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**HOME EDITION**



The snow was falling harder on some Midlanders than others Thursday night, as Garry Arnett, left, discovers as his twin brother Kerry delivers a snowball high and inside. About two inches of snow blanketed the Tall City. (Staff Photo by Bruce Partain)

## It's a winter wonderland

Two inches of snow falls in the Basin

Even though Christmas is little more than a week away, Midlanders aren't accustomed to awaking in a winter wonderland, at least not until after the holiday season.

But Mother Nature — in an apparent spirit of "giving" — dropped almost two inches of snow late Thursday on Midland and other selected cities in the Permian-Basin.

After misting and raining nearly all day Thursday, the snow began to fall shortly after 6 p.m. and continued through the night.

The weatherman reported snow accumulations were up to 2 inches around Midland and Odessa.

Despite the hazardous driving conditions, the Midland Police and Department of Public Safety reported few accidents — none serious.

A spokesman with the DPS said Highway 80 and Interstate 20 were open and traffic was moving at a steady pace "but people are taking it slow."

Flights at Midland Regional Airport have been halted since 8 p.m. Thursday, said Col. Wilson Banks, director of aviation for the city. He expected the flights to start again by 10 a.m. today.

The runways weren't icy, he said, but the slush was causing problems

with braking action. Cancellation of flights was up to the airline and pilots' discretion, Banks added.

Conditions weren't hazardous enough to close schools, however. All public and private schools in Midland were open today as were schools in area communities.

At Greenwood, 10 miles east of Midland, the roads were "mushy, but not slick," said Roy Graham. That community received 1 1/2 inches of snow. Children were out this morning "throwing snowballs around," he said.

Midland didn't bear the brunt of the storm, however. Andrews had 2 1/2 to 3 inches of snow. And Lamesa reported 3 1/2 inches of snow had been dumped on that city.

Stanton received only an inch of snow.

But some area towns had a reprieve from the cold white flakes. Midkiff had sleet and freezing rain, but not one flake of snow, said a weather watcher.

Also reporting only sleet were Rankin, Big Lake, Big Spring, Crane and Garden City. Streets in those towns had some patches of ice, but were open.

The National Weather Service reported the two inches of snow melted to .33 of an inch of precipitation. It brings the monthly total — accumulated in the past three days — to 2.16 inches. This increases the yearly amount to 15.11 inches, an unusually wet year for Midland.

However, it should be getting warmer on Saturday, according to the National Weather Service.

The mercury should plummet to near 30 degrees tonight, but it should warm up to near 60 on Saturday.

Thursday's high of 38 degrees was closer to the record low than the record high of 82 set in 1933. Overnight low was 32 degrees, still warmer than the record 18 degrees set in 1958.

There should be decreasing cloudiness tonight with fair skies Saturday — more of a typical December day in West Texas than Thursday or today.

## Worldwide embargo discussed by U. S., scoffed at by Iran

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — The Iranian leadership today scoffed at U.S. plans to mobilize an international economic embargo against Iran and said the Soviet Union would never go along with such a move in the United Nations.

Iran remains adamant in its demand — the exiled shah must be returned before the 50 American Embassy hostages are released, government spokesman Abolghassan Sadegh said.

"If the world wants to climb on Iran's back for the sake of 50 people who are not, in my view, in any danger, the whole thing is completely out of proportion," Sadegh said.

A spokeswoman for the militants holding the embassy said, meanwhile, that the hostages will be allowed to receive Christmas cards, or at least some cards.

She said, "Yes, of course," when asked whether cards would be passed along, and she said some had already been given to the hostages. But when told that U.S. postal officials report a buildup of almost 100,000 pieces of mail addressed to points in Iran, she paused and said, "Well, I think that would be too much. We'll just have to see."

On Thursday, the 15 NATO foreign ministers, meeting in Belgium, issued a statement denouncing the hostage holding, and Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance said the European allies showed "solidarity" with U.S. plans to slow down or block trade with Iran if the hostages are not released soon.

The International Court of Justice is expected to issue a call for the hostages' release this weekend. If Iran does not heed it, the United States plans to seek U.N. Security Council sanctions against Iran. U.S. officials say they believe the Soviet Union will support the move.

But Sadegh told The Associated Press today he does not believe the Soviets will impose anti-Iranian sanctions. And Iranian leader Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini insisted in national broadcasts throughout the day that all nations approached by Vance had "turned down" the U.S. idea.

He called Carter's attempts to pressure Iran "futile."

In an unexplained move, the For-

eign Ministry today recalled Iran's ambassadors to West Germany, France and Scandinavian countries back to Tehran for consultations. The

*The Iran crisis at-a-glance, greetings by the tens of thousands being mailed to hostages, and other related news on Page 2A.*

ministry did not say which Scandinavian countries were involved.

Observers here predicted that a team of Western ambassadors will be allowed to visit the 50 hostages in the next day or two.

Ambassadors from a dozen countries met Thursday with Foreign Minister Sadegh Ghotbzadeh to discuss visiting the hostages only hours after Khomeini gave the go-ahead for independent observers to see the Americans, held captive since Nov. 4.

The diplomats were from Australia, Austria, Canada, Denmark, Finland, Greece, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and Switzerland.

Doctors tending Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi, who is recuperating at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas from cancer and gallbladder treatment, said in court papers filed Thursday that they believed the deposed monarch's condition had worsened and that his New York physicians were expected to fly to Texas today to see him.

## Japan won't buy Iran's extra oil

TOKYO (AP) — Japan bowed to U.S. pressure today and announced it will limit its purchases of Iranian oil to what it bought prior to the takeover of the U.S. Embassy in Tehran, leaving stocks originally earmarked for America alone.

The decision to keep away from the Iranian crude the Americans are boycotting was made by Foreign Minister Saburo Okita and Yoshitake Sasaki, head of the Ministry of International Trade and Industry, a spokesman said.

Since the embassy takeover Nov. 4, Japanese trading firms have been accused of buying up 140 million barrels of Iranian crude on the spot market at prices nearly double the \$23.50-a-barrel limit set by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries.

A government spokesman said some of the oil would be resold. Japanese newspapers said it would amount to 14 million barrels and be sold at a loss on the spot market. Press reports also said Japanese banks may be pressured to stop extending fresh credits to Iran.

A Foreign Ministry official explained that the Japanese firms bought the higher-priced oil on the spot market because they feared if they didn't, the Iranians would take a harsh line next year in negotiations for long-term, direct-deal contracts.

Japan imports almost all of its oil. Of the 620,000 barrels a day it imported from Iran prior to the embassy takeover, 460,000 barrels came

rest indirectly through major international oil companies.

Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance had criticized Japan for taking advantage of the U.S.-Iranian crisis by allowing its trading companies to buy oil originally destined for the U.S. market.

The Carter administration decided to boycott Iranian oil purchases in hopes the economic squeeze would bring about the release of the 50 American hostages at the U.S. Embassy in Tehran.

## Explosion kills Andrews man

ANDREWS — An Andrews welder was killed about 4:27 p.m. Thursday when the hot oil truck on which he was welding exploded.

According to a spokesman for the Andrews County Sheriff's Department, Weldon "Buzz" Sawyer, in his early 50s, was welding on the truck at F&L Trucking east of Andrews at the time of the accident.

Sawyer apparently was killed instantly by the force of the explosion. He was pronounced dead at the scene by Peace Justice Jay Williams.

Sawyer was an independent welder in Andrews, according to the sheriff's department spokesman.

The accident was investigated by the Andrews County Sheriff's Department.

**10 Shopping Days 'Til Christmas**

## Hospital officials pleased with OK

By SUSAN TOTH  
Staff Writer

After getting "the best news we've had in eight or nine months," Midland County Hospital District directors wasted little time in getting matters under way for the Allison Permian Basin Cancer Therapy Center.

With approval Thursday morning from the Texas Health Facilities Commission, the directors let bids for \$1.27 million in equipment for the cancer treatment center during their regular meeting Thursday afternoon.

"We're all just very happy and pleased it finally came through," Dr. Henrie Mast said of the approval for the certificate of need for the \$3.3 million facility.

"It can mean a great deal for the community and the region. Now people don't have to leave West Texas to get treatment."

"We are very grateful to Mrs. (Helen Y.) Allison for all her support and her patience," board president Ed Magruder added. Mrs. Allison's \$2 million gift for the regional center will cover all construction costs. The final \$500,000 of that gift was contingent on approval of the certificate of need by the state health planners. The original \$1.5 million gift was made in April.

"We're very happy to see this come into being," Magruder added. The state commission apparently agreed. One of the commissioners,

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## GOLDEN FLEECE

### DOE gets the award for super outhouse

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. William Proxmire's award for the most ridiculous example of wasteful government spending is going this month to the Department of Energy for its interest in building a super outhouse.

Proxmire, D-Wis., said today the department deserves his "Golden Fleece" award for spending \$1,200 to build and test "an above-ground aerobic- and solar-assisted composting toilet" that might come in handy if Americans start abandoning their indoor plumbing in the interest of energy conservation.

## The Christmas I Remember...

An English-style Christmas complete with roast goose and plum pudding...

Decorating the tree in the orphanage in which they grew up... The year a bottle of ketchup was the most prized gift...

And the first Christmas in America after fleeing Nazi Germany. These are among the memories Midlanders will recount in "The Christmas I Remember." Watch for the six-part series beginning this Sunday and continuing daily in the Lifestyle Section of

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# Iran crisis at-a-glance

By The Associated Press

## Hostages

A team of Western ambassadors will visit the 50 Americans held hostage at the U.S. Embassy in the Tehran in the next day or two, observers in Tehran predict.

Ambassadors from a dozen countries met Thursday with Foreign Minister Sadegh Ghotbzadeh to discuss the visits, only hours after Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini gave the go-ahead for independent observers to see the Americans, held captive since Nov. 4. The diplomats were from Australia, Austria, Canada, Denmark, Finland, Greece, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and Switzerland.

## The shah

There were conflicting reports on the health of Shih Mohammad Reza Pahlavi.

The shah's lawyers said his health may have worsened and doctors who treated him in New York were to fly to Texas today to see if the former monarch needs further surgery.

But a source close to the shah, who moved to quarters at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio, Texas, following treatment for cancer and gallbladder problems in New York City, said the former ruler appeared to be fine.

## President Carter

The national Christmas tree on the White House lawn is remaining dark this Christmas season — a somber reminder that 50 Americans are being held captive in Iran, President Carter says.

Amy Carter pushed the button Thursday to light the tree, but only the crowning star blazed into light.

"Around the periphery of this crowd there are 50 small Christmas trees — one for each American hostage," Carter said. "On top of the great Christmas tree is the star of hope. We will turn on the other lights on the tree when the American hostages come home."

## Court of Justice

The International Court of Justice in The Hague will announce its decision Saturday on the U.S. request that it order the immediate release of the 50 American hostages, a court spokeswoman said today.

U.S. Attorney General Benjamin R. Civiletti presented the case to the court's 15 justices last Monday. He charged Iran with violating international law by holding the hostages. Iran boycotted the proceedings.

The Court is the main judicial organ of the United Nations.

# TV newsman quits NBC because of interview

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon correspondent for NBC News says he is quitting because of what he calls the network's "irresponsible journalism" in televising an interview with an American hostage in Iran.

Ford Rowan submitted his resignation Tuesday, the day after NBC aired the interview with a Marine guard as part of a half-hour program negotiated with militants holding the U.S. embassy in Tehran.

Rowan told a reporter Thursday that his resignation was triggered by "my feeling that we were manipulated by the (Iranian) students and my failure to get the producers to include U.S. government reaction during prime time when the hostage was interviewed."

Rowan said he had tried in vain to get NBC to include his two-minute interview with a State Department spokesman when it televised the hostage interview from Iran. The State Department interview was later included in a special report broadcast late Monday night.

Rowan, a five-year employee of NBC News who has covered the Defense Department for 18 months, said he considered it "irresponsible to run (the interview) and not include the U.S. response."

Network rivals CBS and ABC and government officials criticized NBC's broadcast of the interview with Marine Cpl. William Gallego because of the ground rules set by the Iranian militants.

# Doctors to see if the shah might need further surgery

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Lawyers for the deposed shah of Iran say doctors who treated him in New York planned to fly to San Antonio today to determine if the former monarch needs further surgery.

"The doctors at Lackland (Air Force Base) have come to believe that his condition may have worsened," the lawyers said in a motion filed in a state district court here Thursday.

However, a source close to the shah at Lackland Air Force Base said late Thursday night that the former ruler appeared to be "fine."

"He felt ill a couple of days last week, but that is over with. He is complaining about the bad weather but that is all," the source said.

Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlavi arrived at the base Dec. 2 to recuperate from cancer and gall bladder surgery

he received in New York.

The motion, a copy of which was obtained by WFAA Radio reporter Bob West, attempts to quash a subpoena requiring the deposed monarch to give a deposition in a \$6 million dollar lawsuit against Bell Helicopter International, Inc.

The suit was filed by 69 former pilots who allege they were fired after they organized a union to enforce the terms of a contract to train Iranian military pilots.

James W. Lane, attorney for the pilots, said he subpoenaed the shah in an effort to get him to tell what he knows about the labor dispute.

The shah's lawyers contend giving the deposition "would disrupt his recovery from prior therapy... and pose an extremely serious threat to his health."

# Greetings going to hostages at embassy

WASHINGTON (AP) — Americans are sending tens of thousands of Christmas greetings a day to the 50 hostages at the U.S. Embassy in Iran even though there's no assurance the mail is getting through.

There has been a considerable increase in mail to Iran, with most of it addressed to the embassy, Postal Service spokesman Lou Eberhardt said Thursday.

At John F. Kennedy Airport in New York, where most of the mail to foreign destinations is sorted country-by-country, there were 70,810 pieces addressed to points in Iran, Eberhardt said. This compares to 44,000 on Wednesday, he said.

At O'Hare Airport in Chicago, where the rest of the mail addressed to Iran is sorted, 25,320 pieces were destined for Iran, up from 16,800 on Wednesday, Eberhardt said.

Postal officials in Chicago estimated that more than 90 percent of the mail to Iran is addressed to hostages.

Mail addressed to the Iranian embassy in Washington also was up sharply, the Postal Service said. Letter carriers delivered 10,000 letters and cards to the embassy Thursday, compared to Wednesday's 4,000 and the normal daily flow of five to eight letters, he said.

Radio personalities at various stations have urged that Christmas cards be sent to the hostages, though there is no word from Iran on whether the 50 hostages are receiving the mail.

Despite the surging mail volume to Iran, the Postal Service said its capacity has not been taxed, in part because it already was geared up for the usual massive mail volume during the period before Christmas.

"The volumes we have been getting have been well within our capacity," Eberhardt said.

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# National Christmas tree remains dark for U.S. hostages

WASHINGTON (AP) — The national Christmas tree, ordinarily at this season a delight of lights, is remaining dark — a somber reminder that 50 Americans are being held captive in Iran.

At this moment there are 50 Americans who don't have freedom, who don't have joy, who don't have warmth, who don't have their families with them," said President Carter Thursday night when he and

his family attended what was to have been a lighting ceremony.

Amy Carter pushed the button, but only the crowning star blazed into light. Her father took the microphone to explain to the surprised crowd.

"Around the periphery of this crowd there are 50 small Christmas trees — one for each American hostage," he said.

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# Almost \$20 million remains for loans

By LANA CUNNINGHAM Staff Writer

Almost \$20 million remains to be handed out for low interest home loans after reservations for the money were taken Thursday in Chapparral Center, according to Harry Clark.

Although 400 persons were expected to show up with the proper documents for money to be committed, only 240 persons made it to the center, said Clark who is chairman of the Midland Housing Finance Corporation. The panel met today to pay bills for expenses and review figures from Thursday's session.

Clark said that of the 240 persons, 215 had the proper documents, and \$9,828,483 was set aside for those applicants. This leaves \$19,750,000 for low and moderate income families.

Of the applicants, Clark said 58 percent were in the \$20,000 and below category while 20 percent fell in the \$25-\$30,000 division. The remaining applicants were in the middle division with an income between \$20,000 and \$25,000.

The amount remaining with each participant is Jackie Johnson Mortgage Co., \$5 million; Mortgage &

Trust Inc., \$2.5 million; Investors Inc., \$5 million; First Savings & Loan Association, \$500,000; West Central Investment Corp., \$750,000; and Citizens Savings & Loan Association, \$6 million.

The corporation has a nine-month limit to use all the funds, Clark said, adding that he believes there won't be a problem dispensing the money in that time period.

Don Hellinghausen, a member of MHFC, said he wasn't surprised at the small crowd on Thursday because there hadn't been much time for people to find a house or get a bid to have one constructed.

Many of the applicants were young couples, single women, widows and persons who have been divorced in the past 12 months, Hellinghausen noted.

Only three persons applied for a rehabilitation loan, Clark said.

Beginning in January, applicants may use the last year's income returns. Clark translated this to mean that if someone has filed a 1979 tax return, that is the form that will be used to determine income eligibility. If the person hasn't filed yet, the 1978 tax return will be used.

Money for home loans under the Single Family Mortgage Revenue Financing Program has a 9 1/2 percent interest rate, lower in comparison to the 11 1/2 percent being charged for conventional loans.

## Golda Meir considered suicide, says associate

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — The late Prime Minister Golda Meir contemplated suicide during the 1973 Mideast war because she felt personally responsible for Israel's losses, a close associate has revealed.

Although she kept going out of a sense of responsibility to the soldiers at the front, "my real life ended then," according to Yaakov Hazan, a former member of the Knesset, Israel's Parliament.

Speaking at a memorial service Wednesday marking the first anniversary of Mrs. Meir's death, Hazan said she told him shortly before she died of her depression during the war.

"You know, Hazan, then, during the Yom Kippur War, I was near, very near to suicide," Hazan quoted her as saying. "I knew that any earthly court would free me from any responsibility for the terrible failure. But I couldn't free myself of the feeling of guilt."

"I couldn't forgive myself for not following my feeling and fears... And accepting the opinion of the experts."

In Mrs. Meir's autobiography she wrote that while she believed war would break out, she trusted her top advisers who said there was no danger. As a result, Israel was unprepared when the Egyptian and Syrian armies attacked in October 1973. Israel suffered heavy losses during the early days of the war before turning the tide in its favor.

Mrs. Meir resigned shortly after the war, even though a special investigating commission cleared her government of direct responsibility for Israel's initial setbacks.

## Canadian government dissolved after vote

OTTAWA (AP) — Prime Minister Joe Clark, his 7-month-old Progressive Conservative government defeated in a parliamentary no-confidence vote, announced today that the Canadian Parliament has been dissolved and new national elections have been set for Feb. 18.

Clark made the announcement in the House of Commons, where Thursday night his government fell in a dispute over an austerity budget that almost quadrupled gasoline taxes.

He said today the 18-cent-a-gallon increase would be rolled back. His Cabinet will continue in a caretaker-government role until the elections.

The opposition Liberals appear ready to ask Pierre Elliott Trudeau, who recently announced he was stepping down as party chief, to make a comeback and lead them into the new elections.

Clark had gone to Government House at 8 a.m. to make the traditional visit of a defeated prime minister to the governor-general, Ed Schreyer, to ask for dissolution of Parliament and set the stage for what is expected to be a bitterly fought contest with the Liberals.

Since about 60 days of preparation are required and elections are usually held on a Monday, Feb. 18 had appeared to be a likely date.

The Liberals and New Democrats teamed up in the House of Commons Thursday night to vote Clark's government out of office because of the tough budget Finance Minister John Crosbie presented Wednesday that raised the gasoline tax from seven cents to 25 cents a gallon immediately.

The vote expressing no confidence in Clark's government was 139 to 133, and pandemonium broke out when the tally was announced. Three Conservatives and one Liberal were absent and the five-member Social Credit group abstained.

## Flood case not set yet by House

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House Ethics Committee has indefinitely postponed proceedings against Rep. Daniel Flood, D-Pa., decreasing the chance that the hospitalized congressman will face the panel's charges that he violated House rules.

The postponement came after the committee heard a psychiatrist testify that Flood is senile and "would make an ass of himself" if required to aid in his legal defense.

The ethics panel, formally known as the House Committee on Official Standards of Conduct, voted 10-0 not to try Flood while he is undergoing drug withdrawal at Georgetown University Hospital.

The vote reverses a stand the committee took last week when members said they were obligated to pursue the congressman's case until Jan. 31, the date of his announced resignation.

Flood is charged with using his congressional influence in exchange for more than \$50,000 between 1973 and 1976. He faces a Feb. 25 retrial on the same charges in federal court.

Flood's doctors have persuaded a federal judge to postpone the retrial three times, citing the congressman's health as the reason.

A psychiatrist who examined Flood on Tuesday said the congressman's brain has "organically deteriorated too much" for him to help his attorneys assemble a defense.

"He would make an ass of himself in front of the committee," said Dr. Edward R. Janjigian, former chief of psychiatry at the Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Veterans Administration Hospital.

"He (Flood) might faint, he might even die. His mind will wander during proceedings," added Janjigian, a friend of the congressman.

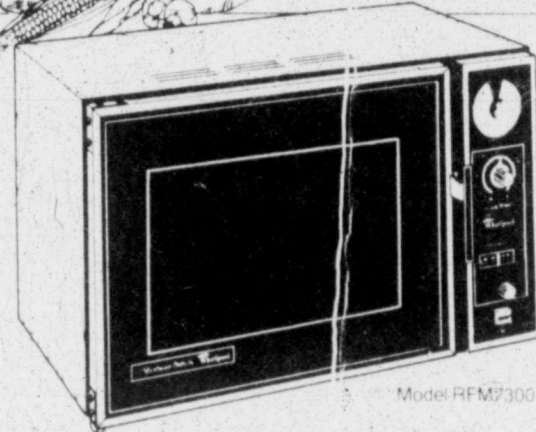
## Fleet can't find the boat people

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Have the boat people of Vietnam stopped coming?

"The planes keep looking every day, but there just are no boats," said a spokesman for the U.S. 7th Fleet in the Philippines.

The fleet's planes and ships have searched the South China Sea since July to assist Vietnamese fleeing their country aboard frail leaky boats. No new sighting has been reported since early November, and a U.S. Embassy spokesman said the Navy is "mystified."

But George F.F. Reynolds, the Canadian embassy's immigration officer, said in a recent interview: "The Vietnamese promised at the Geneva refugee conference last July to reduce the numbers. Since there are fewer arrivals now, I guess we must attribute it to that. I can't think of any other reason, except for the recent typhoon season."



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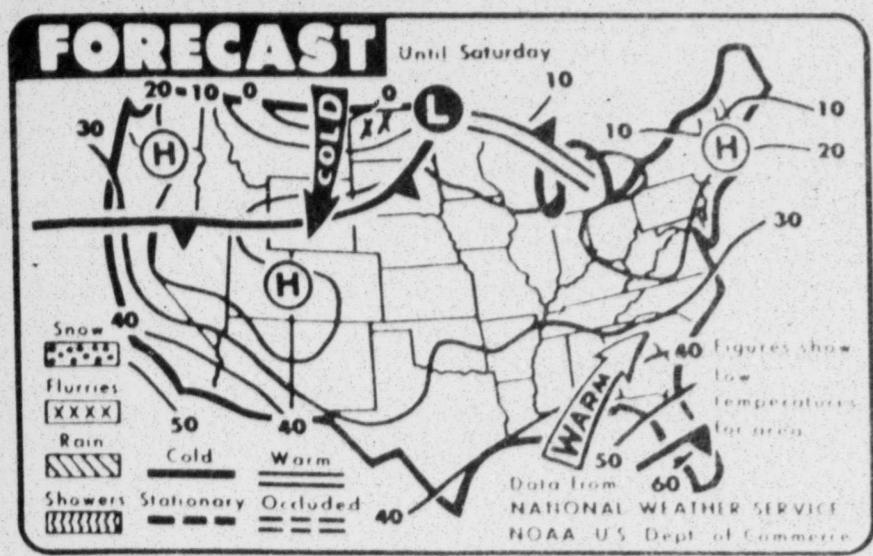
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WEATHER SUMMARY



Sunny skies are expected Friday until Saturday morning for much of the nation. Warm weather is expected from Southern California to Florida.

Midland statistics

Table with 2 columns: WEATHER FORECAST and LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Includes data for clearing and cooler tonight, and local temps from 6 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The weather elsewhere

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Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Travelers advisory in effect for southern Panhandle, central and south sections today.

North Texas: Decreasing cloudiness and a little warmer next afternoon.

South Texas: Clouds and continued cold with a chance of rain.

Port Arthur to Port O'Connor: Small craft advisory in effect.

Port O'Connor to Brownsville: Small craft advisory in effect.

Extended forecasts

West Texas: Partly cloudy, turning cooler mainly north first of the week.

North Texas: Partly cloudy with cool nights and mild afternoons.

South Texas: Partly cloudy and mild.

Brown denies defense plans temporary ploy

WASHINGTON (AP) — Defense Secretary Harold Brown today rejected suggestions that the Carter administration's plan for increased defense spending is a temporary ploy to win Senate votes for the SALT II treaty.

DEATHS

Danny Billington

Danny Carl Billington, 30, of Arlington, formerly of Midland, died Thursday in an Arlington hospital following a brief illness.

Asbestos removal loans OK

WASHINGTON (AP) — Up to 15 percent of the schools in the nation may contain asbestos dangerous to children's health, and the House wants to provide loans to help pay for removing the potential hazard.

Allies' solidarity 'encourages' Vance

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance flew to Washington today, "encouraged" by the support of allies for economic sanctions against Iran.

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Visiting after dedication of the Allison Fine Arts Building Thursday night at Midland College are, from left, Alyson Allison, Jay Allison, Jack Huff, president of Midland College board of trustees; and



Dr. Al Langford, president of Midland College. Alyson and Jay are grandchildren of Helon Y. Allison, who has endowed a chair of journalism at Midland College. (Staff Photo by Bruce Partain)

Allison building dedicated

By SUSAN TOTH Staff Writer It was a time for pleasant reminiscing about old friends and quiet appreciation of the distances travelled.

Speaking as a representative for Mrs. Allison, who could not attend the ceremony, W.H. "Bill" Collins, editor of The Reporter-Telegram, told the group.

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Harold Shaner, 78, 201 Ridgela Drive, died Thursday in a Midland hospital after an illness.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity with the Rev. Dirk Manley officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park directed by Newie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Shaner was born Jan. 6, 1901, in Toledo, Ohio. He was raised in Ohio and moved to the Oklahoma Territory from the Pennsylvania oil fields in the early 1900s. He was graduated from the University of Oklahoma with a degree in chemical and petroleum engineering. He was a Phi Beta Kappa. He worked in Wyoming with the Bureau of Mines where he met and married Florence Toler of Sheridan, Wyo.

He returned to Oklahoma with Carter Oil Company. In 1933, he went with Sinclair-Prairie Oil as a scout, later becoming a production foreman in various places in the Southwest, Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma. After his retirement in 1962, he worked for the Oklahoma Commissioner of the State Land Office as a petroleum engineer. He retired from there in 1971.

He moved to Midland in 1972 and has continued to be active in business. He was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, the Midland Duplicate Association, Phi Beta Kappa, Senior Citizens Center and the Midland Community Center. He was a 36-year member of the Masonic Lodge of Wilson, Okla.

Survivors include his wife, three sons, William T. Shaner of Midland, Harold W. Shaner Jr. of Wilmington, Del., and Peter Lee Shaner of Grand Prairie, a daughter, Loree Fitz-Gerald of Midland, and seven grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to the Midland Community The-

ater or to the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity.

Pallbearers will be Frank Petty, Michael Fitz-Gerald, Dr. Steve Shannon, John Hammett, Carl Miller and Raymond Leggett.

Honorary pallbearers will be Bob Boydston and George Elderkin, both of Midland, and James Thacker of Dallas.

Dave Owens

ABILENE — Services for Dave "Pete" Owens, 88, of Abilene, brother of Lester Owens of Big Spring, were Thursday in Bailey Funeral Home chapel in Clyde with burial in Eula Cemetery.

He died Tuesday in a Big Spring hospital following a lengthy illness.

Owens was born Feb. 15, 1891, in Johnson County. He was married to Goldie Lewis Feb. 5, 1927, at Potosi. He was a farmer and worked 20 years for the Abilene Livestock Auction, retiring in 1960.

Owens moved to Eula in 1929 and to Abilene in 1959. He was a veteran of World War I and was a lifetime member of Disabled American Veterans. He was a member of Westside Baptist Church.

Other survivors include his wife, a daughter, two sons, two sisters, eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Lonnie Kemp

BIG SPRING — Services for Lonnie Kemp, 60, of Ackerly will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Ackerly Church of Christ with burial in Trinity Memorial Park.

He died Thursday in a Lubbock hospital.

Kemp was born April 19, 1919, in Mertzon. He was married to Mary Womack Aug. 3, 1943, in Ackerly. He was a farmer and a member of Ackerly Church of Christ. A World War II veteran, he served in the U.S. Army Air Corps.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Mike Kemp of College Station and Rick Kemp of Ackerly; a daughter, Ronda Cooper of Arlington; three sisters, Jo Reid of Dime Box, May Doty and LaDonna Glass, both of Texas City, and five grandchildren.

Lela A. McEver

ABILENE — Services for Lela Ann McEver, 87, sister of Vernon Melton of Andrews, were Thursday in North's Funeral Home Memorial Chapel here with the Rev. T.C. Mel-

ton, pastor of Elmerest Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery in Merkle.

Mrs. McEver died Wednesday in an Abilene nursing home.

She was born April 11, 1892. She came to Taylor County as a young woman. She was married to John W. McEver in 1910 in Gatesville. He died in 1933. She worked as a nurse at Camp Berkeley and at area hospitals and nursing homes. She retired in 1965. She was a member of Merkle Church of Christ.

Other survivors include two daughters, a son, six brothers, two sisters, two stepsons, a stepdaughter, 13 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and 23 great-great grandchildren.

R.G. Lloyd

BIG SPRING — Services for R.G. "Cobb" Lloyd, 76, of Big Spring will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in Sheppard Chapel of Memories with burial in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

He died Thursday in a Big Spring hospital.

Other survivors include two sons, three sisters and seven grandchildren.

Estefana Castro

MERTZON — Rosary for Estefana Castro, 70, of Mertzon, mother of Jose Castro Sr. of Midland and Mario Castro of Big Lake, will be recited at 7 p.m. today in Gutierrez Funeral Home chapel in San Angelo.

Funeral mass will be said at 10 a.m. Saturday in St. Peter's Catholic Church in Mertzon with burial in Mertzon City Cemetery.

She died Wednesday in her home. Mrs. Castro was born Jan. 11, 1909, in Christoval. She was a resident of Mertzon most of her life. She was a Catholic.

Other survivors include two sons, three sisters and seven grandchildren.

(More Obituaries Page 4A)

Rotary hears of NASA Space Shuttle project during Thursday meeting

A special program on NASA's Space Shuttle project was presented by Mike Mullins, physics teacher at Midland High School, and two members of the Junior Engineering Technical Society at the meeting of the Midland Rotary Club Thursday noon in the Midland Hilton.

Mullins introduced the program, which was arranged by Kent Randal, Patricia Gilbert, a Lee High School student, and Mark Stanley of Midland High showed a film presentation, "Space Shuttle," and commented on the project.

They also discussed a special space project, sponsored by NASA, in which the Midland Junior Engineering Society, which includes students from both Midland and Lee high schools, is participating.

A question and answer period followed.

Four injured in two-vehicle accident

Key road conditions were probably the cause of a two-vehicle accident near Midland Regional Airport in which four Midlanders were injured, according to the Department of Public Safety. The accident occurred about 7:15 p.m. on U.S. Highway 80 at its intersection with County Road 1788. DPS officials reported.

Driver of one car, Susan Taylor, 57, 3915 Gaston St., and passengers Ada Gravett, 29, 3915 Gaston St., Reda Stark, 45, 4706 Leisure Drive, and Valerie Waller, 54, 4426 Roosevelt Ave. were all treated and released from Midland Memorial Hospital, officials said.

The driver of the second car, James Allen Rasnick of Odessa, was not injured in the accident, DPS officials said.

Both vehicles were westbound on U.S. Highway 80 when the accident occurred, according to the DPS.

Gunman robs Odessa Pizza Hut

ODESSA — A lone robber walked into a Pizza Hut in Odessa Thursday afternoon, brandished a handgun and walked out with an undetermined amount of money.

Odessa police had arrested no suspects by early this morning. Police said the robbery occurred at 4:03 p.m. Thursday at the Pizza Hut, 4960 E. University.

According to police accounts, the man walked into the restaurant, pointed a small handgun at the woman behind the counter and told her to open the cash register.

She complied, police said, and the robber took the money from the cash register and fled the establishment.

'Tarzan' Hall dead; Suicide

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Jon Hall, who scaled volcanoes and swung through trees in dozens of jungle and island movies, is dead at 66, a cancer-stricken suicide, coroner's officials say.

Coroner's investigator James Cono said Hall shot himself Thursday. The body of the actor, who also starred in the 1950s television series "Ramar of the Jungle" before going on to invent space-age cameras, was found by his brother-in-law, Edward Bayman, in the North Hollywood home of Hall's sister, Louise.

Herb Klein, Hall's partner in businesses that developed new types of cameras and lenses, said the actor had been in "tremendous" pain from bladder cancer.

"He'd come into the office and stand up for about a half hour and then have to lie down," said Klein. "We had so many things going on. A lot of these things we developed just to give him something to live for."

Klein said Hall was to be master of ceremonies at a New Year's Eve Hollywood gala. "He wanted to get back into promoting and producing," said Klein.

The New Year's Eve party will go on as planned, Klein said, but as for the comeback and development of more cameras, "I don't know if we can do any of it without him."

According to police, Bayman heard a gunshot and discovered Hall's body in a bedroom. Officers found a .22-caliber pistol lying near Hall's body.

Born Charles Loehner in Fresno, Calif., Hall spent his youth in Tahiti and at age 24 won the starring role of the native boy in the original version of "The Hurricane" with Dorothy Lamour.

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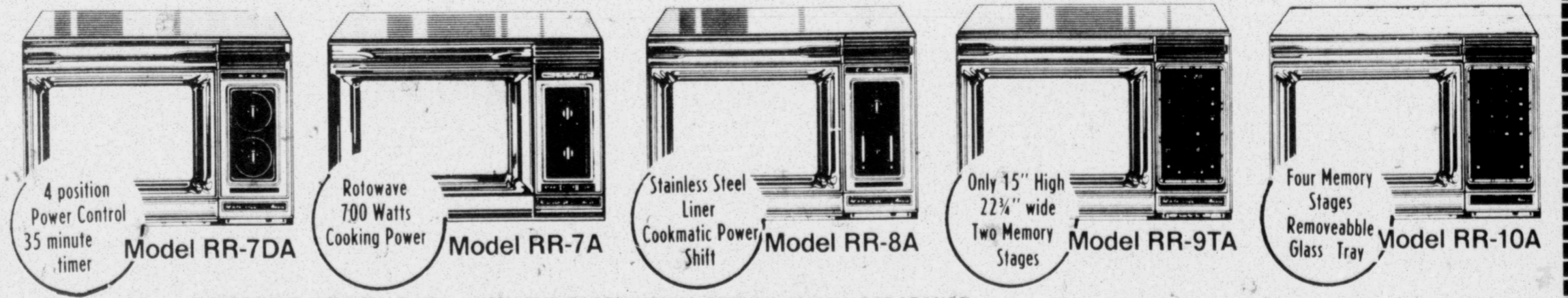
WASHINGTON (AP) — The Carter administration expects to move ahead quickly with arms sales to Taiwan now that the Supreme Court has upheld the legality of the China policy. President Carter announced a year ago, U.S. officials say.

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We love you Santa,  
Glyna & Alyson

Santa claus  
Santa claus  
I want a remote control car  
Jimmy O'Neal

Dear Santa,  
I want a Sunshine Family, Whoopsie doll, a doll that sucks a bottle, a doll truck that's pink, Baby that grows up, Babby Biggy. I have been a good girl this year. I always mind my momma and Mike. I am always nice to people and smile lots.  
Love  
Ginger

Dear Santa,  
Will you please give me a Candi the one you can color the hair wash and color again the barbie. And Dance a rell and Super Star 300.  
Please give me lots of things in my stocking. And other things and a very Happy Christmas.  
Love April Taylor

Dear Santa,  
My name is Gina, for Christmas I would like to have these things:  
a television with remote control  
clock radio  
Babar  
Rolly the bear  
big brown bear  
card holders  
tea set with tray  
nail polish  
lip gloss peppermint  
rocking crib  
earrings  
Gina short

Dear Santa,  
Bryan would like these things for Christmas:  
training wheel bike  
pop gun  
big bull dozer

Amy wants baby doll mini cycle  
The Brookings

What I want for Christmas:  
a bike  
a tee set  
read book's  
three games  
I hard to a new pures  
a folder  
Katherine

Kristina want's you Santa claus to bring her what ever you want  
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Christmas with a big kiss  
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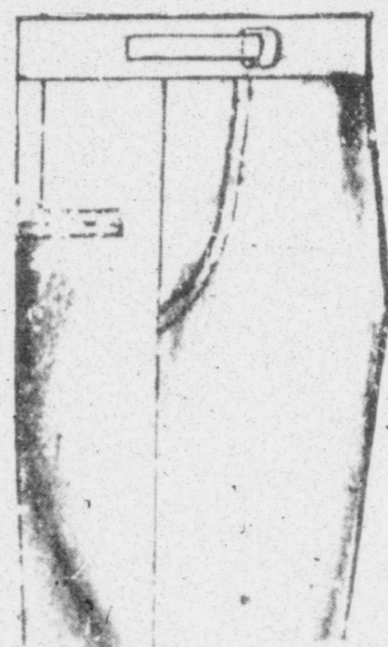
Dear Santa  
Please bring me Two dolls, newborn babies Dal Las cowboy suit and a go cart  
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One Juiced blender Play Doh Fuzzy Pumper one Dal Las cowboy cheer leader suit call me back telephone  
Kris  
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Scott  
I Love you  
Kerry Kris Scott Merry Christmas

Dear Santa Claus,  
Stacy wants  
1. bike  
2. Barbie doll  
3. Tractor  
4. Race Car  
5. A new shirt  
6. Some new pants (Mickey mouse)  
7. little car to drive on sidewalk  
8. Winnie the Pooh Jack et  
9. Toy Kitchen  
10. Van for Barbie Dolls  
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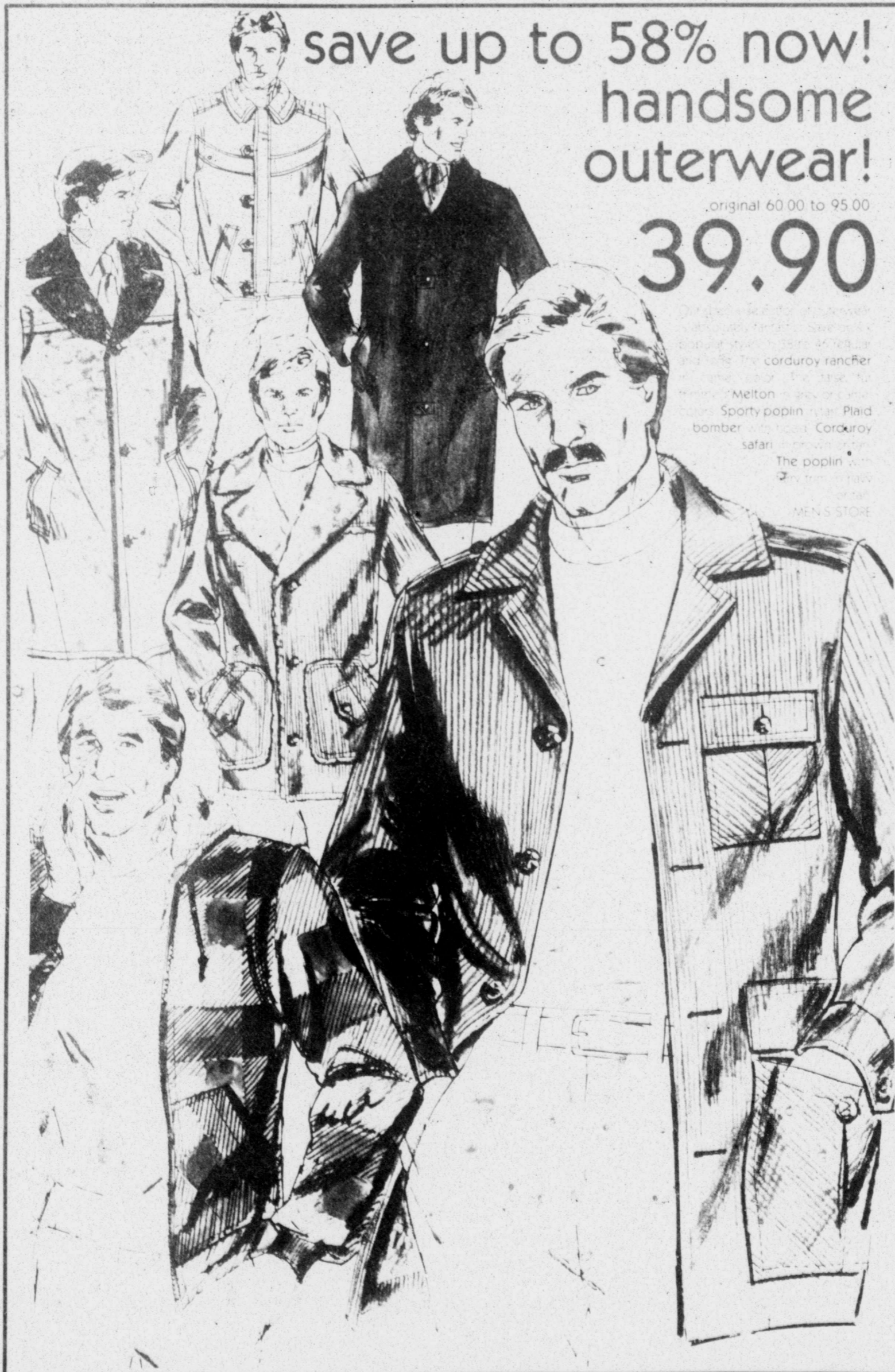
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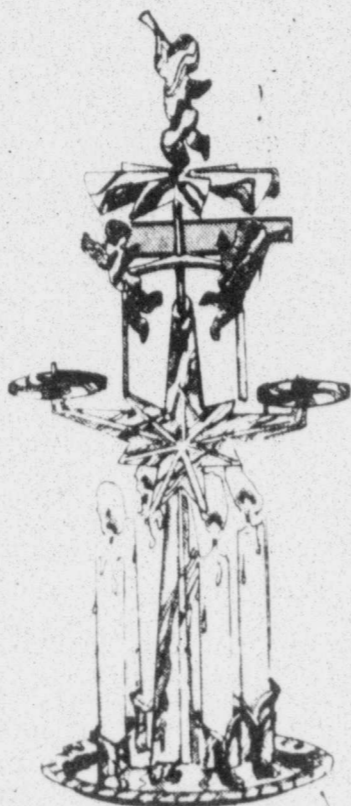
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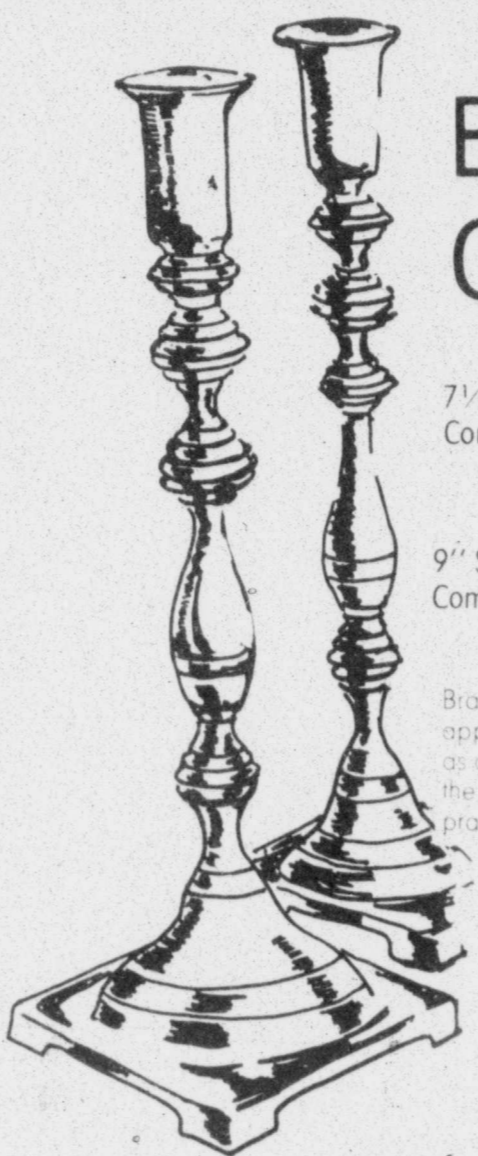
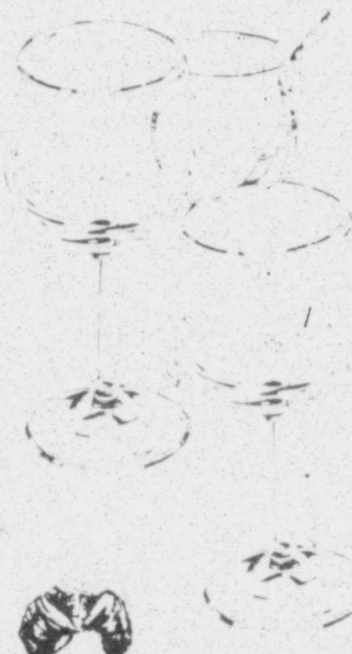
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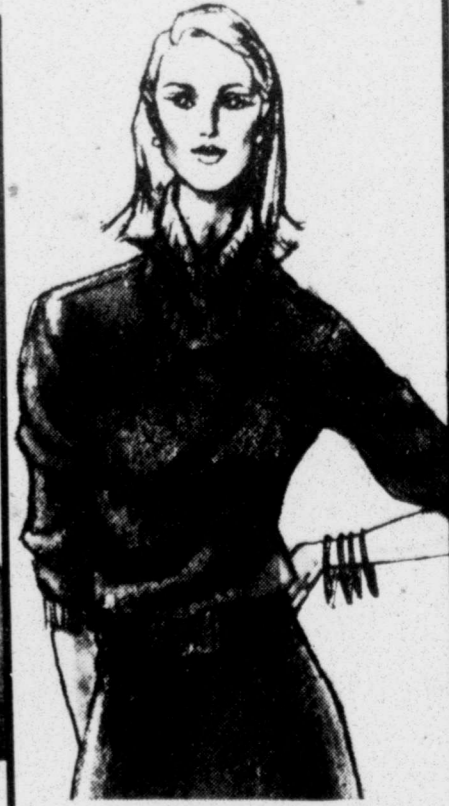


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## 'Texas Prosperity'

We like what Congressman Jim Collins of Dallas had to say about "Texas Prosperity" in one of his recent "Reports to Texas."

He started off by saying that despite all the forecasts for a national recession, the outlook for Texas is excellent.

"Texas has firmly resisted any state income tax; Texas has the Right to Work law, and Texas requires the state to balance its budget each year," Collins declared.

"Then beyond this," he continued, "is the importance of the Calvinist Work Ethic down here in the heart of the Bible Belt. Texans still give a day's work for a day's pay. There is no free lunch in Texas — the reason we lead the way is because Texans have pride in the fact that we work harder. People all over America are beginning to recognize the value of our excellent sense of priorities. Our dynamic spirit has attracted more and more ambitious companies and individuals to relocate in Texas.

"Let's take a look at the Texas economy compared to the U.S. national averages. The most recent figures, published by the Department of Commerce indicate the following for the third quarter of 1978 compared to the third quarter of 1977:

"Personal Income: Texas' personal income totaled just over

\$100 billion, up \$11.8 billion from the previous year. Nonfarm personal income in Texas rose 13.2 percent to \$98.8 billion. Farm personal income rose by one-third to \$1.4 billion.

"Wage and salary payrolls in Texas rose 13.5 percent versus 11.9 percent nationally. Total manufacturing payrolls increased 14.7 percent from year to year, compared with 12.0 percent nationally. Transportation communications public utilities payrolls increased 14.5 percent, to \$5.2 billion. Trade payrolls, the largest of the state's private service payrolls, increased 13.7 percent, to \$12.7 billion.

"Commercial Banking: Total loans rose 21.4 percent in Texas, leading the national increase by over 5 percentage points and ranking fifth among all state increases. Commercial and industrial loans rose 20.5 percent, leading the national increase of 14.2 percent, to \$16.5 billion.

"Total bank deposits rose 15.1 percent to \$63.7 billion.

"Retail Sales: Retail sales in Texas rose a strong 14.7 percent to a level of \$13.3 billion. The state's rate of gain exceeded the national average advance by over 4 percentage points."

And that's the way it is in the Lone Star State — and thank goodness that it is!



## WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

### Consumers wonder about Sen. Ford

By JACK ANDERSON

WASHINGTON — Sen. Wendell Ford is a chain-smoking, bourbon-sipping Kentuckian with a particular skill that's much appreciated by his Democratic colleagues at campaign time. It was described by the *Almanac of American Politics* as "a special ability to get contributions from business-oriented groups and individuals."

How he has acquired this valuable talent is a matter of some dispute. There are those who say it's because he's a Benedict Arnold of the consumer movement.

But Ford's defenders picture him as a savvy protector of consumers, a bulwark against the drastic measures proposed by his pro-business colleagues in the Senate. The unspoken implication in this view is that he is not the true friend that the corporate fat cats and their lobbyists seem to think he is.

The issue that has made Ford a figure of controversy involves the Federal Trade Commission, the congressionally created agency charged with keeping the big boys of American industry honest. There is strong sentiment on Capitol Hill that the FTC has been flying too high and needs its wings clipped.

Ford's staff paints the senator as the little Dutch boy with his finger in the dike, heroically staying off a flood of anti-regulatory proposals from the likes of such ultraconservatives as Sens. Howard Heflin, D-Ala., Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, and James McClure, R-Idaho.

Consumer activists, on the other hand, see Ford as the man who is opening the floodgates of anti-FTC

proposals. The usually affable senator graciously declined an award from the National Consumer League after learning that the group's leadership had been drawing criticism for the selection.

Meanwhile, Senate Majority Leader Robert Byrd has shown his faith in Ford's "special ability" by naming him to a second term as chairman of the Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee. This unique "special ability" is to attract campaign contributions for Democratic candidates.

The senator has come out strongly against the FTC's strict rules on advertising aimed at children, as well as the agency's current investigation of product safety and efficiency standards, which experts suspect are unconsciously low. We've found these interesting contributions to both Ford's re-election committee and the Senate campaign fund by firms and organizations who share Ford's displeasure with those FTC activities.

— Rockwell International, the National Broadcasting Association and General Electric's employees' political action committee have already kicked in \$1,450 to Ford's campaign coffers — a modest amount, but not bad for a non-election year.

— Union Carbide and 3-M political action committees chipped in \$4,000, and Teledyne executives gave \$405.

— Members of Ragan and Mason, a Washington law firm that represents R.J. Reynolds and Gulf Oil — both targets of FTC probes — have contributed a total of \$20,000 to Democratic fundraisers.

— Attorneys in Arnold and Porter, whose clients include Phillip Morris, another FTC tobacco target, gave \$7,000 to various DSCC dinners.

## CHARLEY REESE The Spirit of Christmas found in a crowded store



Charley Reese

ORLANDO, Fla. — There is always the complaint that Christmas is being "commercialized." It is as dependable as the winter solstice.

I have never made that complaint nor put any stock in it. For one thing, if Christmas is a religious experience, then nothing anyone else does can affect it. Religious experiences are internal affairs of the human heart, untouched by the outside world.

Whether a department store begins advertising its Christmas wares before or after Thanksgiving or even in July has nothing to do with the deity or the universe or with what you feel or don't feel in the dark hours of the 24th of December.

That's one reason. Another reason I never complain of commercialization is that I am suspicious of people who are vehemently anti-materialistic. Of course it is a bad thing when a person has no life outside of things. The human being has a soul and it causes trouble when you forget that. But a human being also has a body and that should not be slighted either.

I have never known a person who was hungry or cold or homeless to be vehemently anti-materialistic. When it is cold and raining, a coat can be as wondrous a thing as a sunset or a mystical experience. What poem can compare to a bowl of hot soup when you haven't eaten in two days?

Peddlers of soap and coats are as necessary and as honorable as poets and philosophers and I see no just reason to condemn them.

It's one of the quirks of the American smart set to bad-mouth business,

to smirk at merchants, as if somehow you are less than a human being if you buy and sell merchandise. It is an oddity because only the success of American business makes it possible for the smart set to live comfortably enough to make fun of it.

An honest merchant has no need to apologize for his livelihood. It was the merchants who broke the power of the war lords and ended feudalism in Europe; it was the merchants who created the renaissance and then, as now, the wealth which made it possible for the Michelangelos to paint and sculpt.

A well-managed, well-stocked store is a delightful thing. It requires intelligence and ingenuity and courage to produce and maintain it. Anybody can feel proud to be a part of such an organization.

Think for a moment of the services the merchant provides. He goes out and collects from around the world a variety of useful and amusing things. He spends his money to bring them to our neighborhood and puts them on display. He does not compel us to buy them. He merely invites.

Because of what he does, we can browse comfortably among thousands of items and choose the few we wish. We can seek out just the right thing to make someone we care about a little happier. Even the act of shopping is a source of pleasure for many people and what is commercial about giving a gift as an expression of love?

In fact, where better can you find the spirit of Christmas than in a crowded store where hundreds of people are in search, not of selfish pursuits, but of gifts for friends and kin?

No, don't try to peddle the "commercialization of Christmas" routine to me. I know a good life when I see it. Only someone who lives in a wealthy society like ours can get away with such patent nonsense as complaining that people are out buying and selling. If you tried to sell that notion in most poor countries, they'd put you in the booby hatch.

Finally, any newspaper person or television commentator who makes such a complaint is the worst kind of hypocrite because you'd better believe it, the news business is supported by merchants. Without the advertising dollars, there would be no newspapers and no networks on which such fatheads could pontificate about the sins of the people who support them.

On Christmas Eve, when the last lights are turned out and the last exhausted clerk goes home to his or her own Christmas tree, I want that clerk to know that I, for one, appreciate that they have played as important a part in the ritual of Christmas in America as any priest, pastor or pontificator-for-pay.

## Dome over Winooski?

Winooski, Vt., has applied for a \$55,000 federal grant to study the possibility of putting the whole town — pop. 7,000 — under a plastic dome. We were about to call this one of the top boondoggles of the year, but reconsidered after giving it some thought.

Why not invest something in checking this out? By one calculation, the dome would save 90 percent of the cost of heating houses and buildings in Winooski during the hard New England winters. And Ted Battles, Reporter-Telegram sports editor, who is a native of Vermont, says the winters are plenty rugged. With the cost of energy what it is, maybe the dome would pay for itself.

Naturally, people in Winooski would want their dome to be retractable so in mild weather they could let the sunshine in. It isn't clear what would happen to auto exhaust and other pollution when Winooski is in its cocoon, but let the engineers work on that with their \$55,000 grant.

Science fiction writers have forecast a future where people are forced to live underground like moles. That's pretty depressing. But living under a plastic parasol that can shut out bad weather, fallout and other unpleasantness doesn't sound too bad, especially in New England.

### The Country Parson

By Frank Clark



We're developing new ways to sin faster than we're learning what's wrong about them.

## INSIDE REPORT:

### Iranian radicals discriminate against Western newspapermen

By ROWLAND EVANS AND ROBERT NOVAK

WASHINGTON — Discrimination against Western newspapermen by radicals in nominal control of revolutionary Iran is now being used to deny visas, suggesting a renewed and disturbing trend by anti-American regimes toward controlling the flow of news.

Iran was a principal goal in the itinerary of our latest trip to the Persian Gulf area — but we will not be going there because the revolutionary high command has refused us a visa.

No coherent explanation was officially supplied, anyone than by Uganda (under Idi Amin) and Mozambique in 1977 or communist Vietnam in 1978 when those countries denied us visas. The only difference with Iran is that we learned (through an intermediary) the real reason. What we have written in the past has displeased the Revolutionary Council.

That destroys the old rule of thumb that a reporter rates entry to a foreign country if he meets three tests: represents a bona fide publication; adheres to the laws of the land, and agrees to pay his bills. The new test goes to the question: What does he think, or at least, what does he reveal publicly about what he thinks?

The problem is profound. If a reporter is barred from Iran because of what he has written, that implies a test on what is written by reporters



who are admitted.

A year ago when demonstrators roamed the streets of Tehran demanding the shah's head, American journalists were prized as an essential conduit for their views. We obtained an Iranian visa last April.

But affection for the U.S. media cooled after Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini took power and reporters wrote of political repression (we reported from Tehran that grave economic and political disintegration had set in and would worsen). In September the Associated Press bureau was shuttered and those AP reporters expelled. Seven other Western newsmen were kicked out. An interview at the embassy in Washington became a prerequisite for a journalist's visa.

After terrorists seized the U.S. Embassy, Khomeini's regime again welcomed American newsmen to tell their story — up to a point. We discovered that point when, after applying for a visa, we were interviewed by Iranian press attache Hussein Ava,

Ava cared deeply about what we thought.

"Is not the United States government responsible for the shah's mass murder and torture of the Iranian people?" he asked. We replied that the U.S. a generation ago had put the young shah in power but that we had heard only allegations about "mass murder" or "torture."

"You have been all these years a newspaperman and do not know facts that all the world knows?" Ava asked. Were we censored by the Carter administration or our bosses? No, we replied. "Well," Ava said, "other journalists who have been in here tell me that they have." He lectured at length on alleged distortions of news from Iran by the U.S. media.

Three days later, the Iranian Embassy told us the visa application had been denied. Ava's explanation: too many Western newsmen in Tehran.

The real story emerged when former Sen. James Abourezk of South Dakota, now a Washington lawyer representing Iran's government, returned from Tehran. At our request, Abourezk graciously asked what had happened to our visa application. "They told me," he soon reported back, "that you had written the worst stuff about Iran of anybody and you weren't getting any visa." His suggestion that we be given an opportunity to see the situation first-hand got nowhere.

This is a familiar problem for American foreign correspondents such as William Shirer who knew cou-

rageous radio reports out of Berlin for CBS in Nazi Germany. Many U.S. newsmen have been kicked out of the Soviet Union for reporting the truth. The threat is implicit in Tehran today.

That may explain why correspondents in Tehran have persisted in referring to trained terrorists as "students." The new acting Foreign Minister Sadegh Ghotbzadeh, notoriously anti-American, was described in these terms by one network correspondent: "In the opinion of those who know him personally, Ghotbzadeh is a moderate who will nevertheless faithfully execute the decisions of Ayatollah Khomeini." The regime in Tehran is clearly in a discriminating mood about who shall be permitted to make such assessments.

Members of Patton, Boggs and Blow gave \$2,000. The law firm's clients include such FTC-beset firms as Mars Inc., the candy company; Atlantic-Richfield, the American Imported Automobile Dealers Association; General Motors, and the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

Ford's staff insisted to our associate Tony Capaccio that there is "absolutely no connection" between the senator's job as chairman of the campaign committee and his anti-FTC positions.

HORSE SENSE: Canny horse traders have been winked at and laughed off since the days of the horse and buggy, but a retired Army colonel named John Russell has pushed the ancient art of horse-swapping a little too far even for tolerant military brass.

Using his government-paid position as head of the U.S. Pentathlon and Biathlon Association's training center at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, Russell has been turning a tidy profit on the sale of horses under his control. He has already drawn one official reprimand, and the Army's Criminal Investigation Division is still checking into his dubious deals.

The center Russell heads is a traditionally Army-dominated outfit that handles U.S. entries in the Olympic Games pentathlon event. The pentathlon consists of such military specialties as fencing, pistol shooting, swimming, running and horseback riding.

Patriotic horse owners not averse to a tax deduction donate expensive jumpers to the Olympic team, and Russell is the guy who decides if the nags are of Olympic caliber. In 1977, he scratched five horses and gave them to Texas A&M. He then bought them for \$400 a head, used an Army van to haul them to his personal stables and ultimately sold them for \$6,900. That led to the reprimand.

Only slightly deterred, the colonel carried on. Russell sent a horse named Hill Da Val, a \$20,000 jumper donated by comedian George Gobel, to pasture, then bought him at auction for \$610. About a month later, he sold the horse for \$3,000.

Another pentathlon official, Robert Beck, persuaded owners to donate more than 200 horses to the association, then sold them ostensibly to raise money for the Olympic effort. The association didn't make a dime, but Beck's ranch collected \$42,000 for transporting the animals.

## THE BIBLE CAN YOU QUOTE IT?

By LAVINA ROSS FOWLER AND ELIZABETH ROSS WIERSEMA

1. The Apostles did not continue their communistic ideas for very long (Acts 4:32). Sometime around 971 B.C., Solomon advised strongly against this sort of management. Whom did he address? Proverbs 1:12-16.
  2. "The wages of sin is death; but..." Romans 6:23.
  3. How many of the apostles had the same name? Luke 6.
  4. Where was the prophet Jonah sent on his mission? Jonah 1.
  5. "Neither cast ye your pearls before swine lest..." Matthew 7:6.
- Four correct...excellent. Three correct...good.

## BROADSIDES



## the small society



by Brickman





Preparing to leave on a Leadership Midland bus tour of Midland's urban blight are, from left, Ricardo Saldana, counselor at Midland College; Cyn Choate, a dental hygienist; and Jim Henry, owner of Henry

Petroleum. The group spent all day Thursday studying housing, social services and economics of Midland poverty. (Staff Photo by Bruce Partain)

### Segregated schools list released

BEAUMONT, Texas (AP) — The South Park Independent School District has been listed by the government as the fourth most segregated school district in the nation, but local officials are baffled by their ranking.

"It is a complete mystery to us," Superintendent Mike Taylor said Thursday. "We don't have any complaints against us. We're in complete compliance" with Department of Health, Education and Welfare regulation. "We are quite shocked."

Six other Texas school districts, including the Ector County Independent School District in Odessa, were ranked in the top 100 in a list released by HEW's Office of Civil Rights - Lubbock was 20th, Port Arthur, 30th, Ector County 31st, Excelsior, 34th; Ysleta, 74th; and Austin, 83rd.

The Office of Civil Rights surveyed and ranked 6,069 districts based on their responses to a federal civil rights survey of elementary and secondary schools.

Taylor said he did not recall receiving any such questionnaire at the South Park Independent School District, which is just outside Beaumont. He said his district was 62 percent white and 38 percent minorities.

The school district ranked as the most segregated in the nation was Mississippi's Leflore County. But HEW officials cautioned that there could be errors in the rankings.

## Union, taxpayers may share Chrysler aid cost

WASHINGTON (AP) — Before the House votes next week on whether to provide federal loan guarantees to the Chrysler Corp. it will be asked to decide how much help should come from taxpayers and how much from Chrysler employees.

The House began debate Thursday on a measure calling for federal loan guarantees of \$1.25 billion and wage concessions of \$400 million from Chrysler employees represented by the United Auto Workers.

Further debate and consideration of amendments was put off until Tuesday.

Rep. Dan Quayle, R-Ind., said he would offer an amendment then calling for a \$1.25 billion loan guarantee and \$900 million from the UAW members.

Quayle's proposal was the latest in a series of efforts to steer a middle course between the Carter administration's proposal and the version approved by the Senate Banking Committee.

The administration called for \$1.5 billion in guaranteed bank loans, to be matched by an equal amount raised by Chrysler on its own. It did not specify a union contribution, but the UAW made \$203 million of wage concessions in its recent three-year contract with Chrysler.

The Senate version proposed a \$1.25 billion loan guarantee to be matched by \$2.75 billion in other money. This money would include a three-year wage freeze for Chrysler hourly workers, which would cost them \$1.077 billion, and a freeze of total compensation for management employees that would yield \$243 million.

UAW President Douglas Fraser has said the union would not ratify a wage freeze. But many members of Congress believe the workers should make a larger sacrifice than the administration proposed because their jobs are at stake.

Chrysler, the nation's 10th largest corporation, lost \$21.5 million in the first three quarters of this year and expects to lose \$327 million in the final quarter. This would make a loss of more than \$1 billion for the year, the largest by any business in American history.

Chrysler says it faces bankruptcy early next year

if it does not receive government help. Backers of the aid bill say a Chrysler collapse would affect the jobs of 600,000 workers for the auto-making firm and its suppliers and dealers.

Speaker of the House Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., D-Mass., said Thursday, "The layoff of half a million people could very well kick off the recession that many economists have been talking about."

But Rep. Richard H. Ichord, D-Mo., said if it passed the legislation, Congress would be "moving Chrysler to the head of the lending line" and that other failing corporations would queue up to be bailed out by the government.

The House bill would authorize \$1.5 billion in loan guarantees on condition Chrysler receives commitments of \$1.83 billion in other assistance not guaranteed by the federal government. The Quayle plan calls for \$1.44 billion in outside money.

### Noosed goose rejected

WAYNE, N.J. (AP) — No one is sure just how the Canada goose got a plastic six-pack wrapper wound around his head and neck, but he's being rejected by his fellow fowl. Joyce Shapiro — armed with binoculars, gloves, scissors and a net made of hula hoop — is determined to restore him to the flock.

"He's so pathetic, the poor goose," said Mrs. Shapiro, who takes off through the Packanack Lake Golf Course two or three times a day in search of the forlorn bird.

Not knowing the woman may be a goose's best friend, the feathered creature flies off or waddles into one of the water hazards as Mrs. Shapiro approaches.

Golfers who first spotted the goose in mid-October noticed he was being ignored by other members of the flock, who spend time in the area

before flying south, officials said Thursday.

"I saw him on the trap side of the seventh green the other day," said Bill Caldwell. "He can eat and swim and fly. Every night he flies away with the rest of the geese, and then they come back in the morning."

But Caldwell and Mrs. Shapiro said they were concerned about the goose getting his plastic wrap caught on a tree branch and hanging himself.

"If he gets hung up he might not be able to shake himself loose and that's what I'm afraid of," Caldwell said.

The golfers said they were saddened by the goose's plight. Several have tried, but failed, to catch and free the bird from his plastic crown. Mrs. Shapiro even tried using cracked corn and bread crumbs to lure the noosed goose within reach of her net.

### Anti-nuke protesters go to jail

DENVER (AP) — Saying the case had been "very difficult" for him, U.S. District Judge Jim Carrigan sentenced six anti-nuclear protesters to up to six months in jail for trespassing at the Rocky Flats nuclear weapons plant.

The six, who often addressed Carrigan as "Jim" during Thursday's proceedings, were convicted Dec. 4 of felony and misdemeanor charges. They were accused of trespassing and destroying a fence around the Rocky Flats plant northwest of Denver on Sept. 26.

Carrigan threw out the felony convictions against the six. He said the government had failed to prove that two barbed wire fences the protesters cut to enter plant property cost more than \$100 to repair.

One other defendant also was convicted Dec. 4, and Carrigan dismissed the felony charge against him as well. The defendant, Peter Weber of Detroit, is to be sentenced Monday.

The other six have been in jail since the protest. They have refused to leave jail even though they had only to sign their names to get personal recognizance bonds.

During Thursday's sentencing hearing, Carrigan did not object to being called by his first name. He said the case was "very difficult" for him because he knew the protesters were sincere in their opposition to nuclear weapons.

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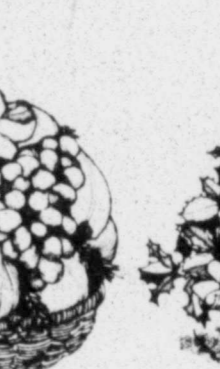
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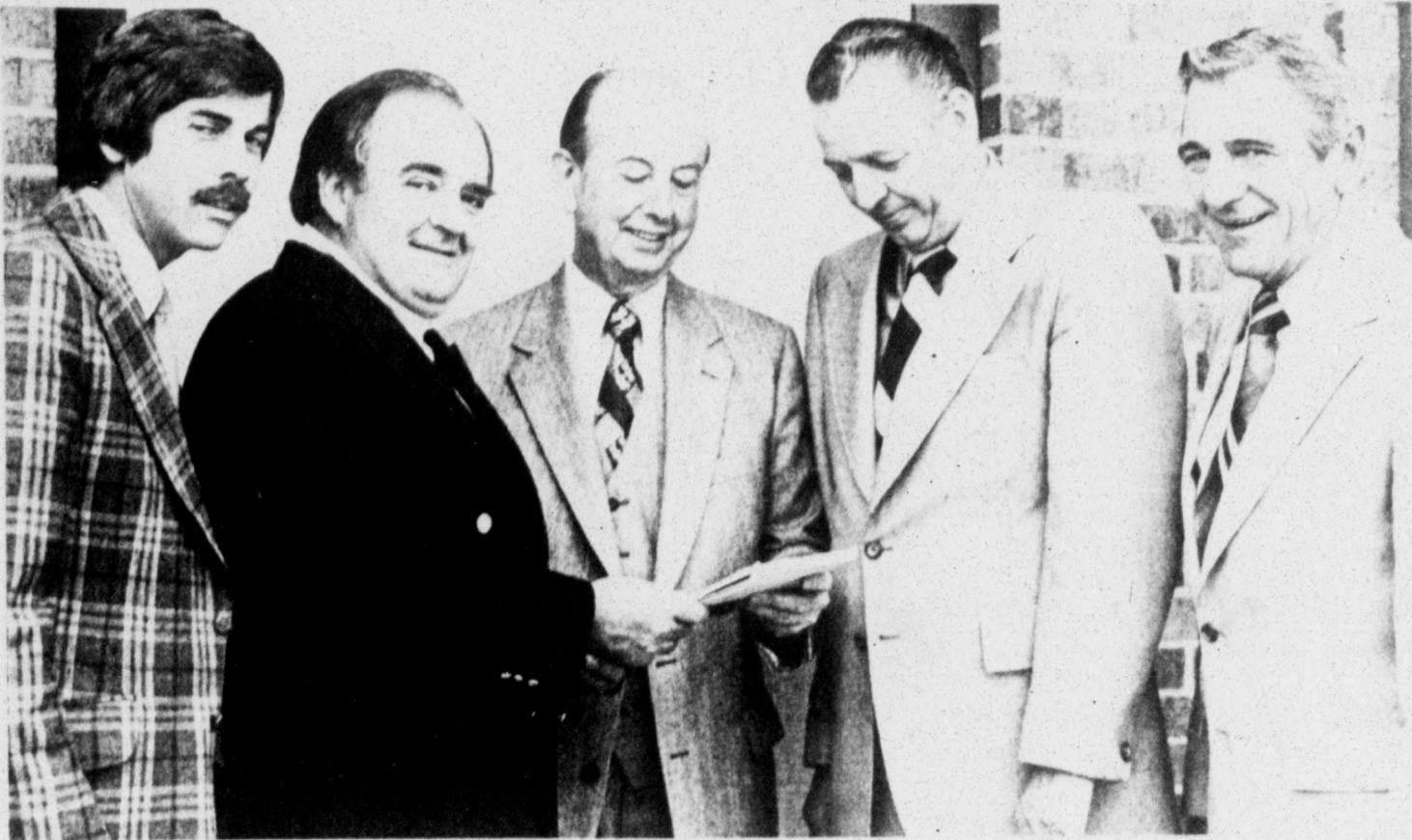
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Herbert Wilson, center, executive vice president of the Texas Hotel & Motel Association, met with Midland-Odessa innkeepers Thursday to discuss forming an association chapter here. From left are Richard Lowder of the Midland Hilton, Jim Stahlbaum of the Sheraton Inn-Midland, Wilson, Ray Little of the Inn of the Golden West in Odessa, and E.D. "Gino" Bolinger of the Best Western in Midland. (Staff Photo)

### Hotel-motel association chapter may form

By ED TODD  
Staff Writer

The Texas Hotel & Motel Association "must be your watchdog in regard to governmental regulations," Herbert Wilson, executive vice president of the San Antonio-based association, told 10 Midland-Odessa innkeepers here Thursday noon.

Wilson was here to talk to the hotel-motel operators and general managers, who had expressed interest in joining the organization about association benefits.

The association is made up of 40 city and area chapters, which represent 600 inns and 175,000 employees throughout the state.

"We do all the lobby work for you in Austin and in Washington," Wilson told the innkeepers here. "Our biggest work is stopping bad legislation that would be detrimental to the hotel-motel industry."

"We do not expect you to know the legislation," Wilson said. "That's our job."

**BUT WILSON** did note that "grassroots lobbying," such as writing congressmen, has been quite successful in part because congressmen are conscious of getting re-elected and that often is their overriding concern.

The hotel-motel state organization would not "interfere with local politics" but will "be there (to counsel) when called upon," Wilson said.

Wilson said that local organizations afford fellowship and an atmosphere wherein innkeepers can discuss problems, governmental regulations, anti-trust and consumers laws. He reminded the innkeepers that they legally can discuss most anything except hotel-motel rates. To do so would be in violation of the anti-trust laws.

"Don't talk about rates," he said, "but you can talk about getting conventions" and otherwise attracting business.

Prior to the influx of governmental regulations, running an inn was far less complicated and less profitable than today, noted Wilson.

**HE CITED** the proliferation of governmental regulations brought about by the minimum wage, sales and room taxes, Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) and consumer laws.

The innkeepers could "pay 'em (employees) what we thought they were worth" before the federal government started interfering with business, he said.

Wilson said the hotel-motel industry has "kept OSHA out of Texas because of our safety plan."

Prior to 1957, the innkeepers did not have the minimum wage, OSHA, EEOC or the room tax to contend with.

"We were just coming into the sales tax about that time," Wilson said.

**BUT OF ALL** the changes over the past 22 years, the coming of the room tax has been of utmost benefit to hotel and motel operators, he said.

"I contend that this (room tax) is one of best things that has happened to our industry." The room tax is used to support convention and visitors bureaus in cities and "brings more dollars" to the communities. Mid-

land's bureau is operated by the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

The 10 innkeepers who met with Wilson indicated that they would contact other hotel-motel operators to discuss forming a Permian Basin chapter of the state association or forming separate chapters in Midland and Odessa.

Meeting with Wilson were Midland innkeepers E.D. "Gino" Bolinger of the Best Western, Andy Graham and Richard Lowder of the

Midland Hilton, Jack Patel of Apollo Motel, Stanley Hasek of Kangaroo Motel, Lee Parks of Westwind Motel, Bill Sterling of the Affordable Inn, Jimmy Mohamed of the Midland Inn and Jim Stahlbaum of the Sheraton Inn, and Odessa innkeeper Ray Little of the Inn of the Golden West.

**STAHBAUM** and Lowder invited Wilson to Midland to discuss organizing a chapter of the hotel-motel association here.

Lowder, former general manager of the Midland Hilton is vice president of the Midland Southwest Corp., which is the Midland Hilton's managing corporation. Stahlbaum is general manager of the Sheraton Inn.



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Virginia's 7-foot-4 freshman center Ralph Samson waits with outstretched arms for opponents to bring ball down court in a recent game against Temple University. Samson is big enough, and it should be against the law to have four arms. (AP Laserphoto)

## Louisville shows split cage personality

By The Associated Press

The Louisville Cardinals were two different teams Thursday night. Denny Crum liked the second one better.

"We didn't make anything happen in the first half," said the Louisville coach. "We just floated around."

Things were different after Crum had a good halftime talk with his squad. The 12th-ranked Cardinals came out shooting after intermission, hit 14 of their first 17 shots and went on to a runaway 93-76 victory over North Carolina-Charlotte in the Louisville Holiday basketball tournament.

That put Louisville in tonight's finals against Western Kentucky, a 75-61 winner over Evansville in the other first-round game.

"I told them at halftime that we were not putting enough pressure on the ball," said Crum. "We did a little better in that respect in the second half."

Louisville led only 38-33 at halftime before taking charge in the second half, when they scored 14

straight points at one stage and took a 70-41 lead with nine minutes left. Darrell Griffith led the Louisville attack with 28 points.

In the opener, Craig McCormick scored 24 points to pace Western Kentucky's rout of Evansville. After trailing much of the first half, Western Kentucky scored eight quick points in the closing minutes to take a 31-28 halftime lead. The Hilltoppers then outscored Evansville 14-2 at the start of the second half behind McCormick and reserve Mike Reese to break the game open.

"We stole the ball a couple of times off the zone and were able to go to the half with a lead," said Hilltoppers Coach Gene Keady. "That gave my team the confidence it needed."

Elsewhere, third-ranked Ohio State whipped Cal Poly Pomona 87-46 as Kelvin Ransey scored 20 points, his 67th straight game in double figures. The victory was the fourth for the undefeated Buckeyes and marked their best start since the 1971-72 team went 8-0.

Their first seven players are as good as any I've

seen in a long time." Cal Poly Coach Don Hogan said of Ohio State. "They just have great individual talents — without a doubt the best team we've played this season."

Fourth-ranked Notre Dame built a 27-point cushion in the first half and used an 18-point performance by Tracy Jackson to coast past St. Joseph's (Ind.) 79-58.

Elsewhere, Carl Nicks scored 23 points to pace Indiana State over Valdosta State 84-48; Pepperdine beat Long Beach State 95-94 behind Ricardo Brown's 23 points; Jerry Brown's 23 points led San Diego State over Oklahoma State 104-100; David Little and Jeff Taylor combined for 44 points to lead Texas Tech past Lamar 83-68; Memphis State trimmed Austin Peay 85-73 as Otis Jackson and Jeff Battle each scored 22; Weber State turned back New Mexico 80-70 behind David Johnson's 24 points and George Sims hit a 12-footer with five seconds left to lead West Texas State over Oral Roberts 86-85.

## Billy Martin vows to stop comments about ex-boss George Steinbrenner

NEW YORK (AP) — Billy Martin says there will be no more comments from him about his ex-boss, George Steinbrenner.

The former New York Yankees manager made the vow after being summoned before American League President Lee MacPhail Thursday and warned that his baseball future could be jeopardized if he didn't end the public squabbling that has gone on since Steinbrenner, the Yankees' principal owner, fired him Oct. 28.

"I won't discuss George or say anything about George," Martin said after a 20-minute session with MacPhail that was prompted by remarks Martin had made in a speaking engagement Tuesday night at the University of Rhode Island.

"I'm not trying to gag him," MacPhail said. "There is the First Amendment, and he has the right to speak, but I think we are in accord that something should be done to terminate the public feud which has gone on too long."

"I agree 100 percent," Martin chimed in. "It will stop right here."

Before going to the meeting, Martin said he was certain that Steinbrenner was behind the summons from MacPhail, and insisted he would not be silenced by the Yankees' owner.

"I have the right to comment on anything I feel, and he can't curtail it," Martin said at a news conference he had called at his Western apparel store on Manhattan's fashionable east side. "I don't

work for him anymore ... This isn't Iran. This is the United States of America. All of his dollars can't make me keep quiet."

Martin was more subdued after meeting with MacPhail.

MacPhail said he reminded Martin that he had not been completely exonerated by Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn in the incident that resulted in Martin's firing, an alleged fight with marshmallow salesman Joseph Cooper in Bloomington, Minn.

"I told him that the commissioner most likely would review this situation, and that his future public behavior and statements must be circumspect," MacPhail said.

Martin was quoted as telling the URI students that Steinbrenner "is sick." But Billy insisted the remark was taken out of context.

"What I also said," Martin declared, "was that the man has done so many wonderful things. But I said I honestly feel he doesn't know a friend from an enemy, and because of that he is a sick person. I feel sorry for him and I don't dislike him."

"All that came out was that I called him a sick man," Martin complained.

Martin said he has received regular Yankees paychecks since being fired. He had two more years on his contract when he was dismissed.

But there have been suggestions that the contract may have been voided by the fight. Paragraph 3A of every contract requires that the manager "conform to high standards of personal conduct, fair play and

good sportsmanship."

MacPhail acknowledged that Martin had voiced some concern about a possible attempt to end his paychecks, but the AL president would make no other comment except that the matter was discussed.

Martin said he was pleased with the outcome of his meeting with MacPhail. "He was fair," Martin said. "He always has been fair to me."

Asked whether he would like to return to the major leagues as a manager, Martin said, "If the proper thing comes along from the proper people, I would consider it."

Martin added, though, "I'm still not over the other thing (being fired.) I still want to take it easy and think about it."

He seemed delighted when told that one of the prospective buyers of the New York Mets had said he would like to have him as a manager.

"I definitely would talk to him," Martin said.

Martin said he has not talked with Steinbrenner since being let go. "George hasn't even told me I was fired," he said. "I learned that from my lawyer. I haven't talked to him and I don't intend to. I wish him all the luck in the world, good health and happy holidays. I just don't want to be associated with him."

Martin said he had discussed Steinbrenner at length in a book he is working on with a sports writer. There was indication what effect his pledge to end the feud would have on the comments in the book.

## Bucs, one wife put on hold

By DAVE KINDRED  
The Washington Post

Dewey Selmon, the Tampa Bay linebacker, figured he would be a father by now.

He also figured the Buccaneers would have qualified for the National Football League playoffs by now.

But Kathryn Selmon is a week overdue.

And the Buccaneers are a month overdue.

"My wife's in a holding pattern," Selmon said the other day. "And so's our football team. This is going to be an exciting week."

Even for guys not having babies, this last weekend of the NFL regular season is a big deal. An NFL season only lasts about 17 weeks, of course. Since they kicked off the first ball of this season, Willie Stargell got famous, Laffit Pincay got \$8 million, Billy Martin got fired and Phyllis George got pregnant. Time flies when you're having fun, and nobody is having more fun now than Pete Rozelle, the NFL commissioner who from high above Park Avenue can look over his 28 teams and see 13 of them still in the running for the Super Bowl.

THE NFL'S 10-team Super Bowl tournament begins Dec. 23 and ends Jan. 20. Seven teams already have qualified for those playoffs. They are Pittsburgh, Houston, Miami, San Diego, Dallas, Philadelphia and Los Angeles.

Six other teams are scrambling, scratching, stayin' alive in pursuit of the three open spots. Those six teams are Tampa Bay, Washington, Denver, Oakland, Cleveland and Chicago.

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"Everywhere I go, shopping centers and bars, people come up to me and they don't say, 'I hope you go to the playoffs' — they say, 'You better go to the playoffs,'" said Lyle Alzado, a defensive end for the Cleveland Browns.

"The whole town became alive," said Tom Flores. He's the Oakland Raider coach. Out of the playoffs last season for the first time in a decade, the Raiders have won three straight games to get back in playoff contention. "Suddenly, it's kinda like the old days here," Flores said.

"This town has been so hungry for so long, they want it so bad," said Alan Page, a defensive tackle in his second season with the Bears after a decade of playoff-Super Bowl experience at Minnesota. "The people are so frustrated (the Bears last played a playoff game at home in 1963). The press, the radio and TV, the fans, they haven't even liked the way we've been winning games."

THE BEARS need to gain 33 points on the Redskins. In case the teams tie for a wild-card spot, the point differential may be used to break the tie. So the fans in Chicago weren't thrilled the last two weeks with a mere 14-0 victory over Tampa Bay and a 15-14 victory over Green Bay. Not enough point differential.

In Tampa Bay, any kind of victory, by any kind of point spread, would be the stuff of civic celebration.

Once undefeated after five games, the Buccaneers have needed only one victory since Thanksgiving Day to clinch the Central Division championship of the NFL, leaving the Chicago entry in second place.

But Tampa has lost three straight games. They lost one by having four kicks blocked — a punt, a field goal and two extra points, one of those in the last minute of a 23-22 defeat by Minnesota.

The Chokeaneers, they're calling the Bucs. "They've given the Bears a thread," said Hubert Mizell, sports editor of The St. Petersburg Times, "and the Bears have made it a rope with which they hope to hang the Bucs."

SO IF the Bears can win at home Sunday against the St. Louis Cardinals, while Tampa Bay loses at home to Kansas City, the Bears will have come back from a Thanksgiving Day debacle in which they played with all the verve of a turkey asked to stay for dinner. (They lost, 20-0, to Detroit, a team that had won one of 12 games.)

"Our fans are wondering what in the heck is going on," said Dewey Selmon, who is working on a Ph.D. degree in addition to making tackles and learning diaper folds. "How could we lose to Minnesota that way? How could we lose to San Francisco, a team with a 1-13 record, last week?"

"What went on, I think, is that Detroit beat Chicago on Thanksgiving Day. I wish they hadn't. We've only needed to win one game for a month now — and we haven't played well since. And now we've got a helluva challenge — to beat Kansas City, with the pressure building and building to a peak."

"But at least we've got a second chance at life. Everybody last year at this time was thinking about loading up the U-Haul and leaving town. We've got a second chance, so we can't go out and blow it."

Selmon said he and Kathryn have chosen a girl's name for their baby: Shannon Nicole. "If it's a boy, I wanted to name it 'Montana,'" he said.

"Kathryn, for some reason, quickly overruled that."

Maybe if Tampa beats Kansas City, Mrs. Selmon would go for "K.C." But maybe not, either.

## Tim Walker saves Rebs with must free throw

SAN ANTONIO — Tim Walker sank a free throw with seven seconds left here Thursday to hand the Midland Lee Rebels an exciting 53-52 victory over the San Antonio-Fox Tech Buffaloes in the opening round of the San Antonio Invitational Basketball Tournament.

Lee trailed at halftime, 36-27, but battled back in the second half to move into today's quarterfinal round against San Antonio Edison's Golden Bears at 5:30 p.m.

Lee now owns a two-game winning streak heading into today's outing against Edison.

Danny Rabb led the Lee attack with

15 points while Tim Fisher added 14 and Walker 13 more to bring the Rebels' season record to 7-6 going into today's game against Edison.

Willie Wilson led the Buffs with 14 points while Ralph Nelson and Tommy Lee added 10 each in a losing cause.

The tournament continues through Saturday with a 16-team field.

LEE (53): Rabb 6-13; Fisher 6-11; Walker 15-13; Lane 2-0-4; Keys 0-0-0; Sanders 3-1-7; Peterson 0-0-0. Totals: 21-11-23.

FOX TECH (52): Wilson 7-11; Nelson 12-10; Lee 10-10; Pitts 3-3-9; Brandt 1-1-5; French 0-0-0. Totals: 21-10-52.

Score by periods: Midland Lee 14 12 10 16-52; SA Fox Tech 14 12 10 16-52.

## Scandal now reaches New Mexico football program

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — The University of New Mexico's Athletic Council pondered the fate of the Lobos' flamboyant basketball coach today, while problems were surfacing in the football program.

Suspended basketball Coach Norm Ellenberger, known in happier days as "Stormin' Norman," had a date today with the Athletic Council, which is empowered to make recommendations on his future.

Council recommendations go to university President William E. Davis, who has the power to fire Ellenberger.

The university's basketball program has been rocked by developments that began Nov. 30 with the disclosure in a sworn affidavit filed by the FBI in U.S. District Court. The affidavit alleged transcript-fixing involving a junior college transfer on the UNM basketball team.

The FBI revelations resulted in Craig Gilbert being declared ineligible and the indefinite suspensions of Ellenberger and his chief recruiter, Manny Goldstein. Goldstein resigned Thursday, effective Dec. 31.

And the university launched a probe a week later that led to five basketball players being declared ineligible after school officials learned the students were credited with a course they never took. Another student, who claimed he took the course, was suspended, pending further checks on his academic records.

Then university officials said Thursday that three New Mexico football players were enrolled in the same course, "Current Problems and Principles of Coaching Athletes." The three-credit course was offered by Ottawa, Kan., University on the campus of Los Angeles Valley College in Van Nuys, Calif.

The three football players were identified as tight end Chris Combs, wide receiver David Wyrick and defensive end Daryl Bryson.

University officials said Combs received credit for the course, although he did not attend any classes. And they said that since he needed the credit to be eligible, the university probably would be forced to forfeit its six football victories this fall.

In its probe involving the basketball program, the FBI said it had been investigating possible mail fraud and bribery in connection with the alleged doctored transcript of Gilbert's junior college transcript.

The affidavit contained a transcript of a wiretap telephone conversation in which Goldstein told Ellenberger of a method to falsify the player's academic transcript so he would be eligible to play for the Lobos.

Goldstein has been Ellenberger's chief recruiter since joining the UNM coaching staff three years ago, after working as an assistant at Southwestern Louisiana University.

Goldstein has refused to talk with local reporters about the FBI allegations. But in an interview with Sports Illustrated, he said, "They have me for changing a transcript or allegedly making one up. You tell me how bad a crime I did. I bought a seal. I didn't steal it. I went to a print shop and had it made, and I bought it."

"Did I try to hurt the kid? He's not eligible! He had nothing to lose. I considered everything. This was the last resort. I didn't do anything illegal until I had to."

"So I'm the worst criminal in the world. I'm worse than any of them."

I'm no martyr. I just did something that I regret."

The tape-recorded conversation in the affidavit included statements by Goldstein to Ellenberger that Goldstein had arranged to provide Gilbert with an associate of arts degree from Oxnard Junior College in California.

In the affidavit, the FBI said it intercepted an envelope in the Los Angeles mail addressed to Oxnard that contained a transcript from Mercer Junior College in Trenton, N.J. The affidavit said the transcript was in Gilbert's name embossed with the Mercer seal.

The alleged transcript gave Gilbert credit for work at Mercer, although the FBI said it had found "no indication" Gilbert ever attended the New Jersey school.

A Mercer seal was seized at Goldstein's Albuquerque apartment, the FBI said. Agents also said they found at Goldstein's home Mercer transcripts of Gilbert and another Lobo basketball player, Andre Logan, who attended Mercer.

The announcement Thursday that the Lobos probably would have to forfeit six football victories followed an announcement last week that UNM would forfeit its 112-100 victory over West Texas State Dec. 4 because ineligible players were used.

Marvin Johnson, UNM vice president for student affairs, said a decision on whether the Lobos would forfeit the football games would be made today after consultation with the Western Athletic Conference of which the university is a member.

The Lobos were 6-6 during the 1979 football season and Combs played in all 12 games, Johnson said.



Austria's Anne Marie Moser Proell skis down the run at the national track in Piancavallo, Italy, during Thursday's practice run for today's World Cup women's downhill race. Proell had the fastest practice run of the day. (AP Laserphoto)

## Nelson's sights on Olympics

PIANCAVALLO, Italy (AP) — Cindy Nelson, the top U.S. hope for a gold medal in the women's skiing events at the Lake Placid Olympics, says eight years of tough participation in the World Cup has not dulled her enjoyment of competition.

However, she says she will seriously consider retiring if she gets a medal in the Olympics "because skiing is not all in your life and I must think of business too."

The 23-year-old ace from Lutsen, Minn., who holds an American record of five wins in World Cup races and the prestige of being an adviser to the girls of the U.S. team, will be seeking an Olympic gold — the final and still missing touch to her splendid career in the downhill event.

"I am among the three best in the world and I can aim at a medal in Lake Placid," she says. "I'm also thinking of giant slalom. My perfor-

mances in slalom are not very good at present, but I can improve a lot by the time of the Olympics next February."

She said she considered success in the World Cup overall standings "a more complete and satisfactory achievement. However, as an American, I should be more interested in an Olympic medal, which is more important to the Americans. World Cup apparently makes little sense to my countrymen."

She said her toughest opponents will probably be Austria's Annemarie Moser-Proell, Switzerland's Marie-Theres Nadig, Liechtenstein's Hanni Wenzel and West Germany's Irene Epple. "They all are in my range, but I am confident," she said.

Raised in a family keen for skiing, Cindy spends 10 months of her year on the snow. "Sometimes it looks like a hard job, when it is very cold or it snows. But I still love it, it's exciting," she said.

Nelson, who made her World Cup debut at 15, predicts bright skiing careers for Tamara McKinney and Heidi Preuss, two young members of the U.S. team.

"Tamara is not yet in peak condition, but will soon do fine things in slaloms, also in the Olympics. Heidi devoted herself to downhill only recently and already is doing great things," Nelson said.

Tamara, 17, of Olympic Valley, Calif., is also from a skiing family. Heidi Preuss, 18, of Lakeport, N.J., placed fourth in the opening downhill race of the Cup in Val d'Isere, very close to Nadig and Nelson and ahead of Moser-Proell and Wenzel.

"If I get a medal and I decide to give up skiing I will try to capitalize on my skiing activities. I will devote myself to some kind of business, not necessarily related to skiing. I already have a lot of ideas in the commercial sector," she said without further elaboration.

## Oregon freshman admits taking 'no work' course

EUGENE, Ore. (AP) — A freshman football player at the University of Oregon has admitted he received credit for a controversial extension course without doing anything to earn it.

Defensive lineman Paul Perez admitted in a telephone interview with the Eugene Register-Guard that he received the credit although he did nothing but pay the course fee.

The university's faculty representative said Perez's case would not result in penalties for violating NCAA or Pacific 10 Conference rules because Perez did not play football due to illness and injury.

University President William Boyd said an investigation by Oregon faculty representative Wendell Bayse has shown that two other Oregon football players took the course but were not guilty of any wrongdoing.

The course, called "current problems and principles in coaching athletics," was offered as an extension class by Ottawa University, a Kansas-based private school.

The course, worth three hours of credit, was taught in a lounge and garage at Los Angeles Valley College in Van Nuys, Calif. No attendance was required to pass the course. All

that was required was a term paper that could be mailed to the school.

Five University of New Mexico basketball players have admitted they received credit for the course but did no work. New Mexico officials have indicated that several athletes from other universities, including Oregon, were guilty of the same violation.

## MHS sophomores run to victory

Coach Eddie Shirley's Midland High sophomores took an easy 92-59 cage victory over Midland Christian Thursday night in the Midland Christian Gymnasium.

Four Bulldogs hit in the double figures in bringing their season record to 5-1. Preston Robertson led the way with 18 points while Scott Louderback added 17. Raymond Parker 12 and Jim Gunnels 10 more. McInroe led Midland Christian with 20 while Brown and Ward chipped in with 11 and 11 each.

Midland plays the Snyder sophomores in Snyder Tuesday in their next outing at 4 p.m.



JIM MURRAY

## Too Tall has a chance

By JIM MURRAY  
Los Angeles Times Syndicate

The proposition before the house is that Ed (Too Tall) Jones can never be heavyweight champion of the world because his nickname is not a joke. It's a fact.

I am nowhere near so sure as my colleagues.

The popular reasoning is that "Too Tall" has a bigger strike zone than Clint Hartung and Frank Howard put together. More unprotected coastline than some continents. More landing area than a runway at O'Hare. What you swing at, you hit. His footwork might be fine for getting past a 270-pound offensive guard or looping through a butterball center, but in the ring he would look like a bear riding a bicycle.

IN HIS first few fights, he seemed to miss the helmet and face mask. He appeared to want to tackle his opponent, not fight him. He kept looking for the ref to call illegal use of the hands every time the other guy rapped home a 1-2.

But boxing is not a strength sport, it's a speed sport. Speed of hands counts as much as in cheating at cards. Still, behemoths have always scared boxing. Experts quake when 7-foot giants come into the gym. But guys who can bend crowbars, tear telephone books, or lift freighter wheels, have much more trouble with targets that don't stand still.

And if Too Tall Jones found Francis Tarkenton tough to get a glove on or a hold on, what would he do with a guy who would pepper him with left jabs during the chase?

JESS WILLARD was the biggest of the early heavyweights. At 6'7", 250 pounds, he was "The Pottawatomie Giant," an awesome hulk that looked as if he had been carved out of Mount Rushmore. But Jack Dempsey, snake-fast at 180 pounds, reduced him to a shivering pulp in three rounds, largely because Willard made his fight as if his feet were encased in cement — as some thought Dempsey's gloves were. The truth is, brute strength is rarely a match for speed.

The 1930's were a bull market for circus strong men if a bear market for Wall Street. Hardly a boat docked on the Hudson River piers that didn't disgorge a Gulliver with gloves seeking his fame and fortune in the New World. The most successful of these was Primo Carnera, an amiable, innocent giant who belonged in boxing about the way Orson Welles belongs in the hundred-yard dash. He was carved up in so many pieces by the Mafia that he went broke, in spite of the fact that in one fight in 1934 he earned \$152,146, which in those days probably would have bought you Rhode Island.

"The Ambling Alp," they named Carnera. They thought he came with snow on him. At 6'6" and 265 pounds he could empty a small town by just showing up at the gates. The only trouble was, he couldn't fight. But he was so in hock to the Mob, that didn't matter. He won tank town fights all over the map. Jack Sharkey, a family-size heavyweight, first burst the bubble in a bout which was called a draw, thanks to the presence at ringside of machine-gun killers and waterfront enforcers.

THEY MADE Carnera champion, but Max Baer and Joe Louis took him so apart in the ring he had to become a wrestler to pay his bills.

Another elongated import was Vittorio Campolo from South America,

who had to stoop to enter elevators but got beat by the 5'10" Johnny Risko and by Tommy Loughran, who was only a light-heavyweight.

Home-grown giants like Ray Impellittere, Abe Simon and Buddy Baer fared little better.

The point was, there were thousands of fighters in those Depression days. Most of them would have fought a hungry gorilla, a muzzled bear or a cornered puma for \$500. Tony Galento once fought an octopus in a tank of water. Mere size didn't frighten them. Joe Louis scared more fighters than a roomful of Pottawatomie Giants, Ambling Alps, or even Astoria Assassins.

BUT THERE is no Joe Louis on the premises today. Just names like Scott LeDouxes, Duane Bobick, Leon Spinks, John Tate and a bunch of clumsy South Africans whose names end in "zee."

The heavyweight champion today is the highest paid mediocrity in the history of sports. Even in an age when 300, six-inning starting pitchers get \$3.5 million contracts, and steel-gloved second basemen can match the cash reserves of a San Diego bank, heavyweight champions loll in the luxury once reserved for railroad barons, coal and steel magnates or even royalty. Johnny Risko could beat the lot of them — and he fought in Cleveland for a meal ticket once.

Leon Spinks became heavyweight champion of the world after only eight fights. You couldn't even get to be a main-event fighter after eight fights in the old days. Sugar Ray Leonard, who shouldn't even be compared to Benny Leonard, is being compared to Sugar Ray Robinson and is champion after fighting only one bona fide competitive opponent.

SO WHAT if Too Tall Jones can't fight? How long has it been since we had a heavyweight champion who could? How many bona fide title holders have we had in the division since, Joe Louis quit? Two? Rocky Marciano and Muhammad Ali? Can anyone seriously consider Jersey Joe Walcott, Floyd Patterson, Ingemar Johansson, Sonny Liston, George Foreman, Leon Spinks, John Tate or even Larry Holmes to be in the same category as Johnson-Dempsey-Tunney-Louis? Or, even, Ezzard Charles.

Too Tall Jones is not asked to be champion of the world. He's asked to be champion of a small, shrinking body of semi-skilled workers in a moribund industry. The heavyweight division is barely a quorum. Too Tall is asked to preside over a mythical kingdom. It's not a sport, it's a television series. Today, you fill in the Saturday afternoon gaps between ski jumps and guys doing flying somersaults on rings with your fights. It's not pugilism, it's situation comedy.

BUT NOT even television can take a guy out of left tackle and put him right in the ring with Larry Holmes. First, you have to call your own defensive signals. Then, you have to loaf off about 45 pounds of suet. You have to learn how to protect those miles of coastline you have exposed to enemy batteries. You have to take on a few carefully selected Palookas who are just slightly more dangerous than the heavy bag. You have to get your name in the papers. It's no good to be a great fighter like a George Benton or Tommy Hearns, or even a current champion like Eusebio Pedrosa, Jim Watt, or Ernesto Espana, if nobody ever heard of you. You have to get a contender out of the Dallas flex de-

fense, or Rahway State prison, to call attention to your tent show.

If Primo Carnera could be built into a world champion in an era when there were thousands of eager, hungry young fighters, Too Tall Jones can be built into a contender into the midst of this sorry little circle. It doesn't matter what they say about you so long as they say it. The sporting press warned the world of the bogus collection of wins Carnera was running up, but when the giant's god-fathers put the show on Broadway, sophisticated New Yorkers broke down the doors to be fooled some more even as the country cousins had in Carnera fights in places like Grand Rapids, Camden, Ohio, Tiverton, Rhode Island, Denver, Memphis, San Antonio, and Portland.

IT TAKES a long, hard apprenticeship to make the center court at Wimbledon and fight for the championship. You go four years to high school and four years to college and, probably, two years to the bench to learn to become a championship football player. You pitch in the Sally League, Eastern League, or American Association for years to get to be a big league starter. You get to play Hamlet only after years of playing the butler in stock company road shows. You get to sing at the Met only after years of study at the conservatory. But you can make a heavyweight champion like you can make coffee. Unless Too Tall has a chin of the finest Spode China, he'll get his chance. Come to think of it, even if he has one he may get it.

If his chin is dinnerware, Too Tall can always hold out for a king-size ring. In 1955 the English challenger, Don Cockell, was fighting the champion, Rocky Marciano, and Cockell's manager held out for a 20-foot ring vs. a standard 16-foot ring. Which moved the humorist Bugs Baer to observe, "Why? His man ain't that tall."

## Lee Rebel girls down Monahans

The Midland Lee girls took two basketball victories over Monahans Thursday night in junior varsity and sophomore outings held at the Lee gym.

The Lee JV's ran to a 40-25 victory over Monahans as Kelly Watson led the way with 10 points. M. Thrasher and L. Boysaw led Monahans with six points each. The Lee JV is now 6-2 on the year, with one loss coming to the Lubbock Coronado varsity.

The Lee sophomores are now 4-2 after Thursday's 39-33 victory over Monahans. Susan McGaha and Julie Gallagher each had 10 points for Lee to pace the victory. Pela Amos scored nine for Monahans.

## Marquardt gets release

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Marquette Coach Hank Raymonds said Thursday that sophomore center Dean Marquardt, sidelined with injuries suffered in an auto accident during the summer, has received permission from doctors to play basketball again.

Raymonds said Marquardt, a highly sought high school star at Milwaukee Washington, has been working out with the Warriors.

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## Phelps apologizes

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — Notre Dame basketball Coach Digger Phelps said Thursday night that he apologized to UCLA Coach Larry Brown for misreading a situation involving Kelly Tripucka's injury in Tuesday's 77-74 victory over the visiting California squad.

"I talked to Larry (by telephone) this afternoon and apologized for what happened in the last few seconds Tuesday night," Phelps told reporters Thursday night after Notre Dame's 79-58 victory over St. Joseph's, Ind. "In all the confusion when Kelly was hurt, someone told me a UCLA player had hit him in the mouth, though we found out later that wasn't true.

"I told him I was sorry, that I simply misread what actually had happened. He accepted that and said the matter is closed and forgotten as far as both of us are concerned," Phelps said.

As Phelps later discovered, Tripucka actually ran into the elbow of official Verl Sell, who was indicating a foul with two seconds remaining in the game.

The collision knocked loose one of Tripucka's front teeth, causing him to fall to the floor in pain.

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Monday game produces viewers

By The Associated Press

Houston's 20-17 NFL victory over Pittsburgh last Monday night drew a 25.1 rating, the second highest in ABC's 10-year history of Monday night telecasts, the network said.

Two recent Arizona State University football players — Darrel Gill and Marshall Edwards — have been indicted on charges of selling large quantities of cocaine to undercover narcotics agents.

Veteran Atlanta pitcher Phil Niekro has been voted baseball's Lou Gehrig memorial award for 1979. The award is given annually to the player who best exemplifies the ability and character of Gehrig and is presented by Phi Delta Theta fraternity.

Former San Diego Chargers wide receiver Johnny Rodgers has filed suit against the National Football League team and doctors, claiming that negligent treatment of a knee injury and negligent prescribing of medicine and drugs prematurely ended his football career.

Arthur Ashe, the 1975 Wimbledon winner, underwent triple bypass heart surgery and was listed in satisfactory condition, a spokeswoman at St. Luke's Hospital said.

The AAU Intercity boxing championships finals, scheduled for Monday night at the Felt Forum, have been postponed, Madison Square Garden announced.

Beth Daniel, who ranked 10th in money winnings this year, was named the LPGA Rookie of the Year. Daniel, 23, a native of Charleston, S.C., earned \$97,027 in her first year on the tour and was the only rookie to win a tournament.

Oakland quietly seeks playoff berth

By The Associated Press

While everyone has been looking at the top of the American Conference's divisions to see who's in or out of the playoffs, the Oakland Raiders have been steadily, quietly nestling themselves into position for a postseason berth.

And with some help on Monday night they can clinch one. They face the Seattle Seahawks, a team which beat them 27-10 early in the season but a team now out of contention.

If the Raiders win their fourth straight game, it'll put them halfway toward their goal of a playoff position. The other half will be decided Monday night, when Denver and San Diego play for the championship of the AFC West.

"We're fighting for our lives," says Raiders Coach Tom Flores, completing his first season as John Madden's successor and trying to guide Oakland back into the playoffs if they miss last year for the first time in seven seasons.

Also on Sunday it's Cleveland at Cincinnati, Philadelphia at Houston, Buffalo at Pittsburgh, Washington at Dallas, Kansas City at Tampa Bay, St. Louis at Chicago, Baltimore at the New York Giants, Minnesota at New England, San Francisco at Atlanta and New Orleans at Los Angeles.

MHS girls capture two tourney wins

BIG SPRING — The Midland High girls won two games Thursday in the Big Spring Invitational Basketball Tournament, downing Denver City, 64-61, and El Paso Parkland, 40-29, to move into today's semifinal round against Snyder.

Midland, now 11-4 on the year, squares off with Snyder at 3 p.m. today in the semifinals. Snyder knocked off Odessa High to reach the semifinals against Coach Jane Young's Tall City crew.

Jana Trölnier led the way in Midland's big victory over Denver City with 17 points while teammate Margaret Christian added 15 more to the MHS attack. Sandra Rock and Lucy Miller were also in the double figures for the Bulldogs with 12 and 10 points, respectively.

The two squads were tied at 30-30 at the end of the first half and knotted at 44-44 at the end of the third period, but the Midland fems captured the vic-

tory with a 20-0 advantage in the final stanza.

Christian and LaShell Schrock paved the way in the victory over Parkland with 15 and 12 points. Tammy Shedrick was high for Parkland with 16 markers.

Parkland led at the half, 22-10, but the Bulldogs ran to a 12-3 advantage in the third period for a 32-25 lead and put the game away in the fourth period by outscoring the Parkland crew, 8-4.

Midland (45) — FIRST ROUND — Schrock 10-22, Christian 11-15, Trölnier 8-13, Rock 7-12, Meroney 2-2-8, Miller 1-0-2, Smith 0-0-0. Totals: 28-14-48.

Denver City (40) — Autry 10-2-23, Carmichael 7-7-11, McEl 4-8-16, Rock 7-7-18, Harvill 1-0-2, Spearhead 3-2-7. Totals: 23-24-41.

Midland High — 12-18 (12-28-44) Denver City — 11-19 (11-27-40)

Midland (48) — QUARTERFINALS — Schrock 9-22, Christian 6-3-15, Trölnier 10-2-2, Rock 7-1-2, Meroney 1-0-2, Miller 1-0-2, Smith 0-0-0. Totals: 19-21-48.

Parkland (29) — Maxwell 1-1-6, Snyder 3-2-2, Shillock 7-1-1, Taylor 2-1-5, Totals: 19-7-29.

Midland High — 19-12 (8-40) El Paso Parkland — 11-12 (8-40)

Palm Bowl may be close

MALLEN, Texas (AP) — Coaches predict a close, tough, defense-oriented contest when Lone Star Conference co-champion Texas A&I and Central State of Oklahoma clash Saturday in the Palm Bowl to decide the NAIA Division I national football crown.

"For us to be in the ball game, it'll be a defensive game," said Central State's coach Gary Howard. "I believe it will be a tight ball game. I believe it will be a close one," said Coach Ron Harms of Texas A&I.

It's the second year for the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics to hold the small college football championship game in the semi-tropical Lower Rio Grande Valley.

When both teams arrived Thursday, they found 50-degree temperatures and rain. Weather forecasters are calling for continued cool days and possible rain for the 1-30 p.m. Saturday kickoff.

The teams bring identical 11-1 records. Texas A&I will be in its eighth NAIA title game, gaining its slot after a 22-19 upset of defending national champion Angelo State in the playoffs.

The Javelinas from Kingsville, Texas, rely on senior quarterback Martin Stroman, a 6-foot, 180-pounder who ran for seven touchdowns and passed for 10 more this season.

Staubach selected for Pro Bowl

NEW YORK (AP) — With quarterback Roger Staubach of Dallas doing the passing and Ottis Anderson of St. Louis leading the running game, the National Conference has some potent possibilities for the Jan. 27 Pro Bowl Game in Hawaii.

Staubach, the National Football League's passing leader, was selected for the Pro Bowl Thursday for the fifth time.

Anderson, the league's leading rusher, was the only rookie named to the NFC team. He has gained 1,566 yards, a rushing record for a first year player, going into Sunday's regular season finale.

Walter Payton of Chicago, second in NFC rushing with 1,453 yards, was selected as the other starting running back, and will be making his fourth Pro Bowl appearance.

Chuck Muncie of New Orleans and Wilbert Montgomery of Philadelphia were named reserves.

Archie Manning of New Orleans will back up Staubach, who was one of eight Cowboys selected.

Wide receiver Harold Carmichael was one of six Philadelphia players named to the team. Ahmad Rashad of Minnesota was picked for the other wide receiver berth, with Tony Hill of Dallas and Wes Chandler of New Orleans as reserves.

New Orleans' Henry Childs was picked as the tight end, with David Hill of Detroit as the reserve.

The interior line named included Philadelphia's Stan Walters and Pat Donovan of Dallas at tackles, Bob Young of St. Louis and Dennis Harrah of Los Angeles at guards and Los Angeles' Rich Saul at center.

The New York Giants, Los Angeles and Washington each put two players on the starting defensive unit. Linebackers Larry Carson and Brad Van Pelt were picked from the Giants, end Jack Youngblood and linebacker Jim Youngblood from the Rams, and Ken Houston and cornerback Lamar Parrish from the Redskins.

Parrish, the NFC's leader in interceptions with nine, was named for the first time as a Redskin, after being making the AFC team six as a member of the Cincinnati Bengals.

Lee Roy Selmon of Tampa Bay was picked as a defensive end, and Randy White of Dallas and Charlie Johnson of Philadelphia as tackles.

New Orleans' Tom Myers was selected as a safety and Roger Wehrli of St. Louis as a cornerback.

Dutton is workable force

DALLAS (AP) — If Tom Landry told John Dutton to move to running back John Dutton would move to running back.

If Tom Landry told John Dutton to move to free safety John Dutton would move to free safety.

"I'm so grateful that I'd do anything Dallas wanted me to do except shoot someone," is the way Dutton puts it.

Dallas Cowboys Coach Tom Landry set Dutton free from the Baltimore Colts this October when he okayed a trade for the 6-foot-6, 265-pound defensive end. Dutton was a holdout because he couldn't stand the Baltimore front office.

Dutton since has broken into the starting lineup and will be there Sunday against the Washington Redskins in the showdown for the National Conference Eastern Division championship.

"I think Dallas paid an outrageous price for me," said Dutton. "It was outrageous for them to give up a No. 1 and a No. 2 round draft picks but I will always be grateful."

Dutton said "I was accepted from the first day. I felt like I had been here for years."

"Of course, the Xs and Os are a lot different. I've changed sides, for one thing. I'm on the left side instead of the right. That sounds like a small thing but it isn't."

Dutton said the famed Landry

"flex" defense is also a bit troublesome.

"It is a difficult defense to learn and I will be learning it for years," said Dutton. "I played a pressure defense at Baltimore. Everybody just sort of turned loose. Here you play the gaps and you are responsible for just one area. I have found out that it can be a very good defense. I'm getting more comfortable with it every game."

Dutton said he was eager to get after Washington Sunday at Texas Stadium.

"I've never gone into a game mad at anyone before but I just didn't like what they did to us up in Washington...spraying us with water...the last second field goal...it showed me a pro team with no class," said Dutton. "It puts a bad name on pro football."

"We told 'em we would pay 'em back."

John Dutton seems to be adjusting very well as the newest member of the Dallas Cowboys.

Graham captures golf lead

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica (AP) — PGA champion David Graham fired a 3-under-par 68 Thursday to share the first-round lead of the \$50,000 Costa Rican Friendship golf tournament with rookie John Fought and Peter Jacobsen.

Tom Weiskopf shot 70 on the tight Cariari Hotel and Country Club course. Ray Floyd, ChiChi Rodriguez and Curtis Strange tied at 71.

Graham's round was highlighted by an eagle-three on the 499-yard eighth hole where he hit a three-iron second shot to within four feet of the cup and sank the putt. Graham started the day by driving into trees and thick rough on the first hole and taking a bogey.

"I used a two-iron to play it safe because it's a tight driving hole," Graham said, "but I pulled it a little too much left."

His only other bogey came on the 355-yard 11th when he hit a short-iron to the left of the green and failed to chip close. He birdied the 10th with a 15-foot putt, reached the 522-yard 11th with a three-iron second shot and two-putted from 20 feet for another birdie and sank a 6-foot birdie putt on the 17th.

"No professional golfer can go to a course and be nonchalant about his game. When you play golf for a living, you have to have a competitive spirit," Graham said.

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# Mobil Oil says DOE has trouble interpreting its own regulations

WASHINGTON (AP) — Amerada Hess, one of two oil companies accused of new pricing violations, says the overcharges alleged by the Energy Department exceed the company's profits during the time period covered. Mobil, the other firm cited, accused the Energy Department of misinterpreting its own regulation and said it believed it had committed no violations.

The new allegations issued Thursday bring to \$8.9 billion the total amount of pricing violations charged against a dozen or so oil companies in a series of Energy Department audits covering the period 1973 through 1976.

Audits of transactions since 1976 are to be conducted in the future. The new charges against Mobil of \$504.5 million raised to \$979.5 million the total pricing violations alleged against the company for the 1973-76 period. Amerada Hess was charged with \$653.3 million in

violations, bringing the total allegations against it to \$915 million.

Amerada Hess said the aggregate amount of the overcharges alleged by the department were "substantially in excess" of the company's profits on refining and marketing activities during that time period.

The two companies are among the 15 largest U.S. refiners. Most of the department's allegations, including the latest ones, do not charge that the violations were deliberate but only that the companies misinterpreted the accounting rules or made miscalculations leading to actual or potential overcharges.

Some settlements have been reached in which companies agreed to make refunds to customers, to make compensatory payments to the government, or to reduce claims for future price increases.

But most of the \$8.9 billion in alleged violations remain in dispute.

# Senate seeks way to break stalemate on profits bill

By JIM LUTHER

WASHINGTON (AP) — The problem in finding a way out of the stalemate blocking Senate action on the "windfall profits" tax is the same one that has occupied one house of Congress and the other for most of the year.

In the words of Sen. Henry Bellmon, R-Okla., "We have to pass a bill that is politically acceptable without damaging the oil industry."

There is no standard definition of

used, and oil from fields not yet discovered.

Republicans, who had adamantly opposed any windfall tax on the as-yet undiscovered oil, gave in and agreed to accept a 5 percent tax on that oil, plus the 20 percent tax on tertiary and heavy oils.

Participants in the private negotiations said that proposal was on the verge of acceptance when senators from states where heavy and tertiary oil are produced began advocating a

lower tax on that production. Carter originally proposed a "windfall-profits" tax to make decontrol of U.S. crude-oil prices politically acceptable. The revenue would pay for his long-range energy program and help lower-income Americans cope with rising fuel costs.

The tax would be applied to crude-oil price increases above current levels. While not imposed directly on oil-industry profits, it would, like any other tax, ultimately reduce profits.

# WT explorer sites staked

Wildcat operations have been staked in Culberson, Reeves and Pecos counties.

The Superior Oil Co. will drill a 43,000-foot gas wildcat in Culberson County 1.25 miles northwest of the COV (Atoka) field, 30 miles southwest of Orla.

The No. 1 Covington-State is located 3,300 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 1, block 115, PSL survey.

REEVES EXPLORER  
Wayman W. Buchanan of Midland will drill the No. 1 Worsham, 6,700-foot gas wildcat, one mile northwest of Worsham, Southwest (Delaware) oil production and 1.5 miles southwest of the Ellenburg discovery in the Worsham field of Reeves County.

Well-site spots 1,980 feet from north and 1,610 feet from west lines of section 41, block C-6, PSL survey, 12 miles west of Cayanosa.

PECOS PROBE  
Aikman Petroleum, Inc. of Dallas will dig No. 1 Thigpin, 11,000-foot oil or gas wildcat, 5/8 mile southeast of the Strawn discovery well and one mile northeast of the Ellenburg discovery well in the east segment of the Block A-2 field of Pecos County.

Location is six miles west of Sheffield, 660 feet from south and 467 feet from west lines of section 45, block A-2, TCRR survey.

MITCHELL RE-ENTRY  
M.C. Hendry of Sterling City will re-enter and deepen to 7,275 feet from 7,215 feet the No. 3 M.C. Hendry Farm, two miles southwest of Ellenburg production in the Jameson, North field of Mitchell County.

Location is 2,173 feet from south and 467 feet from west lines of section 2, block 1-A, H&TC survey, five miles northwest of Silver.

HOWARD PROJECTS  
Tucker & Baumgardner of Midland filed application to drill two projects in the Coahoma, North (Fusselman) field of Howard County, three miles northeast of Coahoma.

The No. 3 Black Bass is scheduled to 8,900 feet, 1,980 feet from south and 2,173 feet from west lines of section 41, block 30, T-1-N, T&P survey. Location is 3/8 mile south of production.

The No. 4 Black Bass is 1/2 mile southwest of production, 467 feet from south and 2,173 feet from west lines of section 41, block 30, T-1-N, T&P survey. Contract depth is 8,900 feet.

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what constitutes "politically acceptable."

Still unable to work out a compromise "minimum tax" amendment to the windfall bill, the Senate planned a third attempt today to limit debate in an effort to expedite action on the bill.

Such a limit on debate would not necessarily break the stalemate over the minimum tax, which is sponsored by Democratic Leader Robert C. Byrd and supported by the Carter administration. But, with a holiday recess approaching, that 100-hour limit could pressure senators into some sort of agreement.

The first try for debate-limiting closure fell seven votes short, the second, on Thursday, was four votes under the 60 needed.

Senators who represent the non-oil-producing states contend that to be politically acceptable, the windfall tax must be high enough that the public does not view removal of price controls on crude oil as a "ripoff" of consumers.

The House set \$277 billion as the acceptable level. The Senate Finance Committee recommended \$138 billion. President Carter asked for close to \$300 billion.

Republicans and oil-state Democrats insist the tax must be low enough to leave the oil industry ample money to ensure increased energy exploration and development.

They are ready to accept the increases already voted by the Senate, which would result in a tax of about \$155 billion. They insist the House tax would further increase U.S. dependence on foreign supplies.

The Senate has been trying since Nov. 16 to strike the balance between those extremes. The key to reaching the acceptable level of taxation is Byrd's proposed "minimum tax" amendment, which prompted the filibuster.

Despite another late-night session Thursday, the Senate was unable to break the deadlock. Some who participated in negotiations said several moderate and liberal senators refused to yield to GOP demands that Byrd's \$30.8 billion amendment be slashed to about \$17 billion.

Those moderates and liberals remember a 53-44 test vote Wednesday that indicated they should be able to win the \$30.8 billion amendment — if they can bring it to a vote.

"We're close (to a compromise) but we're not there yet," Sen. Henry M. Jackson, D-Wash., one of the negotiators, told reporters Thursday night. "There is no agreement," said Sen. Robert Dole of Kansas, Republican manager of the tax bill.

Byrd's amendment would impose a 20 percent tax on three categories of U.S.-produced crude oil that the Finance Committee said should be exempt to encourage production.

Those are thick, costly-to-pump "heavy" oil, found mainly in California; increased production from fields where chemical and other expensive "tertiary" recovery techniques are

# Operators announce wildcat sites; potential openers in Basin regions

Inexco Oil Co. of Houston will drill a 14,400-foot wildcat, 2.75 miles southwest of Corral (Morrow) gas production in Eddy County, 11 miles southwest of Malaga.

The No. 1 Bison Wallow Unit is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 34-25S-29E.

## NOLAN WILDCAT

NRM Petroleum Corp. will drill the No. 1 Hettie as a 7,450-foot wildcat, 1/2 mile northeast of the depleted opener and lone producer of the Silver Creek (Strawn) field, one mile northwest of Nenia Lucia, (Strawn reef) production, and 15 miles south of Lorraine in Nolan County.

Location is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 35, block 12, H&TC survey.

## STONEWALL EXPLORER

C.W. Bolin of Wichita Falls plans to drill No. 1 Alexander as a 6,100-foot wildcat 1/2 mile east of a 2,225-mile northeast extension to the Bissett Ranch (Strawn) field of Stonewall County. It is one location north of a 6,886-foot failure.

Well-site is 20 miles northeast of Aspermont, 2.15 miles from south and 467 feet from west lines of section 24, block F, H&TC survey, abstract 1412.

## FISHER PROBE

Hill Production Co. of Dallas will drill a 5,000-foot wildcat on the northeast edge of the Raven Creek (Strawn and Noodle Creek) field of Fisher County, 10 miles northwest of Noodle.

Operating as the No. 2 Touchstone Maberry, location spots 1,100 feet from north and 2,200 feet from east lines of section 1, block 19, T&P survey.

## IRION TRY

Phoenix Resources Co., operating

from Pleasanton, will drill No. 257 Ela C. Sugg as a 5,000-foot wildcat, 1,200 feet southwest of Clear Fork production and 1,650 feet southwest of San Andres production in the Howda field of Irion County.

Well-site is 660 feet from south and 2,884 feet from east lines of section 57, block 14, H&TC survey. Ground elevation is 2,660 feet.

## SCHLEICHER ACTIVITY

Tucker Drilling Co. Inc. of San Angelo finished the No. 1-A Steen as a Canyon sand 5950 oil discovery, 1.5 miles northwest of the Neva, West (Canyon and Strawn) field and separated by deep failures. Site is 13 miles north of Eldorado.

Operator reported a 24-hour pumping potential of 67.5 barrels of 39.3-gravity oil and no water, with gas-oil ratio of 619-1.

Production is through perforations from 5,962 to 5,968 feet, after an acid treatment of 1,000 gallons and fractured with 25,000 gallons.

Drilled to 7,001 feet, 4.5-inch casing is set at 6,290 feet. Plugged back depth is 6,174 feet.

The following tops were picked on ground elevation of 2,444 feet; Wolfcamp line, 4,401 feet; Strawn line, 6,788 feet; top of pay, 5,962 feet.

Location is 935 feet from north and 3,511 feet from east lines of section 1211, TCRR survey.

The same firm will drill the No. 2 Steen, 1,350 feet southeast of the strike, 1,782 feet from north and 2,486 feet from east lines of section 1211, TCRR survey, abstract 618 feet.

Scheduled depth is 6,100 feet, with ground elevation of 2,419 feet.

## RUNNELS COUNTY

Enrich Oil Corp. of Abilene will drill the No. 1 Dora McWilliams as a 4,800-

foot wildcat, 3/8 mile southwest of depleted production in the Norton, East (Gardner sand) field, and 1/2 mile southeast of the Motley, North multipay.

Location is 167 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of Thomas M. Fowler survey No. 439, abstract 189, four miles southeast of Norton.

Delray Oil Inc. of San Antonio completed a discovery and asked for field designation of Leonard (2400, Gunsite or Rush) for its No. 6 Raymond field, one mile southeast of the 3500 gas opener and lone producer in the Leonard field, 2.5 miles southwest of Talpa.

A 24-hour flowing potential was reported making 21 barrels of 42.4-gravity oil and five barrels of water, through a 1.4-inch choke and perforations between 2,381 and 2,390 feet.

The pay was treated with 2,000 gallons and gas-oil ratio is 252-1.

Total depth is 3,679 feet, with 4.5-inch casing set at 3,677.80 feet. Plugged back depth is 3,631 feet.

Operator picked the following tops on ground elevation of 1,881 feet; Serratt, 2,070 feet; Gunsite, 2,365 feet; Home Creek, 2,466 feet; Palo Pinto, 3,021 feet; Capps, 3,263 feet; and Jennings, 3,416 feet.

Location spots 3,500 feet from north and 1,160 feet from east lines of section 111, ETRR survey.

## TOM GREEN RE-ENTRY

Hexagon Oil & Gas Inc. of Fort Worth will re-enter and plug back to 7,000 feet at the former Tucker Drilling Co. No. 1-1120 Cargile, Tom Green County 7,201-foot wildcat failure, 2.5 miles northwest of the Munn-Green (Wolfcamp) field and 2.75 miles southwest of Water Valley.

Originally abandoned in 1974, location is 660 feet from north and 2,700 feet from east lines of section 1120, TTRR survey.

# Former Gus employee nabbed by FBI

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — The former employee of an El Paso oil-finding equipment firm was in jail today after FBI agents said he tried to sell secrets of one major oil company to another.

The FBI said they arrested Billie Eugene Bauer, 48, of Juarez, Mexico after he crossed the international border with more than 200 secret documents and tried to sell them to an undercover agent.

Bauer was ordered jailed in lieu of \$25,000 bond.

The investigation began after Phillips Petroleum Co. officials alerted American Oil Co. they had received a letter offering detailed plans of AMOCO equipment manufactured at Gus Manufacturing, Inc., the FBI said.

When Bauer left Gus Manufacturing last September, the federal com-

plaint said, he pledged not to reveal company secrets.

The complaint said Phillips contacted AMOCO immediately after it had received a letter offering detailed plans for the equipment.

AMOCO notified the FBI and a meeting with an undercover agent and the letter writer was arranged for Wednesday at an El Paso hotel, according to the federal complaint. During that meeting Bauer gave the secret documents to the agent, the complaint said.

A federal court preliminary hearing was for Dec. 18.

The FBI would not give details on the oil-finding equipment involved. But, a geology professor at the University of Texas at El Paso, Dr. Randy Keller, said he was familiar with the machinery. Keller called the equipment "one of their top of the line

pieces of gear, very sophisticated.

"It's composed of little boxes that sit in a field collecting information which goes into a big computer. Seismic waves are recorded, and the seismographic picture is then interpreted by a seismographer," Keller said.

The picture can eventually be used to show where underground oil can be found, he added.

Officials of both oil companies praised the FBI for their work on the case. Security officers for Standard Oil also participated in the investigation.

If convicted of the charge of transporting stolen property across international lines, Bauer could receive a maximum sentence of 10 years in prison and be fined \$10,000.

# American Quasar finals Atoka strike

American Quasar Petroleum Co., operating from Midland, has completed an Atoka gas discovery at its No. 1 Tres Alas, rank wildcat 50 miles north of Kent in Culberson County.

The strike finalized for a calculated absolute open flow potential of 1,350,000 cubic feet of gas per day, through perforations from 12,925 to 13,090 feet and from 13,350 to 13,374 feet. The zones were acidized with 5,000 gallons and fractured with 20,000 gallons.

Total depth is 15,485 feet and five-inch liner is set at 15,485 feet. The plugged back depth is 13,383 feet.

Well-site is 1,320 feet from north and 990 feet from east lines of section 4, block 112, psl survey.

## IRION WELL

Blackacre Oil Corp. of Midland announced completion of No. 1 J.W. Field, sixth lower Canyon sand producer in the Arden, South (Canyon and lower Canyon sand) field of Irion County, four miles north of Arden.

Operator reported a 24-hour flowing gauge of 71 barrels of oil and 12.3 barrels water and a gas-liquid ratio of 1,479-1.

Production was through a 1/4-inch choke and perforations from 6,560 to 6,572 feet, 6,614 and 6,724 feet and 6,706 and 6,724 feet.

The zones were acidized with 2,500 gallons and fractured with 40,000 gallons.

Total depth is 6,870 feet, with 4.5-inch casing set at 6,834 feet.

Well-site is 3,629 feet from north and 467 feet from east lines of section 1013, L.C.

Ferguson survey, and 1,500 feet northwest of Canyon production.

## CROCKETT SITE

Dameron Petroleum Corp. of Midland will drill No. 1-20A Armond Hoover as a 1/2-mile northwest steep to American (Canyon gas) production, 29.9 miles southwest of Ozona in Crockett County.

Location is 1,000 feet from most northerly north line and 500 feet from most northerly west lines of section 20, block NN, GC&SF survey.

Scheduled depth is 7,600 feet, with ground elevation of 2,509 feet.

J. Cleo Thompson of Dallas finished No. 1-A P.L. Childress 1.25 mile southeast of Ozona, Northeast (Strawn) production, and 12 miles northeast of Ozona.

Operator reported a calculated absolute open flow potential of 1,500,000 cubic feet of gas daily, through perforations from 8,615 to 8,678 feet.

The pay was acidized with 3,500 gallons and fractured with 46,750 gallons. Gas-oil ratio is 21,088-1.

Total depth is 8,850 feet, with 4.5-inch casing set at 8,802 feet.

Location is 1,132 feet from north and east lines of section 10, block EF, GC&SF survey.

## FISHER TEST

D.A. Metts will drill No. 1 Watson 1,500 feet southeast of depleted production and 7/8 mile southwest of the recent re-opener of the Lena M.

Green (Strawn) field of Fisher County.

Location is eight miles northeast of Rotan, 660 feet from south and 1,650 feet from west lines of section 285, block 2, H&TC survey.

Contract depth is 5,800 feet.

## CHAVES PROJECT

Adams Exploration Co. filed application to drill two outposts in Chaves County, 14 miles southeast of Kenna.

The No. 1-4 State is one and one-eighth miles southwest of production in the Tomahawk field, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 4-8S-32E.

Scheduled depth is 4,325 feet.

The No. 2-4 State is one and three-eighths miles southwest of Chaverro (San Andres) production and one and one-eighth mile southeast of the Tomahawk (San Andres) field, 1,980 feet from north and west lines of section 4-8S-32E. Contract depth is 4,400 feet.

## REAGAN OILER

Saxon Oil Co. of Midland completed No. 1 Brown one mile east of Spraberry Trend Area production in Reagan County, 14 miles northwest of Big Lake.

Operator reported a 24-hour pumping potential of 55 barrels of 40-gravity oil and 156 barrels of water, through perforations from 6,279 to 7,871 feet.

The pay was acidized with 1,000 gallons and fractured with 42,000 gallons. Gas-liquid ratio is 745-1.

Total depth is 7,961 feet, where 4.5-inch casing is set.

Location is 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 1203, GC&SF survey, abstract 169.

## LUBBOCK EXTENSION

The Stinnett, Southeast (Clear Fork) field of Lubbock County has extended 2.5 miles west. The No. 1 Virgie Crossland, eight miles north of Slayth, finalized to pump 30 barrels of 29-gravity oil and 225 barrels water, through perforations from 4,503 to 4,600 feet, after an acid treatment of 8,000 gallons.

Drilled to 4,736 feet, 4.5-inch casing was landed on bottom.

Location is 330 feet from north and west lines of tract 3, league 3, San Augustine County School Land survey.

## GARZA WELL FINALS

W. Ridley Wheeler Estate of Fort Worth finalized No. 1 G.H.V. Wheeler as the second Glorieta producer in the Hackberry field of Garza County, four miles south of Southland.

Operator reported a 24-hour pumping potential of 30 barrels of 35-gravity oil and two barrels of water, through perforations ranging from 4,241 to 4,245 feet, after being treated with 1,500 gallons acid.

Originally drilled as the No. 1 H.V. Wheeler, it finalized in 1957 in the San Andres zone from perforations from 3,658 to 3,668 feet.

Drilled to 4,269 feet, 4-inch liner is hung from 3,941 to total depth.

Location is 2,280 feet from north and 990 feet from east section 1219, AB&M survey.

## DRILLING REPORT

EDFORD COUNTY  
Cities Service Oil Co. No. 13-A Bagley, 10,422 feet, pumped 12 barrels of oil and 27 barrels of water in 24 hours, through perforations from 1,285 to 1,306 feet.

Madison Energy Corp. No. 1 A.D. Wards, drilling 3,112 feet in time and dolomite.

EDDY COUNTY  
Harvey Yates No. 1 Travis, 10,345 feet, shut down for repairs.

Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1 G. Hustler Bufls, 10,008 feet in time, shale and sand, rigging up to run logs.

Southland Royalty Co. No. 13-A State, communicating, drilling 11,301 feet in time and shale.

Exxon Corp. No. 1 Mile Post Com., 10,700 feet, testing.

Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1 Trutt Ranch Unit, drilling 10,391 feet in time and shale.

Gulf Oil Corp. No. 13 Eddy Com., 10,894 feet, shale, rigging, preparing to run straddle jacks.

GAINES COUNTY  
The Service Drilling Co. No. 1 Buzo, drilling 6,510 feet in time and shale.

HOCKLEY COUNTY  
South Ranch Oil Co. No. 1 Williams, drilling 7,522 feet in time.

De Loydy, Inc. No. 1 Maroon, drilling 5,202 feet in time.

HOWARD COUNTY  
Aldine Oil & Gas Corp. No. 1 Langley, 11,109 feet in well and anhydrite, set 8.5 inch casing at total depth, waiting on cement.

IRION COUNTY  
Lynn Texas Petroleum No. 1-410 Farmer, 10,240 feet, flowed 128 barrels of oil and no water, through a 20-61 inch choke and perforations from 1,052 to 1,066 feet.

LEA COUNTY  
Southland Royalty Co. No. 1 Quercus, drilling 1,210 feet.

Exxon Corp. No. 1 F.W. Harrison, drilling 9,301 feet.

Gulf Oil Corp. No. 3-VII Lea State, drilling 3,306 feet in anhydrite and dolomite.

MARTIN COUNTY  
BK Petroleum No. 2 BK Union, drilling 10,363 feet.

MITCHELL COUNTY  
Lynn Texas Petroleum Corp. No. 1-136 Woodcock, 10,000 feet, testing on pump, no gauges, through perforations from 3,020 to 3,182 feet.

PECOS COUNTY  
Gulf No. 2 Emma Lou, 10,268 feet in dolomite, jetting.

Gulf No. 2 D.I.V. Weatherby, 10,258 feet in time and shale, sand, pulled out of hole, recovered fish.

Madison Energy No. 1 Frost National Bank State, drilling 5,316 feet in anhydrite.

Home Energy No. 1-9 Celf Ranch, drilling 11,003 feet.

Exxon No. 1 Edith Clifford, drilling 11,782 feet.

Exxon No. 1 Longfellow Corp., drilling 23,306 feet.

REEVES COUNTY  
Harvey Yates No. 1-135 San Martin, 10,600 feet, flowed 14 barrels of oil, 328 barrels of water in 24 hours, through a 20-61 inch choke and perforations at 9,388 to 9,417 feet.

Gulf No. 11 S.E. Ligon State, 10,600 feet in time and shale, fractured perforations at 4,882 to 6,526 feet with 33,000 gallons and 51,000 pounds sand, recovering logs.



# When Yetta blows, feet move

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Wouldn't you know a fashion designer would be in the audience the night Tommy Yetta wore his blue and yellow shoes. As it turned out, though, it was just as well.

Actually, the shoes were the second observation the designer made about Yetta. The first was the way her own shoes took to tapping when Yetta blew his horn.

When Tommy Yetta blows his horn, feet move. They can't help it.

"The more the people respond, the better I play," he said. "It's a magic circle."

Yetta's horn is a trumpet. He blows it, Dixieland style, on Bourbon Street.

One Dixieland trumpet on Bourbon Street, where that wonderfully raucous American folk art began, where, for block after gaudy block, from Canal to Esplanade, the jazz blaring from one joint assaults the jazz blaring from the next, one trumpet would ordinarily be as distinguishable as one shrimp in a hot dish of Cajun gumbo.

Not so to Signora Guilianna di Camerino. On a visit to New Orleans to promote her fashions (which go by the design name "Roberta"), the signora got her first taste of Dixieland jazz. She was smitten.

She decided to take back with her to Venice, Italy, an authentic Dixieland band to play at a fashion show. If a Dixieland band won't attract attention, neither will a five-alarm fire.

She had just one instruction for her New Orleans agent: "Hire the man with the blue and yellow shoes."

"What a kick," Tommy Yetta recalled. "We had a parade of candlelit boats out to her private island where the show was to be held. She and I and the band were in the lead boat."

## Mayor gets big raise

HALEAH, Fla. (AP) — Hialeah City Council members say they voted a 72 percent pay raise for the mayor to put him on a par with colleagues in similar cities.

The council voted 4-3 to add \$16,232 to Mayor Dale Bennett's annual salary of \$22,500, plus \$5,000 for expenses. The expense account was later withdrawn, but the city will still pay for out-of-town trips approved by the council.

"I earn over \$25,000," said Joanne Coleman, a new member of the council and an airline advertising specialist. "I think that having building inspectors making more than the mayor is lousy."

With the raise voted Tuesday night, the mayor of Florida's seventh-largest city, makes almost double the combined salaries of Dade Mayor Steve Clark, Miami Mayor Maurice Ferré and Miami Beach Mayor Murray Meyerson.

But Hialeah personnel director Dan Greenfield says Jacksonville, Orlando and Tampa pay their mayors from \$40,000 to \$45,000.

Hialeah and the other cities all have "strong mayor" governments, unlike Dade County, Miami and Miami Beach, where the city council or commission is more powerful, Greenfield said.

"The mayor in each (strong mayor city) is called upon to make the strong decisions," the personnel director said.



Dixieland jazz trumpeter Tommy Yetta poses for a portrait with his horn. Yetta plays at Crazy Shirley's on Bourbon Street in New Orleans. (AP Laserphoto)

## Jimmy Dean to open restaurants

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — He's big and craggy and a lot smarter than he looks. He's Jimmy Dean, Sausage King.

Riding the crest of "Big Bad John" and a host of other country hits, Dean has parlayed a successful singing career into a national sausage business that he says this year will gross \$60 million.

Now, 18 years after "Big Bad John," he's ready to take what many Ohioans may regard as the ultimate step in the sausage business. He's opening up a line of sausage restaurants, and he's beginning the lion in his den by beginning the first two restaurants in Columbus, the backyard of sausage magnate Bob Evans.

"This isn't Bob Evans country. This is America," Dean said while visiting Columbus to promote his new venture.

Dean promoted to the hilt while in the state capital. He appeared on radio talk shows, attended promotional parties and put on his western hat every time someone wanted to take his picture.

While keeping the tip of his finger in the entertainment business, Dean is now the consummate wheeler-dealer.

He manages a multimillion dollar financial empire from Jimmy Dean Co. headquarters in Dallas and jets round the country managing enterprises that range from a sausage plant in Iowa through a pie skin coat business and hotels and to Florida citrus groves. He takes an occasional entertainment booking — like maybe \$20,000 for playing a radio.

After two years of what he refers to as "problems" in the Jimmy Dean Sausage Co., he cleaned house at the top, bought out his partner brother and expects to do about \$100 million in business next year.

Dean is the oft heard, classic rags to riches story of a poor Texas boy turned multimillionaire entertainer-businessman.

"I just like to build things," he says. "When I get the sausage business to where it's the best and perfect and I can't make it any better, then I'll sell it and do something else," he said. But he also adds that part of his desire to "build things" may be insecurity he feels about not wanting to be poor again.

And, he sees the federal government as doing all it can to, if not make him poor, at least keep him from passing along much of an inheritance. "Any more a man is punished for succeeding," he said. "If a man is not willing to try when he can drop dead and the world will be better off without him," he says in self-made man fashion.

Dean is just as pessimistic on the fate of American hostages in Iran. "It's going to lead to bloodshed and to violence," he said. "I'm scared to death and fully believe that if they harm one of those people, we should flatten them out."

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## Porn films now fact of college life

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — On the night before midterms and finals, students at the University of Michigan taking a study break can head for a blue movie, right in their own dormitories.

X-rated films, at informal showings or organized dorm festivals, are now a fact of college life, campus officials say.

"It does occur campus-wide and is a national phenomenon," said Mary Bewley, director of the University of Michigan's South Quadrangle dormitory complex.

One South Quad dormitory holds a porno movie night for women each April Fool's Day. Similar festivals for men and women in other wings of the complex are held before spring exams and in the fall.

University officials say more good than harm comes of the screenings, because students see the films in a relaxed atmosphere and can discuss them with friends and staff.

The films also help students make decisions about sexuality, Bewley said.

"A lot of the women up here are really very naive," Bewley said.

"When they come here and live in the same dorm with men, they are hit with a lot of questions and have to decide their own morality and make judgments on their own sexuality."

The movies are a way of educating men too, said Patricia Ward, chairwoman of the dorm's sexuality committee.

"We try to show them they don't have to feel pressured to see a porn film in order to be one of the guys. You have the right to find these things distasteful," she said.

Of 500 women in the South Quad dormitory, only about 35 attended the April Fool's Day festival, said Sue Ferrick, director of the dormitory.

"Some felt it was gross and left, but there were no real extreme reactions. We felt it was a healthy atmosphere," she said.

No university funds appear to be used for the showings. Students raise money to obtain the films. The showings for men and women are generally separate, and no one is pressured to attend.

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# Networks offer some good stuff

By PETER J. BOYER  
AP Television Writer  
LOS ANGELES (AP) — Having done at least my share of grumbling about the avalanche of fluff that inundates network television this time of year, I am obliged to acknowledge the good stuff, too.  
There is, this weekend, good stuff to acknowledge.

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Dec. 15	AIDA Verdi	12:00 PM
Dec. 22	RISE AND FALL OF THE CITY OF AMYRAGONNA Weill	1:30 PM
Dec. 29	HANS AND GRETEL Humperdinck	1:00 PM
1980		
Jan. 5	LA GIOCONDA Puccini	1:00 PM
Jan. 12	DER ROSENKAVÄLER Strauss	12:00 PM
Jan. 19	RIGOLETTO Verdi	12:00 PM
Jan. 26	TOSCA Puccini	1:00 PM
Feb. 2	EDIPLO Beethoven	1:00 PM
Feb. 9	GIULIO A Verdi	1:00 PM
Feb. 16	ETIENNA Strauss	1:00 PM
Feb. 23	CAMILLA BOISFACANA Mascagni	1:00 PM
Feb. 30	K. PUGLIERI BOISFACANA Mascagni	1:00 PM
Mar. 7	L. N. BELLIAN MASCHERA Verdi	1:00 PM
Mar. 14	WOLFEK Beethoven	1:00 PM
Mar. 21	IRON CROWN Verdi	1:00 PM
Mar. 28	IRON CROWN Verdi	1:00 PM
Apr. 4	IRON CROWN Verdi	1:00 PM
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"The Gift," I think, comes as close to defining the Christmas spirit as any holiday special the tube has offered lately. The movie, Saturday night on CBS, is based on Pete Hamill's novel about a father's gift of love.

The setting for Hamill's story is a Brooklyn neighborhood, circa 1952, a neon and tenement subculture in which pals are family and toughs "pack heat." The framework of the story is a young sailor's three-day Christmas leave.

They are to be three days of consequence. "I had three days," the lad says in his opening narration, "three days to see if I still had a girl and to talk to my family, to sort out my life before getting shipped out, probably to Korea, where people were dying..."

Suffice it to say his quest is fulfilled, after much backing through thick pride and prejudice. Glenn Ford gives an extraordinary performance as the father, Billy Devlin, the neighborhood hero whose bitterness and pride kept him from knowing his son, and from revealing himself, as well.

Gary Frank plays our hero, Pete Devlin. Frank, a talented actor, seems a bit uncomfortable in the role, perhaps because he's asked to affect a Brooklyn patter. The sheer, raw power of the story, though, with its simple bedrock theme, isn't diminished.

ABC and NBC check in with Christmas-theme movies on Sunday, unpreviewed but promising. Henry Winkler plays a Depression-era American Scrooge in ABC's "An American Christmas Carol." He gets ghostly visits and such, and I'll bet he finds the Christmas spirit in the end.

NBC has something called "Christmas Lilies of the Field," a TV sequel to the 1963 theatrical film that earned Sidney Poitier an Oscar as the free-lance handyman who helps some German nuns build a "shapple." Billy Dee Williams gets a go at it this time, with Maria Schell playing the Mother Superior.

Yet a better bet on Sunday, although there's no Christmas theme involved, is the return of "The Duchess of Duke Street" on PBS' "Masterpiece Theatre." The Duchess is back for 16 new episodes of snobbery, romance and intrigue in high-society London.

"Duchess" follows the 12-week serialization of H.E. Bates' "Love for Lydia," a series that started painfully slowly but developed into one of "Masterpiece Theatre's" best ever attractions. The return of the familiar Duchess, the scullery maid who became confidante of the world's rich, will help ease the feeling of regret and loss that comes with the conclusion of each "Masterpiece" series.



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## Mercury vapor lamps hazardous

Dear Dr. Solomon: A few years ago, mercury vapor lamps were installed in our neighborhood, and they have been very effective. However, now I'm told they are hazardous. I wonder if our health has been endangered, and, if so, why they continue in use.—Gloria

Dear Gloria: The mercury vapor lamps pose a potential hazard only if broken. The lamp is composed of an interior tube that contains mercury gas, and an outer glass globe. The gas emits ultraviolet radiation, most of which is absorbed by the globe. If the glass is broken, however, and the mercury tube continues to function, the ultraviolet radiation that escapes can cause eye injuries or skin burns to anyone exposed for an extended period of time.

In view of this potential danger, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) required that lamps manufactured after March 6, 1980, for use in areas where people could be exposed to the

radiation for extended periods of time must shut off automatically within 15 minutes if the outer glass is broken. This would apply to lamps used in places such as factories and sports arenas. The FDA safety standards also require labeling of the lamps, with adequate information to users and clear warnings and instructions.

Lamps that do not shut off automatically may continue to be used in places like streets or parking lots, where people ordinarily would not remain exposed for more than a few minutes. The FDA requirement permits the continued use of the lamps, which are economical to operate and last a long time, while protecting the public from potential hazards.

The FDA has received reports of more than 460 injuries related to broken mercury vapor lamps, most requiring medical attention, with the severity of the injury related to the length of exposures and distance from the lamp.

### SHEINWOLD ON BRIDGE

#### When Not to Think

By Alfred Sheinwold

When a reputable finesse is taken to you, don't win your trick. Don't even think just wait for the second finesse.

Declarer took the queen of spades and led the jack of hearts for a finesse. If West takes his king of hearts and returns a trump, South wins, cashes the spades to discard a diamond from dummy, takes the top diamonds and ruffs a diamond. South discards his last diamond on a high club and ruffs a club to get back to his hand. Then South can afford to draw the last trump.

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Actually, dummy's jack of hearts won the first trump trick. West played a low trump, without the slightest thought.

Sure that the finesse had succeeded, declarer led the ten of hearts to repeat the finesse. West won and led a third trump.

And now South couldn't find a way to get 12 tricks.

Maybe South should take the second trump with the ace instead of finessing. The fact remains that he did fall for West's swindle—just as most players would.

#### DAILY QUESTION

Partner opens with one diamond, and the next player passes. You hold: ♠ A K 4 ♥ A Q 9 8 2 ♦ A 7 6 5 ♣ 4. What do you say?

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**NORTH**  
♠ Q J  
♥ J 10 4  
♦ K J 3  
♣ A K 9 6 2

**WEST**  
♠ 10 9 8  
♥ K 7 3  
♦ 8 4  
♣ J 8 7 5 3

**EAST**  
♠ 7 6 5 3 2  
♥ 6 5  
♦ Q 10 9 2  
♣ Q 10

**SOUTH**  
♠ A K 4  
♥ A Q 9 8 2  
♦ A 7 6 5  
♣ 4

North East South West  
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♥ Pass  
2 ♥ Pass 4 NT Pass  
5 ♣ Pass 5 NT Pass  
6 ♥ All Pass

Opening lead — ♦ 10

**ANSWER:** Bid two hearts. The immediate jump is forcing to game and hints at a slam. If partner cannot raise hearts you will show your diamond support.

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### Border call criticized by official

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A county official has criticized the call for an open border between the U.S. and Mexico with unlimited immigration between the two countries, saying it would pose serious socio-economic problems for Los Angeles County.

Supervisor Pete Schabarum said Wednesday the "unchecked flood of illegal aliens entering the United States has a severe fiscal impact on local governments."

State Health and Welfare Secretary Mario Obledo, the ranking Latino in the Brown administration, on Tuesday said he favored an open-border policy.

Obledo pointed out the population of Mexico will double in the next 20 years, and as Mexico faces mounting economic problems it will become increasingly difficult to stem the flow of illegal aliens into the U.S.

But in response, Schabarum renewed his call for federal legislation to establish a national immigration policy.

The county health services department spends nearly \$100 million annually for medical services to illegal aliens, Schabarum said. He added that an open-door policy will further increase county spending for health, welfare and social services for undocumented residents.

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Marilyn Van Petten receives the Woman and Boy Award and Bob Watkins, Fannin Elementary principal, receives the Man and Boy Award at a luncheon Thursday for Midland Boys' Club executives. Both were chosen for their service to young boys and girls in the community. (Staff Photo)

## Colombia plans airlift to aid quake victims

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — With aid reportedly dug in from the United States, Colombia is preparing to mount a major airlift of relief supplies today to remote areas of the earthquake-battered southwest, where thousands are reported homeless.

Torrential rains, low hanging clouds and damage to dirt landing strips has hampered earlier government efforts to reach many of the 50 towns and villages hit hardest by Wednesday's pre-dawn quake.

The government says about 200 people were killed, 4,000 injured and more than 10,000 left homeless by the quake and by a subsequent 10-foot high wave that slammed into villages along the Pacific Coast.

President Julio Cesar Turbay, who ordered his air force to fly relief supplies to the devastated area, said Thursday in a report to his Cabinet that he was "astounded" at the magnitude of the disaster.

Gov. Jaime Arizabaleta of the state of Valle, north of the hardest hit region, said a U.S. C-130 Hercules was due in Colombia from the United States to deliver tons of food, medicine and clothing. He gave no further details in a statement released through the president's office.

Reporters who flew over the stricken fishing village of Charco on Thursday saw a sign reading "We need medicine and food." Villagers waved

the message, painted on a large piece of cardboard, at the passing plane.

Quake damage to Charco's grass landing strip made it impossible to land. Authorities said tons of relief supplies destined for the village were stuck at an airport 35 miles away, but could not be moved in because there were no roads.

Officials in the village of 4,000 said at least 76 persons were killed and 650 injured.

Eight cargo planes ferried relief supplies Thursday to the city of Tumaco, where one out of every 10 buildings was reported destroyed, 40 persons killed and 7,000 homeless, the Red Cross said.

Until the relief planes arrived thousands of people wandered the streets looking for missing relatives, scavenging for food and safe drinking water.

"Why go on living?" one survivor asked in an interview with a local newsman in Tumaco. Hector Antonio Quijano, a 43-year old fisherman, said he was the only member of his family to survive the quake. He said his wife and their four children were killed along with two nephews who had been living with him.

"I lost everything," he said, sitting atop a pile of debris outside his demolished house. "Life isn't important to me any more." The bodies of his family lay nearby, covered by sheets.

## Another brush fire flares up in suburb of Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES (AP) — About 10 firefighters patrolled the Placerrita Canyon area today to guard against flare-ups in the two-day inferno that burned more than 4,300 acres, authorities said.

Meanwhile, 30 minutes after the Angeles National Forest blaze finally was extinguished Thursday, another brush fire broke out in suburban Sierra Madre. About 150 firefighters battled for two hours to control a one-acre fire that was buffeted by high winds.

No injuries were reported and no structures damaged in the fire. The cause of the blaze was under investigation.

Nearly 800 federal, state, county and city firefighters fought the Placerrita Canyon fire, which broke out Wednesday on the rugged hillsides about 20 miles northwest of downtown Los Angeles.

Firefighters had used an "air at

tack" earlier in the day to speed efforts to fully control the raging flames.

After completing fire lines and fully containing the blaze mid morning Thursday, firefighters concentrated on burning off a 300-acre pocket within the lines.

A "helitorch" suspended from a helicopter was used to drop a palm-like liquid fuel to speed the burn-off while winds were down, county Fire Department spokesman Richard Friend said.

Four air tankers and two helicopters dropped water and fire retardant in the battle, fire officials said.

Gusting 35 mph winds on Wednesday had pushed the fire near the Walt Disney movie ranch where the "Roots II" television mini-series was filmed. About 20 homes also stood in the path of the flames before the wind changed the fire's direction.

## House debates urban aid plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — With the House poised to begin debate on one of President Carter's pet urban programs, the administration is belatedly sending computer printouts to Capitol Hill showing where the money would be spent.

Printouts began arriving Thursday evening in response to complaints from some House members that otherwise they would be voting on a bill designed to aid depressed cities and rural areas without knowing which communities would benefit.

The bill, scheduled for debate today, contains \$1 billion for communities that would be hurt by next year's anticipated recession and \$250 million of "targeted fiscal assistance" for poor rural and urban areas.

The legislation was rushed through the House Government Operations Committee last week and has become one of several priority bills Congress hopes to act on before adjourning for the Christmas recess.

The bill uses a complicated formula to determine which communities would qualify for the fiscal assistance, leaving many congressmen in the dark about the potential effect on their home districts.

"If you think that ignorance is bliss, then this is a bill for you," chided Rep. Clarence J. Brown, R-Ohio, in a letter to other members of Congress.

A staff aide on the Government Operations Committee said it was impossible to provide a breakdown on figures for the anti-recession aid because the amounts of money would depend on the severity of an economic downturn.

However, the aide, who asked not to be named, said the Treasury Department delivered a printout Thursday evening showing which communities would qualify for the "targeted fiscal assistance."

Although not released to the public, the printout was available for congressmen. However, few seemed aware the breakdown was available.

Unlike the anti-recession aid program established during the 1974-75 recession, the House bill would be triggered if the gross national product, adjusted for inflation, declined for two consecutive quarters along with drop in real income.

The aid would then be dispensed, according to a sliding scale, depending on how high an area's unemployment rate was.

The anti-recession aid is designed to help a city or town maintain its public services during a period of high unemployment when it might also suffer a drop in tax revenue.

Despite the bill's \$1 billion authorization for anti-recession aid, the administration estimates less than \$200 million would be spent in fiscal 1980, which ends Sept. 30.

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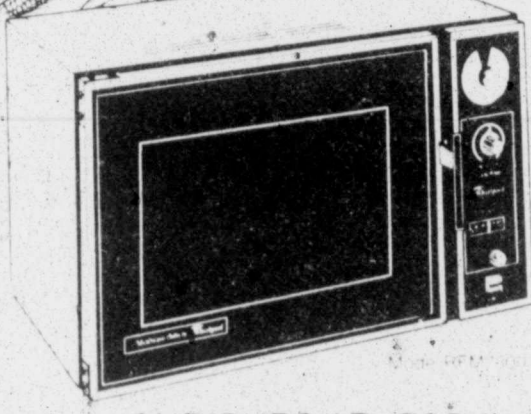
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the CP Center. Sponsoring the annual event is the Children's Service League, with assistance also from Girl Scouts and Junior Woman's Club. The association also stuffed stockings. (Staff Photo by Bruce Partain)

## Woman a superstar real estate agent

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) — On a recent afternoon, in this sun-blessed haven of millionaires, Elaine Young, superstar real estate agent, was showing a mansion to prospective buyers, apparently foreign.

"I was trying to be friendly, and I said, 'Where are you from?'" she recalls. "That's when I saw absolute fear in their eyes."

"Finally, one of them said, 'I'm Iranian but I'm Jewish.' It was very sad, but that's what's happening here."

In spite of the fearful mood, Ms. Young says the combined crises of Iran and soaring interest rates have done little to cool the wild land rush that has made Beverly Hills a boomtown and propelled real estate agents to celebrity status.

"Everyone says prices can't go much higher," says Ms. Young. "But I think they will continue to go up. This is still the greatest place to live. It has more money, more glamor, more allure than anyplace else."

It also has perhaps the highest housing prices in the land. A recent survey by the Real Estate Research Council of Southern California put the "average price" of a home in Beverly Hills at \$800,000.

Ms. Young's properties often list at over \$1 million, and interest costs don't worry her buyers.

"If they can afford to buy a house for \$2 million and \$3 million, it doesn't matter," she says. "Anyway, a lot of them pay cash."

Now, Ms. Young, who has become a millionaire in the Beverly Hills boom, has written a book about her amusing adventures in the real estate jungle — a light-hearted account of high finance deals with movie stars, sports figures and rock stars.

The book, written with movie writer Ray Loynd, is titled, "A Million Dollars Down," a reference to often astronomical down payments to hold a hot property.

Ms. Young, 44, a divorcee who numbers among her four ex-husbands the late actor Gig Young, is at home in this milieu of movie stars and millionaires.

Her Hollywood lifestyle closely matches her clients', and Elaine Young, making an entrance in her pale beige mink jacket and hat, her platinum blonde hair carefully styled, could be mistaken for a movie star herself.

The daughter of a onetime movie studio executive, Ms. Young was raised amid the tinsel.

"I knew I couldn't sing or dance or act," she says in her book, "but I was caught up in the glamor and knew something had to happen."

She hit on real estate almost by accident, then realized she had a talent for it.

"I sold my first house to Tuesday Weld," she recalls. "It cost her \$20,000 in 1957." Her latest sale, to Sylvester Stallone, was in the vicinity of \$1.5 million.

Her largest sale to date was an estate purchased by producer Dino DeLaurentis for \$2 million. "It would sell for \$18 million now," she says.

With a six per cent commission on sales, Ms. Young's income easily hits six figures a year. And behind her bubbly, cotton-candy exterior clicks a shrewd investor's mind. Ms. Young doesn't just sell properties; she buys them. She now owns about a dozen

houses bought at rock bottom prices and leased for thousands.

Her accountant recently estimated her net worth at \$1.5 million.

To make money, however, she concedes she must spend it. She throws frequent parties with guest lists topping 500. The bill for her glamorous clothing, with an emphasis on low-cut dresses, hovers around \$15,000 a year. She drives a \$44,000 white Rolls Royce convertible with the license plate:

"Elaine 7."

Last year, as Ms. Young's fame increased, she left the agency where she worked and invested \$60,000 in a partnership with two other agents. The new agency, "Alvarez, Hyland and Young," spent another \$100,000 to decorate an office in the midst of Beverly Hills' high rent district.

The "think big" philosophy paid off. The office now has 15 agents and may hit \$25 million in sales this year.

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### DEAR ABBY

## Pants-suit foes get belted back

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: Never did I think I'd be writing to you, but I am completely fed up with the despicable people who write in to criticize women who wear pants suits!

Two years ago when we moved to this small community I was eager to join a church. I asked someone if it was acceptable for a woman to wear pants suits to church. I was told, "No, it is frowned upon."

That's when I decided to have my own worship service in the living room of my home — in front of my TV set. God knows I'm sincere.

You see, Abby, for 20 years I've had terrible varicose veins, causing me constant pain, so I always wear heavy surgical stockings. For this reason I feel so much better in pants suits. Thank God for them!

People should think twice before criticizing the way I dress. — MRS. B., DE FUNIAK SPRINGS, FLA.

DEAR MRS. B.: Or they should withhold comment until having walked 20 years in your surgical stockings!

DEAR ABBY: You seem to get a lot of letters from people who place far too much importance on sex. I know it's important, Abby, but it's not nearly as important as most folks make it out to be. There are a lot of people in this world who manage to live without any sex at all. For example, look at all the nuns and priests. And what about some very fine UNMARRIED people? — SPENCER, IA.

DEAR SPENCER: And some very fine MARRIED people, too.

DEAR ABBY: How would you deal with a situation like this? Whenever our adopted daughter mentions an aunt or uncle, her husband says, "You have no relatives. You're adopted!"

It really hurts our daughter. — TORONTO

DEAR TORONTO: Your son-in-law is not only unbelievably ignorant, he's cruel as well. He should be informed that an adopted person has twice as many relatives — the families of her adoptive parents and the families of her biological parents.

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How do men feel about this? — EMBARRASSED

DEAR EMBARRASSED: Many people wear eye glasses, which are an aid to better vision, so don't be embarrassed by a hearing aid — which is an aid to better hearing. If he's a "fine" person, he won't like you less for it.

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### Palette Club has holiday luncheon

Midland Palette Club celebrated the Christmas season with a luncheon at the clubhouse, 604 N. Colorado St. Hostesses were Marjorie Keys, Tommye McClatchy, Dora Wohlfeld and Irene Terryman.

Committees gave reports on the recent art sale during a short business meeting. Following the meeting

and luncheon, members exchanged gifts.

Two members were introduced, including Mrs. William G. Price and Mrs. Jerry Willenburg.

Ginger Brown's work was selected as painting of the month. It will hang at Midland National Bank through December.

# Treasured Holiday Traditions

Holiday time is America's best loved season of the year. Traditions are a part of the season and one treasured most is the family dinner of tender, juicy, golden brown roast Butterball turkey with all the trimmings.

Thoughtful planning can streamline the holiday meal. A Cranberry Gingersauce dessert that can be made ahead and frozen saves last minute fuss. Also, making the Pumpkin Pie Spiced Peaches the day before is wise planning. Roasting the turkey unstuffed shaves a half to one hour from the total roasting time. Cooking the stuffing in a slow cooker or a casserole eliminates the time it takes to stuff the bird. Cooking a turkey large enough to provide turkey for another company meal saves time, energy and fuel.

## Traditional Holiday Menu

- Roast Butterball Swift's Premium Turkey
- Old-fashioned Stuffing Giblet Gravy
- Mashed Potatoes Sweet Potatoes
- Bacon and Tomato Seasoned Green Beans
- Pumpkin Pie Spiced Peaches
- Relish Tray
- Rolls Butter
- Cranberry Gingersauce with Sparkling Cranberry Sauce

## Old-Fashioned Bread Stuffing

Yield: 8 cups (enough for 12 pound turkey)

- 1-1/2 cups finely chopped onion
- 1-1/2 cups finely chopped celery
- 1 stick (1/2 cup) butter or margarine
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon poultry seasoning
- 1/2 teaspoon ground sage
- Pepper
- 8 cups dry unseasoned bread cubes
- 1/4 cup water or broth

Cook onion and celery in butter until tender. Mix seasonings together and sprinkle over bread cubes. Add onion mixture and water. Combine. Stuff thawed, rinsed turkey and roast immediately.

**Casserole Stuffing:** Prepare Old-Fashioned Stuffing increasing water or broth to 1/2 cup. Place mixture in 1-1/2 quart casserole. Cover and bake in 325 F. oven for 45 minutes.

**Slow Cooker Stuffing:** Prepare Old-Fashioned Stuffing decreasing onion to 1 cup, salt and sage to 1/4 teaspoon each, and increasing water or broth to 1/2 cup. Cook mixture in slow cooker on HIGH setting for 1 hour, then turn to LOW setting for 1 to 1-1/2 hours.

Note: 10 cups fresh bread cubes, dried overnight, yield 8 to 9 cups dry bread cubes.

## Pumpkin Pie Spiced Peaches

Yield: 6 servings

- 1 can (29 ounce) cling peach halves
- 1/4 cup lemon juice
- 2 tablespoons honey
- 1/2 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice
- 1 teaspoon grated orange peel
- 1 cinnamon stick
- 5 whole cloves

Drain peaches and reserve syrup. Combine syrup, lemon juice, honey, spices and orange peel in 2 quart saucepan. Bring to boil, stirring until sugar is dissolved. Cover and simmer about 10 minutes. Pour hot syrup over peach halves in bowl. Cover and let stand 1 hour, turning occasionally.

## Cranberry Gingersauce

Yield: 12 to 16 servings

- 2-1/2 cups sifted flour
- 1/3 cup sugar
- 1-1/2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 3/4 teaspoon salt
- 1-1/2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
- 3/8 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/4 teaspoon ground cloves
- 1 tablespoon grated orange peel
- 3/4 cup shortening
- 3/4 cup orange juice
- 3/4 cup light molasses
- 2 eggs
- 1-1/2 cups whole cranberries
- 3/4 cup chopped nuts

Thoroughly combine flour, sugar, baking powder, soda, salt, spices and orange peel in large mixing bowl. Add shortening, orange juice and molasses. Beat 2 minutes at medium speed on electric mixer, or 300 strokes by hand. Scrape sides and bottom of bowl. Add eggs. Beat 2 minutes longer. Stir in cranberries and nuts. Pour into 12 cup greased and floured teflon Bundt pan. Bake in a 325 F. oven for 45 minutes or until cake is done. Let cake cool in pan 10 minutes before turning out on serving plate. Serve warm with Sparkling Cranberry Dessert Sauce spooned over cake.

### HELPFUL HINTS:

1. To bake in a non-terlon pan, increase oven temperature to 350 F. Use a smaller mold than recommended. Fill mold 3/4 full and bake extra batter in muffin tins.
2. Bake cake in advance, wrap in foil and freeze. To reheat in conventional oven: Let cake stand at room temperature about 2 hours to thaw. Heat foil wrapped cake in 325 F. oven until warm through, about 45 minutes. Open foil during last 10 minutes. To reheat in microwave oven: Remove foil and place frozen cake on microwave safe plate. Microwave on DEFROST setting 5 to 7 minutes or until thawed. Heat on HIGH setting (full power) for 4 minutes or until warm through, rotating cake 1/2 turn after 2 minutes.

## Sparkling Cranberry Dessert Sauce

Yield: 2-3/4 cups

- 2 cups cranberries
- 1-1/2 cups water
- 1 cup sugar
- 1-1/2 teaspoons grated orange peel
- 2-1/2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 2 tablespoons water

Mix together cranberries, water, sugar and orange peel in medium saucepan. Cook over medium heat, stirring occasionally, about 5 minutes or until about half the berry skins have popped. Combine cornstarch and water and stir into cranberry mixture. Bring to a full boil, cook 1 minute, stirring constantly. Remove from heat. Serve warm over Cranberry Gingersauce.



Entertaining continues even after the holiday season and Turkey Tetrazzini is a casserole that is great for a company meal. To save time, assemble the casserole in advance and freeze it. A green vegetable, tossed salad and a crispy pretzelled bread make the company meal an easy one to serve. Colorful Holiday Dumplings with a cling peach filling and a Rosy Fruit Cocktail Sauce, make the occasion very special.

## Another Company Meal

- Turkey Tetrazzini
- Broccoli with Butter Crumb Topping
- Mixed Green Salad
- Italian Bread with Oregano Parsley Butter
- Holiday Dumplings with Rosy Fruit Cocktail Sauce

## Turkey Tetrazzini

Yield: 6 servings

- 6 slices cooked Butterball Swift's Premium Turkey
- 1-2 stick (1-1/4 cup) butter
- 2-3 cup sliced onion
- 1/4 cup flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon white pepper
- 1/2 teaspoon poultry seasoning
- 1/4 teaspoon dry mustard
- 2 cups milk
- 2 cups shredded sharp Cheddar cheese
- 2 tablespoons chopped pimiento
- 2 tablespoons cherry
- 4 ounce can mushrooms, stems and pieces, undrained
- 7 ounce package spaghetti, cooked, drained
- 1/3 cup shredded sharp Cheddar cheese

Melt butter in sauce pan. Sauté onion in butter until tender. Blend in flour and seasonings. Remove from heat. Gradually add milk. Stirring constantly, cook until mixture thickens. Add turkey, onion and pimiento, strain and cheese, melt. Add sherry and mushrooms. Add bread to butter sauce. Heat a layer of spaghetti in a 12 by 7-1/2 inch (2 quart) casserole. Layer with spaghetti, turkey and a layer of sauce. Repeat, finishing with a layer of sauce. Sprinkle 1/3 cup cheese over top. Bake in a 300 F. oven about 25 minutes.

Note: Casserole may be assembled, frozen in advance and reheated in a 350 F. oven for 1-1/2 hours or until hot.

## Holiday Dumpling with Rosy Fruit Cocktail Sauce

Yield: 6 servings

- 1 recipe Cream Cheese Pastry
- 1 can (29 ounce) cling peach halves
- 1/4 cup chopped walnuts
- 6 tablespoons brown sugar
- 1 teaspoon grated orange peel
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon

Prepare Cream Cheese Pastry and chill at least 1 hour for easier handling. Roll pastry out on lightly floured surface to 1/8 inch thick. Cut into six 5 inch squares. Brush with beaten egg whites. Prepare Peach Filling. Drain peaches. Combine nuts, brown sugar, orange peel and cinnamon. Place 1/2 cup of mixture into peach cavity and place filled side down on pastry square. Bring corners up to center and press each seam together well. Place on lightly oiled pan on another pan with 1 inch lip. Bake in preheated 375 degree F. oven 20 to 25 minutes or until lightly browned. Meanwhile, prepare Rosy Fruit Cocktail Sauce. Serve warm sauce over peach dumplings.

## Cream Cheese Pastry

- 1/2 cup 1 stick butter
- 4 ounces cream cheese
- 2 cups flour
- 3 tablespoons sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 egg yolks
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 2 egg whites, beaten

Cream butter and cream cheese of equal proportion or soft electric mixer. Stir together flour, sugar and salt. Add liquid mixture by cream mixture and blend until crumbly. Add egg yolks and lemon juice, mix until dough is formed. Egg whites brushed over dough later.

\*Dough may be prepared 5 days in advance and frozen for later use.

## Rosy Fruit Cocktail Sauce

- 30 ounce can fruit cocktail
- 2 cups cranberry juice cocktail
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1 tablespoon cornstarch
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon grated orange peel

Drain fruit cocktail and reserve 2-3 cup juice. Combine cranberry juice, reserved fruit cocktail, sugar, cornstarch and cinnamon in medium saucepan. Cook over medium heat until thick and clear, stirring constantly. Add orange peel and fruit cocktail. Serve warm over Holiday Dumplings.



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### Saving for retirement topic for club meeting

"Saving for Retirement: IRA and Keogh" will be the topic presented at the noon luncheon of the Uptown B&P Club Wednesday.

Diane Newland will speak on the Keogh Plan which is established for self-employed individuals and allows tax deductible contributions of retirement benefits. The major provisions of the plan will be highlighted.

IRA or Individual Retirement Accounts will be discussed by Jene Davis. An IRA contribution is also deductible from gross income and tax on earnings is deferred until withdrawal.

Anyone interested in attending the meeting and learning more on Keogh and IRA should contact Sheri Neal at 683-5412.

Ms. Newland is an assistant vice president and trust officer with the First National Bank of Midland. She is a member of the Midland Business and Estate Council and past president of the Uptown Business and Professional Women's Club.

Ms. Davis is an assistant trust officer with Midland National Bank. She is a member of the Midland Business and Estate Council and serves as treasurer of that organization.

### SUPER HANDYMAN

## There's mortar walls than bricks

By AL CARRELL

There are two types of brick walls — those that have a loose brick and those that will soon have a loose brick. Now if you just have one loose brick, maybe you want to leave it as is so you can have a hidey-hole for your jewels, cash, or whatever else you have to stash. However, loose bricks are usually prolific, and one begets another. The best idea is to make the repair.

If it's just a matter of replacing some of the mortar, it may be a fairly simple task. Don't start snickering, but this chore is called "tuck-pointing," a funny name for a not too funny job. If you don't take care of a crack, moisture can get in and enlarge the crack. Or even without mois-

ture to help, the crack can spread. You can use either mortar mix that requires that you just add water, or you can get a patching compound in a cartridge for use with a caulking gun. If looks count, you can probably more closely match the old by using a mortar mix.

The first step is to clean out all the loose mortar and cut back into the joint by at least half an inch. Use a cold chisel and hammer and be sure to wear your safety goggles. It works best to go after the vertical joints first, and then the horizontal. When your chipping is done, hose out the cavity.

Follow all the directions on the sack for mixing the mortar, and if

you want to test the color, place a small blob on a piece of corrugated board. The porous board will suck up much of the moisture, and you'll get a pretty good idea of what the finished joint will look like. You'll note it looks different than when first mixed. If it doesn't match, you'll have to play with the color. An actual color requires dyes that can you buy where they sell masonry supplies. Some people successfully add chalk dust since blackboard chalks come in a variety of colors. To lighten, add white chalk dust. After you have a close match, mix up enough to do the job.

Again dampen the joints, but be sure there's no standing water. Now force your mix into the joint with a trowel, making sure it doesn't leave any air spaces. After all the joints are filled, and before the mortar sets up, rake the joints to make them match the rest. If they go in, you can find something like a metal tube that's rounded to smooth and shape the joints. There's also an inexpensive jointer tool for raking.



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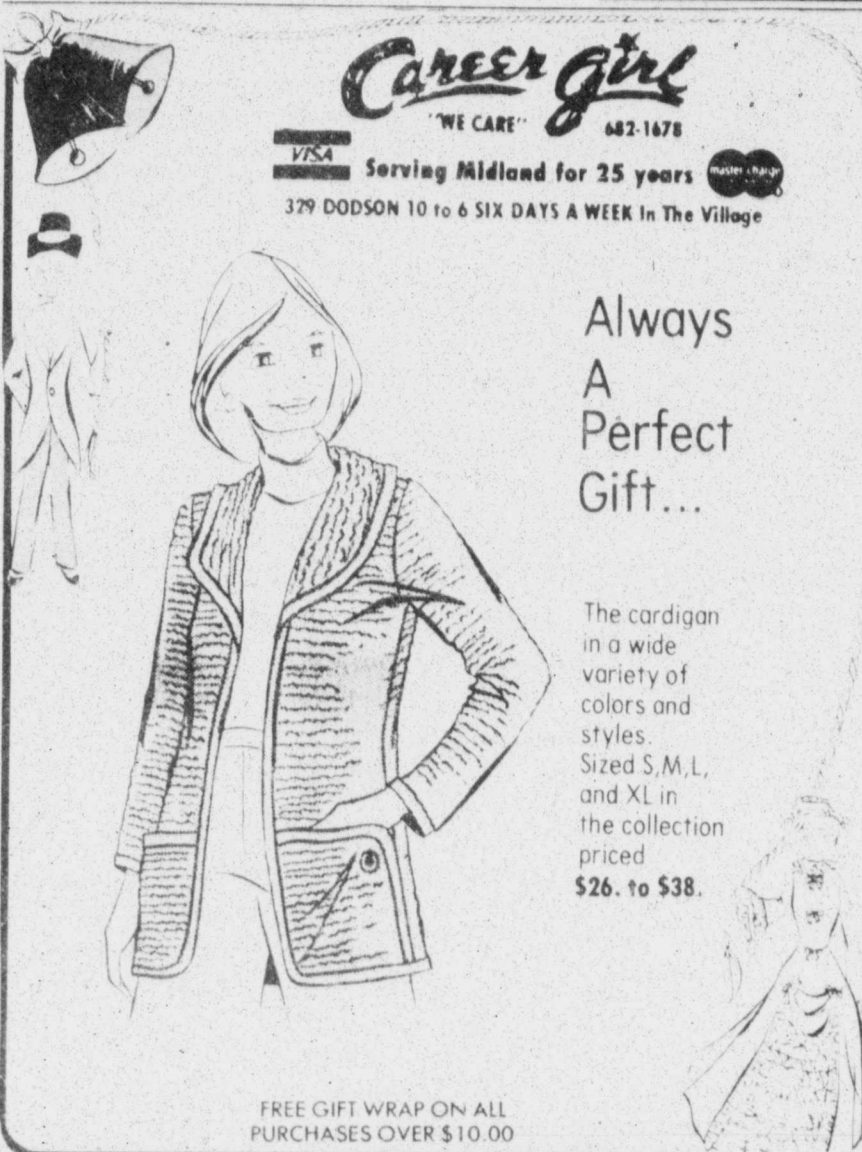
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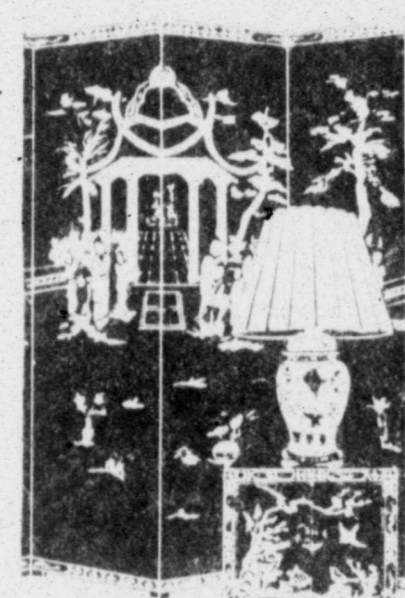
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**Your horoscope**

By JEANE DIXON

Saturday, December 15, 1979

**YOUR BIRTHDAY TO-DAY:** Changes may be in the air for you. Family life will require some extra attention. You may find yourself in a bit of a bind. (Interpretations are given in plain language.)

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): ARIES (Mar. 21-April 19): Business affairs are to be relaxed and do some things just for fun. Don't get too far from home. (Interpretations are given in plain language.)

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20): Relationships may grow stronger between you and a friend. (Interpretations are given in plain language.)

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20): Confusion with someone at a distance. It could provide help for you and perhaps the whole family. You may find just what you need for the holidays. (Interpretations are given in plain language.)

**CANCER** (June 21-July 20): Carry out responsibilities as best you can. Others will be appreciative. Avoid special occasions—it may lead to a pleasant encounter with interesting person. (Interpretations are given in plain language.)

**LEO** (July 21-Aug. 20): Working today can bring you money for Christmas. (Interpretations are given in plain language.)

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Relationships may grow stronger between you and a friend. (Interpretations are given in plain language.)

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Take advantage of the season. (Interpretations are given in plain language.)

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): About 10 days on your mind. There may be a revolution in connection with the changing attitudes of your partner. (Interpretations are given in plain language.)

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Take stock of what needs to be done in order to enjoy the season. (Interpretations are given in plain language.)

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20): Financial situation may be improved as result of improved investment. Be a good investor as well as a good parent. (Interpretations are given in plain language.)

**Stadium field is lowered**

PULLMAN, Wash. (AP) — When Washington State University wanted to expand its 28,000-seat stadium, it could not add on to tops of existing stands, because of the proximity of existing buildings.

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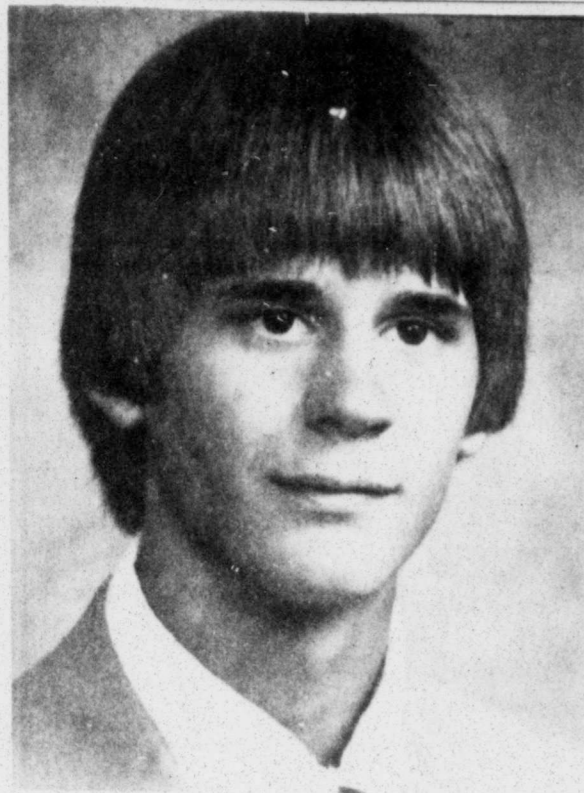
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Brad Hixon, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hixon, 3407 Princeton Ave., has been named Junior Lion of the Week by the Downtown Lions Club. A senior at Midland High School, he carries a 3.8 grade point average. His school activities include football, membership in the Key Club and vice president of the Industrial Arts Club. He attends Memorial Christian Church and is active in the church's high school youth group. He plans to attend Texas A&M and become a veterinarian.

## Hometown fans boo...again

EVANSVILLE, Ind. (AP) — The hometown fans are booing at University of Evansville basketball games again.

That's a healthy sign. A wound has healed; a city has recovered.

Two years ago, basketball Coach Bobby Watson, his entire team, several university officials and fans and a flight crew were killed in the crash of a chartered plane that was to carry them to a game in Tennessee. Twenty-nine persons died.

"We never want to forget," says Coach Dick Walters, and nobody has.

But for most residents of this sports-crazy city of 132,000, the mourning is over, and basketball again is king.

"Last year, the whole club felt it was carrying a torch," said Walters, who rebuilt the Purple Aces with such success that the National Collegiate Athletic Association dubbed them "comeback team of the year."

"When we first went on the road and were introduced at out-of-town games, the people all stood up and cheered," Walters recalled. "This year, they booed us just like anyone else. We've even been booed by our own fans at times, and that's a healthy thing."

Two years after the tragedy of Dec. 13, 1977, the city is full of healthy signs — among them, 50 billboards that greet newcomers with a message that's hard to miss: "The Aces are Back."

Streets and sidewalks are awash with purple vans, purple jackets, purple bumper stickers — in general, Purple Pride.

## National Park Service accused of 'coverup'

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The Wilderness Society has accused the National Park Service of promoting "an incomprehensible and indefensible" plan for de-urbanizing Yosemite National Park.

The park service is guilty of a "coverup" by refusing to disclose details of the new management plan which will guide Yosemite for the next 25 to 50 years, the 70,000-member society said in an announcement from Washington.

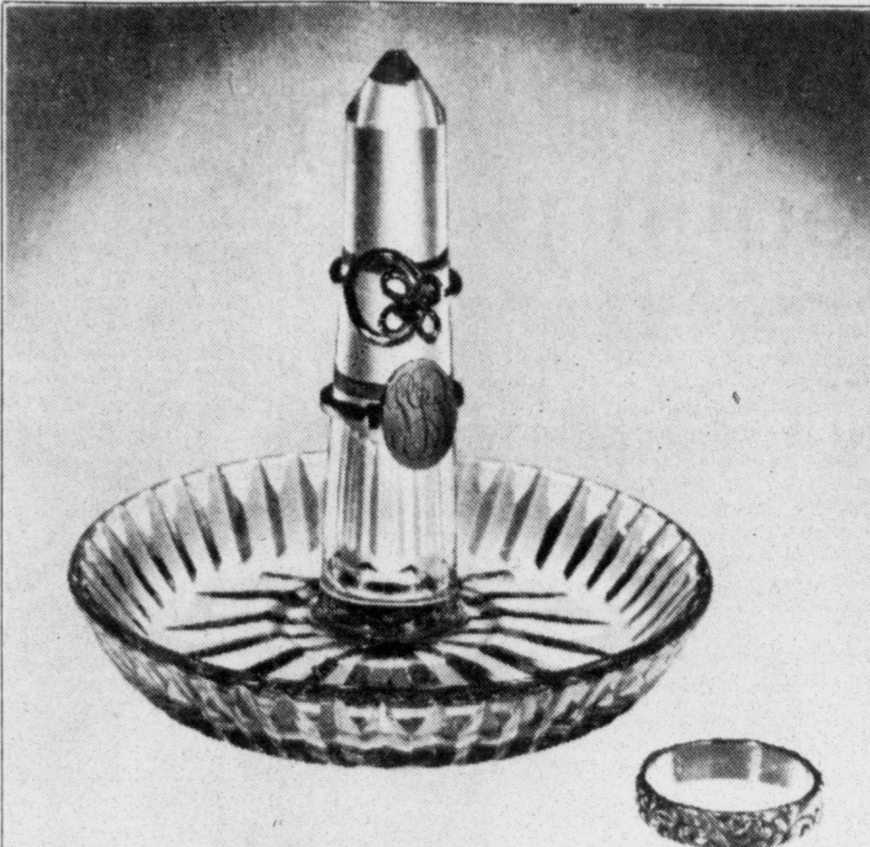
"This is the worst kind of Hollywood film-film and the public resents being treated this way," said executive director William A. Turnage.

NPS Director William J. Whalen announced Nov. 29 that park service and concession offices and residences would be moved .28 miles to Wawona on the south edge of the park. The estimated cost by 1990 was \$100 million.

Whalen said the rest of the plan would be released in the next week or two, but a high National Park Service official said in "no way" will it meet that deadline. He noted the plan must carry an environmental impact statement, and that takes time.

"It is quite clear to me that the details of the plan are being withheld from the public as part of a calculated strategy

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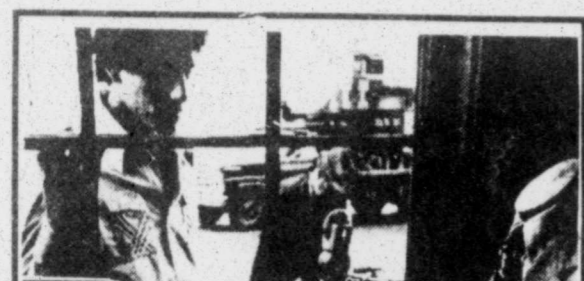


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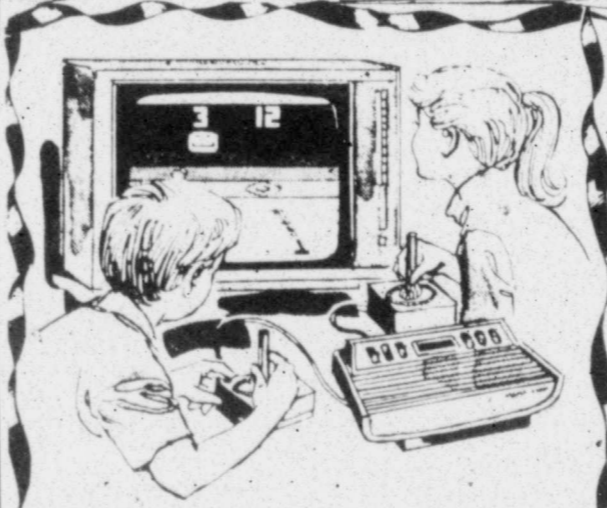
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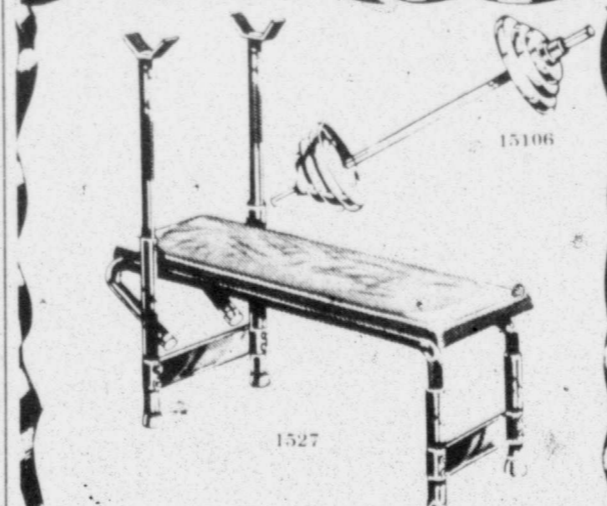
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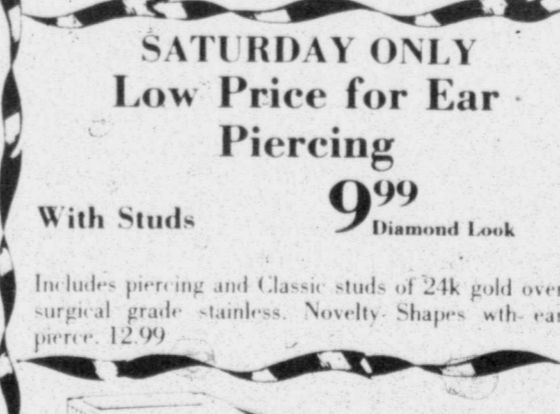
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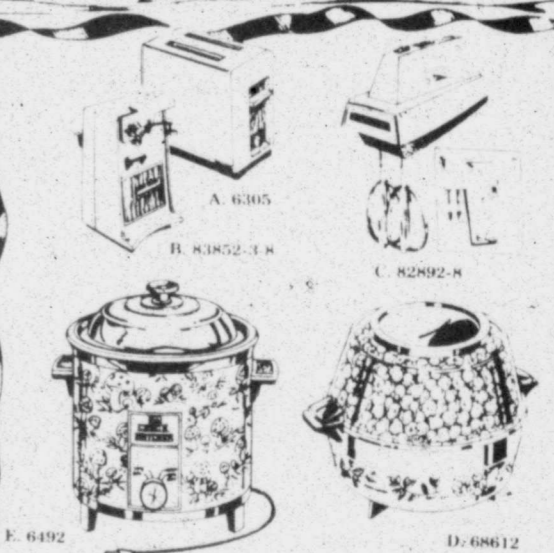
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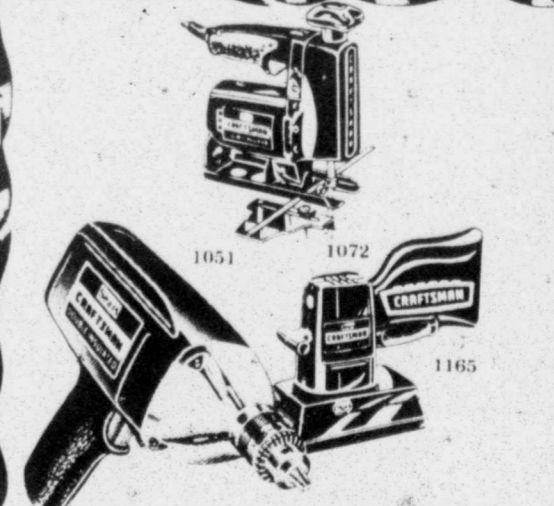
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# Supreme Court hears of bizarre dealings

CARSON CITY (AP) — Bizarre financial dealings of Howard Hughes were aired when the Nevada Supreme Court heard appeals from lower court decisions involving the late billionaire.

The high court heard a Summa Corp. appeal of a District Court decision in which Las Vegas Sun publisher Hank Greenspun won \$1 million in damages against the firm in a land title flap. The Supreme Court also heard lawyers for the Hughes estate argue against a \$3 million claim against the estate from Texas Commerce Bank National Association of Houston, Texas.

## Psychology Association to meet

ODESSA — The Psychology Association of Greater West Texas will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in The University of Texas at the Permian Basin's Devonian Room.

Psychology professionals in an area stretching from Pecos to San Angelo to Levelland are expected to attend the meeting. The group is affiliated with the Texas Psychological Association.

Dr. James Olson, associate professor of psychology at UTPB and a member of the organization, said persons working in the mental health professions, special education teachers, counselors and others in the field are invited to attend the meeting.

"The psychology association serves to benefit the growth of clinical, academic and counseling psychology in West Texas," Olson said.

He noted the monthly meetings, which travel to different towns in the area, explore legal issues, certification, research, therapy and other areas of interest to membership.

taken under submission and separate rulings will be issued at a later date.

In the first case involving Greenspun, Summa Corp. lawyer Sam Lionel argued that District Court Judge Joseph McDaniel of Elko erred in awarding the \$1 million in punitive damages plus \$53,201 in lawyers' fees to the Las Vegas newspaperman.

Greenspun initially had asked for \$142 million on grounds Summa executives engaged in a malicious attempt to slander title to land he owned, by the filing of a deed of trust in an alleged effort to block its sale.

Lionel said there was "inference upon inference upon inference" that Hughes had made a deal with Greenspun to

erase the trust deed on the Green-run property, but no hard proof that the deal was made.

Summa filed the trust deed after Greenspun allegedly defaulted on a \$1 million loan from Hughes. Greenspun went to court and won the ruling from Judge McDaniel — a ruling which also cancelled the controver-

sal trust deed. Lionel insisted that the filing of the deed was not an act of malice on the part of Summa executives. But Ralph Denton, Greenspun's attorney, countered that the case reeks with malice.

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# Army hardliners get key posts in new cabinet

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — President Choi Kyu-hah unveiled his new cabinet today with key posts going to top military figures in a move indicating the newly-emerged hardline generals may be calling the shots in South Korea.

The hardliners, who arrested nearly a dozen moderate generals Wednesday night, had reportedly wanted their men in the important Home, Justice and Defense ministries — and that's exactly what they got.

Gen. Choo Young-bok, until recently the air force chief of staff, was named defense minister. He replaces Ro Jae-hyun, who had been expected to stay on as defense chief. Sources said Ro was dropped because he was too closely associated with former martial law commander Gen. Chung Seung-hwa, the leader of the moderate faction and one of those arrested Wednesday night.

The hardliners claimed Chung had been implicated in the Oct. 26 assassination of President Park Chung-hee by his central intelligence chief.

Gen. Kim Chong-hwan, the present chairman of the joint chiefs of staff, takes over the powerful Home Ministry which controls the national police and all provincial governments.

Paik Sang-gi, a former government prosecutor and a supporter of the assassinated president, was appointed to head the Justice Ministry. Presidential spokesman Sun Ki-won announced the 18-member Cabinet headed by Prime Minister Shin Hyon-hwak, who received his formal appointment from Choi earlier today.

Choi has made no public appearances since Wednesday night's military shakeup and his spokesman said he did not plan to issue any statements. Choi apparently had no ad-

vance knowledge of the army power struggle and seems to have taken a back-seat to the victorious hardliners, who favor continuation of Park's authoritarian policies.

After nearly 19 years of Park's authoritarian rule, Choi had been moving toward democratic reform in recent weeks. However, the emergence of the hardline bloc, led by defense security chief Gen. Chon Doo-hwan, has left Koreans wondering whether the democratic trend will continue, be slowed or possibly halted.

"The government has tried to refresh the minds of the people through this Cabinet shakeup," the presidential spokesman said in a statement. "The government tried to pick new Cabinet ministers from within the government, where possible, and also tried to pick new faces. The shakeup also placed emphasis on overcoming

the economic difficulties the country is facing."

The new ministers include four holdovers from the Park Cabinet, which resigned after Choi was elected president by the Electoral College on Dec. 6. The holdovers included Foreign Minister Park Tong-jin, reflect-

ing the government's desire to continue existing foreign policy.

Lee Han-bin, a Harvard-trained economist who was president of the Ajou Institute of Technology, was named deputy prime minister and minister of economic planning. He is one of several technocrats named to

key economic posts.

The Cabinet also includes the first woman minister since the fall of President Syngman Rhee's government in 1960. She is Kim Ok-gil, former president of Ewha Women's University, who takes over as education minister.

## Peking bar hires out-of-work youths

PEKING (AP) — Down an ash-gray alley, at No. 97 Shen Lung Jie, eight young women and one shy man run a neighborhood tap house and deli — one of Peking's happier solutions to the troublesome unemployment of its youth.

The sign outside the shabby green pub on the corner, where coal and cabbages are piled to dry, says, "Co-operative Ordinary Citizens' Wine

Inn." Inside, the ordinary citizens sit at six small tables covered with white plastic cloths in a chilly, pale yellow room heated by a small wood stove.

Men drink beer and wine from chipped bowls, contemplate handkerchiefs full of steamed peanuts or pick at orders of pig stomach.

A father and his young daughter arrive to refill a bottle with beer. An old woman, teetering on tiny feet,

buys a tiny order of sliced kidneys and a few ounces of cooking oil in an old wine bottle.

The shop sells 50 items: beer, fruit wines, rice liquor, moon cakes, cold cuts.

Patrons write in the suggestion book: "The weather is cold. Why don't you heat up the wine?" or "Serve homebaked specialties to show you really love the people."

## Trade bill for China on hold

WASHINGTON (AP) — Final congressional action on President Carter's proposed "most-favored-nation" trade status for China is being delayed until early next year, but its chances of passage are still considered bright.

The liberal trade terms for the People's Republic of China cleared a major hurdle Thursday when it won 24-8 approval of the House Ways and Means Committee.

Approval came despite criticism from some Republicans that increased Chinese exports to the United States could cost thousands of American textile jobs.

The committee vote sends the bill to the full House, where a vote is expected in late January. The Senate also must approve the new trade status for it to take effect.

When the proposal was submitted by Carter Oct. 23, Congress had 60 legislative days to act on it. Because of weekends and recesses, the 60-day period is not expected to expire until late January or early February.

## Dow: AP incorrect on dioxin

CHICAGO (AP) — The Associated Press erroneously reported Tuesday that about 78 million pounds of dioxin have been used as a herbicide in the United States.

Steve Schlegel, an attorney for a group of Vietnam veterans allegedly harmed by exposure to the herbicide Agent Orange, said about 78 million pounds of herbicide contaminated with dioxin were used in this country.

In lawsuits against five chemical manufacturers, the veterans contend that dioxin causes genetic damage, cancer, birth defects and miscarriages.

Tom Sinclair, a spokesman for Dow Chemical Co., one of the defendants, said that only about one to eight ounces of dioxin are in the 6 million to 7 million pounds of the herbicide 2,4,5-T used annually in this country. This herbicide was an ingredient in Agent Orange, which was used in Vietnam to defoliate jungles and destroy enemy food crops.

## Peace Corps volunteer taken by guerrillas

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador (AP) — A young Peace Corps volunteer held hostage by leftist guerrillas opposed to El Salvador's two-month-old junta says she is all right but wants "to go home."

Barbara Löff, 24, a former bank clerk from Succasunna, N.J., and 10 Salvadorans were seized Wednesday by militants of the February 28th Popular League who occupied the administrative offices of the capital's two main food markets demanding lower city taxes and reduced rents on market stalls.

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(Station reserves the right to make last-minute changes)

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11:00		American	Angels	San De	Late Movie	Elley	Rise
11:30		Comedy	Texas Talk	Noche	Queen		Health
12:00	Midnight	CBS Late					
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## Judge dismisses police abuse case

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A federal judge has dismissed the remaining portion of a civil suit by the U.S. Justice Department charging Philadelphia officials with condoning systematic police abuse. U.S. District Judge J. William Ditter Jr. said Thursday the final section of the suit, which charged racial discrimination in the administration of federally funded police programs, was filed "with almost no factual averments to support this charge."

The Justice Department filed suit in August charging Mayor Frank Rizzo and 19 other top city officials with condoning a "pervasive pattern of police abuse" in the nation's fourth largest city.

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## Shaw given stay of execution

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — Ruling that Joseph Carl Shaw had a right to pursue all possible appeals to his death sentence, a federal judge granted an indefinite stay, just 18 hours before Shaw was to die in the electric chair.

Shaw, 21, who confessed to killing two Columbia teen-agers in 1977, was scheduled to die at 5 a.m. today. But Thursday morning, he won a reprieve from 11th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals Judge J. Dickson Phillips.

After an hour-long hearing in Durham, N.C., Phillips said, "Given the extraordinary nature of the impending event, there is almost a right to a one-time consideration of everything."

Phillips sent Shaw's case back to U.S. District Judge Robert W. Hemphill in Columbia, who Wednesday had refused a motion to delay Shaw's death.

He did not say how long his stay would be in effect.

When Shaw learned of the stay, he showed emotion for the first time in his two years at the Central Correctional Institution, Warden Joseph R. Martin said.

He was moved back to a Death Row cell from the tiny death house, a three-cell brick building where he had spent the past two days.

Shaw, a former military policeman, pleaded guilty two years ago to the slayings of 17-year-old Tommy Taylor and 14-year-old Carlotta Harniss in October 1977, and was given the death sentence a few days later.

His execution, if carried out, will be postponed at least until the district court considers whether court-appointed defense attorneys represented Shaw effectively.

Attorneys from the Southern Prisoners' Defense Committee are appealing his death sentence on the grounds that South Carolina's 1977 capital punishment law is flawed, and that Kermit S. King, chief of Shaw's defense team, gave bad advice to his client.

They filed a petition outlining the appeal Thursday in Richland County Court, and expect a hearing next week.

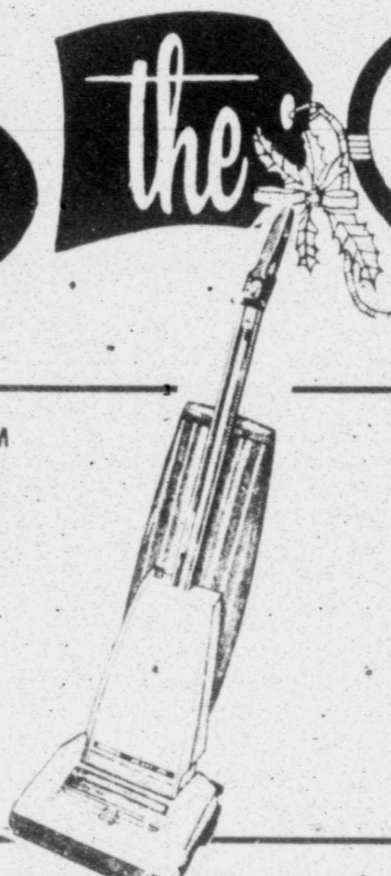
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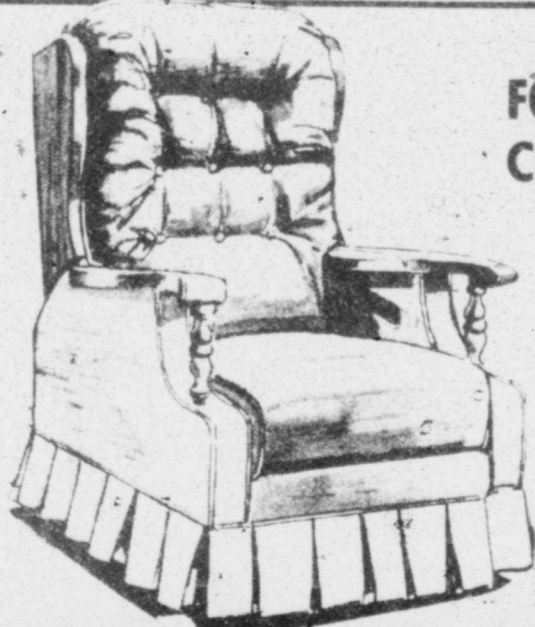


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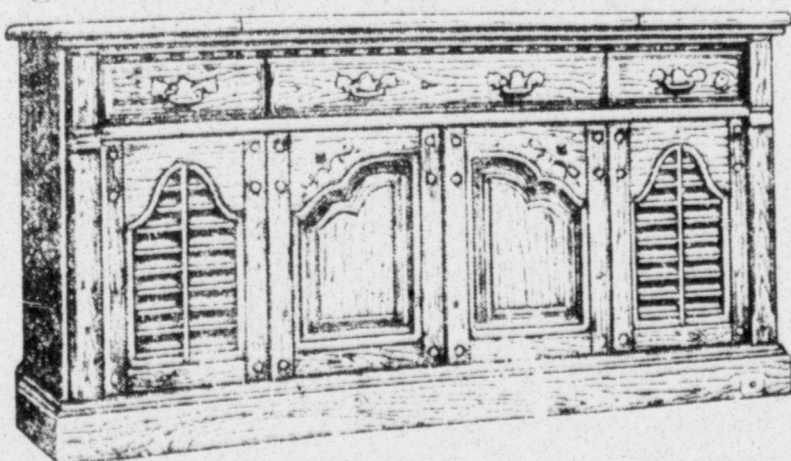
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FBI special agent Kenneth Walton stands beside the Tintoretto painting "The Holy Family with St. Catherine and Honored Donor" after it was recovered in New York

Thursday. An Israeli citizen was accused of trying to smuggle the painting, valued at \$1 million and missing since World War II, into the United States. (AP Laserphoto)

# FBI recovers Tintoretto art

NEW YORK (AP) — An FBI agent posing as an art expert has recovered a 16th century painting, valued at up to \$1 million, that had been missing since World War II.

Rajmond Vinokur, 42, of Tel Aviv, Israel, was arrested Thursday and charged with interstate transportation of stolen property. Authorities alleged he tried to sell the painting, valued at \$500,000 to \$1 million, for \$250,000.

The 3-foot-by-5-foot painting by Italian master Tintoretto has been missing since it was stolen from the Dresden Art Gallery in what is now East Germany.

Informed of the recovery of the painting, "The Holy Family with St. Catherine and Honored Donor," East German officials asked that it be returned. For the time being it will remain in FBI custody for use as evidence.

FBI agent Kenneth Walton said the bureau got a tip some weeks ago that a man was offering the painting for sale, and an agent posing as an art expert arranged a meeting.

The charge against Vinokur carries a penalty of up to 10 years in prison.

The FBI did not disclose how the large painting, mounted on a wooden frame and protected by plastic, had been brought into the United States.

And Walton said "the circumstances surrounding its original theft are not known to us."

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## Woman awarded \$3.5 million

DETROIT (AP) — A Wayne County jury has awarded \$3.5 million to a woman who says she lost most of her right leg and intestines in radiation damage during treatment for cancer.

The Circuit Court jury Thursday awarded the damages to Joyce Burchenal, 49, and her husband, Selden Burchenal Jr., both of St. Clair Shores.

Mrs. Burchenal began receiving radiation treatments at the Grosse Pointe Physicians X-Ray Center just one month after undergoing surgery for ovarian cancer.

Mrs. Burchenal's attorney, David John Cooper, charged she was bombarded with exceptionally high radiation doses through a 4 million volt linear accelerator the clinic had received just three weeks before the treatment began.

A physicist testified during the seven day trial that Mrs. Burchenal received double the proper amount of radiation. Three doctors testified that it was the worst radiation damage they had seen in their careers.

Charles F. Glass, the attorney for the clinic, contended the center was not guilty of malpractice,

## Two Fiat workers shot in kneecaps

TURIN, Italy (AP) — Terrorists shot two employees of the Fiat car factory in the legs today in a continuing wave of political violence in this northern industrial center.

A company guard, Michele Sacco, 45, received four wounds in the right leg when gunmen fired on him from a moving car. He was in satisfactory condition.

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# Pennsylvania again to be decisive state for Carter

By WALTER R. MEARS

WASHINGTON (AP) — On April 27, 1976, Jimmy Carter won the Democratic presidential nomination. It wasn't absolutely clear at the time — there were contests and indeed new candidates awaiting Carter.

But when he won the Pennsylvania presidential primary, Carter disposed of the real threats to his nomination. His active rivals were left without a real chance at the nomination. The late Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey, who had been flirting with running in later primaries, backed away.

That is a bold claim, and Kraft wryly acknowledges that he may live to regret it. He is saying, in effect, that before the primary season is half done, Carter will have blunted Sen. Edward M. Kennedy's challenge for the nomination. Kraft doubts that California Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr. will be a serious factor in the early primary going.

He also is saying that the breakthrough will come in a state in which Kennedy should be formidable. It is a heavily

unionized state. Kennedy has, or is likely to get, the support of key Democratic leaders in Philadelphia and Pittsburgh.

But Carter has been there before. Four years ago, organized labor put its political manpower

### An analysis

and money to work for Sen. Henry M. Jackson of Washington. Carter beat him handily.

He did it with the help of Peter F. Flaherty, a

former Pittsburgh mayor and later deputy Carter campaign in Pennsylvania. This time, Flaherty will be working for Kennedy.

In addition, the Kennedy camp expects support from William Green, the newly elected mayor of Philadelphia.

None of that shakes the Kraft forecast. His scenario comes with Carter moving up in the polls, largely as a result of the way he is handling the hostage crisis in Iran. But Kraft feels that will

be a double-edged issue, and that even a successful conclusion of the hostage situation would be followed by a time of second-guessing and political recriminations as to why it all happened in the first place.

Pennsylvania's will be the 14th of 35 presidential primary elections in 1980. The sequence begins with three in New England, including Kennedy's Massachusetts, followed quickly by three in the South, including Carter's Georgia.

That is a sort of home-

and-home series, with the competition then moving to a more neutral field in Illinois on March 18.

Kraft says Carter will be the leader in delegate commitments after the Illinois primary. And he says Pennsylvania "could have the kind of breakaway significance" it did for Carter in 1976.

He claims that Kennedy is vulnerable because the senator underestimated the president he was challenging and the difficulty of mounting a nationwide campaign in a hurry.

"They looked at the polls, they listened to their friends, and they kind of backed into it sometime between August and September," he said.

That was when Carter looked weakest and when, Kraft said, it was easy to underestimate his backing among Democratic leaders.

"There actually was speculation that he might not run," Kraft said.

So the early Carter strategy was to make clear that he would, that he already had organizations at work in key early states, and that Vice President Walter F. Mondale would be running with him again.

That bit of history is noted now because Carter's campaign manager says the president can do the same thing, in the same state, on April 22, 1980.

"If I had to guess on where we would take off, my guess would be Pennsylvania," said Tim Kraft. "I think the delegate lead and the momentum will be such that we will cannonball."

## Central Y to have Fun Club

The Central YMCA will conduct a Fun Club for elementary school boys and girls during the Christmas vacation.

The club is open to any youngster in grades one through six. Daily activities include swimming, bowling, skating, arts and crafts, indoor and outdoor games and more.

The dates for the Fun Club are Dec. 26-28 and Jan. 2-4. Daily registration begins at 8 a.m. and activities conclude at 5 p.m.

Boys and girls are asked to bring a sack lunch, swim suit, towel and registration fee. The daily fee is \$4 for Central Y member and \$8 for non-members. An additional fee of 75 cents will be collected for bowling on Thursday, Dec. 27, and \$1.50 for skating on Friday, Dec. 28.

For further information, contact Gene Baban at the Central Y.

## All-Region band chosen

Sixteen students from Midland's freshman schools were named to the 3-A All-Region band in tryouts held Saturday in Monahans.

From Lee Freshman High School are Kellie Wetsel, Carol Neal and Terry McCollum.

Students selected from Midland Freshman High School are Emily Goodfellow, Kevin Locklar, Tressa Cunningham, Lori Phillips, Sally Bernard and Maureen McKelvy.

Midland Freshman students who also qualified for pre-area competition and will participate in tryouts for the All-Area band are Shawn McCarter, Douglas Scott, Susan Baker, John Dalton, Marta McNabb, Elaine Reece and Leslie Fort.

Carolyn Mitchell and David Grace were named as alternates to the all-region group.

## Midland students in orchestra

Seven Midland high school students were selected to be in the 4-A All Region orchestra in recent auditions.

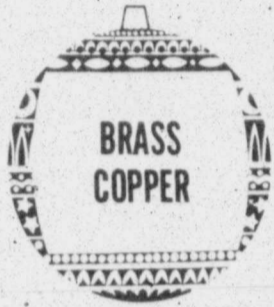
Midland High School students Patricia Winfrey, flute; Tim Hick, French horn; and Chuck Clloyd, tuba, were named to the group.

Lee High School students include Teresa Brown, English horn; Jeff Boortz, bass clarinet; and Travis Stice, trombone.

Francoise Broe from Lee High School was named to the All-State orchestra for her performance on the b-flat clarinet.

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# Farmers must unite, new NFO president says

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Farmers, traditionally staunchly independent, must band together to stop a slide in their power in the marketplace, says the newly elected chief of the National Farmers Organization.

NFO president DeVon Woodland, of Blackfoot, Idaho, told the closing session of the organization's convention that the splintering of U.S. agriculture had continued for too long.

"Perhaps it's time...that we all recognize we have failed totally to solve the farm problem," Woodland said Thursday after his election to his first full term.

"I think it's unfortunate that American agriculture has divided itself into households, as 2.7 million voices," he said. "No longer can we compete with each other as farmers and ranchers in the marketplace."

Woodland pledged to begin piecing back together the National Farm Coalition, a group of farm organizations organized in the early 1970s to push a farm bill that included higher price supports for farm products.

The coalition — which included the NFO, the Grange, the Midcontinent Farmers Association, the Farmers Union and several smaller commodity groups — fell apart after the bill failed.

Woodland said new leadership might agree to help weld the groups together into a coalition resembling labor's AFL-CIO.

"Maybe it can't be done," he said, citing legal difficulties and differences between the groups, "but I think there must be a way we can solve those problems."

Woodland had been acting president of the organization since last January, replacing Oren Lee Staley, the NFO's chief since it was formed 25 years ago. An Echo, Minn., farmer, Bob Arndt, was elected the group's vice president.

The NFO, which guards its national membership figures as secret, acts as a broker for some \$700 million in farm commodities. The aim of the organization, which is based in Corning, Iowa, is to increase farm prices by controlling supply.

"There is no business that can survive if it turns the pricing mechanism of its product over to those who buy," Woodland said. "I'm dedicated to reversing and putting a halt to that trend."

# Bacon test program judged 'successful'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite initial problems, the government's year-old testing program to control the amount of nitrosamines in bacon is now an "overwhelming success," says a senior Agriculture Department official.

When bacon is found to have unacceptably high levels of the substance, the plant must change its processing methods and bring its bacon into line

program but that USDA technicians and industry people were able to work out new processing techniques.

"Some companies were able to make bacon with less nitrite and showed others how to do it," she said.

Sodium nitrite has been used for many years in bacon and other processed meats as a guard against the formation of organisms that can cause deadly botulism, a food poisoning. It also helps impart color and flavor to the products.

"Not only has the program been successful in reducing nitrosamines, but it also stemmed industry fears that enforcement of USDA regulations would cause large numbers of bacon manufacturers to go out of business," Ms. Foreman said.

"Those fears have not materialized, primarily because USDA provided technical assistance to help manufacturers meet the regulatory standard."

More than 1,000 samples of bacon were tested in the first year of the program. All major plants were checked more than once, Ms. Foreman said.

Bacon with "confirmable levels" of nitrosamine came from only 12 of the 355 plants tested. Those produce only 0.9 percent of the bacon made by using a nitrite cure pumped into the meat.

More than 90 percent of an estimated 1.4 billion pounds of bacon produced annually in the United States involves the pumped curing method.

After Freedom of Information proceedings were initiated by The Associated Press, the Agriculture Department last January began releasing the test results on a weekly basis. There had been fears in the industry that publicity about nitrosamine violations would jeopardize bacon manufacturers.

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or the plant can be prevented from making any more bacon for the consumer market.

Nitrosamines — seven are checked in the program — can form from sodium nitrite used to cure bacon when it is fried, particularly at high heat.

Department reports have said such nitrosamines are considered to be carcinogenic (cancer-causing) since laboratory animals administered these compounds develop cancer.

Assistant Secretary Carol Tucker Foreman said Thursday the testing program's results mean "the American consumer can be assured that virtually all bacon pumped with a nitrite cure is free from confirmable levels of nitrosamine."

One industry source, who asked not to be identified, said bacon processors have been able to adjust to the stricter federal nitrosamine standards but added that many plants had problems adjusting until new procedures were worked out.

Ms. Foreman acknowledged to a reporter that problems did occur in the early stages of the testing

## IHC talks resumed

CHICAGO (AP) — Contract talks between the United Auto Workers and strike-bound International Harvester have resumed for the first time since the union struck IHC plants more than a month ago.

The UAW met with Harvester officials Thursday night in Chicago for talks a company spokesman described as exploratory.

## Experts see increase in nation's cotton crop

WASHINGTON (AP) — Cotton exports now are projected at 7 million bales, up about 13 percent from last season's shipments of 6.2 million bales, says the Agriculture Department.

According to USDA records, that would make cotton exports the largest since 7.4 million bales were exported in the 1959-60 marketing year.

Rice exports, although down slightly from expectations a few months ago, are expected to set records in 1979-80, the department said Wednesday in a new analysis.

Cotton production this year is estimated at 14.5 million bales, the largest crop since 1965 and 34 percent more than the 1978 harvest of less than 10.9 million bales.

A month ago, a similar analysis projected cotton exports at 6.8 million bales, but the new report said the 300,000-bale increase in prospects since then "reflects exceptionally strong foreign demand," including big orders by China.

Actually, the report said, cotton export sales for the 1979-80 marketing year that will end July 31 total 7.6 million bales and could reach 8 million to 8.5 million.

However, it said, 1 million to 1.5 million bales likely will not be exported until early next season due, in part, to the strain which current strong export movement is placing on transportation and warehouse facilities.

Also, the report said, use of cotton by U.S. textile mills continues firm. In all, cotton use — including exports and domestic mill requirements — could be around 13.3 million bales this marketing year, the most since 1973-74.

Thus, it said, the U.S. cotton stockpile left on hand when the next marketing year begins Aug. 1, 1980, may be around 5.3 million bales, substantially less than officials had predicted a few months ago.

However, officials said, at 5.3 million bales, next season's beginning cotton carryover would be up significantly from

4 million on hand this Aug. 1.

Rice farmers produced a record crop this year of 139.6 million hundredweight, compared to 133.8 million in 1978, the previous high.

Despite uncertain export prospects to Iran, overall rice export demand during the balance of the marketing year (through next July 31) is expected to be strong, the report said.

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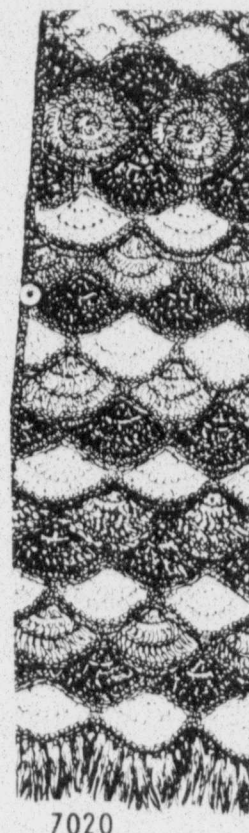
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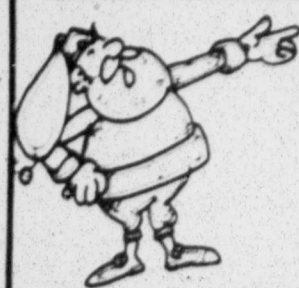
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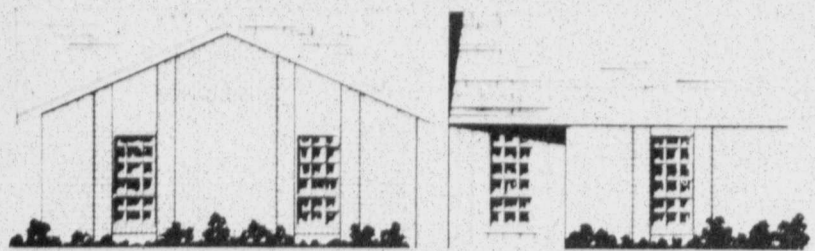
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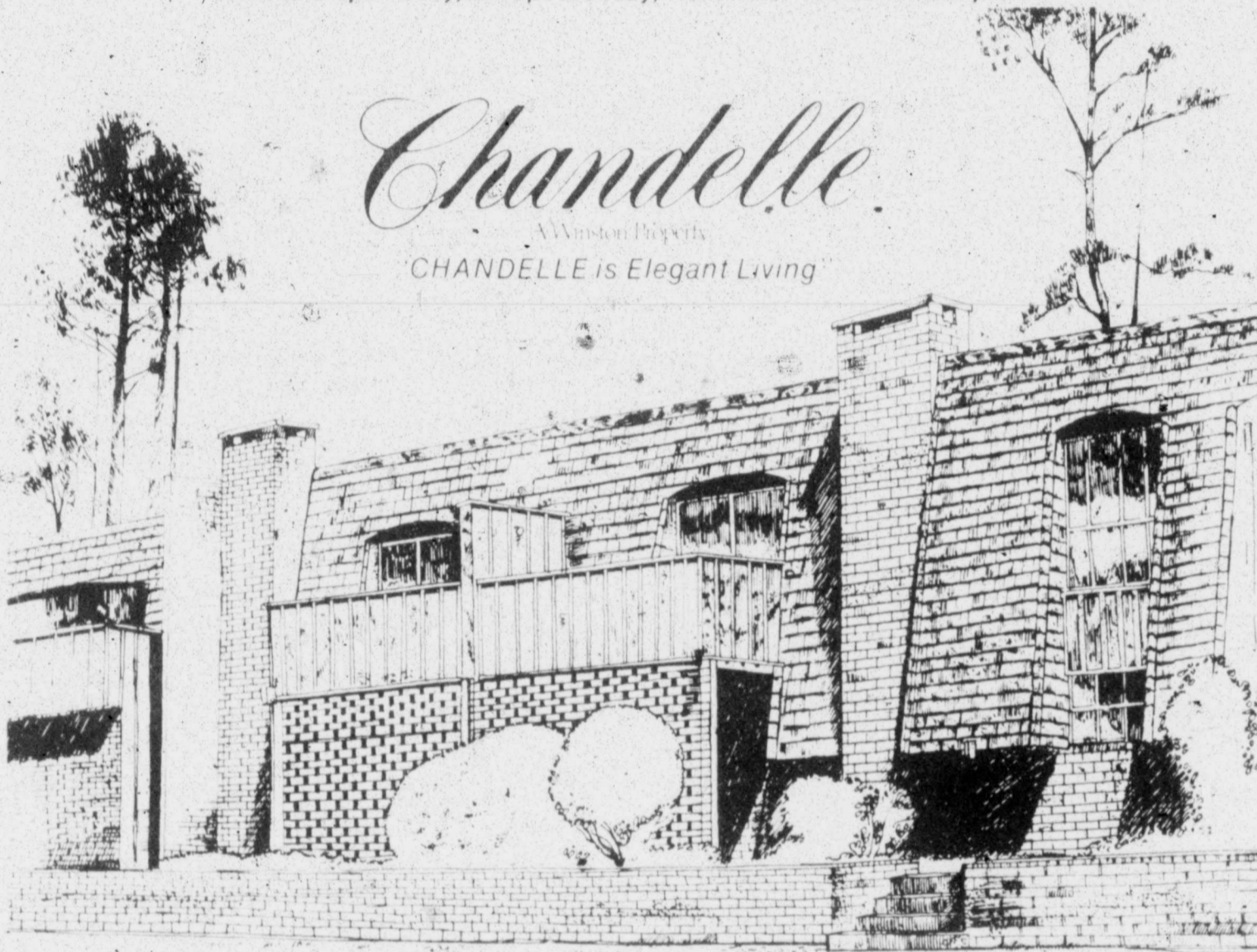
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