&P survey, abstract 1380.

COTTLE WELL

Gus Edward Co. of Abilene No. 3-31 J. J. Gibson has been completed in the Juniper Bend, North (conglomerate) pool of Cottle County, seven miles southeast of Chalk.

Operator reported a calculated absolute open flow potential of 5 million cubic feet of dry gas per day, through perforations from 6,315 to 6,341 feet after a 2,000-gallon acid treatment.

Total depth is 6,401 feet and 4.5-inch casing is set on bottom.

Wellsite is 1,436 feet from north and 160 feet from west lines of section 31, F. P. Knott survey and 5/8 mile northwest of other conglomerate production.

UPTON WELL

Olsen Energy, Inc. (formerly Homer Olsen Jr.) of Midland No. 1 Cordova, has been completed in the west side of the Rodman-Noel (Grayburg) pool of Upton County, eight miles southeast of McCamey.

the well finaled for a daily pumping potential of five barrels of 30.6-gravity oil and 17 barrels of water, through perforations from 1,697 to 1,770 feet after a 5,500-gallon acid treatment

and a 20,000-gallon fracture job. The well is a south offset to production and 2,640 feet from north and 330 feet from east lines of section 1, block 1, MK&T survey.

# **Violations** reported

DALLAS (AP) - In an attempt to force retailers to keep fuel costs within government guidelines, the regional office of the Department of Energy has cited 46 gasoline stations in five states for violating federal pricing regulations.

The list was released for the first time Thursday by the devipartment's Region VI office. Agency auditors conducted spot check between April 13 and June 4 after receiving complaints that many stations were over-charging as much as eight cents

A breakdown by each state shows Texas had 28 violations, Louisiana eight, Oklahoma and New Mexico five each and Arkansas none.

Of the 28, Dallas had nine violations, and Houston, San Antonio, Corpus Christi and Odessa each had three, said Gene Campbell, regional public information director. Others include Wichita Falls with two, and Galveston, Groves, Port Aransas, Texas City and Livingston

Law requires gasoline retailers to compute maximum selling prices based on May 15, 1973,

Violators have been assessed fines of up to \$4,000 and have been told they must roll back their prices until the difference is made up, Campbell said Thursday. However, one Dallas retailer

admitted he deliberately charged more than allowed by federal regulations in order to "make a living."

"The net profit they want you to make is what you were making in 1973," said Charles Hollingsworth. "Haven't you gotten a raise since 1973? They call up rip-off artists, but they don't even know what's going on

# Firms could get only 17 cents per dollar earned

WASHINGTON (AP) - The "windfall-profits" tax being written by the House Ways and Means Committee would allow the oil industry to keep between 17 and 23 cents out of each dollar gained from decontrolling oil

That preliminary estimate by congressional tax specialists compares with 29 to 34 cents the companies eould keep under the windfall tax

recommended by President Carter. The remainder of each dollar of revenue would go for state taxes,

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royalty payments to owners of oilproducing lands, federal income tax and the tax being drafted by the

All told, the bill would be expected to increase federal tax collections by \$28.5 billion from 1980 through 1984, or about \$6.8 billion more than under Carter's plan.

The committee, unable to complete work on the tax bill Thursday, put off a final vote until Tuesday. Rep. Al Ullman, D-Ore., the chairman, said he expects no more substantive amendments to be approved by the

Carter proposed the tax to take away some of the money that will flow to the oil industry because of his decision to phase out federal controls on oil prices, starting June 1. The extra industry revenues between now and 1984 will total \$65 billion.

Decontrol will mean higher prices for U.S.-produced oil, and Carter expects that to result in conservation and greater incentive for the industry

# Monsanto completes flowing Pecos opener

Monsanto Co., operating from Midland, has completed a Strawn discovery in Pecos County, a discovery has been finaled in Eddy County, N.M., and operators spotted wildcat projects in six Permian Basin coun-

Monsanto Co. No. 1 J. N. Thigpin was completed in Pecos County for a daily flow of 480 barrels of 35.4-gravity oil, no water, through a 12/64-inch choke and perforations from 8,242 to 8,268 feet. The gas-oil ratio is 708-1. Opertor treated the pay section with 3,000 gallons.

The Strawn discovery is bottomed at 11,780 feet in the Ellenburger and plugged back to 8,355 feet. The 5.5inch casing is cemented at 9,328 feet. The Strawn was topped at 8,208 feet

on ground elevation of 2,726 feet. Other tops include the Yates at 1,545 feet; Seven Rivers, 1,673 feet; San Andres, 2,660 feet; Wolfcamp, 6,196 feet; Devonian, 9,014 feet; Fusselman, 9,513 feet, and Ellenburger at

The discovery is six miles west of Sheffield and three miles southwest of the Thigpin (Pennsylvanian) field.

The site is 2,002 feet from south and 1,663 feet from west lines of section 48, block A-2, TCRR survey.

MONSANTO WILDCAT

Monsanto also reported the staking of a 10,800-foot wildcat in Dawson County, 9.5 miles northeast of Lamesa.d

Scheduled as No. 1 Stewart, it is 650 feet from south and east lines of section 12, block 34, T-6-N, HE&WT It is one mile southwest of a 10,552-

foot failure and two miles northwest of the Felken, South (Spraberry)

LUBBOCK WILDCAT

Texas Pacific Oil Co., Inc., operating from Midland, staked its No. 1 Hobgood Farms as a 6,500-foot wildcat in Lubbock County, 4.5 miles south of Wolforth.

There is no nearby production. The drillsite is 660 feet from south abnd west lines of section 129, block 20, Z. T. Brook Scrap File survey No.

**CROSBY REGION** Threshold Development Co. No. 1

Detton Caddell is to be dug as a 4,500-foot wildcat in Crosbyd County, three miles west of Caprock. It is one mile northeast of the

Ridge, South (Clear Fork) field and 660 feet from south and west lines of section 812, TTRR survey, abstract

COCHRAN EXPLORER

J. C. and R. E. Williamson of Midlnd announced location for a 12, 000-foot wildcat at the north edge of the shallow Landon pool in Cochran County, 14 miles northwest of Plains.

It is No. 1 Dunn, 960 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 3, block L, PSL survey. There are several dry holes in the area.

EDDY DISCOVERY

Mesa Petroleum Co., operating from Midland, has completed its No. 1 Catclaw-State as an Abo gas discovery in Eddy County, six miles southeast of Hope.

The operator reported a calculated. absolute open flow potential of 1,696, 000 cubic feet of gas per day, with shut-in pressure of 1,265 pounds. Completion was through perforations from 4,800 to 4,890 feet.

Total depth is 7,675 feet and 5.5-incl 1 pipe was landed on bottom.

The discovery is 3.5 miles southeas t of the High Hope (Abo gas) pool an d 1,980 feet from north and east lines c f secton 31-17s-24e.

CHAVES WILDCAT

Yates Petroleum Corp. of Artesi & ANDREWS COUNTY No. 1-LK South Alkali-Federal is to b to feet in lime and shale drilled as a 5,700-foot wildcat i ri BORDEN COUNTY
Chaves County, 19 miles northwest ; if Natomas North America No. 1
McKnight, id 7,780 feet, testing.

Location is 1,980 feet from nort Ja CRANE COUNTY and east lines of secton 12-6s-25e ar ad Bass Enterprises No. 19 Moss, drilling 3,604 feet. 10 miles northeast of the same oper ator's No. 2-HY Federal, recently cor npleted Abo gas discovery.

THIRD WELL

McClellan Oil Corp. of Roswe II, N.M., No. 1-JJ Federal has been 7 10- EDDY COUNTY tentialed as the third well in an unr iamedd Abo gas field of Chaves Countly, 14 miles northeast of Roswell. Three-quarter miles west of the cop-

erator's No. 1 Penjack, the field d iscovery, the No. 1-JJ Federal was dr completed for a daily flow of 1,026,1 k70 cubic feet of gas, through a 1/4-irich choke and unreported perforations Total depth is 4,510 feet and 4 .5inch casing is set on bottom.

EDDY WELL

Amoco Production Co. No. 13 Greenwood Pre-Cambrian Unit has been staked as a 12,000-foot project in the Shugart (Morrow) pool of Ec dy

It is 1,350 feet from south and 650 feet from west lines of section 35-18 s0-31e and 11 miles southeast of Loco Hills: Ground elevation is 3,628 fee t. CROCKETT TESTER Dan J. Harrison Jr. announced lo-

cation for a 9,500-foot Ellenbur ger wildcat in Crockett County, 16 miles southwest of Ozona. It is No. 12-19-33 University Land,

660 feet from north and west line 5 of section 19, block 33, University La nds Howards Creek (Canyon and Cl ear Fork gas) field.

It also is one mile west of Harrison No. 8-2-32 University, an active v /ild
No. 8-2-32 University, an active v /ild
No. 8-2-32 University (Canyon and Cl ear Atlantic Richfield Co. No. 1 Langley Boren, id 13,618 feet, tripping. State, drilling 8,120 feet in shale, sand and dolomite. survey and 5/8 mile southeast of the

PECOS RE-ENTRY

PDC Gas Co. of Midland annour sced plans to re-enter an old produce r in the Cardinal area of Pecos County, three miles souteast of Bakersvi'le. Originally drilled by Adobe, it is 1/2 mile southeast of production in the

Tests will be made above 1,600 feet. Location is 1,715 feet from n orth and 2,370 feet from west lines of section 3, block 17, University L ands

MIDLAND TESTS

six-well field.

John L. Cox of Midland announced leations for a pair of 8,800 foot MIDLAND COUNTY projects in the Midland Sounty portion of the Spraberry Trend Area

The No. 1 Curtis Erwin will be dugd 5 miles east of Midland and 99() feet from north and east lines of section 15, block 36, T-1-S, T&P survey.

The No. 1-B Curtis Erwin is 1,980 feet from north and west line 25 of feeting 39, block 36, T-1-S, T&P strategy and 15 miles east of Midland.

Feet, flowed 18 barrels of load water in 19 hours, show of oil with 100% water, fair show of gas, pumping load water, through perforations from 10,786 to 10,804 feet.

Mobil No. 26-4 Preston, td 8,100 feet, pumped 47 barrels of load water in 24 hours, through perforations from 7,115 to 7,477 feet. 15 miles east of Midland and 99() feet from north and east lines of section 45, block 36, T-1-S, T&P survey.

feet from north and west lines of section 39, block 36, T-1-S, T&P survey and 15 miles east of Midland.

to increase energy production. Republicans oppose the windfall lax on grounds it will take away so tnuch revenue that oil companies will he denied the incentive they need. The committee rejected Thursday a GOP amendment that would have excused 75 percent of the new tax for firms that "plow back" their profits into the

search for more energy The sponsor, Rep. Baber Conable, R-N.Y., claimed the committee was more interested in finding more taxes to spend than in finding more oil. 'You can't put dollar bills in the gas

Rep. Thomas Downey, D-N.Y., called the amendment a give-away to "feed the gluttonous bellies of the oil companies." The measure failed, 22-

The tax being written by the committee is a complex series of excise taxes that vary according to such factors as the location of the oil, the length of time the oilfield has been producing, and the amount of oil pumped each day.

The committee's bill would impose

a less stringent tax than Carter proposed on newly discovered oil and a tougher tax on oil from fields that have been producing for some time. The biggest change was the deci-

sion Wednesday increasing the rate of the tax itself. Carter proposed a tax of 50 percent of eligible revenues from decontrol; the committee raised that to 70 percent. Like most tax rates, however, the figures can be deceptive. For example, an individual in the 25 percent tax

bracket does not pay 25 percent of his income in federal taxes. The tax load is reduced by deductions and credits. And the 25 percent rate applies only to the last few dollars of income.

Similarly, the effective "windfallprofits" tax would be something less than 70 percent.

For example, the windfall tax would be a deduction reducing a firm's federal income-tax bill. And the bill limits the windfall tax on a given field to 50 percent of the net income from that field.

# 'Chaos around corner

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - James Nugent of the Texas Railroad Commission illustrated today, through the use of charts, "a story of declining production, increasing consumption and potential chaos just around the corner" in the world's energy situation.

Nugent said commission figures show consumption will reach the equivalent of 44.9 million barrels of oil per day in 1984, with production lagging at 31.5 million barrels a day. "With a shortfall of that magnitude,

our import bill could total \$100 billion annually in 1978 dollars," he said. Nugent's presentation was made at the statewide oil allowable hearing The commission routinely set the allowable at 100 percent for July. As usual, however, the allowable for the East Texas field was held to 86 per-

it is not unreasonable to assume that

Pointing to the predicted cil short age of 1984, Nugent said, "If we believe what we are told, that oil is not available anywhere in the world."

Nugent also noted that the crude vice 95,000, Continental 56,000. and petroleum product imports in the United States totaled 7,912,000 barrels per day for the four-week average of June 1. This is a decrease of 800,000 barrels a day from the first of the

Nugent said this country's major

suppliers of foreign oil include three nations - Algeria, Libya and Iran which "have a hostile posture toward the United States." He said these nations supplied 22 percent of the United States' import in 1978. "Within the last two weeks, leaders

in Nigeria threatened to withhold oil unless our government recognizes the new government in Rhodesia. Nigeria is our second largest supplier of foreign crude ," Nugent said. Nine of the 15 major purchasers of Texas crude oil submitted nominations for less oil in July than in June,

nomination merely reflected declining production from their leases. Total nominations for July were 2,736,229 barrels of oil per day, a decrease of 22,516 barrels of oil a day from June nominations.

but a spokesman indicated the lower

Here are the nominations for July by major purchasers of Texas crude oil with any changes in parenthesis: Amoco 287,500 (down 2500), Atlantic Richfield 151,100 (down 400), Chevron 59,354 (down 911), Cities Ser-

Diamond Shamrock 14,200 (down 86), Exxon 401,000 (down 3,000), Gulf 129,000 (down 3,000), Marathon 67,460, Mobil 225,500 (up 500), Shell 235,000 (down 3,000), Sun 105,800 (down 1,-900), Texaco 110,000 (down 1,000),

# DRILLING REPORT

CULBERSON COUNTY
Mobil No. 1 Madera-Broman,
ing in, will be drilled "Tight". Wilson Bros Leasing No 1 Scanlon, drilling 5,890 feet in lime and dolo

EDDY COUNTY
Florida Gas No. 7 Ross Draw, drilling 14,108 feet in lime and shale.
Cities Service No. 1-A Villa, drilling 12,445 feet in sand and shale.
J.C. Barnes Oil Co. No. 2 Little Squaw, td 12,730 feet, drilling out ce J.C. Barnes Oil Co. No. 4 Big Chief,

rilling 2,450 feet in ime.

Bass Enterprises No. 72 Big Eddy.
rilling 11,570 feet. GATHS COUNTY
J.C. Barnes Oil Co. No. 1-A Sam
Jenkins, drilling 8,330 feet in lime and

dolomite. Mobil No. 1 Henry Jepson, 1d 3,450 feet, plugged back depth 5,415 feet, San Andres perforations from 5,338 to 5,431 feet, a-idized with 3,000 gallons and set 5½-inch casing at total depth, initial potential pumped 13 barrels of new oil and 26 barrels of salt water in 24 hours, gravity 26.5, gas oil ratio GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Belco Petroleum No. 4 Edwards, drilling 2,780 feet. Getty No. 1 McDowell Estate, drill-ing 4,060 feet. John L. Cox No. 4-B Irma Wrage, drilling 3,100 feet. HOWARD COUNTY Cola Petroleum No. 2 DeVaney, drilling 8,860 feet in lime and shale.

Belco Petroleum No. 2-115 Ela Sugg, td 9,120 feet, ran logs from 9,072 to 9,120 feet.
Union Texas No. 2-45 Skelly Sugg. to
7,400 feet, swabbed 65 barrels of oil
and 15 barrels of water in 10 hours
through perforations from 7,120 to 7,
210 feet.

RUNNELS COUNTY.

SCHLEICHER COUNTY

NRM No. 1 Case, td 7,580 feet, swabbing 3 hours, recovered 5 barrels ofsalt water with trace of oil, ran tem
pature survey, plan to perforate and
squeeze from 6,835 to 6,840 feet.

Grace Petroleum, No. 3 AB, Tumor,

Grace Petroleum, No. 3-AB Tomer-son, td 5,375 feet, ran logs, rig down.

SCURRY COUNTY Belco No. 1 Bley, td 8,520 feet, ran

logs.
Campana No. 1 Taylor, drilling 6,700 feet in lime and shale.

Texas Pacific No. 1-A Ellen Word: drilling 5,753 feet. Mobil No. 1-C Good, drilling 5,625 feet in lime and shale.

TERRY COUNTY Union Texas No. 1 Sara-Bullard, to

UPTON COUNTY
Union Texas No. 1-2 South Vlema,
drilling 6.140 feet in lime.
John L. Cox No. 1-B Neal Estate,

drilling 6,485 feet.
A.G. Kaspar No. 3 Shirk, td 8,970 feet, running ty-inch casing.
C. Louis Renaud No. 1 Pennzoil-Mayhew, td 2,286 feet, testing, no

TERRELL COUNTY

Getty No. 1-29-J State, td 17,652 feet, flowing and testing Atoka perforations

feet.
Union Oil No. 1 Maduro-Federal,
drilling 6,615 feet in lime and shale.
Union Oil No. 1 Paducah-Federal, td
15,531 feet, testing liner, hung 5 ½-inch
liner from 12,610 to 15,531 feet.
David Fasken No. 1 Warren, drilling
8,225 feet in dolomite.
Adobe No. 1 East Tatum Unit, td
13,500 feet, fractured perforations
from 12,936 to 13,046 feet with 81,000
gallons and 76,750 pounds sand, shut
in.

(depth not reported). Getty No. 1-36 State, drilling 13,043

MARTIN COUNTY Rial No. 1-A Mahoney, td 268 feet in redbeds, set 12%-inch casing at total depth, waiting on cement.

LOVING COUNTY Getty No. 1 Glen Brunson, drilling 19,232 feet.

Tamarack No. 1 Boone, drilling 3,-180 feet, set 8%-inch casing at 427 feet drilling 5,350 feet in lime and shale Mobil No. 6 John Snowden, td 19,950 feet, flowed 18 barrels of load water in Union of California 45,000.

PECOS COUNTY
Monsanto Co No. 1 J.N. Thigpin; td
11,710 feet, pbtd 8,335 feet, set 5 ½ inch
casing at 9,328 feet, perforations 8,2428,288 feet, acidized with 3,000 galions,
initial potential flowing 480 barrels of
oil per day, and no water in 24 hours,
through a 12,64-inch choke, gravity
35.4, gas oil ratio 708.1.
Hunt Energy No. 1-9 Cerf Ranch,
drilling 5,226 feet,
Mobil No. 3 Ivy B. Weatherby, td
12,246 feet, flowing 48 barrels of new
oil, 11 barrels of fresh water in 14
hours, swabbing 83 barrels of new bil,
30 barrels of fresh water with fair
show of gas in 16 hours, 52 percent oil,
left open open on a 16,864-inch choke,
through perforations at 12,248
WARD COUNTY
American Trading & Productin Co.
No. 2 Scott, td 3,150 feet, moving out
rots; wiating on completion unit.
Adobe No. 14 Barstow, td 8,516 feet
in shale and shale, open to pit and
flowed back frac water, gas to surface
in 4½ hours, put on 1/2-inch choke or 1
hours and changed to 24,64-inch
choke, flowing 9 hours and shut down
over sight.
Adobe No. 15 Barstow, drilling 1,085
feet in anhydrite.

Wilson Brothers Leasing Co. No.
1-20 Wilson Ranch, drilling 614 feet in
blue shale

REAGAN COUNTY
Saxon Oil Co, No. 1-9-8 9 University,
pulled out of hole with drill pipe, and
reinstalled blow out preventer.
Getty No. 1-9-20 University, drilling

REAGAN COUNTY
Saxon Oil Co, No. 1-9-A 8 University, pumping 24 hours, 82 barrels load of oil, 147 barrels of fresh water.
Saxon No. 1-109 University, pumping 24 hours, 22-58 University, pumping 24 hours, 25 barrels load of oil, 91 barrels load of water.
Saxon No. 2-10-9 University, pumping 24 hours, 14/54-inch choke, 11 barrels load of water.
Saxon No. 3-10-9 University, pumping 25 hours, 14/54-inch choke, 11 barrels load of water.
Saxon No. 4-10 University, drilling 6,260 feet in lime and shale.
Saxon No. 4-13 University, pumping 26 hours, 5 barrels of oil, 41 barrels of fresh water.
Saxon No. 4-13 University, pumping 27 hours, 5 barrels of oil, 41 barrels of fresh water.
Saxon No. 4-10 University, pumping 28 hours, 5 barrels of oil, 41 barrels of fresh water.
Saxon No. 4-10 University, pumping 29 hours, 5 barrels of oil, 41 barrels of fresh water.
Saxon No. 4-10 University, pumping 21 hours, 50 barrels of load oil, 136 barrels of fresh water.
Saxon No. 3-10-9 University, pumping 26 hours, 5 barrels of load oil, 136 barrels of fresh water.
Saxon No. 3-10-9 University, pumping 27 hours, 10-9 University, drilling 8,250 feet in lime and shale water.
Saxon No. 3-10-9 University, pumping 28 hours, 10-9 University, drilling 8,260 feet in lime and shale water.
Saxon No. 3-10-9 University, pumping 29 hours, 10-9 University, drilling 10-86 feet, drilled cement to clean out to 6,196 feet, tested perforations 6,025-30, to 2,000 feet, for 3 minutes, circulated, shut in.
Adobe No. 12 Barstuw, td 6,471 feet in lime and shale water for 15 minutes and died, started washbing, had shows on 3rd run, swabbed 9 hours and shut down over night.

WINKLER COUNTY Getty No. 1-31-21 University, td 20,500 feet, pulled out of hole with drilling blow out preventer.

Getty No. 1-42-20 University, drilling 10-86 feet, for 15 minutes, circulated, shut in.

Adobe No. 12 Barstuw, td 6,471 feet in lime and shale water.

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reis load of water.

Energy Reserves Group Inc. No. 3

Verna M. Sunday, td 8,195 feet, pbid
8,155 feet, went in hole with tubing,
flowing to frac tank on a 27,64-inch
choke, flowing 8t barrels of oil in 4

hours, change to 18,64-inch choke,
through perfortions at 7,552 to 8,042

feet. feet, running bit and tagged at 14,186 feet, reversed out unit, preparing to circulate and dress cement plug. Atlantic Richfield No. 2 Wolfe, td 19,830 feet, milling on fish.

YOAKUM COUNTY

Desana Corp. No. 1 Whittenburg. drilling 1,104 feet in lime and shale. Field, td 5,174 feet, cutting core CABLE TOOL DRILLING Top-To-Bottom Deepening **Lease Holding** 

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# Play with head up if you want to win

By ALFRED SHEINWOLD

How does West get a trick with the 'ten of spades? All, he needs is a declarer who plays with his head down. It couldn't happen to you, of course, but your partner might manage to lose today's game.

West dealer Both sides vulnerable

**SOUTH**◆ A Q J 9 5 4

♥ 7 3

◆ 5 3

 West
 North
 East
 South

 1 ♥
 2 ♦
 Pass
 2 ♦

 Pass
 3 ♦
 Pass
 4 ♦

 All Pass
 ...
 ...
 ...

Opening lead - ♥ K

South ruffed the third heart, led a diamond to dummy and tried the spade finesse. West returned a second diamond, and South couldn't get out of dummy to draw trumps.

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dummy to draw trumps.

If dummy led clubs, West would get
the king. South actually ruffed a third
diamond with the nine, but West over-

### MUST LOOK AHEAD

ruffed.

South should expect the spade finess to lose because of West's opening bid. He should likewise expect a diamond return. To prevent this embarrassment, South should cash two high diamonds before leading spades. If West then leads a thrid diamond, South gains the lead by ruffing, if West instead leads a club, South must let it ride to his queen, risking the finesse.

DAILY QUESTION

Partner opens with one notrump (16 to 18 points), and the next player passes. You hold: S: A,Q,J,9,5,4,3; H: 7,3; D: 5,3; C: Q,4. What do you say?

ANSWER: Bid four spades. When partner bids one notrump you are entitled to pick the final contract. Pick it and avoid all possible errors.

# U.S. to sponsor first ballet contest

By MARY CAMPBELL

NEW YORK (AP) — The United States is holding an international ballet contest, for the first time ever, with 70 young contestants from 15 countries. It begins Monday, and it's in Mississippi.

Three New Yorkers — a ballet critic, a dance magazine executive and a Broadway choreographer — had talked for years about a U.S. ballet competition, along the lines of the 15-year-old, best-known contest, held in Varna, Bulgaria.

Then F. Randolph Swartz of Philadelphia, supplier of goods to ballet companies, saw John Curry skate in the 1976 Olympics. He asked his friend, the dance magazine executive, why the ballet world couldn't have an international competition like that.

They exist, the executive replied, in Varna, Moscow, Tokyo and Lausanne, Switzerland.

Swartz also mentioned his "Ballet Olympics" idea to Thalia Mara, a ballet teacher in Jackson, Miss. She suggested it to a group of local citizens who immediately decided it should be done, to point up-the city's long-time involvement in the arts—

opera, symphony and dance.

Jackson pledged \$500,000, and expects to take in \$250,000 at the 2,510-seat Municipal Auditorium box office for events June 18-29, providing a budget of \$750,000. April floods slowed fund-raising, but only temporarily.

# Court upholds conviction after appeal

Austin Bureau

AUSTIN—The Court of Criminal Appeals Wednesday upheld a Midland County court conviction of a man assessed seven years in prison for voluntary manslaughter.

James William Stewart's conviction stemmed from an August 1976 shooting at the Red Fox Club in Midland in which Bobby Dean Sargent was killed over an argument involving a stag film.

Stewart appealed his conviction on five points: He should have been charged with involuntary manslaughter, the trial court admitted in evidence a statement he made prior to being advised of his constitutional rights, evidence concerning his reputation was excluded, the trial court erroneously instructed the jury on testimony by his wife and "the state committed reversible error by subpoenaing his wife as a witness."

The court overruled all five points of appeal after reviewing testimony from the lower court transcript.



Michael Clay Courter received a doctor of dental surgery degree in May from the University of Texas Dental School in San Antonio. Dr. Courter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Courter of 2902 Sentinel St. He was reared in Midland and graduated from Midland High School and Texas Tech University. He plans to enter private practice in Midland this year.

# LeClerc gets 'Dracula' role

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EACH EVENING AT 9:30

By JAY SHARBUTT

NEW YORK (AP) — First it was Frank Langella, then Raul Julia. Now, Jean LeClerc will star in "Dracula," the heart-colding saga of the Transylvania Necker who has lurked on Broadway nearly two years.

LeClerc, 32, a tall, handsome gent born in Montreal of French parents, has been in the show's national touring company for nearly 10 months. He's no stranger to the type-A title role.

But in making his Broadway debut in it as Julia's successor, he arrives a mid what you might call rampant Draculamania.

Langella's movie version is in the wings. "Love at First Bite," George Hamilton's film spoof of the tale, already is out. And "The Passion of Count Dracula" is wowing the undead Off-Broadway, down in Greenwich Village.

None of this alarms LeClerc, who cheerfully admits to liking still another version — public TV's "Draculai," starring Louis Jordan — which he saw in reruns when he was home in Canada two weeks ago.

He detects no loss of public appetite, so to speak, for Bram Stoker's classic horror tale of the romantic, blood-tippling count most wouldn't touch with a 10-foot stake.

"Very strange," he enthusiastically reports in his soft French accent. "The American people are weirdos. They love Dracula, there's a big following for him, according to the amount of mail I get.

"From kids to elderly people, they say, 'I would go see any production of Dracula. I love the show, the image, the legend.' It's amazing. They've seen it all, Bela Lugosi, Christopher Lee, all of it, and still say, 'I like your show.""

Jean, whose home is in a restored old mill in the country 3 miles outside Montreal, has worked on stage in Canada, done four TV series there and appeared in three films to date.

He landed the "Dracula" touring role when the show's producers here saw him last year in a PBS repeat of "Sarah," in which he played the husband of the forever-retiring actress, Sarah Bernhardt.

'Knight' to film

HOLLYWOOD (AP)

— Ridley Scott, who directed "The Alien," will direct "The Knight," a tale of mysticism and heroism set in the Dark Ages.

"The Knight" will be produced from an original screenplay by Derek Marlowe. It will be filmed in England, Ireland and France early next year for the EMI-SoloFilm Co.

# Douglas signs film contract

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Michael Douglas has signed an exclusive three-year producing contract with Columbia Pictures

Douglas produced and stars with Jane Fonda and Jack Lemmon in "The China Syndrome." He produced "One Flew over the Cuckoo's Nest," winner of five Academy Awards.

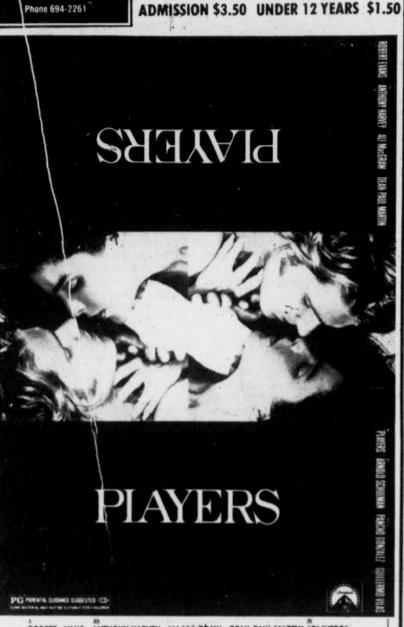
He will announce his first project for Columbia shortly.

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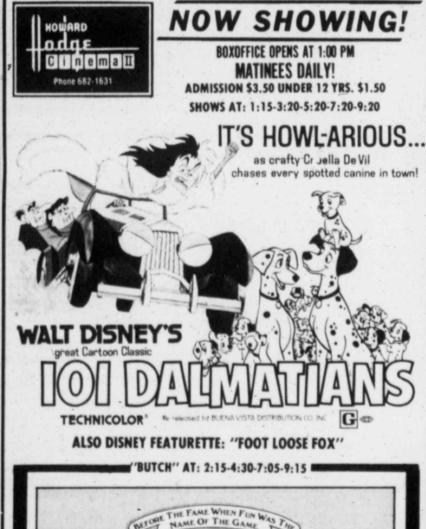
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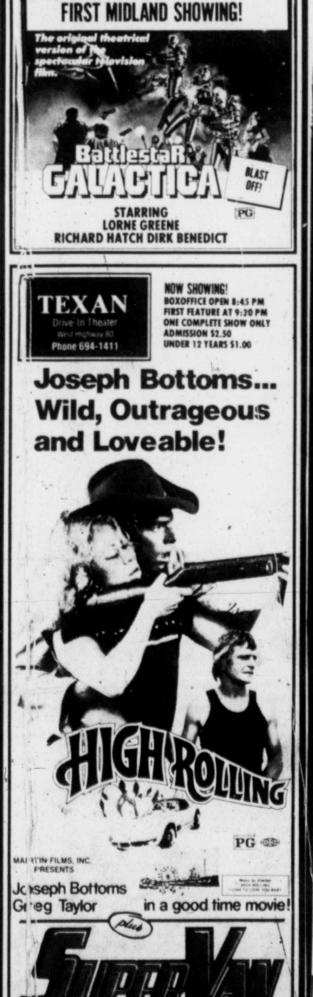
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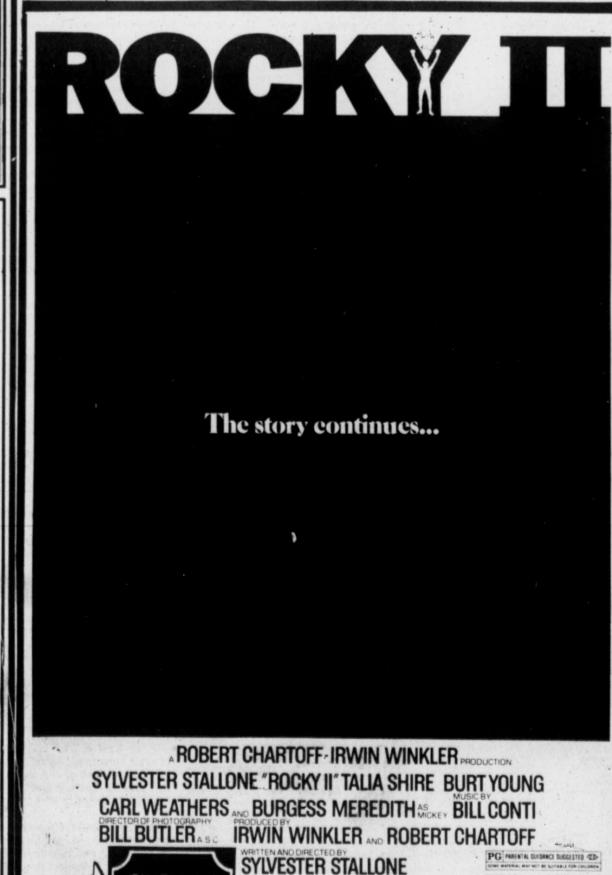
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