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Decksides appearances deal with energy

By JAMES GERSTENZANG

ABOARD THE DELTA QUEEN (AP) — In little towns, at river locks, and even from the decks of this riverboat, President Carter is campaigning hard — for himself and his energy program — as he approaches the midpoint of his Mississippi River vacation.

At every opportunity, and there have been almost a dozen, the president stresses one theme, energy, and at each stop the trip looks less like a vacation and more like a political campaign.

Yet, Carter said Sunday night in a conversation with a group of reporters aboard the ship, "It's been restful."

Today, he said, might be a little more relaxing than the first 48 hours of the trip, when the boat made 11 stops and the president spoke to a crowd at one lock at 3 a.m. and to another group a few hours later in a driving rainstorm.

When the Delta Queen stopped at a lock outside Dubuque, Iowa, this morning, Carter, his military aide, his physician and a Secret Service agent climbed overboard and jogged alongside the river, trailed by a Secret Service station wagon.

There had been suggestions earlier that the president's dawn running on the boat's upper deck had disturbed other passengers. But overnight rain Sunday and today had made the deck treacherous and Carter chose to run on land.

While the riverboat took on fresh water at Dubuque later this morning, Carter made a brief, and by now standard, speech on the need for energy independence to an enthusiastic dockside crowd estimated by police at 5,000 to 6,000.

Injecting a local note, the president said, "My preference, instead of importing a barrel of oil, is to produce a barrel of gasoline in Iowa." Gasohol is a mixture of gasoline and alcohol, the alcohol often coming from grain.

Through Wednesday, Carter plans to make at least five more stops in Iowa, a key state in his re-election plans.

The president's comments in McGregor, Iowa, were typical of those he made to a picnic of factory workers in Prairie du Chien, Wis.; to residents of Wabasha, Minn., and at hamlets beside the massive river locks.

"Our nation's security is threatened because we have become too dependent on oil from foreign countries," he said.

His proposed "windfall profits" tax would mean that oil company profits

reaped from the deregulation of oil prices "must be shared with all Americans to help us with conservation, solar power and to become energy-independent," he said.

Then, in a throwback to his campaign days three years ago, he said, "I need you to help me. Will you do it?" Each time he asks this question, the answer comes back in applause and cheers.

It's a campaign, says White House press secretary Jody Powell, on behalf of the president's energy program. But, he said, "There is no doubt that when we get our points across on energy, we make points politically."

Dr. Walter Balzer, a passenger from Davenport, Iowa, put it more bluntly: "It's a campaign, no doubt about it. And he's getting a great response. I think it must be a terrific ego trip. He can't help think people are for him."

There are few signs at this point to indicate what the president is accomplishing on this floating tour. Many of those who flocked to levees to see him state readily that they turned out to see the president, although they don't necessarily support Carter.



Reading the handwritten notes tied to the locked gates of Abraham Rappaport's New York jewelry store is an unidentified woman. The notes, along with carnations and roses, this weekend were tied to the gates with satin ribbons by Rappaport's friends and neighbors. They pay tribute to the merchant who was killed in a Thursday robbery. (AP Laserphoto)

Israeli warplanes raid Palestinian positions in southern Lebanon

JERUSALEM (AP) — Israeli warplanes attacked Palestinian targets in southern Lebanon today, one day after Israel rejected U.S. envoy Robert Strauss' proposals for pro-Palestinian changes in the basic U.N. resolution on Arab-Israeli relations.

The army said all planes returned safely from the raids against guerrilla positions in Ras el-Ain, five miles south of the port of Tyre on the Mediterranean coast, and a camp in southern Lebanon about 20 miles north of the Israeli border.

Nyad wades to shore after triumphant swim

JUNO BEACH, Fla. (AP) — An aching but grinning Diana Nyad waded triumphantly ashore here today to become the first person to swim the 60 miles from the Bahamas to Florida.

She finished her record-setting swim at 11:39 a.m., emerging from the breakers at Juno Beach, 15 miles north of Palm Beach. It took her 27 hours and 41 minutes to complete the endurance test.

"Everybody said it couldn't be done," said Ms. Nyad, whose left eye was swollen shut. "I'm lucky I didn't run into a man-of-war. The weather gave me a break for a change."

Several onlookers kissed her and one wiped the puffy eye with a tissue.

A small flotilla of boats had accompanied Ms. Nyad's crew boat for the last hour of her swim.

With only short breaks for a drink of water or a snack, Ms. Nyad had been in the water constantly since 8 a.m. EDT Sunday when she stepped off the North Bimini shore.

Ms. Nyad had been within sight of buildings on the Florida coast since about dawn after clearing the powerful Gulf Stream, the nemesis of other Bahamas-Florida swim attempts.

Just two weeks ago, she sobbed when she was forced to finish the swim after getting badly stung by a Portuguese man-of-war. And she cried in despair last year when she had to give up her Cuba-Florida try after being blown off course.

According to reporter Jim Lejedal of Miami radio station WINZ, in a boat alongside, the swimmer was stung overnight by a small jellyfish, whose venom is not as painful as that of a man-of-war. A sting by a man-of-war partially paralyzed Ms. Nyad and forced her to give up her first attempt at the swim on Aug. 5.

For this swim, Ms. Nyad covered exposed parts of her body with protective latex — a resin-based compound. But as the hours passed, the latex began wearing off and divers began clearing jellyfish out of the way.

Ms. Nyad entered the water at 8 a.m. Sunday in the same spot where she had begun the earlier attempt. That swim ended after 12½ hours when Ms. Nyad was stung by the man-of-war.

Sunday evening, Ms. Nyad was swimming about 4½ mph with help from currents. Without help from currents, Ms. Nyad swam at 2 mph. She was doing 54 to 56 strokes per minute.

"She's going along at a fast clip," said her business manager, Bob Walker. "I think it's perfect. She looks more relaxed than she did two weeks ago."

White arrives to make investigation of oil spill

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — Texas Attorney General Mark White, who has threatened litigation over a Mexican oil spill fouling Texas beaches, arrived in Corpus Christi today to begin what he called a "lengthy investigation" into the sticky affair.

At a briefing for newsmen, White said, "I think we're in the position of several months of assessment. At this juncture, we have no indication of fault of any individual, company or country, in fact."

Gov. Bill Clements said he was not interested in suing Mexico, but White has continued to check into events surrounding the spill.

The company formerly headed by Republican Clements leased the oil rig that blew out June 3 in Mexico's Bay of Campeche. Clements put his interests in SEDCO, Inc., into a blind trust upon his election.

White, a Democrat, said he was pleased that "evidence" has been accumulated while damage was occurring.

He said litigation would be a "last resort" in the case.

He said any contact with the Mexican government would be made through the U.S. Department of State.

Members of a government task force battling the continuing saga of the spill were surprised over the weekend when tides washed away most of the heavier concentrations of oil that had soiled more than 50 miles of Texas beaches.

Elated leaders of a U.S. oil spill task force also said reconnaissance flights showed no large slicks offshore. The Texas shore probably won't be threatened again at least for two to three days, they said.

Coast Guard Capt. Roger Madson said he was "pleasantly surprised" when he flew Sunday over oil-soaked Padre Island, including a 50-mile stretch of badly stained beach, and found that tides had broken up most of the heavy concentrations and floated them out to sea.

Oil remaining on the stricken Texas beach was described as "light to moderate" — or 10 to 65 percent covered with oil.

"I was pleasantly surprised by what I saw, after all that came ashore on South Padre Island yesterday (Saturday)," the Coast Guard captain said. "It looks like we may be in for a period of two to three days with nothing significant coming onto the beaches."

Coast Guard spokesman Jim McGranahan said winds are mostly calm and attributed the natural cleansing effect to the tides. He said the tides pull the sand from underneath the oil, and it begins to float again.

"Then it just goes back out to sea," he said. He said reconnaissance flights found no large slick posing a threat Sunday to any part of the Texas coast.

"We're just waiting for the next load to come from Mexico," which he said would probably be at least three days away.

Three persons die as result of three-vehicle accident

ODESSA — A 25-year-old Fort Worth man died in a hospital here today, bringing to three the total number of persons dead as a result of a three-car accident at 1:45 p.m. Sunday three miles north of Odessa.

David Wilson Blakely died at 3:15 a.m. Monday in Odessa's Medical Center Hospital from injuries suffered in the FM 1822 mishap, according to a Texas Department of Public Safety spokesman.

Kurdish leaders appeal for aid as Khomeini declares all-out war

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini declared all-out war on Iran's rebellious Kurds, ordering the armed forces mobilized against them, banning their political party and ordering the arrest of their political leaders.

Tension has spread as far as West Azerbaijan province in the nation's northwestern region, where a large Kurdish population is fighting for autonomy. There were reports today of isolated Kurdish attacks on government installations in several towns in the province.

The central committee of the Kurdish Democratic Party went into hiding and appealed for foreign help to stop Khomeini's forces "from annihilating the Kurdish people, their children and their aged."

Pars, the official news agency, reported 11 Kurdish rebels were executed after heavy fighting last week in the Kurdistan city of Paveh, about 300 miles northwest of Tehran. But Kurdish sources and the governor-general of Kurdistan Province, Mohammed Rashid Shakiba, denied reports by Khomeini, Pars and Radio Tehran of new fighting in Sanandaj, the province's chief city.

Pars said eight more persons were executed by firing squad today, for crimes connected with the ousted monarchy, raising to 425 the total of general reported complete calm in the city. Later the government said the armed forces had taken the necessary steps to secure Kurdistan, and Sanandaj was free of disturbances.

Khomeini also ordered the border between Kurdistan and Iraq sealed to prevent the escape of the rebels and their getting reinforcements from the Iraqi Kurds, but neither the armed forces nor the revolutionary guards have anything like enough men to do this.

The millions of Kurds in Iran, Iraq and Turkey have waged a losing war for centuries to form their own Kurdish state. There are an estimated 12 million of them now in the three countries, including about 4 million in western Iran.

The Kurdistan Democratic Party set up a Democratic Republic of Kurdistan with Soviet backing after World War II, but the shah's forces crushed it after Western pressure forced the Russians to withdraw. The shah's regime kept a tight lid on Kurdish nationalism, but it has flourished since his overthrow and is now one of the chief challenges to Khomeini's authority.

Although the Kurds are demanding autonomy and home rule, the ayatollah and his supporters believe this would be the prelude to secession.

His parents, Elbert David Blakely, 66, and Inez Blakely, 62, both of Odessa, were pronounced dead at the scene by Peace Justice Charles Gee, the report said.

According to reports, a vehicle driven by Gaspard Montoya, 29, of Andrews was traveling south on FM 1882 when the vehicle lost its back left tire.

Montoya's car swerved into the north bound lane and collided head-on with a vehicle driven by Elbert Blakely, DPS officials said.

According to the DPS report, a third vehicle being driven by Ben A. Delgado of San Angelo was following Blakely's vehicle and struck the left side of Montoya's vehicle.

Officials said that, in addition to David Wilson Blakely, five persons were transported to Odessa's Medical Center hospital by emergency vehicles.

Treated and released from Medical Center were Montoya; Hector Lujan, 29, a passenger in Montoya's car; Lynn Blakely, 24, and Adam Blakely, 3, both passengers in the Blakely vehicle.

David Blakely, 6, remained in satisfactory condition today in Medical Center Hospital, according to hospital officials.

Strauss presented his proposals to Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin and Egyptian President Anwar Sadat during a three-day trip to the two nations less than a week before the U.N. Security Council opens a full-dress debate on the Palestinian issue.

The envoy said he suggested a "range of proposals" for possible resolutions for Thursday's debate. But after a two-hour meeting with Begin Sunday, he told reporters he "met with very serious questions and reservations both here in Israel and in Egypt."

Egypt said it, too, had "questions and reservations."

Strauss said he would report those questions and reservations to the Carter administration, which would take them into account when deciding its stand for the Security Council debate.

Meanwhile, in the Christian-inhabited Achrafiyeh section of eastern Beirut today, a car loaded with explosives blew up, killing four occupants and three others, security officials said. It was unclear why the car was loaded with explosives, but some officials said the incident might involve rivalries between Christian groups.

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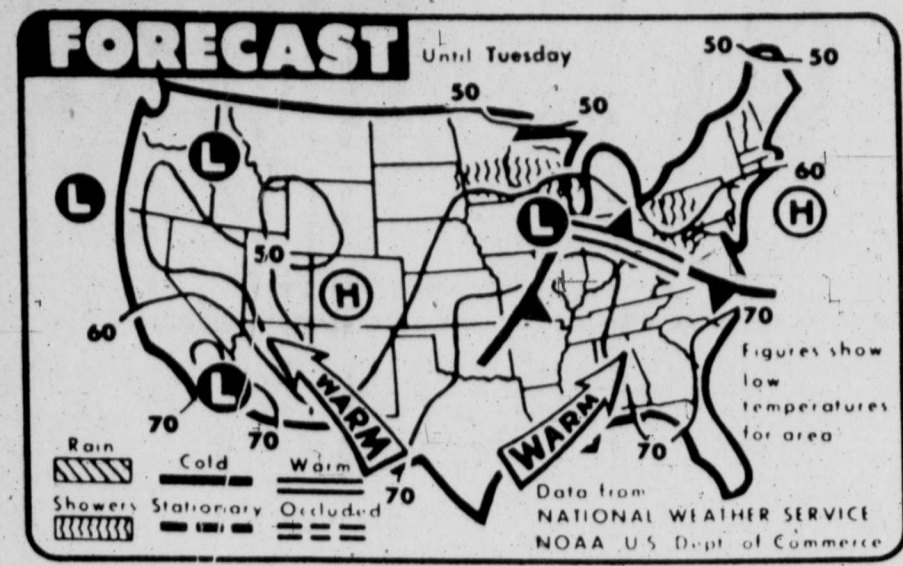
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WEATHER SUMMARY



Showers are forecast until early Tuesday over parts of Minnesota and Wisconsin and parts of Ohio, West Virginia and Pennsylvania. Skies over the remainder of the nation will be mostly sunny. (AP Laserphoto Map)

Midland statistics

Table with columns for WEATHER FORECAST, LOCAL TEMPERATURES (4 a.m. to 5 p.m.), and SOUTHWEST TEMPERATURES (Abilene, Alice, etc.).

TEXAS THERMOMETER

Table listing temperatures for various Texas cities including Abilene, Alice, Alpine, Amarillo, Austin, Beaumont, Brownsville, Childress, Colleyville, Corpus Christi, Dallas, Dalhart, Dumas, El Paso, Elgin, Fort Worth, Galveston, Houston, Lubbock, Marfa, Midland, Odessa, San Antonio, San Diego, Schertz, Sherman, Tyler, Waco, Wichita Falls, and Wink.

TEXAS AREA FORECASTS

West Texas: Scattered thunderstorms most sections through tonight. A few possibly heavy central and southern main this afternoon and tonight. Partly cloudy Tuesday with widely scattered thunderstorms in the afternoon. No important temperature changes. Highs through Tuesday 84 to 96. Lows tonight 56 to 72.

SUSPECT ESCAPES WHILE BEING QUESTIONED

HOUSTON (AP) — Detectives continued searching door-to-door today for a man who escaped while being questioned about the deaths of four children found in a burned-out house, police said.



Robert D. Southerland has been promoted to executive vice president of Commercial Bank & Trust Co., reports Robert L. Pendleton, president.

Young blasts U.S. policy toward PLO

WASHINGTON (AP) — Outgoing U.N. Ambassador Andrew Young says U.S. policy toward the Palestine Liberation Organization is "ridiculous" and blames a "stubborn and intransigent" Israeli government for blocking necessary changes.

Weatherman calling for more rain

An afternoon thunderstorm Sunday dropped a small amount of rain on Midland, hail peppered some parts of the Permian Basin and the weatherman said there may be more wet stuff tonight and Tuesday.

Border states forecasts

Oklahoma: Partly cloudy and warm with widely scattered thunderstorms through Tuesday. Highs through Tuesday, mostly in the 80s. Lows tonight from the lower 60s. Fairly clear to the mid 70s east.

Southerland promoted

Police said the \$8,000 represents a preliminary estimate and that store officials would need to conduct an inventory to determine what was taken in the break-in.

DEATHS



Orval H. Crews

Orval Hardee Crews, 75, retired drilling company executive and a longtime Midland resident, died of an apparent heart seizure Saturday afternoon while fishing just outside Antonio, Colo. The family residence is at 3117 W. Louisiana St.

Mrs. W. Reed

BIG SPRING — Services for Mrs. Walker (Nina) Reed, 65, of Big Spring were to be at 3:30 p.m. today in the Eleventh Street and Birdwell Lane Church of Christ. Burial was to be in Mount Olive Memorial Park directed by Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home.

Gene A. Turner

BIG SPRING — Services for Gene A. Turner, 78, of Big Spring will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home Rosewood Chapel. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park.

Eulas G. Smith

PATRICIA — Services for Eulas Gray Smith, 69, of Patricia will be at 3 p.m. Tuesday in Branon Funeral Home chapel in Lamesa. Burial will be in Lamesa Memorial Park.

Martha E. Wood

LAMESA — Services for Martha Ellen Wood, 77, of Lamesa were Sunday in First Baptist Church chapel here with burial in Lamesa Memorial Park directed by Branon Funeral Home.

F. Patterson

SERVICES for Florence Patterson, 94, of Midland will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday in the chapel of the First Methodist Church. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery directed by Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Edgar Gordon

LAMESA — Services for Edgar M. Gordon, 56, of Lamesa will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Faith Temple with Ronnie Parkhill, pastor, officiating.

Laurence Burrell

ARDMORE, Okla. — Services for Laurence Burrell, 73, of Ardmore, Okla., father of Mrs. Bob (Laureen) Michael of Midland, will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday in Harvey Funeral Home chapel here. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Robert Lee Lail

SERVICES for Robert Lee Lail, 89, 2215 Midland Drive, will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday in the Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. G.A. Magee, pastor of Bellview Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Home. Gordon was killed Wednesday in an automobile accident in Fort Wayne, Ind. He was a native of Waco and a disabled veteran of World War II. He was a longtime Dawson County resident. He was married to Lorene Greathouse Jan. 26, 1953.

Beatrice E. Bielby

Graveside services for Beatrice E. Bielby, 65, 905 S. Marshall St., will be at 10 a.m. Thursday with the Rev. Roy R. Roach, pastor of the Travis Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery directed by Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Dewey K. Hill

BIG SPRING — Graveside services for Dewey K. Hill, 49, of Big Spring will be at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday in Trinity Memorial Park directed by Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home.

Geneva Kennedy

ODESSA — Graveside services for Geneva Sue Kennedy, 42, of Odessa were to be at 10 a.m. today in Sunset Memorial Garden directed by Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home.

Nettie F. Perry

GOLDTHWAITE — Services for Nettie Francis Perry, 92, of Goldthwaite, stepmother of Bernice Wash of Big Spring, were to be at 2 p.m. today in Wilkins Funeral Home chapel. Burial was to be in Center City Cemetery east of Goldthwaite.

Government studying recall by GM

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government said today it is investigating a General Motors Corp. recall of 2 million 1978 vehicles to determine whether a wheel bearing problem is being corrected properly and whether other models should be included.

Correction

It was erroneously reported in Sunday's edition that a convocation to open a week-long training session for Midland teachers will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Lee High School auditorium.

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Evening TV Schedule



PIANO PARLEY

The well-versed cat with the stovepipe hat and the lion's share of fans springs again from the printed page into animation, in Dr. Seuss's *The Cat in the Hat*, to be rebroadcast Monday, Aug. 20, on CBS.

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Programs subject to change without notice

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7:00	Little House On Prairie	Bears Cat in Hat	Baseball	Viviana Esta Noche	Alias Smith And Jones	News Day Hollywood	Andy Griffith H. Heroes
8:00	NBC Movie: "Love's"	Special: "Miss"	" "	Super Estelar Pecado	M.T. Moore Bob Newhart	Musicals "Kiss Me"	700 Club
9:00	Dark Ride	Texas Pageant	" "	24 Horas	Movie: "I Married"	Kate	D. Thompson
10:00	News Tonight	News Rockford	News Police	Curro Jimenez	An Angel	Pledge Break	The Bible Faith Lives
11:00	" "	Files CBS Late	Story	" "	Late Movie: "The Court"	Late Movie: "Anchor's"	Manna Life Of Riley
12:00	Tomorrow	Movie	" "	Texas Talking	ship Of Andy Hardy	"Aweigh"	" "

Teen-agers made more money than parents in narcotics ring

DETROIT (AP) — Some members of a teen-age narcotics ring that sold heroin in packets bearing the group's name — "Young Boys Inc." — made more money than their parents, police said after a month-long crackdown.

The narcotics operation involved fleets of vehicles and salaries of \$250 a week — plus commission, say authorities, who have arrested 85 persons after infiltrating the organization.

"They're in it for the money, not the dope," said Sgt. Herbert Simmons, who has helped coordinate the arrests that began July 27.

Of those arrested, 45 were age 17 or younger and the two men identified by police as ringleaders, Raymond Peoples and Mark Marshall, are aged 23 and 26, respectively, Simmons said.

The arrests began July 27 after a sharp increase in narcotics activity on the city's west side spurred several weeks of investigation, said Deputy Chief Gerald Hale.

"After we began the sweeps, the organization began falling apart," Hale said. "We haven't put them out of business yet, but we've got them on the run."

Thousands of dollars and hundreds of heroin packets stamped "Young Boys Inc." have been confiscated, police said. One 16-year-old boy had more than \$18,000 cash in his possession when he was arrested.

Police said they believe Young Boys Inc. has operated on the city's west side for three years.

The officers said a fleet of vehicles, aided by a loose network of "street lookouts," is used to deliver heroin to private homes used as distribution points. From the homes, youths distributed drugs to street

sellers, carrying heroin packets in plastic garbage bags.

"When we got out there, it was so easy to make arrests it was almost pathetic," said Sgt. James Spivey. "They were selling dope on almost every corner."

The youths receive \$250 a week salary, plus a commission for the heroin they sell, Spivey said.

George Bush favors ties with Communist China

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — George Bush, a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, says that in dealing with Communists, "you are not dealing with good-and-evil; you're dealing with tough areas of grey."

Bush says the United States should develop its relations with the Communist government in China, but not the rebel forces in Nicaragua.

The former U.N. ambassador, CIA director, Texas congressman and chief of the U.S. Liaison Office in Peking, said working with the Chinese government in oil exploration is "in the strategic interest" of the United States.

But he said he fears the Sandinista guerrillas who overthrew the Somoza regime will eventually ally themselves with Cuba and cause more revolution in Central America.

Bush made his comments in an interview broadcast Sunday over the Connecticut Radio Network. The interview was taped earlier in the month in Stamford, Conn.

Strong earthquake recorded

HAGFORS, Sweden (AP) — The Hagfors Observatory recorded a strong earthquake measuring 6.7 on the Richter Scale today and said it occurred in the region along the border between the Soviet Union and Afghanistan.

The observatory said the quake probably was "rather deep."

A quake which registered 6.1 on the Richter Scale was recorded from the same area on Aug. 14, but there has been no report of casualties or damage from either the Soviet Union or Afghanistan.

The Richter scale is a measure of ground motion as recorded on seismographs. Every increase of one whole number means a tenfold increase in magnitude.

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McDonald's cuts burger prices

CHICAGO (AP) — McDonald's says you deserve a break today — from inflation. So it's cutting a nickel from the price of its hamburgers and cheeseburgers.

The reduction, which goes into effect in at least one-fourth of the fast-food chain's restaurants Tuesday, will knock more than 10 percent off the price of the company's original products.

McDonald's sells other foods under its Golden Arches, including larger hamburger and cheese combinations known as Big Macs and Quarter Pounders. They will not be affected.

The chain advertises it has sold more than 29 billion sandwiches since the first restaurant opened in Des Plaines, Ill., in 1956. Hamburgers cost 15 cents at that time.

The items chosen were selected "because those are the sandwiches bought by young families, and those are the people who ought to be getting a break in these inflationary times," spokesman Doug Timberlake said Sunday.

It's the second break from inflation consumers have gotten recently from a giant national retailer, and follows a plea from President Carter to food industry executives last week that they attempt to stifle the rising cost of food.

"It's good news," said White House press secretary Jody Powell, traveling with Carter on the president's Mississippi

River cruise. "It's the sort of thing we were talking about." Sears Roebuck & Co. just ended a 5 percent catalogue price reduction program. The company, nudged by a personal appeal from Carter in April, cut the price of items in its 1979 spring-summer catalogue to comply with wage-price guidelines. The reduction was in effect through July.

Spokesman Bob Shoup said Sunday it is too early to tell what the reduction cost Sears or how it affected consumers. Timberlake said McDonald's also can not anticipate what its temporary reduction will mean.

"I realize we are only talking nickels," Timberlake said. "A nickel doesn't make a heck of a lot of difference — but psychologically it does."

"The basic point is that it is a reduction, it is not an increase, which is what is happening everywhere else."

Timberlake declined to say what percentages of sales are made up by

hamburgers and cheeseburgers. He added, "It is always anticipated that the reduction in price could attract more customers."

Under the program, hamburgers will be cut to 38 cents from 43 cents and cheeseburgers will drop to 43 cents from 48 cents, rolling back prices to what they were at this time last year.

The price cuts will be mandatory only in the 1,225 restaurants owned and operated by the corporation, or about one-fourth of the 4,685 McDonald's restaurants in this country, Timberlake said.

"The remaining outlets are owned by independent franchisees, who have been asked to cut prices but are not bound by the company's decision."

"I think it's a fantastic idea," said John Dhoore, first assistant manager of an Indianapolis franchise that will go along with the cut.

"It will help bring in more families and help attract more business for us."

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China catches on fast

At last it has come, a government commitment in China to curb smoking. The State Council has approved a campaign against smoking through propaganda in newspapers and magazines, on the radio and television and within the armed forces and such mass organizations as the Youth League. As in the United States, smoking will be portrayed as "dangerous to your health." Additionally, the council has "suggested" that a ban be imposed by the different managements on smoking in public halls, schools, hospitals, theaters, buses and other public places — an initiative that could mean implementation will be tough or mild, depending on how serious the authorities want to be. That smoking can cause cancer and lead to heart and other health problems was not generally recognized in China until the country opened itself up to the outside world in a new way two years ago. Mao Tse-tung was a chain smoker as were many of the other top Chinese officials. Most Chinese indulge heavily. When a high proportion of China's one billion people smoke, a great industry is created, and China's tobacco industry is the world's biggest in addition to being a major revenue source for the government. The number of cigarettes smoked, averaged for the whole population, amounts to 600 a year per person, and the damage is evident in a high cancer rate and widely prevalent heart troubles. Visitors to China several years ago found Chinese incredulous when they were told evidence in the West showed cigarettes damaging to health, a reaction indicative of the way China had isolated itself from the stream of world knowledge before the recent opening up. Appropriately enough, China's official anti-smoking campaign has been launched following the visit to China of Joseph Califano, who may have proselytized there for the kind of campaign he conducted as secretary of Health, Education and Welfare. In fact, China's campaign is similar to the American approach.

Many a campaign in China has begun with fanfare and then languished through lack of government follow-up and determination. Since Joe Califano is now out of a job in the U.S. government maybe he might be interested in moving across the Pacific to lend his expertise to the China government's drive to cut down use of the "filthy weed."

Another small step

Before the Congress to ok its August holiday, House members July 20 approved a rules change permitting members to add up to four additional employees to their payrolls. Now each House member can hire 18 clerks. The new rule permits four more for each House member — over 1,700 new positions on the federal payroll. And it was all done so quietly and quickly. Acting without advance notice, the House Administration Committee reported the resolution July 19 and it was approved the next day by the full House, 214-120. "On this historic day," said committee chairman Frank Thompson Jr., referring to the anniversary of the moon-walk, "we want to take this one small step to help all 435 members of this great body." It was pointed out that the House will have to fund the new jobs before anyone can be hired. No one doubts that the money will be voted at the earliest opportunity in this congressional two-step. Otherwise there would be no need for more office space, more furniture, more parking and telephones. And what would that do for our legislative moon-walkers?

BIBLE VERSE
For God is not the author of confusion, but of peace, as in all churches of the saints. — Cor. 14: 33.

INSIDE REPORT:

The same old Hamilton Jordan: 'indifferent and incompetent'

By ROWLAND EVANS AND ROBERT NOVAK

WASHINGTON — For all the talk about Hamilton Jordan mending his reclusive ways now that he has become President Carter's chief of staff, a recent call from one of the most influential Democratic figures in Congress went unanswered. The call was from Rep. James Jones of Oklahoma, a key member of the House Ways and Means Committee and leader of an informal, bipartisan coalition of House moderates and conservatives. Jones had served as an aide to President Lyndon B. Johnson over a decade ago. So, reading about Jordan's new duties, Jones placed a call to him; his intention was to urge Jordan to draw on Jones' former experience and current activity in any way that might be helpful. A Jordan secretary took the call, and the rest was silence. Naturally enough, Jones felt he had done his duty and did not place the call again. Although Jordan previously had excused his failure to return congressional telephone calls on grounds that he was not among his duties, his snub of Jones gives credence to the common explanation in the past: indifference and incompetence.



sequently, one East Coast tax-cut crusade, he paid a recent visit to California to warn that Brown was in danger of alienating his conservative support. The answer from Brown's operatives was that the Hayden-Fonda connection was eye-wash to appease the left while the governor actually moved right. They stressed there was "no cost" on key economic questions in naming left-wingers to relatively innocuous positions.

CARTER ON COX

Unreported in President Carter's refusal to put famed Watergate prosecutor Archibald Cox on the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Boston is the fact that Carter reached his decision only after long inner turmoil. Carter's decision to bar the 67-year-old Cox on grounds of age almost went the other way. That tends to undercut the political case made against Carter in the Cox affair. Critics of Carter say the president blocked Cox's nomination out of desire to enjoy a little political revenge against Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, Cox's sponsor for the appeals court.

The Justice Department declined to propose Cox for the judicial post because it always follows the recommendations of the American Bar Assn. committee on federal judgeships, which automatically ruled out Cox on age. Only a positive decision

by Carter to overrule the bar association committee could have salvaged Cox, and Carter finally decided against it.

RUNNING FOR VEEP

Conservative Republican Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina recently sent a political agent to Norfolk, Va., as a prelude to a possible run for the Republican vice presidential nomination. The agent was checking out one of the nation's largest religious radio networks (featuring the Rev. Pat Robertson, son of the late Sen. A. Willis Robertson of Virginia). Helms intends to broadcast over the Norfolk-based network to get exposure for the 1980 bid.

Helms also has ordered a historical study made for him of the office of the vice president, outlining its meager powers and responsibilities from the days of the Founding Fathers. Running for a vice presidential nomination is the most difficult political operation in this country. Despite the long track record of other failures, Helms thinks his credentials as a leading conservative makes his case different.

TURNER'S TOURNIQUET

CIA's Adm. Stansfield Turner has fired a veteran middle-level woman employee in his office to make room for an old cronie and retired Air Force non-commissioned officer who worked for him when the admiral was running the U.S. Sixth Fleet from Naples. Retired Air Force Master Sgt. Gary Moore is now back on Uncle Sam's payroll — like Turner himself — as a "double-dipper," getting CIA pay and a military pension. He is clearly qualified for his new job, but so was the woman he displaced. When Turner decided to make room for old pal Moore, he told the woman he could not guarantee her an-

other job in the CIA but gave her authority to hunt for one on her own. She managed to line one up, but her friends in the agency are bitter about her treatment.

SALT'S EMK ANGLE

Some Republican politicians are shading their opposition to the new Strategic Arms Limitation Treaty (SALT II) because they think defeat of the treaty would be a killing political blow to Jimmy Carter, making Sen. Edward Kennedy the assured Democratic presidential nominee next year.

These Republicans hope President Carter will agree to a major boost in defense spending to make a pro-treaty vote possible. If there were no Kennedy factor, they would probably vote against the treaty, even with higher defense spending.

The assumption that Kennedy would be so much harder for the Republicans to beat next year than Carter is not universally shared. The Republicans who do hold it, however, are convinced that keeping Carter just healthy enough to get him the nomination would guarantee putting a Republican in the White House in January 1981.

the small society



CHARLEY REESE Carter is confused as to who is friend, who is foe

By CHARLEY REESE
Sun Belt Syndicate



Charley Reese

ORLANDO, Fla. — I believe we have a problem. The president has declared war on the energy crisis, but he seems to be confused as to who is friend and who is foe.

As I understand his recent speeches, the problem is U.S. dependency on overseas supplies of oil. Not only are these supplies insecure and subject to artificial pricing, but the tinpot dictators and sheiks are trying to dictate our foreign policy.

Now it follows that the solution is to develop energy independence by exploiting our own energy sources and by practicing conservation. This is what the president has said he wants to happen.

But, whoa, folks, let's look at what he is doing as opposed to what he is saying. The windfall profits tax which he proposed and which has already passed the House is an excise tax on domestic crude oil multinational oil companies which everyone likes to use as a whipping boy are only partially affected. A large percentage of their business and profits come from foreign oil which is not affected by the tax.

You don't have to be an expert to understand that if you add a whopping tax to domestic oil and leave the foreign oil untouched, then the financial incentive lies with the foreign oil, not with domestic production.

Mr. Carter has even encouraged us

to be outraged by the oil company profits, but this is a red herring. The crucial issue facing us is energy independence, not who gets the extra four bits we pay for a gallon of gasoline. In fact, the only sensible way to develop our energy resources is for all the companies in the business to make a lot of profits. This not only provides capital for investment but provides an incentive to invest.

It should concern us, however, where those investments are made. We will not achieve energy independence if a lot of American capital is invested in developing foreign oil and it appears that some of the multinationals are doing just that.

Fortune Magazine recently reported that Gulf Oil is sinking \$200 million into a joint development project with the Nigerian government which is trying to dictate our policy on southern Africa. The Middle East Review reported that 3,437 wells were drilled outside the U.S. in 1976 and 34 percent of them were drilled in the OPEC nations.

A Chase Manhattan Bank study of 27 oil companies showed that "upstream" expenditures for 1977 were \$8.7 billion in the United States and \$6.9 billion overseas. These figures, the only ones available, are slightly biased because included in the 27 companies are four foreign corporations — British Petroleum, CFP, Belgian Petrofina and Royal Dutch Shell. But the American Petroleum Institute said the bias "is not that much" since the other 23 are America's largest firms.

Thus it looks as if the multinational oil companies are only lukewarm allies in the war against OPEC. That should come as no surprise. A multinational corporation almost by definition owes no allegiance to any one government or country.

By the same token, however, the United States owes the multinationals no special favors. If energy independence is really our goal, then the government should provide incentives for domestic production and disincentives for overseas investments.

In other words, if Mr. Carter really wanted to accomplish what he claims to want to accomplish, he would not propose an excise tax on domestic oil. Instead, he would seek the removal of the generous tax credits which the Treasury Department has granted the multinationals, and possibly propose a tax on imported oil.

As it is, it seems to me that either Mr. Carter is badly confused or he is playing a monstrous deception on the American people. Close to 80 percent of all domestic oil is located and produced by small independents. Without the new tax, they are hitting an average of only one out of three wells and in some cases requiring up to three years of production to recover their investment. They have, of course, suffered from the government price controls, though Mr. Carter at least says he's willing to lift those.

Mr. Carter would do better to give up his demagoguery, recognize that profits are desirable and necessary, and concentrate on the real issue which is whether those profits will be reinvested in the United States or overseas. Otherwise, some people might conclude that he is a pawn of the multinationals.

Mark Russell says

In Israel they are having trouble deciding which weighs less — our dollars or our promises.

If we were the Greeks and the Israelis were the Trojans, Andrew Young would jump out of the horse.

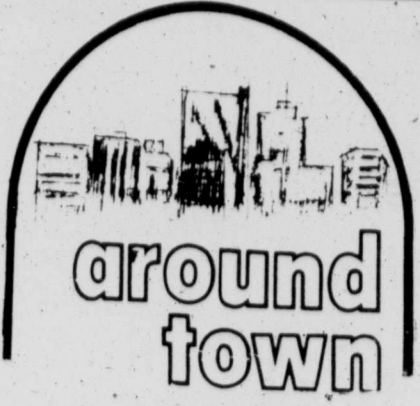
Only Andy can arrive at an Israeli TV studio still picking his teeth after lunch with the PLO. Now that's shuttle diplomacy.

We're like the Wild West outlaw who keeps shooting a pistol into the ground under Israel's feet. We're not exactly hurting them, but making them dance a lot.

WASHINGTON WHIRL: Jimmy Carter is not only a "born-again" Christian, he's a bipartisan Baptist as well. At a recent White House breakfast meeting with GOP congressional leaders, the president went to the far end of the table and asked Rep. Trent Lott of Mississippi to say grace. Lott is a Republican, but he is also, like Carter, a lifelong Baptist.

by Brickman

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By PATSY GORDON Lifestyle Writer

For the one out of every 35,000 persons afflicted by the problem, sleepwalking can be dangerous.

One method for protecting those plagued with the problem, notes the doctor, is medication such as diazepam or imipramine.

W.C. HARRINGTON Jr. of Midland is participating in a field exercise at Fort Irwin, Calif.

Harrington is the son of W.C. Harrington, 3605 Boyd St.

He is regularly assigned as an executive officer with the 2nd Armored Division at Fort Hood.

The exercise includes combined arms and joint tactical operations, live-firing and environmental adjusting.

MR. AND MRS. BILL SIMMONS of Midland recently returned to the Tall City from a Caribbean cruise.

Some of the islands visited included Jamaica, Haiti and Nassau.

FOLLOWING THE REHEARSAL of the wedding of Elizabeth Thomson and Frank Alvarado Jr., performed Saturday, a dinner for the wedding party was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alvarado.

A bridesmaids luncheon was held the morning of the wedding at Midland Country Club. Aunt of the bride, Mrs. E.D. Scarth of Fort Worth, was co-hostess with Mrs. Robert Grace of Midland.

MIDLAND CHAPTER, American Association of Retired Persons, is having a covered dish dinner beginning at 6:30 p.m. today in the Fellowship Hall of Crestview Baptist Church.

HILLCREST MANOR RESIDENTS are preparing for an open house to be held from 1 to 5 p.m. Sept. 16, with the public invited.

JAMES MICHAEL REED, an accident and health sales manager for Combined American Insurance Co., Dallas, recently participated in a sales managers' seminar.

TWO MIDLAND STUDENTS, Sarah Fein and Carolyn Hilliard, were presented vocational nursing awards at commencement exercises held recently for 43 students in the Odessa College nursing program.

DANIEL SKRABACZ of Midland was awarded a B.S. degree during summer commencement ceremonies held recently on the campus of Texas A&I University at Kingsville.

A BRUNCH, held Saturday, the morning of the marriage of Carla Tergerson to Jay Richard Frazier in Midland Lutheran Church, was held in the Jack Monzingo home.

The bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Frazier of Houston, hosted the rehearsal dinner at Chesa Nuova Restaurant.

'Worthy Woman' topic of sorority program

Mrs. Bill Weldon presented a program on "A Worthy Woman" at a recent meeting of the Gamma Sigma chapter of Phi Sigma Alpha sorority.

Mrs. R. E. Womack told of her two-month trip with her husband in Colorado with the Silver Streak Mobile Home Group.

The report noted that studies of South Sea islanders and others with low-salt diets indicate that hypertension is rare in those lands.

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DEAR ABBY



By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: I have a terrible problem which I have kept to myself for going on three months.

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I admit, I'm curious. Should I call this woman and ask her to meet with me? — FIRST TIME AROUND.

DEAR FIRST: No. Your chances of getting an unbiased, dispassionate account of the divorce from the ex-wife are slim.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Bargains abound, but examine merchandise before purchasing.

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Too much salt being eaten

WASHINGTON (AP) — Americans are eating too much salt and increasing their risk of hypertension, a scientific panel has told the Food and Drug Administration.

In a report released recently, the experts called for guidelines to restrict the amount of salt in processed foods, which is the source of one-third to one-half of the salt that Americans consume.

The Federation of American Societies for American Biology panel also called for clearer labeling of how much salt foods contain.

American adults eat 10 to 12 grams a day, or four or five teaspoons. That amounts to 15 pounds a year.

Some of the salt occurs naturally in food, and about one-third is added by the consumers from salt shakers and other direct sources.

But the salt contained in processed foods, including baked goods, cheese and cereals, often is invisible and beyond the individual's control, the report noted.

The panel said that although the evidence is not conclusive that salt is a major factor in causing hypertension, it does appear that salt increases the risk for the 10 to 30 percent of Americans who are prone to hypertension.

"A reduction of sodium chloride consumption by the population will reduce the frequency of hypertension," it said.

The study was part of a continuing review of all the food substances on the FDA's "Generally Recognized as Safe" list.

The report noted that studies of South Sea islanders and others with low-salt diets indicate that hypertension is rare in those lands.

It said it was not possible to give a flat recommendation of how much salt Americans should consume because it can fluctuate among individuals and can be affected by sweating and diarrhea.

The report acknowledged that salt contributes to the palatability of foods and said that "for some, salt-containing foods have important cultural values."

Salt ranks second behind sugar as the nation's most frequently used food additive.

He has venereal disease at age 14

DEAR ABBY: This is in response to ALLRGIC, who thinks perfumes, colognes, after-shaves, etc., ought to be banned along with public smoking.



your horoscope

By JEANE DIXON

Tuesday, August 21, 1979 YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY: Outside income may contribute to special financial gains for you in year ahead.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Family problem can be resolved if you continue to be patient.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Someone is likely to ask for financial assistance. Think twice before committing yourself.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Family conference can expedite budget plan.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Higher profits can be made through distant contacts.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Finish routine duties early. Give complicated work your best attention.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Remain apart from others in order to accomplish most work.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Continue rapid pace of work; your efforts will be well rewarded.

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Physicians under new rights bill

BOSTON (AP) — Massachusetts physicians are nervous about a section of a new patients' bill of rights that makes them the first in the nation required to inform women about alternate treatments for breast cancer.

The bill of rights, which goes into effect Tuesday, permits civil suits for violations of a number of principles of good medical care, several of which had not been spelled out so specifically before.

For example, the right to information about the attending physician includes educational background, hospital affiliation and financial interest in any medical facility.

The breast cancer rule, the only one meeting with much dissent, requires that women with the disease be fully informed about "all alternative treatments which are medically viable."

But many physicians say they're concerned about how to meet the requirement, because the best treatment for breast cancer is still a matter of scientific controversy.

"The patient hasn't the wisdom to make a decision when it isn't established by scientific evidence," said Dr. Grant Rodkey, president of the Massachusetts Medical Society.

"It may not be possible to comply with the law, since this deals with problems which are not scientifically settled," Rodkey added.

The rule, added by the Legislature at the last minute in response to pressure from women's groups, is an attempt to ensure that cancer victims understand the risks and benefits of three often discussed options.

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Afternoon's market report New York Exchange

NEW YORK (AP) — Selected national prices for New York Stock Exchange issues:

Table of stock prices with columns for company names (e.g., ABC, AMF, Amp, etc.), current prices, and percentage changes. Includes sections for 'Additional listings' and 'Over the counter'.

American Exchange

Table of American Exchange stock prices, including various commodity and futures contracts like Gold, Silver, and Wheat.

Stock market mixed

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock prices were mixed today as Wall Streeters worried about the possibility of further interest rate increases.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrial issues was off 2.05 to 881.31 at noon.

Declining issues led advances by a 6-5 margin on the New York Stock Exchange.

At the top of the list of most-active issues, Texaco was unchanged at 28 1/4.

The NYSE's composite index of its more than 1,500 listed common stocks was up .04 to 61.74 at midday.

Volume on the Big Board in the first two trading hours was 12.60 million shares, compared to 14.25 million at the same point in Friday's session.

Other active issues were Gulf Oil, unchanged at 29 1/4; RCA, unchanged at 25 1/4; IBM, up 1/4 to 71 3/4; Getty Oil, up 1/2 to 57; and Great Western Financial, down 1/4 to 26 1/4.

BUSINESS MIRROR Availability of venture capital promises future production expansion

By JOHN CUNIFF AP Business Analyst

And it is in such companies, Cooke contends, wherein lies the action, the chance to get in early on some of tomorrow's technology giants...

Smart investors have learned of the opportunities. Institutions now recognize that smaller companies can constitute a quality market.

Private placements, to institutions, is common again, used by Cooke to raise \$5 million for an Alabama steel fabricator...

Public offerings have been equally successful. Laidlaw recently offered 400,000 shares of R.C. Sanders Technology Systems, Inc. at \$9 a share...

To Cooke, the improved situation foretells an expanding economy to come, because small, fast-growing, innovative, job-creating companies are being given a financial assist...

Such companies, he observed, will be solving the energy, technology and consumer problems of the 1980s...

How do he and his competitors spot them? "They are the ones who have carved out an interesting niche in their industry, or are about to do so..."

"They have mature management," he continued. "They have experience. They have accomplished or they are accomplishing now. They have a return on equity of 25 percent a year..."

There are other criteria too, such as growth of sales and profits (25 percent a year is desirable), and the type of industry (energy, high technology, consumer related products are important).

And there is instinct. Instinct, as good money men will tell you, is an important factor in assessing any and all investments.

In the final assessment, he says, a good investment is a people judgment, research, including our own, risk levels during pregnancy are not known...

Dear Mrs. H.: Both the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists and the American College of Radiology have addressed the question you raise...

Dear Dr. Solomon: Is arthritis another of the results of our modern, sedentary type of existence? — Jack

Dear Jack: This is one disease that can't be blamed on the availability of modern conveniences. In fact, there is evidence from studies of skeletons that arthritis existed two million years ago...

On the basis of a growing body of evidence...

The Midland Reporter-Telegram

FBI agent says he received hit 'estimates'

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — FBI Agent Ron Jannings today testified he had been given what he believed to be "estimates" for the price of four killings allegedly ordered by millionaire industrialist Cullen Davis.

Jannings told jurors during Davis' murder conspiracy trial that FBI informant David McCrory gave him the numbers at a meeting Aug. 17, 1978.

Reading from a copy of his handwritten notes, Jannings said the figure next to the name of Davis' ex-wife Priscilla, name represented \$500,000.

The figures next to the names of state district judges Joe Eidson and Tom Cave were \$80,000, and the figure next to that of Davis' younger brother, Bill Davis, was \$200,000.

"I think they were supposed to be some kind of amount for payment for killing," Jannings said.

Jannings and lead defense attorney Richard "Racehorse" Haynes continued their verbal fencing, punctuated by numerous objections from prosecutor Jack Strickland.

Jannings told jurors that FBI informant David McCrory approached him in early August and said Davis, charged with solicitation of capital murder and conspiracy to commit murder, had asked him to find a hit man to kill State District Judge Joe Eidson and others.

In one exchange, Haynes chided Jannings for not taking notes as McCrory spelled out the alleged plot.

"We were trying to make sure no people were killed in this thing," Jannings testified Friday.

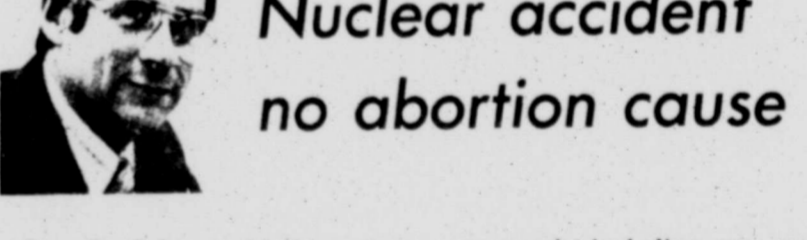
"If you've got a man who says he wants 15 people killed, wouldn't you want to know who those 15 people were?" Haynes asked.

"I didn't really believe McCrory at that point," Jannings said.

Three injured in auto accidents

Two separate automobile accidents Sunday sent three Midlanders to Midland Memorial Hospital with minor injuries.

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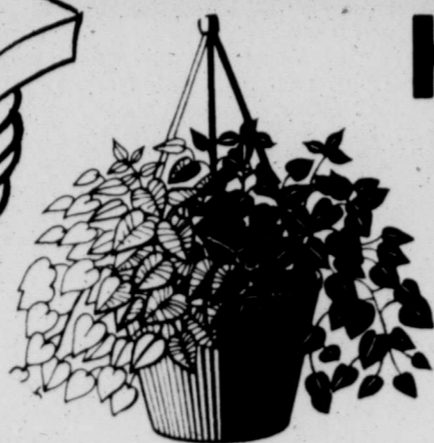
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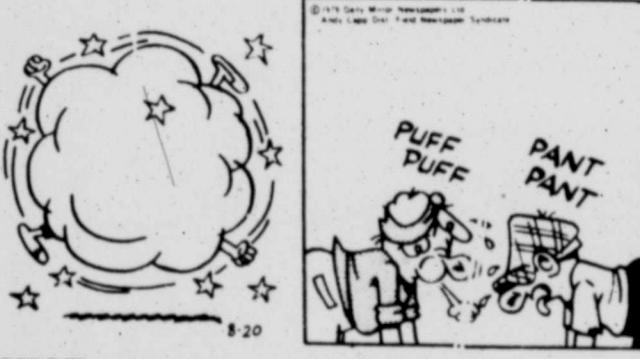
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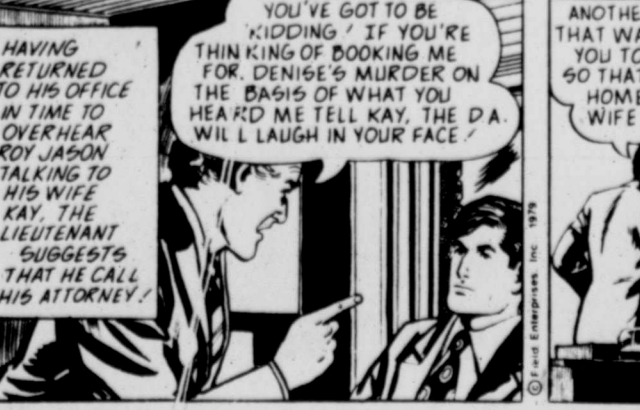
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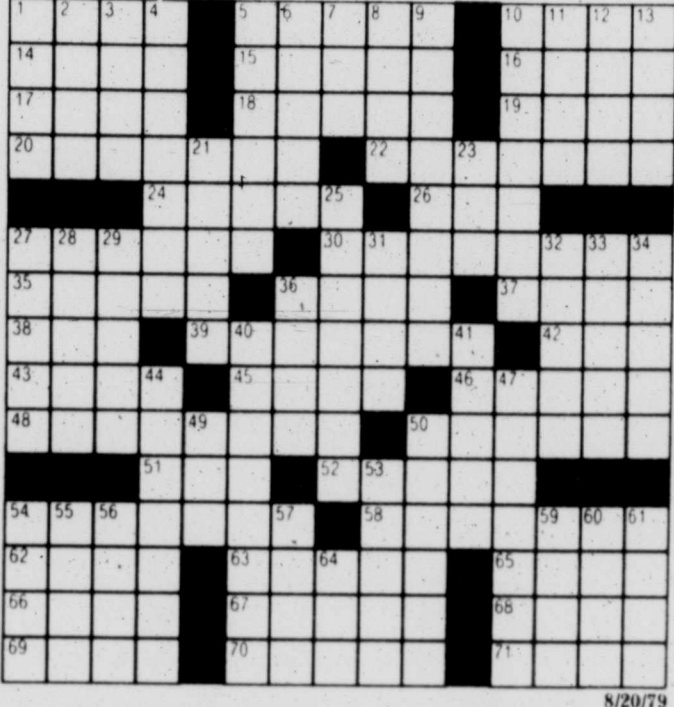
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 10 Lobster pot
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 15 Alphabetical key
 16 Wand or chestnut
 17 Relative of a chestnut
 18 Precipitous
 19 Really to drop off
 20 As a whole
 22 Fragments of a type
 24 Make happy
 26 Pay dirt
 27 Romantic song
 30 Counterpart
 35 Creek
 36 Innocent one
 37 Wading bird
 38 Senorita's relative
 39 Doubletrees
 41 Part of the street scene
 43 New Haven's pride
 45 Read copy
 46 Great thinker, circa 400 B.C.
 48 Passages for ships
 50 Columbus was one
 51 United
 52 Elevator of a sort

DOWN
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 2 Golf club
 3 King Mongkut's land
 4 Capable of being defended
 5 Felt the lack of
 6 Pays up
 7 Suffix in chemistry
 8 Letters
 9 Lewis or Clark
 10 Goes abroad
 11 — of office
 12 State as fact
 13 Feet: Suffix
 21 List of candidates

23 Man's name meaning "watchful"
 25 Romance language
 27 Snacks
 28 Old womanish
 29 Beast of burden
 31 Incite
 32 In the neighborhood
 33 Clio's sister
 34 Toil
 36 Adam of fiction
 40 Gave an attractive surface
 41 Sudden burst of activity
 44 Having elongated apertures
 47 Not figurative
 49 Symbol of industry
 50 Lorelei and others
 53 Made of a certain cereal
 54 Mark
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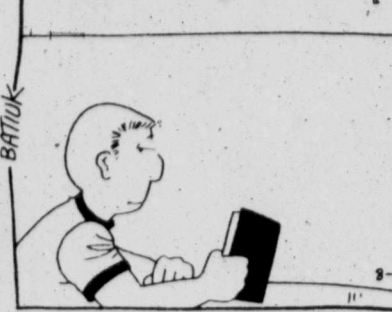
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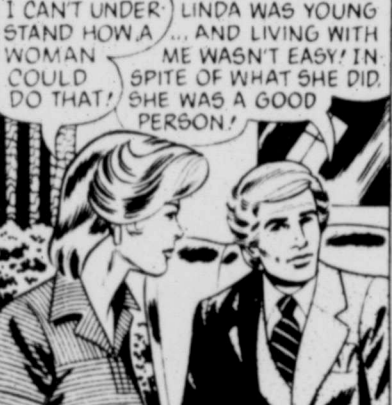
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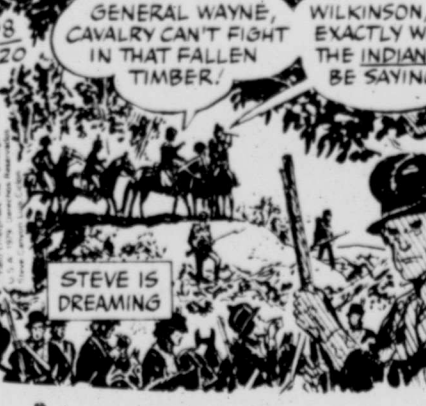
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Nigeria nervously begins new era of civilian rule

EDITOR'S NOTE: Serge Schmemmann, a member of the Associated Press staff in Africa, has visited Nigeria several times on assignment in the past two years.

By SERGE SCHMEMMANN

After 13 years of military rule, civil war and an oil boom that went bust, Nigeria is nervously returning to civilian rule under an avowed capitalist.

Alhaji Shehu Shagari, the 55-year-old winner of the recent presidential election, is scheduled to take office Oct. 1. His credentials include experience in previous civilian and military governments, a broad power base not limited to one region, religion or tribe, and pluralities won by his National Party of Nigeria in both houses of the new Parliament.

He faces immense problems. Despite oil wealth, the economy is a shambles. The population, 80 million to 100 million, is the largest of any African nation, and the people are sharply divided along religious and tribal lines. And the Nigerians acknowledge that they traditionally have little respect for authority.

The election of the wealthy businessman from northern Nigeria was good news for American and other Western investors. He was considered the most conservative of the candidates and the choice of the business community.

HIS PARTY'S platform promised "to encourage investment in foreign capital services and know-how in Nigeria to the fullest extent and ensure that unjustifiable limitations on drawing profits will be eliminated. NPN will ensure the investment climate of Nigeria is such that foreign investors shall invest and reinvest in Nigeria in preference to other countries."

The election of a free-enterprise man is particularly significant for the United States since it buys about half of Nigeria's oil production. This is the second largest source of oil imported by the United States and accounts for about 6 percent of the 18.7 million barrels the United States consumes daily.

The Nigerians are hopeful that their new rapprochement with the United States, symbolized by President Carter's visit last year, will bring new American investment. Britain is much the biggest investor in its former colony, but more than 40 U.S. firms are said to be contemplating investing in the West African giant.

But despite the \$14 billion Nigeria expects to earn from its oil this year, its economy is in sad disarray and so is Lagos, the sprawling, teeming capital.

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An analysis

The vast shantytowns reek of open sewers. Traffic barely crawls. Crime is rampant despite public executions. Nothing gets done without bribes.

The oil boom and land speculation in Lagos have also created a small clique of super-rich Nigerians whose flashy cars and clothes contrast sharply with the poverty of the slums.

Ironically, many of the problems stem from the quadrupling of oil prices in 1973. Lacking managerial or financial expertise, the military rulers embarked on a break-neck development program that sent imports and government expenditures soaring and inflation spiraling.

Agriculture, once the backbone of the economy, was neglected.

Farmers switched from export crops to food, and production dropped as the oil boom drew millions of youths to the cities.

An international oil glut and the resulting drop in demand brought the spiral of imports and spending to an abrupt halt in mid-1978. The government ordered wide-ranging austerity measures. A nation accustomed to unrestricted spending suddenly found itself forced to borrow abroad.

WITH THE reduction in Iranian production this year, the increases in oil prices have given Nigeria a respite. But a major challenge for the new civilian government will be to maintain the austerity necessary to restore economic equilibrium. The task will be far harder for a civilian government dependent on a restless electorate than it was for a military regime.

Shagari's campaign emphasized stability and continuance of the status quo. The question is whether he will be able to maintain a workable political consensus and avoid the chaos and divisions that would prompt the military to seize power again.



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Brown captures R-T City golf

Chris Brown overcame sporadic rains Sunday afternoon to card a sterling 68 en route to the title in the Reporter-Telegram men's city golf championship at Hogan Park Golf Course.

Brown's two-under-par round, the same score as he recorded Saturday, gave him a 36-hole total of 136, three shots better than runner-up Royce Woolard and one pop better than Steve Whiteside and defending champion Billy Sitton. Sitton, who had a first round 67, carded 73 Sunday.

In president's flight, Ed Barnes captured the 18-hole event with a 71 while David Teichmann was second at 73 and Charles Roberts, Phil McGuire and Ken Kurc tied for third at 75.

Bob Walker was the first flight champ with a 36-hole total of 152. Wayne Hudgens was two shots back while Bill

Hull and Warren Tiechmann were each three strokes off Walker's pace.

Ken Baker's 148 total bagged second flight as Jerry Blair was second at 151 and Jesse Madrid third at 157.

Frank Petro walked-away with third flight, topping runnerup Bill Ander by seven shots.

And in fourth flight, Lloyd Gildon's 163 prevailed over Jerry Bergeron at 165 and Mike Taylor at 166.

Championship: C. Brown 136; R. Woolard 139; B. Sitton, S. Whiteside 140; Beck, R. Minnis, A. Williams 141; Edwards, T. O'Conner, E. Swart 145; White, L. Opperman 146; B. Burleson 148; J. Hull, K. Eng 149; K. Herbert 150; L. Hernandez, G. Spencer 151; T. Walker 153; J. Hart, B. Wright, D. Pyle 155; S. Cramer 156.
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Bunnies beat Dee Jays; Cubs play 2 tilts tonight

BY TED BATTLES
R-T Sports Editor

Even heavy pregame showers over Midland couldn't dampen the enthusiasm of devoted baseball-appreciating fans who showed up as early as 5:30 p.m. amid sprinkles to watch the Dallas Playboy Club Bunnies, led by baseball Hall of Famer Ernie Banks, hand the KCRS Dee Jays their annual whipping, 8-6.

Even former National League batting champion Billy Williams couldn't turn it around for the radio folks, who suffer the same fate each year, if not at the hands of the Bunnies, then the

Players' wives. But it was all for a good cause, the proceeds going to the benefit of the Midland Cerebral Palsy Center.

This time, however, the outcome hung in the balance until pitcher Heidi Mandolf, a blonde model from San Diego, fanned the final batter with the bases loaded.

Unfortunately, the Texas League game between the Midland Cubs and Amarillo Gold Sox, which was to follow, was called because of wet grounds after an hour's work on the field failed to make it playable. The benefit game was played on the grass.

It's uncertain whether the postponement was the result of showers or the copious tears shed by General Manager Bill Rigney, Jr., who looked up at 1,800 fans in the stands before the Bunnies took the field, and wept unashamedly. "If it hadn't rained, we'd have had 2,600 at least."

The Bunnies popped out to an early lead and threatened to bust the game wide-open, but then the attrition of the rigorous four-inning game began to take its toll. As the girls, drained of their early enthusiasm, reluctantly dragged out to the field for the last of the fourth, Banks, who would have loved to have played two, it was so nice, cajoled, "Come on girls, only 10 more minutes..."

Williams scared the daylight out of Bunnies' pitcher Heidi when he lined a vicious drive up the middle, and it may have scared Billy a little, too. "That's why I don't play in Old-Timers games. I still take a good swing and some of those older pitchers are very slow moving."

The Cubs and Gold Sox resume their series with two games starting at 6:30 p.m. today. Midland won the opener, 20-2, Saturday behind the five-hit pitching of Mark Parker, who joined the Cubs' 10-game win club.

"Any time you go nine innings in this park, you have to be satisfied," Parker said. "The way the ball carries here and I have had to change my entire pitching style."

Parker, who was 13-1 at Geneva last year, noted, "Normally, I use my change up to set up my fastball, but in this park it's risky to throw a change up." In fact, that's how he lost his shut-out. "I've gotten Curt Reed on change ups before and I threw another, trying to keep it away." Apparently, it wasn't far enough away because Reed lost it over the fence for a two-run homer.

Jon Periman, 3-6, and Herman Seigelke, 11-7, probably will pitch for Midland tonight.



Manager Ernie Banks and centerfielder Cindy Lloyd can afford to be happy the way things are going on the field for the Dallas Playboy Club

Bunnies at Cubs Stadium Sunday. (Photo by Ted Battles)

SPORTS IN BRIEF

Connors wins at Stowe, Renner at Westchester

By The Associated Press
TENNIS—Romania's Ilie Nastase survived a marathon three-set match against Gene Malin and Stan Smith beat Bob Lutz to move into the singles finals of a \$50,000 International Tennis Open Championships at Cleveland. Nastase was pushed hard but finally defeated upset-minded Malin 7-6, 6-7, 6-3. Smith trimmed Lutz in straight sets, 6-4, 6-4... Martina Navratilova dominated Kathy Jordan 6-1, 6-3 to win a \$100,000 women's tour tennis tournament at Richmond, Va... Jimmy Connors overwhelmed Mike Cahill 6-0, 6-1 to win the championship of a \$75,000 Grand Prix tennis tournament at Stowe, Vt... Top-seeded Bjorn Borg of Sweden advanced to the final of the Canadian Open tennis championship, by defeating Ivan Lendl of Czechoslovakia 6-3, 6-1 in a semifinal match. John McEnroe beat Vitas Gerulaitis 6-3, 6-3 in the other men's semifinal. Laura Dupont won the

women's title, beating Brigitte Cuypers of South Africa 6-4, 6-7, 6-1.

GOLF—Jack Renner birdied the final hole and, with a closing 67, scored a one-stroke victory over Howard Twitty and David Graham in the \$400,000 Westchester Golf Classic. Renner acquired the first title of his three-year PGA Tour career with a 277 total, seven strokes under par. The \$72,000 first prize boosted his season's earnings to \$174,281...

Tony Jacklin of England fired a final round par-71 to win the \$77,000 German Open golf championship by two strokes over American Lanny Wadkins and Spain's Antonio Garrido. Jacklin had a 72-hole total of seven-under-par 277...

Sally Little shot a 69, giving her a total of 137 and a one stroke lead over

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Mears wins at Trenton

TRENTON, N.J. (AP) — When Rick Mears won the Indianapolis 500 last May, skeptics said it was mere luck. They noted that pre-race favorites, including brothers Al and Bobby Unser and A.J. Foyt, were plagued with mechanical woes.

But Sunday at Trenton International Speedway, Mears won the 150-mile Indianapolis-type race with smart driving and shrewd work in the pits.

The turning point for the 27-year-old California driver came early, although at the time it appeared to be a mistake. On lap 20, when most of the field made the first pit stop, almost all the other drivers took on new tires on the right side of their cars. But Mears only added fuel.

That gave him a jump on the rest coming of the pits, and enabled him to lead the race from lap 22 to 56. By lap 57, however, Tom Sneva, driving Jerry O'Connell's McLaren car, swept by Mears on the first turn. Mears, it seemed was running out of tires.

Two laps later, Mears took his Penske PC-7 car into the pits and in a quick 13-seconds was rolling again with a fresh set of right side tires. However, he was back in fifth place, trailing those other contenders who had changed tires earlier.

Soon, the other cars were making their second pit stops for fuel and Mears began to climb. By lap 75, he was fourth; by lap 85 he was third.

On lap 91, he ducked past teammate Unser, in a matching PC-7, and set his sights on the front running Sneva. On lap 98, three from the finish, he finally squeezed past last year's national driving champ.

"We decided to wait till late in the race to change tires, so that we'd

have fresh tires for the finish," Mears said after the race. "When it got down to the final laps, that was the edge."

Mears covered the 100-lap distance in 1:09:20 for an average speed of 120.807 mph.

Bobby Unser, who won the pole position with a 171 mph qualifying

speed, squeezed past Sneva on the next-to-last lap to grab the runner-up spot. Al Unser, driving the Pennzoil Chaparral for the Midland, Texas, based Jim Hall team, finished sixth while Tom Bagley, driving for the Midland Longhorn Racing Team, took seventh.

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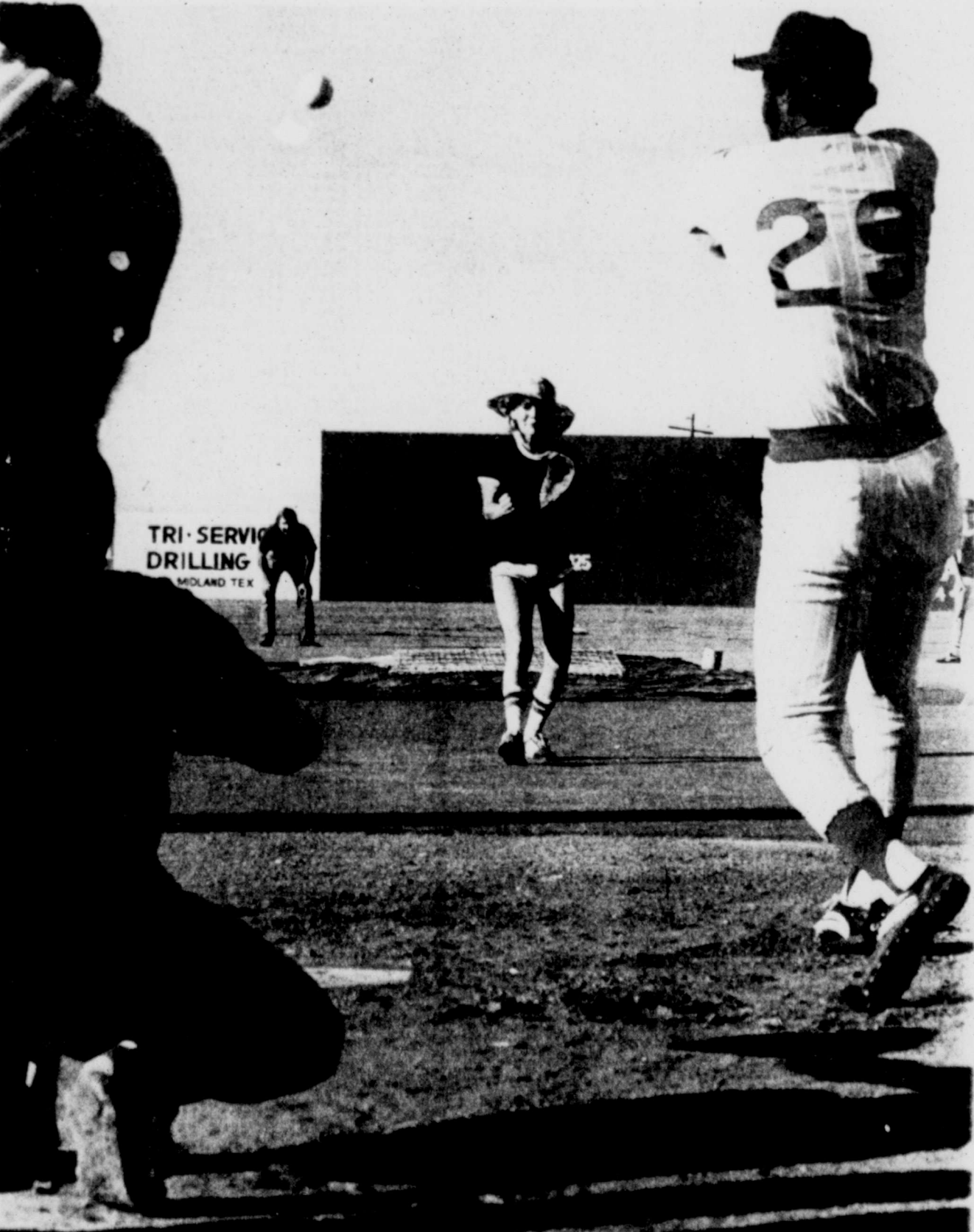
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Playboy Club Bunny pitcher Heidi Mandolf finches as Disc Jockey ringer Billy Williams whistles a liner by her head in Cerebral Palsy benefit

game at Cubs Stadium Sunday night. The Bunnies beat the Jockeys, 8-6. (Photo by Ted Battles)

Phils sweep Astros as lead shrinks 1 1/2

HOUSTON (AP) — Philadelphia was expected to be a top contender at the start of the 1979 season and Houston was written off as an also-ran, but fate reversed the roles.

With the season about two-thirds gone, however, the National League East's fifth-place Phillies are straining for the top, while the NL West-leading Astros are slumping.

The Phillies, who were 9 1/2 games behind Pittsburgh when they came to Houston, left with a three-game sweep that included a 3-2 come-from-behind victory Sunday night and gained them a full game on the division-leading Pirates.

Meanwhile, Houston's lead, which had held since May 30, slipped to just 1 1/2 games over the streaking Cincinnati Reds.

It looked like the Astros were the aggressors Sunday night, however, as they jumped to a 2-0 lead in the first inning

on a walk to Craig Reynolds, a triple by Terry Puhl and a sacrifice fly from Cesar Cedeno.

The triple and the second-inning single were the only hits given up by Steve Carlton, 11-10, while Houston pitcher Joaquin Andujar, 12-8, allowed 10.

In the first eight innings, however, Andujar gave up just one run on consecutive singles by Greg Luzinski and Garry Maddox and a sacrifice fly by Larry Bowa.

But the Phillies unleashed their aggression in the ninth, as Bob Boone singled and Maddox tripled home pinch runner Bud Harrelson to tie the game. A single by Bowa brought home the winning run in Maddox.

The three-game sweep by Philadelphia was only the third time the Astros have lost a series at home this year, with San Francisco and Pittsburgh taking the other two. Houston has swept eight series in the Astrodome.

And Houston manager Bill Virdon, who reminded everyone the Astros are still in first place, said his team's playing well enough to win.

"Even though we've lost four in a row, we're still two up in the loss column," he said. "Our pitching was good during the series, and as long as we have that, we won't keep losing."

Expos 5, Braves 1—Stan Bahnsen wriggled out of two jams after relieving Bill Lee in the sixth inning and also hit the first home run of his 12-year major league career, a two-run shot that helped the Montreal Expos defeat the Atlanta Braves 5-1 and remain two games behind Pittsburgh in the East.

Bahnsen's seventh-inning homer off rookie Tony Brizzolara was his first hit of the season and his first home run in 453 official big league at-bats.

Lee, who won for the first time since July 21,

was clipped for a first-inning homer by Atlanta's Gary Matthews. But the Expos responded with three runs in the bottom half, two on a homer by Gary Carter, who's supposed to hit them.

Pirates 2, Dodgers 0—Bill Madlock's two-run homer with two out in the bottom of the ninth inning broke up a scoreless duel and ended Los Angeles' five-game winning streak. John Candelaria and Kent Tekulve held the Dodgers to four hits while Madlock's 12th home run of the season was Pittsburgh's seventh hit off Bert Hooton.



The KCRS Deejay vs. Dallas Playboy Club Bunnies game brought out the fans and the cameras Sunday at Cubs Stadium. Even Amarillo Gold Sox players showed up with cameras for a shot of the action. On right, Amarillo first baseman Dane Iltersen lamely

alibied that he wanted to try out his brand new Canon camera. "Excuse me, I've got to take a picture..." Perhaps of Monica Walker, below, who from her determined stance, didn't come to the plate to draw a walk. (Photos by Ted Battles)

Nehemiah wins again

(Continued from 1B)

Dot Germain and Amy Alcott after the second round of a \$100,000 Ladies Professional Golf Association Tournament at Plymouth, Ind.



sparking an American domination of the Cologne invitational track and field meet. Other U.S. winners included: **James Robinson**, 800 meters, 1:44.7; **Tony Darden**, 400 meters, 45.85; **Quentin Wheeler**, 400-meter hurdles, 49.53; **Larry Myricks**, long jump, 27-4 1/2; **Benn Fields**, high jump, 7-4 1/4.

SWIMMING—Kim Linehan smashed Australian Tracey Wickham's world's standard in the 1,500-meter freestyle at the National AAU meet at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., swimming the grueling distance in 16 minutes, 4.49 seconds, eclipsing Wickham's record of 16:06.63. Meanwhile, Tracy Caulkins of Nashville, Tenn., lowered her own American record in the 200 breaststroke by more than a second to give her three 1979 Amateur Athletic Union titles...

BOWLING—Wayne Webb rolled strikes in six of his first seven frames in the championship game and went on to collect his second Professional Bowlers Association title in as many weeks in the \$70,000 Greater Buffalo Open, beating top-seeded Steve Westberg in the final game 237-199 for the \$8,000 first prize after eliminating Joe Berardi in the semifinals 225-190.

Greg Louganis scored a 808.775 to win the men's 10-meter platform finals in the U.S. AAU Outdoor Diving Championships placing ahead of Bruce Kinvall and Brian Bungum. **Kit Salness** wrapped up the women's 10-meter competition with 575.415 points. Defending champion Barb Weinstein placed second and Amy McGrath finished in third.

AUTO RACING—Richard Petty overtook Buddy Baker on the last turn to win the \$161,830 Michigan 400 NASCAR stock car race by a hood length... **A.J. Foyt** averaged 90.647 mph to outlast Joe Ruttman and win a 200-mile United States Auto Club stock car race... **Rick Mears** averaged 120.807 mph to win the 150-mile race for Indy-type cars at Trenton International Speedway. Bobby Unser passed Tom Sneva on the next-to-last lap and finished second.

Ledoux, Norton draw in wild heavy bout

BLOOMINGTON, Minn. (AP) — Minnesota Scott Ledoux strutted around the ring like a fighter who had won the heavyweight boxing championship of the world and not a man who had just been given a draw.

"Bring on the champ," Ledoux boomed after brawling to a 10-round, split decision standoff with former World Boxing Council champion Ken Norton at the Met Sports Center Sunday.

"You know what they say in the barber shop — Next!"

Ledoux, who felt he should have been awarded a knockout, staggered Norton twice in the final three furious rounds. "I won this fight — the whole country saw it," he said following the nationally-televized match. "I thought he was done. Even if it wasn't over, he was finished."

Norton, who is struggling to climb back into contention following losses to Larry Holmes and Earnie Shavers, stung Ledoux repeatedly with quick left jabs and seemed to have control of the fight through seven rounds.

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	1979	1978
Total assets	\$ 7,903,375	\$ 6,621,291
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Loans, net	3,934,030	3,333,299
Shareholders' equity	391,454	338,357

Operating Results	For the Quarter Ended June 30	
	1979	1978
Income before securities transactions	\$15,583,000	\$12,695,000
Per share	1.35	1.12
Net income	15,417,000	12,480,000
Per share	1.33	1.10

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Financial Position	June 30	
	1979	1978
Total assets	\$ 237,785	\$ 236,719
Deposits	206,385	202,319
Loans, net	136,442	136,330
Shareholder's equity	15,781	14,293

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Justice Department asks court to stop attempted take-over

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Justice Department asked a court to block the attempt by Merck & Co. to take over Algate Industries, Ltd., a British firm which, like Merck, produces alginate, a seaweed extract with many commercial uses.

In a suit filed in U.S. District Court in San Diego, Calif., the department's antitrust division said the acquisition by Merck, a drug and health product manufacturing firm, would diminish competition.

The government sought a permanent injunction to prevent Merck from buying any interest in the British firm. The Justice Department said Merck has agreed to maintain the status quo until the case is settled.

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Everyone pleased with verdict in charge of dumping in river

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP) — Both sides were generally pleased with a jury verdict that convicted Olin Corp. and three former employees of misdemeanor charges but acquitted them of felony counts involving the discharge of toxic mercury into the Niagara River. The former employees were charged with filing false statements with the government to cover up that Olin was dumping more mercury into the river than it was permitted to.

Eugene Welch, an assistant U.S. attorney who prosecuted the case, said, "I think we have established a very important precedent here."

"This company has defended itself by saying, in effect, that it was not responsible for the acts of its low-ranking employees," Welch said. "When a corporation attempts to insulate itself from liability of false reporting by contending that it is not responsible for what a low-level employee does, this guilty verdict has shown that that defense simply won't wash," he said.

The government charged that Olin was limited to dumping a half-pound of mercury a day into the river but actually discharged more and filed fake reports from 1970 to 1977 indicating it was in compliance.

After the verdict, Olin lawyer Herald P. Fahringer said: "Needless to say, we're terribly pleased. Obviously what we were most concerned about was the felony counts."

Had the company been convicted of a felony, its federal licenses and contracts could have been revoked.

Defendant Thomas H. Broad, a former chemist at Olin's Niagara Falls, N.Y., plant, said, "I'm just happy that the felony was dismissed." But Wilburt L. Kleiber, the former plant manager, said he hadn't fared "as well as I would have liked to."

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Foreign governments aid Wood investigation

KERRVILLE, Texas (AP) — Federal agents investigating the assassination of a federal judge in San Antonio last May have received help from foreign governments in their probe, an FBI agent says.

Special Agent Manny Marquez told a group of Texas broadcasters at a weekend seminar that the FBI has received full cooperation from the foreign nations involved, but he declined to identify those governments.

"Not only in San Antonio, but it has spread throughout the country and in other parts of the hemisphere," Marquez said.

Wood was the first federal judge to be assassinated in more than a century. Marquez also said a top FBI official ordered to San Antonio after the

shooting "has returned to Washington in order to better coordinate the nationwide investigation."

"There are pending investigations in several states, as far as the active investigation is concerned," Marquez said at a seminar of Texas Associated Press broadcasters.

"We're confident the case will be solved, but it will take some time," Marquez said.

Wood was gunned down in the parking lot outside his residence in San Antonio. Authorities said a single shot from a high-powered rifle killed the judge, whose nickname was "Maximum John" because of the stiff sentences he meted out to convicted drug dealers.

He had presided over drug-related cases in El Paso and other West Texas cities that stemmed from the flow of contraband narcotics from South America and Mexico.

Somoza granted temporary residence visa in Paraguay

ASUNCION, Paraguay (AP) — Ousted Nicaraguan strongman Anastasio Somoza and his family arrived in Paraguay and have been granted temporary residence visas, a Paraguayan official said today.

Somoza, who fled Nicaragua last month, arrived in Asuncion, Paraguay's capital, on Sunday aboard a Paraguayan jetliner from Guatemala, the newspaper "Hoy" reported.

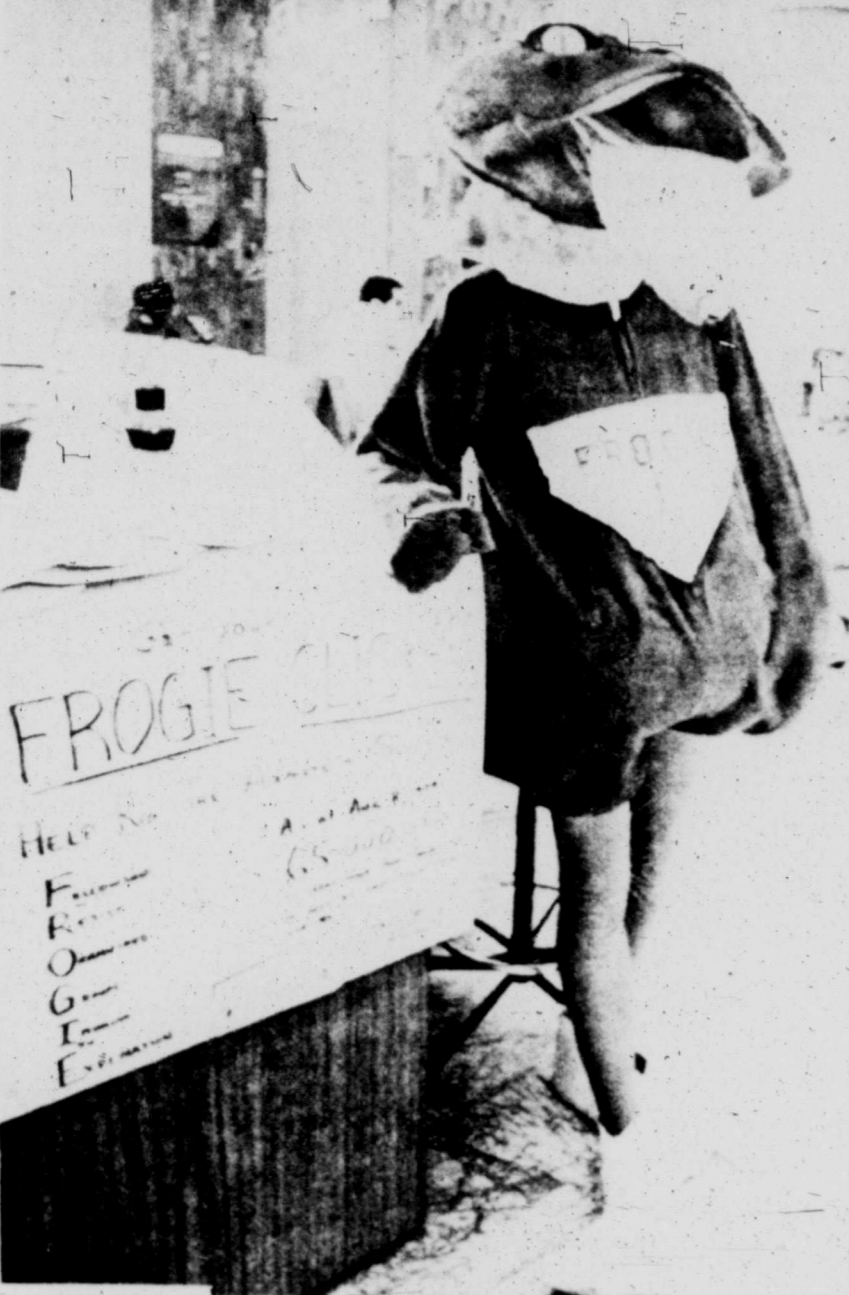
Augusto Sabino Montano, Paraguayan interior minister, confirmed Somoza's arrival and said he was there not as an exile but as a temporary resident. The 90-day temporary residence visas are renewable.

Somoza's new rented home is the former South African Embassy on broad, tree-lined Mariscal Lopez Avenue. Somoza is accompanied by about 20 people, including security personnel.

"I'm paying a visit, taking advantage of the traditional hospitality of the Paraguayan government and, logically, I can't make any statements except to express my thanks for having been received in this land," Somoza said.

"If it is authorized I will hold a press conference in a few days to give more details concerning my presence in this country," Somoza added. The newspaper said that Paraguayan President Alfredo Stroessner, who celebrated his 25th anniversary in power last Wednesday, visited Somoza Sunday night in the luxurious house the former Nicaraguan dictator has rented in Villa Morra on the outskirts of Asuncion.

Paraguay has not recognized the five-member junta appointed to govern Nicaragua by the Sandinista National Liberation Front, which defeated Somoza's government on July 18 after a bloody civil war.



Mitch Egan, 36, poses in a frog costume passing out toy clickers during his Frogie campaign last week at the San Francisco International Airport. Frogie is short for Fellowship to Resist Organized Groups Involved in Exploitation. Egan has already spent \$7,000 on the frog-shaped clickers used to ward off beggars. (AP Laserphoto)

Frogie campaign has plenty of clickers, not much money

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Mitch Egan, who once declared: "If God wants a dollar from me He can ask for one," has a new problem. His campaign to rid airports of charity seekers is short of money, and he's reluctant to ask for donations.

Egan needs \$40,000 to pay for 500,000 toy clickers he ordered for his Frogie campaign — the Fellowship to Resist Organized Groups Involved in Exploitation.

"How will I get that kind of money? That's a good question," he said, scratching his head.

Egan, who quit his job as a restaurant consultant, has spent \$7,000 on the frog-shaped clickers used, and recently sold his van to raise more money.

Friends have given him meals and encouragement.

"His motivation is something to be admired," said Clemmen Clemmen, who accepted one of Egan's clickers at San Francisco International Airport last week.

"Those people accost me — that's what I call it! It's an invasion of my privacy," said Clemmen, a car salesman from Menlo Park.

"Yeah! I think they're disgusting," said Bud Main, another Menlo Park businessman who handed Egan a donation to continue the movement.

The airport has been clear of people seeking handouts since Egan got irate after his mother was besieged and he

came up with the idea of clicking the frog-shaped toys at the charity seekers.

The 36-year-old Egan, who calls himself "Frogie 1," has handed out more than 70,000 of the clickers since July Fourth, and has visited airports around the country, paying his own airfare and expenses.

"Chicago's calling, Atlanta's calling, Pennsylvania's calling, Denver's calling, Miami's calling. Pretty soon I'll have to sell my watch," Egan said of requests from around the nation asking him to purge airports, shopping centers or parks.

Egan says he's received about \$450 in donations, and about 150 fan letters. The airport provided a booth, where people can pick up a clicker.

Egan, who says he lives under a curse put on him by a Hare Krishna devotee, put on his green frog suit recently to have his picture taken. He sat quietly in the corner like a rumpel-cloak.

"I just sit here and keep my mouth shut. My purpose is just to let the people have a clicker if they want one," he said as two anti-nuclear protesters began shouting their pitch nearby.

Airline personnel and others who pass through the airport sometimes stop to say "Hi" or flash a grin, holding up their clickers.

"Nine o'clock one night an airline captain called me up and asked me for 100 clickers for his crews," he said.

"I made a special delivery."

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Catholic Church of China welcomes Pope's invitation

ROME (AP) — The Roman Catholic Church in China today welcomed the invitation from Pope John Paul II to re-establish relations with the Vatican, broken when the Communists took power in 1949, the Italian news agency ANSA reported.

An ANSA dispatch from Peking said a spokesman for the Peking Patriotic Catholic Association, an independent body that runs the church in China, welcomed the pontiff's offer during his weekly Sunday appearance.

However, the spokesman said the Vatican would have to guarantee its "full independence" and revise a 1957 decree condemning the association's

links with China's Communist government.

The spokesman gave an indication of what he meant by independence. ANSA said he accused the Vatican of "blatant interference" in the Chinese church when it said that the association's election of Monsignor Michael Fu Tieshan two weeks ago to be bishop of Peking was "illegitimate."

The pope, speaking out for the first time on China, told the Sunday crowd at his summer palace in Castel Gandolfo summer residence that the Vatican is prepared "to take every possible means" to restore the "perfect union" that once existed between it and the Chinese church.

An authoritative Vatican source called the papal statement "a major diplomatic initiative," directed not only at the Chinese church but also at the government in Peking.

"Recent developments" indicating growing religious tolerance in China "may allow us to express new hope and faith and permit our brothers and sisters to enjoy full religious freedom," said the pope, speaking from the balcony of the 17th century papal palace to a crowd of 10,000.

The Vatican estimates there are 500,000 to 2 million baptized Catholics and more than 500 native priests in China, most of them inactive.

Another stumbling block to the restoration of relations is the Vatican's diplomatic relations with the Nationalist Chinese government on Taiwan, where there are 300,000 Roman Catholics. China has made it clear that the Vatican, like other nations, must break off formal relations with Taiwan to establish relations with China.

Vatican sources said the Vatican might be willing to make some concession on this point.

Troops sent into Cambodia

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — Vietnam recently sent two army divisions into the Cambodian provinces of Stung Treng and Ratanakiri, north-east of Phnom Penh, the Thai military command said today.

A spokesman said the Vietnamese sent the troops to reinforce units at two key cities on Route 19, the conduit for military supplies sent from Vietnam to Cambodia.

The Thai report followed a broadcast Sunday by ousted Premier Pol Pot's Khmer Rouge guerrillas claiming victories in the two cities reinforced by the Vietnamese.

The guerrillas also claimed Vietnam had sent two brigades and 10 tanks to reinforce its troops near Pailin, on the Thai-Cambodian border, which is believed to be controlled by Pol Pot loyalists.

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