

Americans listen to Carter but give varied reactions

EDITOR'S NOTE — America listened as President Carter said that "we will not rest or bend in our efforts" until every one of the Americans being held hostage in the U.S. Embassy is freed. "We will not yield to blackmail," Carter said in the opening statement of his nationally televised news conference Wednesday night. Here is the reaction of some Americans who listened to Carter's comments.

By The Associated Press

In Georgia
"I feel like Jimmy's trying to do everything possible short of using strong-arm tactics of other countries that are not so civilized might use," said Henry Barfield, 36, of Plains, Carter's hometown.

Barfield, plant manager of a lighting fixture firm, said, he was proud of Carter and not because "I know him and he lives only a hop, and a skip and a jump from my house."

"I feel Jimmy is a knowledgeable person and a good person doing everything possible to uphold the honor of the United States and show that the United States is the political as well as moral leader of this world."

In Ohio
Diane Moore, daughter of one of the U.S. Embassy employees being held hostage in Tehran, said, "We just agree with everything he (Carter) says. We support him completely."

But the 17-year-old Mount Vernon high school student said Carter's comments did not provide any new information or any reassurance to the family that her father, Bert Moore, 44, and the other 48 hostages would be returned home safely.

In California
Glenn Eder, 31, a roofer and Vietnam veteran who lives in Eagle Rock, said Carter "really didn't say too much about anything he's going to do."

"I believe in what he says, about getting them out as peaceful as he can, but it sounds like we're going to have to go in there ... like a war ... to get them out. But I don't want it to turn into a Vietnam war."

In Utah
"I don't believe they'll ever come out alive. I think Khomeini is nuttier than a fruit cake," said Ken Tucker, of Sandy. "And I think Carter was stupid to let the shah come into the country when he knew what was likely to happen."

Tucker, a maintenance supervisor at a food-processing plant in Salt Lake City, said he questions Carter's motives in allowing the shah in for humanitarian reasons.

In Texas
"Never once did the president directly answer any question concerning those 'other options' if the diplomatic channels fail," said Charles Caldwell, who owns a printing shop in the Dallas suburb of Oak Cliff.

Caldwell, 51, said the present situation cannot continue much longer and added, "I get a little impatient."
"Right now, my gut feeling is to send in the paratroopers, but that might be too strong. The worldwide situation is so much more critical now than it was 20 years ago."

Caldwell's wife, Virginia, 47, a secretary for Mobil Oil Co., said: "If this had happened to the Russians, the whole thing would have already been over. They would have gotten their people out by now."

In New York
"What I liked was his tone, his moderate stance, his refusal to be ruffled by extremes, and the fact that he refrained from talking about violence," said Michael Kahn, 40, of Brooklyn, who teaches electronics at New York City's Community College.

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Hundreds of thousands marching in Tehran



United by their faith in Islam and the current wave of anti-Americanism, Iranians march through Tehran Thursday, a major religious holiday. The U.S. Embassy

where 49 Americans are held was protected from the crowd by railings erected only this morning. (AP Laserphoto)

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — Hundreds of thousands of Iranians, some chanting "Islam up, Carter down!", marched in Tehran today in response to Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini's call for massive anti-American protests on this important Moslem holy day of sacrifice and martyrdom.

The demonstrators stayed away from the U.S. Embassy and the 49 Americans held hostage there.

Khomeini's Revolutionary Council fired Abolhassan Bani Sadr as Iran's foreign policy spokesman Wednesday and replaced him with Sadegh Ghotbzadeh, a hard-line member of the council, apparently dooming U.N. Security Council efforts to ease the U.S.-Iranian crisis.

The huge crowds in Tehran converged initially around the capital's Revolution Square, some four miles from the U.S. Embassy where pro-Khomeini militants have been holding the hostages since Nov. 4 in a bid to get the U.S. government to extradite the shah.

They then marched to the towering Shahyad monument near the airport, in the opposite direction from the embassy, about 10 miles away. Some in the throng wore white shrouds emblazoned in red letters with the words: "Yankees, We Will Cut Off Your Hands," and "We Are Ready To Die For Islam."

Marshalls wearing lapel buttons controlled the movements of the hundreds of separate marching groups — men at the front of the various processions followed by women clad in chadors, the traditional black veils. Some women carried babies.

Militants with bullhorns set the tone for the marchers.

As the crowds chanted praise of Allah and Khomeini, the city thundered with "Allahu Akbar, Khomeini Ragbar!" — "God is great, Khomeini is the leader!" and "Islam up, Carter down!"

Mixed with the green flags of Islam and religious banners, were banners declaring "U.S. Imperialism Surrender the Shah," "The United Nations — Tool of the U.S.A.," "Death to Carter and

His Guest" and "Iran Does Not Recognize the Security Council Vote."

In another development today, the Iranian news agency Pars reported that explosions damaged two oil pipelines in the southwestern province of Khuzestan, where ethnic Arab groups have been fighting an underground war for greater autonomy from the Khomeini regime. The agency quoted an official source as saying both explosions were sabotage.

Khomeini has yet to announce whether Ghotbzadeh will go to New York to attend the emergency session of the U.N. Security Council on the U.S.-Iranian crisis. The session was set for Saturday, and Bani Sadr, who wanted to mediate an end to the crisis, had been scheduled to address the U.N. meeting.

Bani Sadr had been trying to arrange a compromise between U.S. and Iranian positions on the American hostages. The embassy captors want the Carter administration to extradite Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi to Iran to stand trial as a war criminal.

Bani Sadr had offered several compromises but his attempts at seeking some sort of middle way out of the impasse only stiffened the resolve of the embassy occupiers and Khomeini, who urged his followers to turn the religious observances into anti-American protests.

Tasua and Ashura, the twin days of mourning today and Friday, mark the high point of the Shiite Moslem holy month of Moharram, a period of ritual mourning commemorating the 7th century assassination by Moslem rivals of the Imam Hussein, a grandson of the Moslem Prophet Mohammed and founder of the Shiite sect, the dominant community in Iran.

Khomeini's supporters turned the Moharram demonstrations into protests against the shah's government last year, and more than 100 were killed when imperial troops opened fire on crowds. Khomeini's followers claimed this marked a turning point in the revolution because it wrecked army morale and led to the downfall of the shah's dictatorship in February.

Despite threat, bonds to be sold

Clark accused of 'playing favorites' among loan firms

By LANA CUNNINGHAM
Staff Writer

Under threat of a lawsuit, Midland Housing Finance Corporation is proceeding with selling \$35 million in bonds to finance a low interest home loan program.

During a meeting Wednesday in City Hall Council Chambers to "price the bonds," one participant accused the corporation of violating the sales and service agreement signed a few weeks ago and of being "dishonest" in figuring the allocations for the six lending institutions.

Bill Oglesby, president of Investors Inc., 2400 W. Wall St., went on to charge that another mortgage company had not turned in the correct figures on loan closings during the past year. This action resulted in the company receiving more money for home loans under the program, he contended.

Mark Tessier with the underwriting firm of Howard, Weil, LaBouisse and Friedrichs, Inc. of New Orleans, reported the interest rate for qualified applicants will range from 9 1/4 to 9 3/4 percent.

UNDER THE Single Family Mortgage Revenue Financing Program, these loans will go to families making less than \$30,000 for the year for a house costing less than \$75,000. Up to 15 percent of the money is being set aside for housing rehabilitation with

the remaining funds to be divided into three categories with the dividing lines to be \$20,000, \$25,000 and \$30,000.

Oglesby pointed out in the sales statement that "if the interest rate goes over 9 percent, the financing will not proceed."

Tessier replied that new sales agreements had been prepared for the six participants to sign which would change that figure to 9 1/4 per-

We were the only company in Midland interested in the program. We had a secret meeting where we were told we would be run out of town if we stayed with the program, and we did (stay). — Jackie Johnson, of Jackie Johnson Mortgage Co.

cent. If Oglesby didn't want to sign the agreement, he would be out of the program and his commitment fee refunded, the underwriter said.

Oglesby then turned to Harry Clark, finance corporation chairman, and charged him with "playing favorites with Jackie Johnson Mortgage Co." when determining allocations for the six participants.

Clark denied the charge.
The six lending institutions and the money each will receive are: Citizens Savings and Loan Association, \$10 million; First Savings and Loan Association, \$2.5 million; Investors Inc.,

\$5 million; Jackie Johnson Mortgage Co., \$7,087,500; Mortgage & Trust, Inc., \$2.5 million; and West Central Investment Corp., \$2.5 million.

BY THE TIME servicing fees are subtracted from the \$35 million, actual amount for home loans is \$29 million.

Tessier explained his firm and the corporation members used several variables — how many offices in

town, how long the company has been in the community — in figuring allocations.

The determining factor, Clark said, was how much interest each institution displayed in participating in the program.

Jackie Johnson Mortgage Co. was the first one to step forward in September and agree to be part of the program, Clark added. Without that, the program would have died then, he said.

Backing Oglesby in his arguments was Hubert Hinkle, vice president of Mortgage and Trust.

"I feel we all (mortgage companies) do an equal amount of business," Hinkle said, adding that each should get an equal amount of money.

JACKIE JOHNSON interjected at this point: "We were the only company in Midland interested in the program. We had a secret meeting where we were told we would be run out of town if we stayed with the program and we did (stay)."

"We've been accused of taking loan applications, and we've never taken any loan applications for this program," she added.

Concerning the loan closing figures which Hinkle charged were incorrect, Ms. Johnson said the bookkeeper put the figures together and she (Ms. Johnson) had no reason not to trust them.

Oglesby then warned the corporation to get the allocation figures equal, "otherwise, we'll go to court."

Clark quickly replied, "It's funny to me that the same people who opposed the program in the beginning are still opposing it, but for different reasons."

A woman in the audience interjected, "When I came in here this afternoon that man (pointing to Oglesby) was saying that he was going to blow this program sky-high and that it was

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Iran crisis at-a-glance

By The Associated Press

These were the top developments today as 49 Americans remained hostages of militant Iranian students at the U.S. Embassy in Tehran, Iran.

In Iran
Millions turned out in Iran's cities in answer to Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini's call to turn annual religious processions into a massive demonstration to the United States of Iran's determination to get the deposed Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi back for trial.

The replacement of Abolhassan Bani Sadr as Iran's foreign policy spokesman apparently doomed U.N. Security Council efforts to ease the U.S.-Iranian crisis. Bani Sadr, who had been seeking a middle way out of the impasse, was replaced by hard-liner Sadegh Ghotbzadeh, who controls the Iranian radio and television service.

In Washington
President Carter said he cannot set a deadline for the release of the hostages and asked Americans for patience and "grim determination" in the ongoing crisis. In a nationally televised broadcast, Carter said such patience "is not at all a sign of weakness. It is a sign of sure strength." The president said he is determined to exhaust diplomatic and peaceful means for resolving the stalemate before turning to other options. He declined to elaborate on the form later action might take. His address drew near-unanimous praise.

In America
Americans waved flags, rang church bells, prayed and wore white armbands to show their united support for 49 U.S. hostages held in Iran. President Carter, in 7,500 letters and Mailgrams, Wednesday urged Americans to express their sentiments about the crisis in lawful ways, including letters to Iran's mission to the United Nations. A woman told a radio talk show in Charlotte, N.C., white armbands would be an appropriate symbol of support for the hostages. Later, Sen. Robert Morgan, D-N.C., extolled the idea on the Senate floor and radio stations in California, Michigan, Massachusetts, Georgia and New York took up the plan. Some businesses in North Carolina offered arm bands free. Meanwhile, in New York, doctors told Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi, whose arrival in the United States for medical treatment triggered the crisis, he is well enough to leave the United States.

Around the world
Much of the world press praised President Carter for his cool and measured handling of the Iranian crisis, and some papers demanded that other leaders condemn Iran more strongly.

Yankees stealing Texas' resources, Nugent says

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Energy problems in Texas go beyond declining oil and gas production, the need for more incentives to explore for more fuel and international problems represented in the Iranian situation, Texas Railroad Commissioner Jim Nugent said here Wednesday.

Texas has regional problems, such as the flow of Texas-produced natural gas to the fuel-hungry North.

"The northeast part of this nation, whether you like it or not, has got the money, the people, the power, and it's got some smarts," Nugent told mem-

bers of the Midland Downtown Lions Club.

He termed such use as "the moral equivalent of war" and called for a halt to the "regional robbery of the state of Texas."

The "yankees" are "stealing our natural resources at pegged prices" and are using Texas as if the state were a colony, he said.

Nugent also deemed unfair the severance tax Texas and other states pay for raw energy, such as coal, mined in and shipped out of Montana.

But Nugent, noting the decline in Texas-produced oil and natural gas, predicted that by 1985 about 25 percent of the electric power used in

Texas will be generated by Texas coal and lignite.

"We are going to shift to coal," he said.

Texas, which has "long been the largest producer of oil and gas," has been experiencing a decline in hydrocarbon production over the past several years. Natural gas production topped out in 1972 "and has been down since."

"In another year or two," Nugent said, "the rate of decline in the United States is going to materially accelerate."

At the current rate of consumption, the state's natural gas reserves will be depleted in 7 1/2 years, he said.

But production can be increased and new reserves can be found if the exploration and drilling industry are allowed the right incentives.

Nugent said the "risk takers" will "punch more holes" and will make recoveries from older wells in their quest for more fossil fuel. If profits are such "to get them to gamble with their assets."

Nugent said American consumers should re-evaluate "how careless we have been with our oil" and suggested conservation of resources.

"The price has got to get to the point where it excites those who are

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DEATHS

Russell Lasater

ODESSA — Services for Russell Lasater, 75, of Odessa, brother of A. F. Lasater of Midland, were to be at 4 p.m. today in the First Christian Church...

Lasater died Tuesday in an Odessa hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was born March 27, 1904, in Missouri and was married to Nellie Dorothy Doty in 1933. He moved to Odessa in 1937 from Borger.

Lasater was the retired owner of Lasater Co., an oil field construction company. He was a Mason.

Other survivors include his wife; a daughter, Marsha Ann Fesmire of Odessa; four brothers, Troy G. Lasater and Harry Lasater, both of Odessa, Charles E. Lasater of Houston and Richard E. Lasater of Bartlesville, Okla.; two sisters, Pauline Perrier of Tulsa, Okla., and Jennie B. Braden of Borger; and two granddaughters.

L.R. Yarbrough

COLORADO CITY — Services for Lendal Ray Yarbrough, 48, of rural Midland will be at 2 p.m. Friday in Kiker-Seale Funeral Home chapel in Colorado City with Claude Woods officiating. Burial will be in Lorraine Cemetery in Lorraine.

He died Tuesday in a Midland hospital.

Yarbrough was born Oct. 1, 1931, at Lorraine. He was a longtime Lorraine resident. He was married to Viola Lucille Wright. The couple moved to Midland two years ago from Lubbock.

Yarbrough was a carpenter and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; a son, David Ray Yarbrough of Hurst; two daughters, Gail Gregg and Robin Holbert, both of Hurst; his mother, Mary Smith Caswell of Odessa; five sisters, two brothers and four grandchildren.

Manuella Torres

SWEETWATER — Services for Manuella Gomez Torres, 79, of Sweetwater, mother of Valentina Palmer of Midland, will be at 10 a.m. Friday in Emaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church here with the Rev. Richard Colega officiating.

Burial will be in Sweetwater Cemetery directed by McCoy Funeral Home.

She died Wednesday in her home. Mrs. Torres was born March 4, 1900, in Fisher County.

Other survivors include three daughters, five sons, 51 grandchildren, 58 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

George Bishop

KINGSLAND — George B. Bishop, 80, of Buchanan Dam, father of Carl Dee Jones of Midland and Tony K. Jones of Big Lake, died Wednesday in a Kerrville hospital.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Friday in the Waldrop Funeral Home in Kingsland with burial in Lakeland Hills Memorial Park.

He was born Dec. 13, 1898, in Kings-

Memorial held for Ms. Oberon

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — More than 300 mourners, including some of the biggest stars in Hollywood, attended memorial services for Merle Oberon, who was called a woman who "helped everyone she knew with her unsentimental worldly wisdom, with her kindness and her example."

"To be able to go on enjoying one's self in later life is a beautiful quality because by so doing you give strength to others — especially those who are themselves no longer young," said film director George Cukor, who gave the eulogy Wednesday.

He said the actress, who died Friday, had "natural style, on and off the screen. She could wear the most beautiful clothes and jewelry without losing that simplicity which was part of her style."

Among the stars attending services at the All Saints' Episcopal Church in Beverly Hills were Cary Grant, Joseph Cotten, James Stewart, Irene Dunne, Jack Lemmon, Jean-Pierre Aumont, Roddy McDowall, Burgess Meredith, Louis Jourdan and Liv Ullmann.

Others included directors Mervyn LeRoy, Vincente Minnelli, Billy Wilder and William Wyler, who directed Miss Oberon in her most famous film, "Wuthering Heights" in 1939.

Miss Oberon died following a stroke at an age reported variously from 62 to 68.

land. He was married to Leta Dees May 6, 1945, in Lovington, N.M. He had worked in the production department of the Humble Oil Co. He was a Navy veteran of World War II. He was a Baptist.

Other survivors include his wife, a daughter, a son, a brother, a sister and three grandchildren.

George J. Farrell

Services for George J. Farrell were Wednesday in St. Nicholas Episcopal Church with the Rev. Sam B. Hulsey and the Rev. P.D. Peterson officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery directed by Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Farrell died Monday in a Midland hospital.

Pallbearers were Steve Davidson, John Healey, John Dorn, Roy Cartley, James Tom, Jack Mathews, James Boldrick and Searle McGrath.

Honorary pallbearers were H. W. Davidson, Dr. Ralph Greenlee, Finley Holbrook, R.J. Zonne, Frank Weber, John Kelly, R.E. Griffith, Sig Iverson, Jack Swallow, David Johnson and Frank Welch.

Zella M. Hurst

McCAMEY — Graveside services for Zella Mae Hurst, 94, of McCamey were Wednesday in Resthaven Cemetery here with the Rev. William Dyke, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiating.

She died Tuesday in a McCamey nursing home.

Mrs. Hurst was born May 23, 1885, in Llano. She was a Methodist.

Survivors include a niece, Velma Fincher of McCamey; a grandchild and two great-grandchildren.

Ann Marie Thorn

CRANE — Services for Ann Marie Thorn, 16, of Crane will be at 2 p.m. Friday in Larry D. Sheppard Funeral Home chapel here with a graveside service at 11 a.m. Saturday in Resthaven Cemetery in Menard.

She died Wednesday in a Crane hospital following a lengthy illness.

Miss Thorn was born July 17, 1963, in Menard and was a member of First Baptist Church of Crane.

Survivors include a sister, Nicola Thorn of San Angelo; three brothers, Bradley Thorn of San Angelo, and Alan Thorn and Dennis Thorn, both of Crane; and her paternal grandparents, Nean and Charles Clark of Menard.

James Vaughan

MONAHANS — James D. Vaughan, 77, of Monahans, father of Charlene Bowdon of Crane, died Wednesday in an Odessa hospital.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in the First United Methodist Church. Burial will be in Sunset Memorial Park directed by Wilson-Miller Funeral Home.

Vaughan was born Aug. 15, 1902, in Arkansas. He was married Aug. 16, 1926, to Mary Lee Glanton in Conroe. He was a retired Exxon employee and was a Methodist. He wife died Oct. 5, 1979.

Other survivors include two daughters, four sisters, eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Building to resume on Indiana nuclear plant

WASHINGTON (AP) — The head of an Indiana utility company building a nuclear power plant plagued by construction problems says he hopes work on safety features at the plant will resume early next year.

Hugh Barker, president of the Public Service Company of Indiana, Inc., made the statement Wednesday as a House subcommittee ended two days of looking into problems previously uncovered in the plant's construction.

Barker acknowledged that the company had had quality control problems in building the Marble Hill power plant, but said an outside analysis of construction already done and the company's own internal analysis indicated the problems did not affect the plant's safety.

"By recognizing at an early date in construction that construction and quality assurance procedures were not up to NRC (Nuclear Regulatory Commission) standards, the company has avoided more serious construction mistakes in the installation of piping and the electrical facilities," Barker told the subcommittee.

He said the firm hoped to restart safety-related construction in January. Such construction was halted in August after a laborer alleged — and a NRC investigation confirmed — that some flaws existed in the concrete that will eventually surround the reactor.

Federal regulations require that wall to be of uniform quality and thickness. But the NRC investigation found areas of honeycombing — areas where air bubbles kept the concrete from making a solid wall.

Almost all the flaws uncovered so far are near the concrete's surface, a NRC inspector told the subcommittee earlier.

A spokesman for the House Government Operations subcommittee on energy, environment and natural resources said no further hearings were planned on the reactor construction. The committee has no authority to legislate. Its sole function is oversight.

Barker told the subcommittee that lack of experience in building nuclear

power plants caused the quality control problems that halted construction.

"I believe we did not adequately recognize that the construction of a fossil plant and a nuclear plant are quite different and that we did not have a sufficient number of construction people with commercial nuclear experience," he said.

Record 75 whooping cranes migrate to winter home in Aransas refuge

AUSTWELL, Texas (AP) — A record 75 whooping cranes have migrated from their summer nesting grounds in Canada to their winter home at the Aransas National Wildlife refuge near the Texas coast, wildlife officials say.

"That's the most we've ever had," said an elated refuge manager Frank Johnson.

Last April, 74 cranes left Texas, and Johnson said Canadian officials reported seven chicks were hatched during the summer.

"So we could have as many as 81," he said. Of the 75 cranes counted, he said 69 are adults and the other six

are young birds. Female cranes lay only two eggs a season.

The whooping cranes nearly died out during the 1930s, but scientists took steps to build up the only known flock.

Johnson said now there are between 120 and 126 whooping cranes in the world, including 26 in captivity and 16 in the only other wild flock, which migrates between New Mexico and Idaho.

The largest cranes in North America spend their summers in the 11-million-acre Wood Buffalo Park in northern Alberta before flying south to the much smaller, 54,000-acre refuge here.

U.S. business', workers' productivity declining

WASHINGTON (AP) — The productivity of U.S. business and workers has declined for the third consecutive quarter — the first time that has happened since the 1974 recession, the Labor Department says.

The department said Wednesday that revised figures for the July-to-September period show productivity declined at an annual rate of 0.7 percent. Productivity fell at an annual rate of 2.2 percent in the second quarter and 3 percent in the first three months of 1979.

The department was using preliminary data when it reported a month ago that third-quarter productivity had increased 0.1 percent.

Declines in productivity — a measure of goods and services the economy turns out per hour of paid working time — contribute to inflation by increasing unit labor costs. Those increases ultimately are passed along to consumers as higher prices.

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Answer Line

By Franchella Moore



I have a problem with the telephone company. They have a line across my yard, in the front. It hangs down where you have to stoop to get under it in some portions.

I called three times in September asking them to remove it. They sent someone out and said they would remove it the next week. That was two months ago and I am very disturbed. I do want it down before someone gets hurt. Thanks. — Rhodia Anders

ANSWER: Answer Line checked with Penny Young, staff specialist in public relations with Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. and informed her of your plight.

Hopefully, by this time, the company has taken care of the problem.

Please print the address of the Texas insurance commissioner which you printed sometime since September. — C.R.H.

ANSWER: Texas Insurance Board, 1110 San Jacinto St., Austin, Texas 78701. The telephone number is 512-475-2444.

I am curious to know who are the current officers of the Midland SPCA?

I am also wondering who is running the pet cemetery located on the Lamesa Highway and where does the money go that is paid for burial costs? When was the Midland SPCA organized? — L. Klaus

ANSWER: The current officers of the Midland Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals are Jeanne Probandt, president, and Delores Judd, secretary. They work with a board of directors.

The Midland SPCA owns and operates the cemetery. The money paid for burial costs is used to operate the cemetery. The SPCA also investigates complaints about cruelty to animals.

The Midland group, which operates independently, was formed in 1948.

Additional information about the Midland SPCA may be obtained by dialing 684-7582.

Half-fare coupons nearing uselessness

By TOM IMCANTALUPO

NEW YORK — Those half-fare airline coupons issued last spring are rapidly approaching that state of near uselessness shared by Nehru jackets, last year's calendar and yesterday's newspaper.

They expire Dec. 15, and there are signs that those who got them when they flew United or American airlines or who bought them on speculation from those who did, are about to begin a quiet stampede to unload them while they are still worth more than the paper on which they are printed.

Already, it is a buyer's market. Prices, which once topped \$60, range from \$25 to \$40 now.

About 4 million half-fare coupons were issued in May and June by United and American, and spokesmen for those airlines say about 2.5 million have not been redeemed. The airlines freely admit that there are more coupons than potential users, and they don't expect all of them to be used. Although the coupons can save you as much as \$374 (roundtrip from New York to Los Angeles, flying American), they won't be worth anything — except maybe as collectors' items — after Dec. 15, when they expire.

The giveaway was begun by United as a promotion to regain passengers lost during a 58-day strike by machinists. Coupons, redeemable beginning July 1, were given to passengers. To be competitive, American reluctantly followed suit, and Pan American Airlines honored coupons by either carrier on its domestic flights for about a month. United distributed about 2.2 million coupons, and American issued 1.8 million. American says it expects to have redeemed half of them by Dec. 15. United had been predicting that 85 percent would come back, but now it says that goal probably won't be reached. However, Chuck Novak, a spokesman, added, "We think that this week we're going to see a great use of the coupons for holiday travel."

The coupons have become the stock in trade of a nationwide network of speculators who bought and sold them and, in some cases, turned huge profits. A San Diego man reportedly bought 3,000 coupons for \$30,000 from passengers arriving at Lindbergh Field on United flights. He hoped to earn \$150,000 by reselling them. Earl Bunker, a 33-year-old Shrewsbury, Mass., man who owns one of several companies that spring up to trade in

the coupons, claims to have done \$250,000 worth of business last month alone.

But most of those dealing in the coupons say they aren't buying more unless they have a purchaser lined up. "We're kind of slowly phasing out," Bunker said. He will take coupons on consignment only. If he sells them, the consignee gets half the profit.

United and American airlines spokesmen said people are showing up at airports again trying to sell the coupons to travelers. "The middlemen had disappeared," Novak said. "All of a sudden, they came back about 10 days ago. Some have signs, some just hold the coupons in their hands." Classified ads offering the coupons for sale have begun appearing in newspapers throughout the country. Asking prices vary from \$25 to \$40.

Will there be a repeat of the half-fare promotions? Al Novak said United was satisfied.



Three popular devils in modern Iranian mythology are portrayed on this poster carried by demonstrators outside the U.S. Embassy in Tehran Wednesday. They represent, from left, Premier Begin of Israel, President Sadat of Egypt and President Jimmy Carter of the United States. (AP Laserphoto)

Mounting turmoil in Iran increasing Persian Gulf shipping insurance rates

The Washington Post

WASHINGTON — Mounting political turmoil in Iran and threats of disturbances in neighboring Arab nations have spilled over into international shipping circles, where tanker and other cargo insurance rates for the Persian Gulf have increased sharply in recent days.

Sixty percent of the West's oil passes through the Straits of Hormuz at the entrance to the Persian Gulf. Higher insurance premiums for Gulf shipping will translate into slightly higher prices for oil — perhaps a penny or more a barrel.

Morris Fletcher, an executive with Lloyds Underwriters Association in London said, "There have been increases for ships going to Iran, and in some cases they have more than doubled." Lloyds marine insurers group is the largest in the world.

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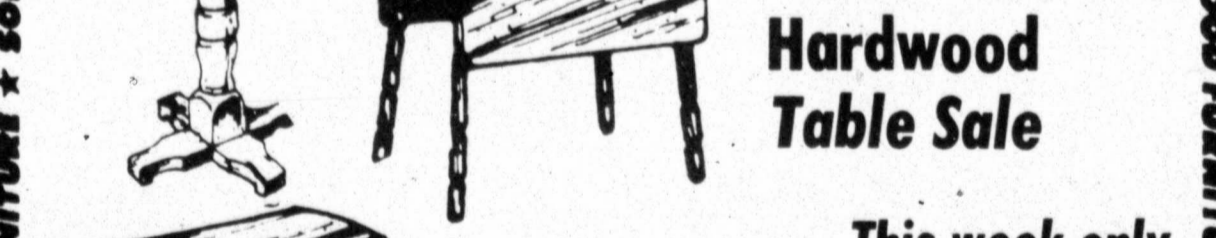
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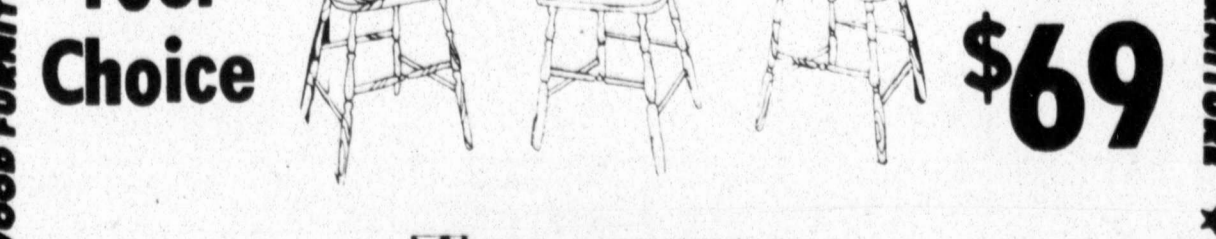


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Georgia authorities considering closing of 'Little White House'

By GREG MACARTHUR

ATLANTA (AP) — Time and the Salk vaccine have not been kind to Warm Springs Hospital, and the state of Georgia is considering closing the facility where Franklin Roosevelt sought relief from crippling polio.

The springs themselves are capped, and the three pools where thousands of polio victims once bathed are cracked and empty.

Only 20 percent of the hospital still is in use, draining about \$1.5 million a year from the state budget, according to Tom Perdue, executive assistant to Gov. George Busbee.

The hospital and its surrounding 10,000-acre complex in southwest Georgia are the subject of a special task force study to decide what to do with the property, which was given to the state in 1974 by the Warm Springs Foundation.

Under an agreement signed by then-Gov. Jimmy Carter, the property must be operated as a hospital through 1984.

But the Georgia Office of Planning and Budget recommended to the task force Tuesday that the hospital and its 260 employees be "consolidated" with its companion rehabilitation center. The task force is to make its own recommendations to Busbee on Dec. 15.

Such a consolidation would have to be approved by the Warm Springs Foundation.

Perdue said the rehabilitation center, which operates independently and treats about 700 patients a

year, "runs well and serves a defined need." The hospital, he said, treats about 45 patients and needs extensive renovation.

"It would take about \$15 million, according to conservative estimates, to bring the hospital back up to the first-class facility it once was," Perdue said Tuesday.

"That would be fine, assuming we had the money, but no one can document that it would be used," he said. "Over the years, it has suffered from a declining patient load because of the Salk vaccine and because it is in competition with modern hospitals in convenient, urban areas."

The National Center for Disease Control reported in October that the use of oral vaccines had virtually eliminated naturally occurring cases of polio.

"Along with the hospital, the state is operating a golf course (on the property) which alone loses \$25,000 to \$30,000 annually," Perdue said. "There's no rhyme or reason why the state should be operating a golf course."

But there is strong sentiment among some foundation members that the complex, which includes the "Little White House" where Roosevelt died on April 12, 1945, should remain as it always has.

"It's just a really complicated issue and a highly emotional issue because the whole grounds have so much historical significance and heritage," Perdue explained.

"But this (task force) is really the first time since the state took over that anyone has tried to give any direction to the area," he said.

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High school dropouts should get fair share, study says

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Carnegie Council, which has successfully spurred the federal government in the past to increase aid to college students, says it's time for the nation to do more for the 60 percent of youths who never get to college.

The council released a 332-page report Tuesday with sweeping recommendations for radical restructuring of American high schools and creation of apprenticeships and new programs to give young people job skills.

The study, entitled "Giving Youth a Better Chance: Options for Education, Work and Service," cited congressional figures showing the gov-

ernment spends \$1,940 on education and employment for each low-income youth in college, but only \$339 for high school dropouts.

The report charged that one-third of American youths are "ill-educated, ill-employed and ill-equipped to make their way in American society." The high school dropout rate is 23 percent, and one-fifth of those who do graduate lack basic reading and numerical skills, it said.

"College youths have been assisted by federal initiatives in the 1970s far more than noncollegiate youths and it is time to redress the balance," said the study by the Carnegie Council on Policy Studies in Higher Education. It

is the research arm of the non-profit Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.

Clark Kerr, council chairman and former University of California president, said he undertook the study "as a matter of conscience."

"Our past recommendations have been so successful that in some ways they made it harder for the rest of youth left out of college," he said. "The more you do for people who go to college, the more you push further down the ladder those who are left out."

"We must find ways to break up the big, monolithic high school with its deadly weekly routine," the council

said. "High school is an alienating experience for many young people (and) like a prison — albeit with open doors for some."

It proposed that juniors and seniors spend three days a week in regular academic courses and devote the other two days to education-related work, community service or special studies.

Tracking of students should be stopped, and vocational courses should be shifted out of high schools and into community colleges and private shops, with the exception of secretarial classes and home economics.

Community colleges should take on

a greater responsibility for youths, coordinating job programs and services for both students and dropouts, it said.

Kerr said at a news briefing that dropouts who "hated high school" and would consider it demeaning to go back for job training might be willing to look for help at a community college.

The report called for new apprenticeship programs for 16- and 17-year-olds; creating a voluntary National Youth Service Foundation to expand Peace Corps-like work for those 16-to-24; abolition of labor laws that restrict teenagers from working where liquor is sold, on night shifts or

around heavy machinery, and exempting teen-agers and their employers from paying the 6.13 percent Social Security tax.

The report said the federal cost of these programs would run up to \$1.9 billion, but that would be offset by lower crime and welfare rates.

It said that because the number of teen-agers will be declining over the next two decades, the youths coming of age could be "the most favored generation since the 1950s," if society smooths the abrupt transition from school to work.

But it warned that failure to change posed the danger of "creating a permanent underclass... a 'lumpen-proletariat' in the 'home of opportunity.'"

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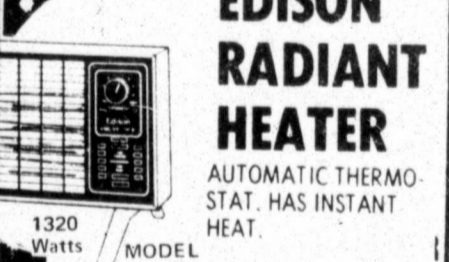
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Export of computer-related products to U.S.S.R. halted

WASHINGTON (AP) — Licenses for the export of computer-related products to a Soviet truck plant have been stalled during reassessment of U.S. policy on the sale of goods with potential military uses, Commerce Department officials say.

The debate began after U.S. officials learned in May that some trucks produced at the Soviet Union's Kama River Truck Plant were being used by the military.

Lawrence J. Brady, a Commerce employee who served previously as acting director of the agency's Office of Export Administration, says federal regulation of national security export controls has been "gradually dismantled."

He told the Senate Banking Committee's international finance subcommittee Wednesday that the department has failed to enforce laws prohibiting the transfer of technology that could be used to undermine U.S. national security efforts.

The department "still fails to appreciate the seriousness of this issue," Brady said. Brady conceded at a news conference that there is no evidence engines from the Kama River plant are being used to power any combat or technical vehicles.

C.L. Haslam, Commerce general counsel, says the department approved about 180 licenses for export of machinery, machine tools and a computer to the plant during the Nixon administration. Other Western nations also provided equipment for the facility, he said.

Stanley J. Marcuss, the department's acting assistant secretary for industry and trade, said that during the Nixon administration, neither export licenses nor Soviet "end-use" statements imposed limitations on the trucks' use.

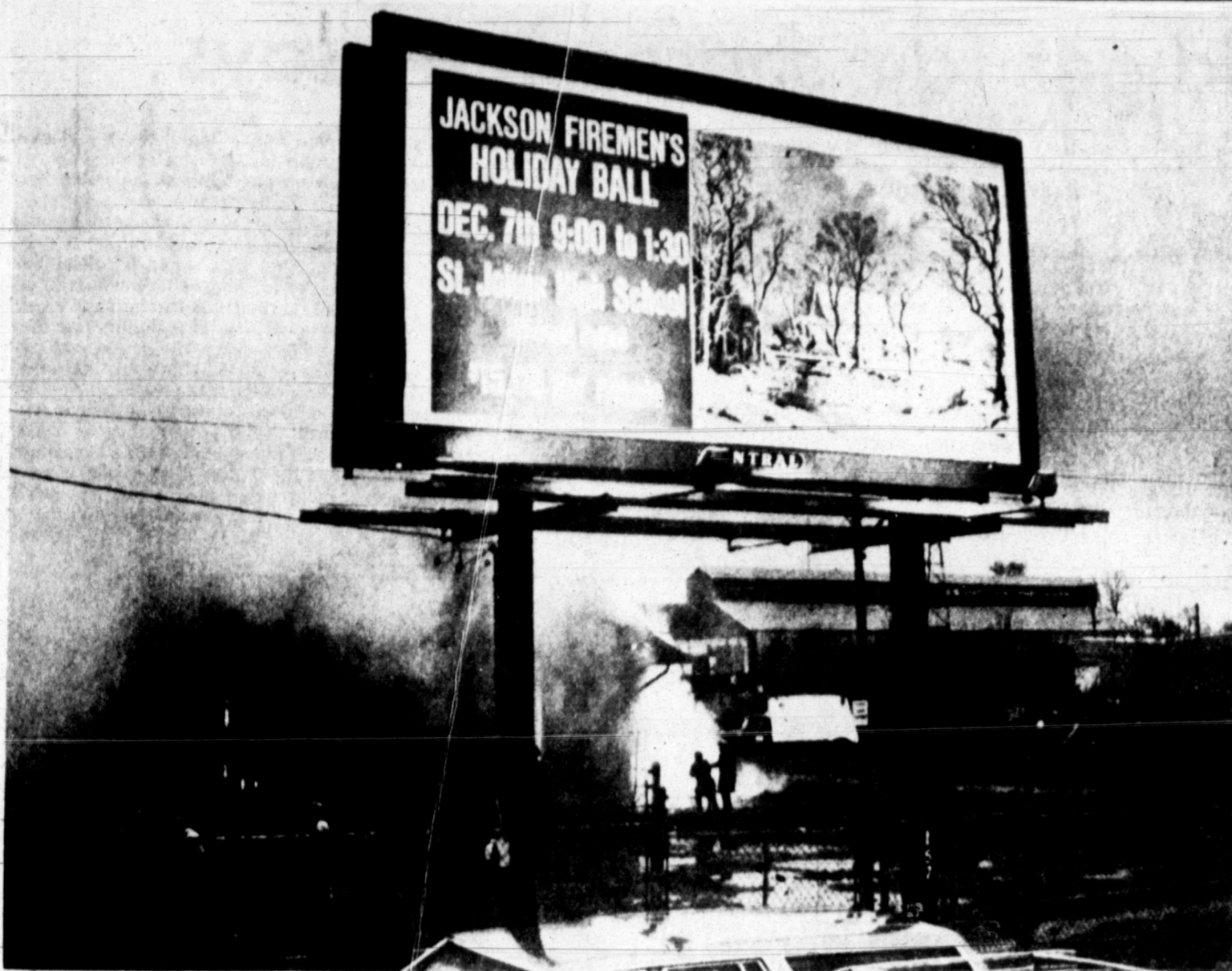
"The judgment that was made at the time was that even if some of those trucks ended up in the Soviet motor pool ... that would not constitute a basis for denying an export license," Marcuss said.

Second abortion trial in two days under way

MADRID, Spain (AP) — The prosecution today demanded prison terms for four persons in Spain's second abortion trial in two days.

The prosecution asked a prison sentence of 17 years for an alleged abortionist — a woman, 11 years for a man charged with encouraging his mistress to have an abortion, five months for her, and seven years and five months for another woman accused of having had an abortion.

At a trial that began Wednesday, also in a closed courtroom, the prosecution demanded 28 years for an alleged abortionist — a 50-year-old mother of nine — and one year each for seven alleged patients and the man who was charged with directing them to the abortionist.



It was a great advertisement for this Firemen's Ball, but pretty tough on a car dealership warehouse. The former Grand Trunk Railroad Freight station across from the Jackson, Michigan Central Fire Station, was destroyed by flames Sunday. Arson is suspected. (AP Laserphoto)

Savings and loans reducing mortgage loan rates next year

WASHINGTON (AP) — Savings and loan associations will reduce mortgage loans by more than 25 percent next year, while suffering a severe erosion in earnings, says the Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

"That will make it even harder for many people to locate money for a new home," added a spokesman for the U.S. League of Savings Associations.

Jay Janis, bank board chairman, told Congress on Wednesday that savings and loan earnings

will be cut in half by early 1980, mainly because the thrift institutions must pay record-high interest rates on six-month money market and jumbo certificates to attract savers.

At the same time, they are earning less interest on existing mortgages — which often carry fixed interest rates at least two or three percentage points below what the associations must pay to saving certificate holders.

Making matters worse, Janis said, the savings and loans —

often referred to as S&Ls — now are replacing the popular certificates at even higher interest rates than six months ago.

Interest rates have been rising rapidly since the Federal Reserve Board took sweeping action Oct. 6 to tighten the availability of credit and money.

While some short-term rates may be peaking, Janis said, "We have to assume ... that interest rates are likely to remain high through much or most of next year."

The financial fate of

S&Ls are closely tied to the housing market. Their earnings help determine how much money they have available for home mortgages.

Janis reported that S&L mortgage lending will decline from a projected \$99 billion this year to \$78 billion in 1980.

The lending cutback is due not only to the earnings loss, but also to the growing inability of people to afford new homes, said Janis.

The average house today costs \$78,000 and can carry a 13 percent or 14 percent mortgage.

Only a "privileged few" — about 15 percent of potential homebuyers — can afford a new house today because of the sky-high interest rates and inflation, Janis said.

People must spend about 36 percent of their disposable income for housing, or about twice as much as 10 years ago, he added.

Janis said the surge in mortgage rates since Oct. 6 has added "a couple of hundred dollars" to a homebuyer's monthly carrying costs.

A family would need an annual income of over \$45,000 to afford the \$732 monthly mortgage pay-

ment required on a \$65,000 home carrying a 14 percent mortgage, a spokesman for the National Association of Home Builders told the committee.

While S&Ls must pay very high interest on money market certificates, their financial position may have been far worse without the new savings device. The certificates let thrifts compete for savings dollars with other high-yield securities, such as six-month Treasury bills.

This was clearly illustrated by new figures for October released Wednesday.

The bank board said S&Ls lost \$6.8 billion from passbook account balances, which pay only up to 5.5 percent interest. By contrast, balances on money market certificates increased \$14 billion.

Janis said the flow of savings to S&Ls will be down slightly next year, compared with 1979, and noted: "That translates into a sharper decline of housing units that can be financed."

Economists predict housing starts next year will fall to between 1.1 million and 1.4 million units, compared to about 1.75 million this year.

Girl survives five-story fall and being impaled on spikes

NEW YORK (AP) — By the numbers, Lori Morgan should be dead. The 16-year-old fell five stories down the airshaft of a mid-Manhattan building Wednesday. The plunge alone would have killed most people, but at the bottom of the fall she was impaled on the 5-foot spikes of a metal fence.

Her screams attracted passersby who called police. When police found her, they said one of the metal spikes had penetrated the girl's chest and hit her backbone while the other punctured her chest and went through her right armpit, exiting through her shoulder.

Emergency Service policemen and medical personnel worked to dislodge her from the fence without causing massive bleeding. After more than two hours, they cut away a 9-foot-square section of the fence and rushed her to Bellevue Hospital with the spikes still in her body.

A hospital spokesman said doctors operated on the girl for four hours to remove the spikes. He said no vital organs were seriously damaged in the 50-foot fall, but the girl also suffered a broken arm and leg.

The spokesman said she was in critical but stable condition Wednesday night.

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Hart, Pisarkiewicz dispute triggers Bud Wilkinson firing

By PAUL LeBAR
ST. LOUIS (AP) — Given a second chance, ousted St. Louis Cardinals Coach Bud Wilkinson says he would not alter his handling of the National Football League team.
"When I came back, I thought I would take this team to the Super Bowl and take it there with class," an unbowed Wilkinson reflected Wednesday night only hours after he had been fired.
"I'm sorry that I will not have an opportunity to take part in the realization of that dream," Wilkinson added. "I feel that progress has been made. I think we were very close to being a contending team."
The firing of the 63-year-old Wilkinson was announced at a news conference three games before the collegiate coaching legend was to have completed his second pro season.

"I have determined to take immediate action ... in what I consider to be the best interest of the football team," said Cards' owner Bill Bidwill, who named director of pro personnel Larry Wilson an interim replacement.
"THIS DECISION was made when it became apparent Coach Wilkinson and I had opposite positions on the subject of our program for the remainder of the season."
Bidwill labeled Wilkinson's refusal to use backup Steve Pisarkiewicz, "our quarterback of the future," as the "catalyst" to the final breach.
The two met Monday to confer over the owner's request, said Bidwill. "I suggested that he play Pisarkiewicz, and he indicated he did not intend to."
"He seemed to think that Pisarkiewicz could do the job. He probably had a reason, but I wasn't told it."
Bidwill indicated the two also had other differences in matters of personnel but declined to be specific, noting that "I'd prefer not to at this time."
"I didn't look at it that way," Wilkinson responded when asked if Bidwill's request to use Pisarkiewicz on Sunday against the San Francisco 49ers was an ultimatum.
"I don't think our relationship has been any different at any point in time. I'm just as surprised as you are," the silver-haired coach said further. "I feel that the fans of the team and the players themselves deserve to have the player on the field that have the best probabilities of winning."
WILKINSON, a former collegiate

coaching legend at Oklahoma, was a surprise choice to coach St. Louis as he was lured out of a 15-year retirement to succeed Don Coryell in March, 1978.
He guided the Cardinals to a 6-10 record last fall. This year, the team has lost six of its last seven games. It has a 3-10 record and little chance of escaping last place in the National Conference East.
"We had a great number of very, very close games," Wilkinson said. "I had planned to be here next year. I think I've done a reasonably good job."
Wilkinson said his plans, other than remaining in St. Louis for the time being, were indefinite — particularly in respect to further coaching.
"It's a very unique experience when you have a group of highly talented people together in the same

time frame and have the same objective in mind," he said. "What I'm not certain about are the pressures. I'll have to think about that for a while."
At Oklahoma, Wilkinson's collegiate teams compiled a 145-29-4 record in 17 seasons, winning three national titles and 14 Big Six, Big Seven and Big Eight titles in the process.
BIDWILL said Wilson, a 41-year-old NFL Hall of Famer, will direct the team only through the remainder of the 1979 season and then return to the front office.
"The first thing I'd like to say is that I had great admiration for Bud. I was very surprised," Wilson said of Wilkinson's abrupt departure. "The only thing that Bill has requested me to do is play Pisarkiewicz, and he will play."
In retrospect, Bidwill said he second-guessed himself for having signed Wilkinson to what had been a four-year contract.
"I made the decisions," the owner said. "He (Wilkinson) is a fine gentleman, a fine man, and I still respect him. Basically, we just had to do what was best for the football team."
Pisarkiewicz joined a majority of St. Louis players who declined to discuss their reactions to the firing.

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Hungry Giants want revenge

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Three seconds is all that separates the Dallas Cowboys from a five-game losing streak.
That's how much time was left when Rafael Septien booted a 22-yard field goal against the New York Giants on Nov. 4 to cap a furious fourth quarter comeback that lifted the Cowboys to a 16-14 victory.
Dallas had lost the previous week to Pittsburgh and after nipping the Giants began their current three-game losing binge against Philadelphia. The Giants get a chance to increase the streak to four when they meet the Cowboys Sunday in Dallas.
"I know they have a few problems," Giants Coach Ray Perkins said. "They've lost three in a row but they're still a fine football team."
PERKINS CONCEDES "it would be a big shot in the arm if we beat Dallas in Dallas Sunday," but claims it's not the biggest of the three remaining games for his 6-7 team.
"If we put all the significance on this game, then, if you were a player, how would you look at the last two games?"

Perkins said Wednesday. "Of the three games, the most significant game is the last one. That's the one they will remember the most in the offseason."
New York has won six of its last eight games after opening the season with five consecutive defeats. Twice they have come within one game of attaining the .500 mark, but both attempts ended in losses.
"I don't think our players are looking at this as a pivotal game, they want to win the last three. And that's how it should be," Perkins said. "We played well against them the last time and felt we should have won — but we didn't."
DALLAS HAS an 8-5 record and is tied for second place in the NFC East with Washington, one game behind the Eagles.
"I was concerned early in the season, even though we were winning, because we weren't playing up to the caliber of that record (7-1)," Coach Tom Landry said by telephone from Dallas. "We haven't played too many good football games."
"This doesn't have an effect on me, I've been through it before. Obviously,

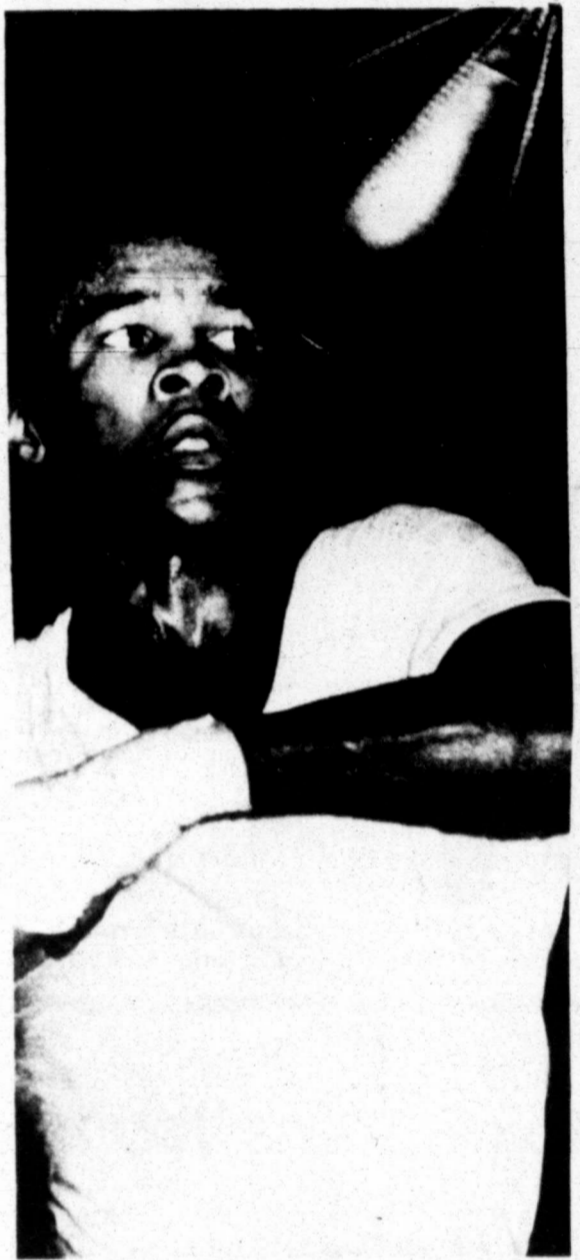
when you've been to three of the last four Super Bowls, the fans don't like it. When you get beat, and there's a chance you might not get back, they get upset. If you stay in the game long enough, you'll have ups and downs. Right now we're down."
Landry noted that the Dallas defense just hasn't been able to overcome the retirements of the left side of the defensive line — Ed "Too Tall" Jones and Jethro Pugh — and safety Charlie Waters' season-ending knee injury.
Landry also said there's no chance linebacker Thomas "Hollywood" Henderson will play for the Cowboys again. Henderson retired last week after he was placed on waivers.
"That's a closed book as far as I'm concerned," Landry said. "It would be in his best interest not to play for the Cowboys."
Coach is reinstated
CHARLESTON, W.Va. (AP) — Marshall University assistant football coach Bruce Johnson has been reinstated following his suspension after a player charged that Johnson had struck him.

Benitez remains unawed

Defends title against ring's glamor boy

By ED SCHUYLER JR.
LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — Wilfred Benitez is well aware of Sugar Ray Leonard's fighting credentials, but he is hardly in awe of boxing's current glamor boy.
"Remember, everybody says he's looked tremendous, but this time he's fighting a champion," said Benitez.
At age 21, Benitez is a two-time world champion who conquered Antonio Cervantes and Carlos Palomino.
He outpointed Cervantes, the legendary Kid Pambele from Colombia, for the World Boxing Association junior welterweight (140-pound limit) title in 1976. Last Jan. 14, he outpointed Palomino for the World Boxing Council welterweight (147 pounds) title, which he will defend against Leonard Friday night at Caesars Palace.
YET LEONARD is an overwhelming favorite to win the richest non-heavyweight fight in history. Benitez is getting \$1.2 million and Leonard \$1 million. In a real oddity, a parlay bet on Benitez and Vito Antuofermo, who will defend the universal middleweight title against Marvin Hagler, will get you 14-1. That means you can bet \$10 to win \$140 on two world champions who have combined record of 81-3-2.
Noting the popularity of Leonard, who has fought on national television 20 times in his short career, Benitez's manager, Jimmy Jacobs, called the 4-1 odds against his fighter "an emotional odds."
Benitez said simply, "I'm the champion."
The two title fights here will be part of a nationally televised triple-header with the WBA light heavyweight championship bout in New Orleans between champion Victor Galindez and Marvin Johnson, the former WBC light heavyweight champ.
ABC will televise from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.
"I think my ambition is to retire financially independent and unharmed," Leonard told a press luncheon Wednesday. He is well on the way to financial freedom, having earned almost \$4 million in posting a 25-0 record since turning pro in 1977, about six months after winning an Olympic gold medal in Montreal.
But Leonard has another goal, one that concerns pride, not money.
"I don't want to be remembered as just a good fighter," said the 23-year-old resident of Palmer Park, Md. "I want to be something great, something special."
"When I have to fight somebody ... he's better than anybody I ever faced," said Benitez, meaning he doesn't take opponents lightly. He has been accused of showboating rather than fighting in some previous fights, but they were not title fights.
But the Puerto Rican, who says his name is Wilfred, not Wilfredo as he has been known, quickly added:
"I'm not scared of nobody. I'm the champion. That's why I fight the greatest. I beat Pambele and Palomino and when I beat Leonard, I'll fight Robert Duran."

DURAN, THE former lightweight champion whose name is Roberto, not Robert as he was called by Benitez, looms as a big money-match opponent for Friday night's winner.
Benitez's record is 37-0-1. He has scored 23 knockouts while Leonard has 16 KOs.
The two middleweights also have sparkling records. Antuofermo, 26, an Italian living in New York, is 44-3-1, with 18 knockouts. Hagler, 26, of Brockton, Mass., is 46-2-1, with 38 knockouts.
"I'm going to prove to myself and to the world that I am the best middleweight in the world," said Hagler, who is getting \$45,000 for his long-awaited title shot. "I'm used to fighting for peanuts."
"This is my most important fight, not my most difficult," said Antuofermo, who is getting \$150,000 for his first defense of the 160-pound division title he won by outpointing Hugo Corro last June 30.
Galindez, of Argentina, who is getting \$100,000, has a 52-6-4 record, with 31 knockouts and two no decisions. Marvin Johnson, of Indianapolis, has a 23-3-0 record, with 17 knockouts. His purse is \$50,000.



Sugar Ray Leonard seeks welter title.

Chap Classic begins tonight at Center

The Chaparral Classic basketball tournament begins a three-day run today in the Chaparral Center, beginning at 5:30 p.m.
St. Philip's College of San Antonio will face the McMurry College junior varsity at 5:30 p.m. to open the tournament and then host Midland College will face Laredo Junior College at 7:30 p.m. Odessa College and Ranger Junior College will end first day action with a contest at 9:30 p.m. Both Midland College and Odessa College are expected to make strong title runs in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference race.
Three games are also set for Friday at the same times, but Saturday's starting time has been moved up to 4 p.m. with MC playing St. Philip's at 8 p.m. in the final game of the tourney.

MC's 7:30 p.m. opponent on Friday will be Ranger Junior College.
In high school girls action, Midland Lee travels to Lubbock Coronado for games at 6 and 8 p.m. Lee and Midland High will both be in the Amarillo girls tournament Friday and Saturday.
The Midland High varsity enters the first round of the Kerrville tournament today while the MHS and Lee junior varsities will be in the Snyder JV tournament Friday and Saturday. The Bulldogs have won that tournament three years in a row.
Midland Lee will be back in action Friday at 4, 6 and 8 p.m. against Lubbock Coronado in the Lee gym and will host Abernathy at 6 and 8 p.m. on Saturday, again in the Lee gym.

Griese rides bench against Patriots

By DAN SEWELL
MIAMI (AP) — Viewers tuning into Thursday night's American Football Conference East showdown between the New England Patriots and the Miami Dolphins will get a rare sight — the Dolphins' No. 12 on the bench at the beginning of the game.
But Bob Griese, his head still held high through a season of disappointments and criticism, accepts his new second-string status as yet another challenge.
Last week, the 34-year-old quarterback was benched because of his performance for the first time in his career. When Don Strock was knocked cold by a sack, though, Griese entered in the second quarter and led the Dolphins to a 28-24 victory over Baltimore.
"It's a little bit more difficult in a way — preparing and then not playing. It tends to cause a feeling the following week of well, why should I prepare and work hard if I'm not going to be playing," Griese said Wednesday.
"In the last game — the first week

I'm not starting — after a quarter of play I'm in there, and you know, you better be prepared, because you could be in there in a second," Griese said.
He said the only problem about coming off the bench is needing time to warm up, but he said there's also an advantage in that "you can sit back and watch the defense, the tendencies against your team's plays, and you can pick up things."
This has been a unique season for Griese. He's been benched for the first time, he's been heavily criticized by the fans and media for the first time, and he's even been publicly criticized by a teammate.
Coach Don Shula said Griese's performance Sunday was "tremendous, particularly because of the ordeal he had to go through last week — all the stuff about Griese washed up?"
"I went in and won the game, and that's why you have 45 players. It wasn't anything special for me," Griese said. "After you get in there, it's like you never left."
Griese surprisingly said afterward

that he thought Strock should start Thursday night. "The decision was made last week to give Don an opportunity to play and I agreed with it. If they wanted to give him a chance, I don't think the Baltimore game was his chance. I went in in the second quarter and won the game, so he deserves his chance all over," he said.
Griese said the major differences between Strock and himself are obvious.
"He's 6-5 and weighs about 210, I'm 6-1 and weigh 190. He's bigger and stronger and he has the added advantage of his strength. I do things more on timing and getting people open. We both get results."
In what situation, other than injury, will Griese play Thursday? "I don't know, you'd have to ask Coach Shula," he replied.
"Well, the last thing I want a player who's starting to think that I've got a hook in him, and he's going to be jerked out the first mistake he makes," Shula said.
After Thursday, his quarterbacking

will be determined "on a game-by-game basis. Bob has been so valuable, too important for us, to just set him aside," Shula said.
Griese has grown testy under criticism, and he's admitted his surprise at how quickly the Miami fans have turned on the self-effacing star who led the Dolphins to three Super Bowls.
Young wide receiver Duriel Harris even fired some shots, but Griese brushed them off. "I don't recall if that's ever happened before," said Griese.
TV sports
Tonight
FOOTBALL—Miami vs. New England, 7:30 p.m., Ch 9.
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BOXING—Title Tripleheader, 7 p.m., Ch 9.
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FOOTBALL—Pitt-Penn State, 11:30 a.m., Ch 2.
Army-Navy, 3 p.m., Ch 2.

Rich get richer as college basketball campaign begins

By KEN RAPPOPORT AP Sports Writer
Led by longtime superpower Kentucky, college basketball's rich teams are expected to get richer this season in what is generally reputed to be the best recruiting year in the history of the sport.
Virginia also seems to have hit the jackpot all at once with the acquisition of the most sought-after schoolboy player in the country.
As preparations continue for Friday night's official opening of the 1979-80 season, Kentucky is conceded to have had perhaps the best recruiting haul in the country with four fine prospects.
The most notable of these is 7-foot-1 Sam Bowie, who has jumped right into the Wildcats' starting lineup at center. Bowie made an auspicious college debut with 22 points in the season-opening Hall of Fame Tip-Off Classic on Nov. 17 against Duke.
Along with this classy Lebanon, Pa., product, Coach Joe Hall picked up three other players who could start

just about anywhere: 6-foot-7 Derrick Hord of Bristol, Tenn., 6-6 Charles Hurt of Shelbyville, Ky., and 6-3 Dirk Minniefield of Lexington, Ky.
Hord and Hurt are unselfish program players who should fit nicely into Hall's total team concept. Minniefield was one of the country's top scholastic point guards.
HALL'S colleague at Louisiana State University, Dale Brown, reflects the popular opinion with the observation: "Kentucky had one of the best recruiting years in the history of college basketball — an unbelievable year."
While Kentucky landed perhaps the best bunch, the Cavaliers recruited the Big One in Ralph Sampson, a 7-foot-3 center with a world of potential.
"He is one of the greatest players ever to come out of the state of Virginia, if not the greatest," says Sampson's coach at Harrisonburg High School, Roger Bergey. "When his weight catches up to his height, I

don't know his full potential."
North Carolina Coach Dean Smith, one of many who lost the recruiting war for Sampson to Terry Holland, grandly predicts of this spell-binding seven-footer: "He will undoubtedly go on to become one of the greatest college and professional players of all time."
College recruiters were well aware of Sampson's abilities in his junior year, when he led Harrisonburg to the first of two straight state championships. As a senior last season, he had eye-popping statistics, averaging 30 points and 20 rebounds a game.
Sampson is said to be better at this stage of his career than Wilt Chamberlain, Kareem Abdul-Jabbar or another spectacular Virginia product, Moses Malone.
The pros, as well as the colleges, were interested in Sampson. But he opted for school because, as he put it, "I want to go to college... supposedly the pros are going to offer me a lot of money (later)."

TALENTED big men seem to be in vogue this year, with fine frontcourt prospects attending such evergreens as Ohio State, Notre Dame and Brigham Young.
The Buckeyes have come up with 6-8 Clark Kellogg, considered by some to be the best forward prospect out of the high school ranks this year. He is said to be the best schoolboy player ever to come out of the Greater Cleveland area, as well as the best to come out of Ohio since Jerry Lucas prepped at a school near Cincinnati.
Kellogg's decision between Ohio State and Michigan was viewed with so much interest in the Midwest that he finally had to call a news conference to announce his decision on National Letter of Intent Day, April 11.
"Clark is the greatest player in the country for our team," says Ohio State Coach Eldon Miller. "Coaches told me during the year, 'If you land an outstanding forward, you'd have a great team.' Well, Clark has tremendous forward skills. Many people who

have seen him in all-star games say they have never seen a better player in high school."
Notre Dame buttressed its frontcourt with the addition of 6-10 Tim Andree of Birmingham, Mich., and 6-7 Bill Varner of Pittsburgh. The Irish are particularly pleased with Varner.
"Billy is one of the best players in the United States," says Notre Dame assistant coach Danny Nee of Varner, who led Valley High School to the Class AAA scholastic championship in Pennsylvania last season. "He just hasn't received the publicity the others have."
Greg Kite, who averaged 18 points and 15 rebounds in his senior year at Madison High School in Houston, will lend his 6-foot-11 support to BYU. Cougar Coach Frank Arnold sees another Western Athletic Conference championship in his future as a result.
"There is no question that in time, Greg Kite has the ability — if he develops — to become a legitimate All-America and one of the finest centers in the country," Arnold says.
Georgia, meanwhile, had one of its best recruiting years in history, according to Coach Hugh Durham. The Bulldogs signed six "top ones", including a player some consider one of the country's best power forward prospects in 6-7 Dominique Wilkins of Washington, D.C. Terry Fair of Macon, Ga., another forward, was another big fish landed by Durham.
Arizona signed 6-3 Leon Wood of Santa Monica, Calif., among four top

recruits. Wood was the nation's No. 2 high school scorer last year with a 42.3 average.
UCLA PICKED up three of the country's top recruits, including 6-7 Darren Daye of Granada Hills, Calif. At North Carolina, Smith added, among others, 6-9 James Worthy of Gastonia, N.C. Indiana strengthened itself with the addition of 6-1 Isiah Thomas of Manchester, Ill., reportedly one of the best "pure guards" in the nation.
The University of San Francisco recruited two top guards in 6-1 Raymond McCoy and 6-4 Quintin Dailey of Baltimore. San Francisco Coach Dan Belluomini is especially happy with McCoy.
"He looks to pass before he shoots, which is a rare commodity in this day and age," says Belluomini.
Sidney Green, one of the New York area's top scholastic players, and 6-6 Larry Anderson of Pittsburgh were recruited at Nevada-Las Vegas. Missouri signed up another of the nation's coveted big men in 6-11 Steve Stipanovich of St. Louis.
DePaul, a Final Four team last season, added more muscle to its front line with the addition of two schoolboy stars from the Chicago area, 6-8 Teddy Grubbs and 6-9 Terry Cummings.
Ricky Ross, a 6-4 guard from Wichita South High School, has joined Kansas to team up in the backcourt with superstar Darnell Valentine.
"I think our perimeter play will be excellent in the future," says Kansas Coach Ted Owens.

Saban threatens to pull out at West Point

WEST POINT, N.Y. (AP)—Lou Saban has threatened to retreat from the Army football program unless West Point officials bring in fresh reserves.
"I'm only concerned with football and if I'm not given the tools, then it won't work and there will be no further need for my services," the Army coach said Wednesday.
In what he called a "crisis" situation, Saban tossed the ball to Academy Superintendent Lt.

Gen. Andrew J. Goodpaster and Maj. Gen. Ray Murphy, the athletic director.
"The promises made and the agreements entered into when I signed my contract have not been fulfilled," said Saban.
AMONG SABAN'S complaints was the problem of recruiting. He said:
"I have only recently discovered that our Army recruiters are being barred from certain

areas, notably Long Island, Pittsburgh and Chicago, because there are no congressional appointments available in those states. I have been informed that they are not available. I told them if we can't upgrade our talent, then we cannot be competitive with the Penn States, the Pittsburgs, the Baylor and the Notre Dames."
"Without depth — and we had none (in 1979) — a team cannot be competitive against the opponents we play."



Los Angeles Kings goalie Mario Lessard (1) blocks shot on goal during National Hockey League action at Los Angeles. (AP Laserphoto)

SPORTS IN BRIEF

Boxer dies from ring injuries

TENNIS—John McEnroe defeated Vitas Gerulaitis 7-6, 4-6, 6-2 in a third-round match of the \$300,000 Milan tournament while Bjorn Borg beat Peter Fleming 6-3, 7-6, and Roscoe Tanner downed Italy's Adriano Panatta 7-6, 6-4. McEnroe now has six points or three victories in the Group B. Borg has six points in Group A. Tanner tied Panatta and Fleming at two points each in the Group A...
DEFENDING CHAMPION Tim Gullikson defeated Byron Bertram 7-6, 6-4 in the opening round of the men's singles in the \$175,000 South African Open...
BOXING—Boxer Willie Classen of Puerto Rico died at Bellevue Hospital of injuries he suffered in a bout last week. He was 29. Classen had to be lifted from his stool and pushed into the ring to answer the bell for the tenth and final

round against Wilfred Scypion last Friday at Madison Square Garden's Felt Forum. Classen never raised his hands and was hit twice with rights by Scypion before referee Lew Eskin stopped the fight as Classen lay flat on the ring with blood coming out of his mouth. He was carried from the ring on a stretcher and taken to Bellevue Hospital, where he underwent 2½ hours of surgery Saturday morning.
TRACK AND FIELD—High jumper Dwight Stones was reinstated by the AAU, starting him on the road towards a third appearance in the Olympics. Stones, who was suspended by the AAU for accepting money for appearing on a celebrity sports program, must now get clearance from the IAAF, the world governing body of track and field, in order to be eligible for the Olympics.
GOLF—Isao Aoki of Japan shot a five-under-par 68 and took a one-stroke lead after the first round of the 16th Golf Japan series.
HORSE RACING—Screenland, \$7.40, closed with a rush for a 2½-length win over Love is Eternal in the \$12,100 Ashley T. Cole Stakes at Aqueduct... Al Battah, \$4.80, edged Shelter half by three quarters of the length in winning the \$25,000 Dumont Purse at the Meadowlands... Ahoy Mate, \$9.20, scored a 4-length victory over Sharp Jester in the feature at Sportsman's Park... Bar Talk, \$18.60, nipped Cortège by three quarters of a length in winning the feature at Laurel Race Course... Jachal 2nd, \$6, edged Le Financier in a photo finish to win the feature at Calder.

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JIM MURRAY

What happened to boola, boola, give 'em the ax?

By JIM MURRAY
Los Angeles Times Syndicate
In the second quarter with the game still relatively in doubt, 14-0, at the Coliseum Saturday, USC had its first down on its own 15-yard line with 24 yards to go when a UCLA cheerleader hurried anxiously to a sideline microphone.

the time. If we make plenty of noise, they can't hear him. And we mess up the plays. Now, when the Trojans come up to the line of scrimmage, I want everybody yelling as loud as they can and keep on yelling. WE CAN WIN THIS GAME! YOU AND ME! Remember, it's not illegal. Not till we get a warning! Let's hear it!

nals but all sideline conversations and the barks of the vendors. On the field, startled, Trojan quarterback Paul McDonald halted his cadence, stared at the stands — and lost his grip on the play. A whistle blew. A five-yard penalty was called against him. Three plays later, the Trojans had to punt for only the second time in the game.

hijinks? Boola-boola? "Bulldog, bulldog, fight, fight, fight"? Maybe. But this smacks more of flashing signals from a peephole above a card game. This is cheating. This is a sting. This is not just good old American gamesmanship. This is not sporting. This is another form of "winning is the only thing!" That discredited humbug. This is just plain not fair. This is marking the deck. Boiling the dice. Riggering the wheel. Wiring the house

against the players. Audience participation is a part of sport. Clapping in unison to startle the opposing pitcher is as old as the seventh-inning stretch. Bench-jockeying is a part of the old ballgame. Yelling "Drysdale, yer a bum!" or "Call yerself a pitcher, Seaver?" is as American as ketchup.

— but not in football. Bring all the pompons you want to the game. Boo the umpire, scream at the head linesman. And plead: "Hold that line!" or "We want a touchdown!" all you want. Wave dollar bills at SC to suggest they pay for their education — or their players if you will.

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

NFL statistics NBA at a glance NHL at a glance

Table with NFL statistics including individual leaders for passing, rushing, and receiving, and league leaders for various categories.

Table with NBA summaries for various teams including Philadelphia, Detroit, and Boston, listing game results and scores.

Table with NHL summaries for various teams including Philadelphia, Detroit, and Boston, listing game results and scores.

Final area football standings

Table with final area football standings for various districts (District 2-AAA, District 3-AAA, District 4-AAA, District 5-AAA, District 6-AAA, District 7-AAA, District 8-AAA, District 9-AAA) listing team names and records.

College basketball

Table with college basketball results for various teams including Albany, Bakersfield, and Fresno State, listing game results and scores.

Hood, Hawkins head All-Lone Star choices

ABILENE, Texas (AP) — Stephen F. Austin tailback Paul Hood and Texas A&I linbacker Andy Hawkins have been named the Lone Star Conference Back and Lineman of the Year on the coaches' All-LSC team.

Hawkins, a 6-1, 215-pound linbacker, led the A&I defense which yielded less than 11 points per game. Freshman of the Year was linbacker Norris Powell of Southwest Texas. The All-league punter was Joe Calderon of Angelo State and the star placekicker Martin Perry of Abilene Christian.

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Advertisement for Wheeler Auto Parts featuring car audio equipment like Kraco stereos and speakers, with promotional offers and prices.

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Advertisement for 7-Minute Motor Flush, a quick and effective way to clean engine oil.

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SCRATCHPAD

O.J. named Player of '70s

O.J. Simpson, San Francisco 49ers, who rushed for more than 1,000 yards four times during his superstar seasons with Buffalo, was named the NFL Player of the Decade by Pro Football Monthly...

Baltimore Colts quarterback Bert Jones will be watching the team's last three games from the bench, according to Coach Ted Marchbroda.

New England tight end Russ Francis notes that if the Patriots and Miami Dolphins live down to their season-long form, tonight's battle for the AFC East lead will end in a scoreless tie.

Coach Bart Starr said quarterback Lynn Dickey would start for Green Bay against Washington Sunday, his first start in more than two years.

Membership in the NFL Players Association, now at nearly 1,400, is averaging 49 members per team, the union said...

A report that Baltimore pitcher Jim Palmer is seeking a \$3.5 million six-year contract is not too far from the truth, according to the right-hander's agent.

Joe Garagiola, former major league catcher who parlayed humor and baseball knowledge into a broadcasting career, has signed a new three-year contract with NBC...

Each full share from the 1979 World Series will be worth \$28,237 to members of the world champion Pittsburgh Pirates while the AL champion Baltimore Orioles will receive \$22,114 apiece.

Veteran Isao Aoki, Japan's top prize money winner, shot a 5-under-par 68 Wednesday and took a one-stroke lead in the 16th Golf Japan series...

USC's White named Pac-10 Player of Year

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Charles White, the Southern California tailback who won the national rushing title this season, was named Pacific-10 football's Player of the Year Wednesday.

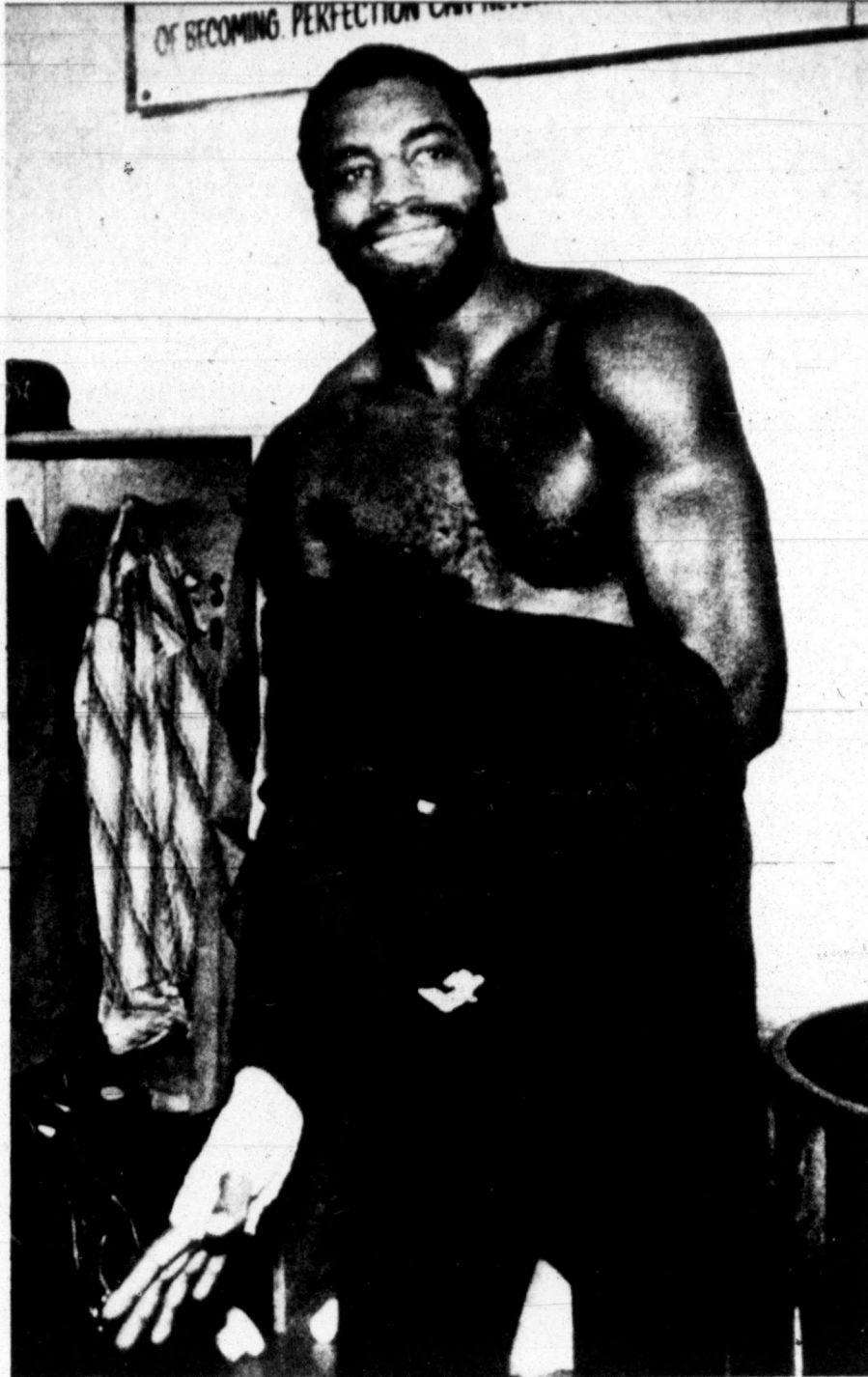
His career total for regular season play is 5,598 yards, second highest in NCAA history behind Tony Dorsett's 6,082 total.

The senior tailback from San Fernando, Calif., scored 18 touchdowns this season. His career total of 52 tied the conference record set by USC's Anthony Davis.

White's biggest one-game output was 261 yards this year against Notre Dame. In his career, he went over 200 yards five times.

The USC star won the conference award handily, outdistancing quarterbacks Paul McDonald of USC and Rich Campbell of California, free safety Kenny Easley of UCLA and tailback Joe Steele of Washington in the voting.

The Pac-10 award is sponsored by Fidelity Union Life Insurance Co.



Too Tall ready for next victim

Too Tall determined to fight despite criticism

By WILL GRIMSLEY

NEW YORK (AP) — Ed "Too Tall" Jones has been socked in the jaw by an angry fist encased in an eight-ounce glove and felled by a rock-hard helmet used as a battering ram by an enemy blocker.

"Which is the more violent sport — boxing or football?" The 6-foot-7 former defensive end of the Dallas Cowboys repeated a question.

Neither of these macho sports creates any trepidation in the chest of the hulking Tennessee native, who forsook a successful pro football career to pursue the heavyweight boxing championship of the world.

He is undeterred by unfavorable criticism of his first three bouts and the somber headlines surrounding Willie Classen's fight for life after suffering a brutal beating Friday in Madison Square Garden's Felt Forum.

"I've seen films of that fight," Jones said. "I wish people would drop the whole thing. I've seen other fights which were allowed to go on with a guy in far worse shape. Everybody — officials, corner men and doctors — should learn a lesson but all this publicity is bad on the guy's family."

THE GARGANTUAN gladiator — an inch and a half taller than the Italian ring freak Primo Carnera but leaner and quicker and with a two-inch longer reach — was whipping through a workout at the walkup Times Square Boxing Club under the watchful eye of veteran trainer Murphy Griffith.

"I never got hurt in football," said Jones. "Because of my height, I stayed low to get leverage. I butted all the time. I jarred a few heads, gave a few headaches but never really hurt a guy."

Hockey

AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE Wednesday's Games Adirondack 3, Binghamton 0 Hershey 5, Nova Scotia 3

CENTRAL HOCKEY LEAGUE Wednesday's Games Houston 6, Cincinnati 2 Tulsa 2, Fort Worth 1

Greyhound Racing advertisement featuring a greyhound dog and text: EXACTAS QUINIELAS 2 BIG Q's, WEDNESDAY THRU SUNDAY 8:00 P.M., FREE PARKING, Juarez Race Track in Old Mexico.

Michelin advertisement featuring the Michelin Man character and text: WE PUT YOU FIRST ON MICHELIN, MICHELIN SUPER MARKETS FOOD & DRUG, BILL WILLIAMS TIRE CENTER, 304 S. Marienfeld 682-1671.

Lions' disappointing 7-3 record about right...Joe

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON AP Sports Writer

It has been an unusual year at Penn State. Oh, the Nittany Lions are going to a bowl game, as usual, but they have lost as many as three regular-season games for only the fourth time in Joe Paterno's 14 seasons as head coach.

"We've had more problems and injuries than any squad I've ever been around," says Paterno, whose 7-3 team winds up the regular season against Pitt on Saturday and then heads for a Liberty Bowl meeting with Tulane.

"It's been one of those years. It's the first time we started off with academic problems (two starters in the secondary flunked out) and we also had a few disciplinary problems."

The biggest losses came several weeks ago when All-America defensive lineman Bruce Clark wrecked a knee and his runningmate, tackle Matt Millen, hurt his back.

"Our record is about right, although I thought we might be 8-2," Paterno says. "We weren't a very good team early in the year because we were so inexperienced. I thought if we got by the first couple of games we'd be all right, but we lost two big ones early (Texas A&M and Nebraska)."

Nevertheless, Penn State has extended its NCAA record of consecutive nonlosing seasons to 41 in a row. The Nittany Lions last lost more games than they won in 1938 when the record was 3-4-1. Since then, they've had 26 straight winning years, two 500 seasons (1965-66) and 13 more winning ones.

THE UNIVERSITY of California's acceptance of a bid to meet Temple in the Garden State Bowl on Dec. 15 brings to mind the fact that the

College focus

school's last bowl appearance was the Jan. 1, 1959, Rose Bowl, a 38-12 loss to Iowa. Early in the next season, the Golden Bears met up with Iowa again and this time they bowed 42-12.

Dave Maggard, now Cal's athletic director, remembers that late in the latter game the officials gave the Golden Bears a fifth down. One of the Iowa linemen caught the boo-boo and hollered at the referee, but a merciful teammate said, "Aw, let 'em have it."

"We've improved since then," Maggard points out. "We think we can compete with anybody now."

WHY ISN'T Tuskegee Institute of Tuskegee, Ala., in the Top Ten?

Claude Campbell of Knoxville, Tenn., points out that Tuskegee beat Florida A&M 16-14, Florida A&M beat Miami, Fla. 16-13, Miami beat Penn State 26-10, Penn State beat Rutgers 45-10, Rutgers beat Army 20-10, Army beat Stanford 17-13 ... and Stanford tied second-ranked Southern Cal 21-21.

THERE'S SOMETHING about being on probation that does things to Oklahoma schools. The University of Oklahoma won a national championship in 1974 while in the NCAA's jailhouse and this year Oklahoma State surprised most folks with a 7-4 overall record and a 5-2 third-place finish in the Big Eight.

The Cowboys, under first-year Head Coach Jim Johnson and with walk-ons and freshmen compiling a goodly portion of the roster, won four conference games on the road, two more than any previous Oklahoma State team had ever won. And the seven victories made Johnson the winningest first-year coach in the school's history.

Among the walk-ons who have starred for the Cowboys are defensive end Rick Antle and quarterbacks Harold Bailey and John Doerner.

THE WINLESS Florida Gators wore orange shirts for the first time ever against unbeaten Florida State. It was reminiscent of Notre Dame's switch to green jerseys two years ago preceding a rout of Southern Cal.

Florida didn't win but the Gators gave Florida State a better game than anyone had a right to expect, succumbing 27-16 after being tied 10-10 in the fourth quarter.

The Gators weren't particularly impressed with the Seminoles, but that's to be expected from bitter rivals like these.

"If they're No. 5 in the country... well, I won't say it. Let them have their day," said Florida nose guard Robin Fisher. And now the Seminoles are No. 4.

CLEMSON Memorial Stadium is known as "Death Valley" for obvious reasons, but Maryland Coach Jerry Claiborne doesn't mind, especially since his Terrapins won 19-0 there back in September.

"They have the most enthusiastic fans around," Claiborne says. "They are vocal. This is what college football is about. When they get loud, I tell our players to pretend they are cheering for you."

"During the game they are very competitive. They want their team to win. They cheer hard for them, and I think this is great. But what I think is even greater is that before the game and after the game the young Clemson fans come up and ask our players for their autographs. They wish our players well for the rest of the year and to win the rest of our games."

"The older fans shake your hand and congratulate you when you win. When the bus was leaving 'Death Valley' to go to the airport the fans waved, smiled and wished us luck. I think this was a great example for any fans throughout the country to understand that during the game you are competitive and after the game, as ladies and gentlemen, you congratulate the victor and also congratulate the loser for their effort."

BEAR BRYANT on upsets: "Major upsets happen every week. With the squad limits as they are, the have-nots don't have as much and the have-nots have more. If you go out there and you're not ready to play, you get beat."

Oops, Lake Placid left without lights 7 hours

LAKE PLACID, N.Y. (AP) — This village of 2,700 persons went about its business without electricity for seven hours Wednesday as the local electric company beeped up its system for the 1980 Winter Olympics.

A police spokesman said power, which was cut as scheduled at 9 a.m., was restored about 4:15, or about 10 minutes before sunset. It was scheduled to return at 3 p.m., but the work took longer than expected.

No problems occurred during the outage, police said. Temperatures fell from about 50 at noon into the high 30s by mid-afternoon as a cold front moved through the area.

The work was needed to bring the village's municipal supply to 115,000 volts from 46,000 to handle the power demand in staging and reporting the Games.

Schools were dismissed for the day, but many businesses and offices remained open.

Furr's Gifts advertisement for Boman Radios and Lake Speakers. Includes text: Furr's Gifts...FOR THE ROAD, BOMAN RADIOS, BOMAN SPEAKERS, LAKE SPEAKERS, and various product models and prices.

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The Midland Wildcat Committee honored officials of Houston Oil & Minerals with a reception Wednesday in the Petroleum Club. From left seated are Allen Ernst, Paul Degenhart, Fox F. Benton Jr., and Bob Patrick. From left standing are Dan Montgomery, Jim Floyd, Vince Loftis, Joe Walter, John Walters, Charlie Swize and Sam Oliphant.

Midland Wildcat Committee honors officials of Houston Oil & Minerals

Joe C. Walter, chairman of the board of Houston Oil & Minerals Corp., and Fox F. Benton Jr., president and chief executive officer, were all smiles in Midland Wednesday. Both were more than pleased that The Midland Wildcat Committee was honoring them and other officials and directors of the company at a recep-

tion in the Petroleum Club. Another big reason for the big smiles was the Senate's action Tuesday passing legislation, 53-41, that would free from the "windfall profits" tax the first 1,000 barrels of oil pumped daily by independent oil operators. "That certainly was a move in the

right direction," Benton said. "It also is an assurance that the Senate will fight for the legislation in committee before it goes to the House. Both Benton and Walter expressed a belief that the domestic oil industry, with the present status of legislation and other factors, has a very good decade to look forward to. "The next 10 years, unless punitive action is taken by Congress, should be very attractive for the oil industry," Benton said.

Duncan outlines troubles if OPEC cuts production

LAS VEGAS (AP) — An expected crude oil production cutback by members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries could produce worldwide oil shortages next year, warns Energy Secretary Charles W. Duncan Jr.

Unless oil consuming nations cut their imports, he warned, "we may reach a situation of an uncontrollable scramble for bilateral deals in a tightening market, with every man for himself, a seller's market where exorbitant prices, tied-in economic concessions and the temptation of political accommodations becomes the prevailing currency."

He said OPEC was no longer able to enforce its price ceiling of \$23.50 per barrel, set last June. Three countries — Algeria, Nigeria and Libya — already are that limit in regular contract sales and OPEC oil is selling on the spot market for up to \$45 a barrel, he said.

"The prospects for world oil in 1980 are increasingly troublesome," he said Wednesday. "Independent projections all conclude that, at best, supply and demand will be precariously balanced during 1980." Addressing the National League of Cities convention, Duncan said the "best assessment" of potential cutbacks by OPEC countries was that between 2.5 million to 5 million barrels a day were "at risk" and that some cutbacks were probable.

Duncan said Carter's phased price decontrol program for domestic oil was being made so gradually "that the impact of control (on the inflation rate) will only represent an addition of about one-quarter of percentage point this year." In no year, he added, "we expect decon to have an inflation impact greater than six-tenths of 1 percent."

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He said OPEC member countries produced 31 million barrels per day in 1979 and that any cuts below that in 1980 "would result in continuing upward pressure" on crude oil prices. Production "below 30 million barrels per day will probably produce actual shortages all over the world,"

he said. "The prospects for world oil in 1980 are increasingly troublesome," he said Wednesday. "Independent projections all conclude that, at best, supply and demand will be precariously balanced during 1980."

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Operators announce wildcat projects in Basin

Laguna Petroleum Co. of Midland No. 1 W. D. Everett is to be drilled as a 9,100-foot wildcat in Borden County, one mile southwest of production in the Aplark field and two miles southeast of a 9,518-foot dry hole. Location is 1,703 feet from north and 1,222 feet from east lines of section 17, block 31, T-4-N, T&P survey and four miles southwest of Gail. Elevation is 2,416 feet.

200-foot wildcat in Eddy County, N.M., seven miles northwest of White City. It is No. 1 Baldrige-Federal communitized, 1,657 feet from south and 2,005 feet from east lines of section 14-24s-24e. IRION WILDCATS Union Oil Co. of California No. 1-109 T.S.R.H. is a new 9,500-foot wildcat in Nolan County, 13 miles northwest of Barnhart. Location is 1,980 feet from north and west lines of section 109, block 1,

T&P survey. Ground elevation is 2,502 feet. The location is 3/4 mile north of the depleted Fusselman discovery of the Barnhart, Northeast field and two and five-eighths miles northwest of the ela Sugg (Wolfcamp gas) pool. Enrich Oil Corp. of Abilene spotted a pair of 7,200-foot wildcat six miles southwest of Maryneal in Nolan County. The No. 1-82 Double M Ranch is 660 feet from south and 990 feet from west

Oil-state senators making effort to block amendment

WASHINGTON (AP) — Oil-state senators, fearing a setback in their efforts to weaken President Carter's "windfall-profits" tax, are trying to block an amendment that would cost the oil industry \$22.5 billion over the next decade. Sen. Robert Dole, R-Kan., and his allies began a talkathon Wednesday after the Senate, on a 58-39 vote, refused to kill the amendment. Dole and Democratic Leader Robert C. Byrd said they expected to break the stalemate sometime today.

The amendment, sponsored by Sens. Bill Bradley, D-N.J., and John Chafee, R-R.I., would raise from 60 percent to 75 percent the tax on future price increases of "new" oil, which generally is any oil discovered between 1973 and 1978. Earlier this week, the Senate approved an amendment that would slash the impact of the tax by \$10 billion by exempting the first 1,000 barrels of crude oil pumped daily by an independent operator. The Senate version of the tax would cost the oil industry some \$11 billion from 1980 through 1990. In contrast, the tax passed by the House and favored by Carter would cost \$27 billion.

"windfall." The House passed a tax, similar to what Carter wanted, that would take about 62 percent of the \$435 billion. The bill being considered by the Senate would tax away only about 27 percent. The Bradley-Chafee amendment would cost the oil industry another \$22.5 billion, thus increasing the Senate tax to about 32 percent. Their proposal to raise the tax on "new" oil generally is considered to have the best chance of approval of any amendment to raise the tax above the level voted by the Finance Committee. Oil discovered between 1973 and 1978 now sells for an average of about \$13 a barrel. With removal of price controls, the price is expected to rise gradually to more than \$30. Sen. Russell B. Long, D-La., chairman of the Finance Committee and manager of the tax bill, said the amendment would leave oil producers with virtually no new incentive at all for increased exploration and oil production. Earlier estimates placed the value of the amendment at \$14 billion from 1980 through 1990, but congressional aides raised the figure Wednesday to \$22.5 billion.

DRILLING REPORT

ANDREWS COUNTY Amoco No. 209-AK Midland Farms, drilling 4100 feet. Amoco No. 1-AW Midland Farms, id 10,350 feet, drilling out cement. Clegg George No. X University, drilling 7815 feet in lime. BREWSTER COUNTY Texas Pacific No. 1 Madre Grande, drilling 7115 feet. COCHRAN COUNTY Union Texas No. 80 Slaughter, id 5100 feet, set mud anchor at 381 feet, released pulling unit, waiting on pumping unit. SOUTHWEST COUNTY Union Texas No. 1-33 Todd, drilling 1425 feet in lime and shale. DAWSON COUNTY RK Petroleum No. 1 Puckett, drilling 11,600 feet. RK Petroleum No. 1-43 Dean, drilling 8067 feet. RK Petroleum No. 1 Tacker, drilling 7800 feet. ECTOR COUNTY Amoco No. 1-AW David Fasken, id 12,985 feet, perforated from 10,272 to 10,276 feet, fractured perforations with 12,900 gallons. Amoco No. 4-AJ Midland Farms, id 10,425 feet, waiting on completion unit. Maddox Energy Corp. No. 1-A Edwards, drilling 3442 feet in dolomite and shale. EDDY COUNTY Adams Exploration No. 1 Ann Communitized, drilling 7272 feet in lime. Adams Exploration No. 1-Dan-Federal, id 4000 feet, pumped 3 barrels of oil, 15 barrels of water through perforations from 4220 to 4251 feet. Amoco No. 1-F Gas Federal Communitized, drilling 4087 feet. Amoco No. 1-HJ State, id 11,952 feet, waiting on completion unit. Amoco No. 1-AE Federal, drilling 9620 feet in lime and shale. Amoco No. 1-HS State Communitized, drilling 9890 feet in lime and shale. Amoco No. 1-F Gas Federal Communitized, drilling 665 feet. Amoco No. 1-B Granite Gas Communitized, drilling 1985 feet in salt, set 16-inch casing at 290 feet. C&K Petroleum No. 2-CK Federal, drilling 660 feet. Amoco No. 1-G Rustler Bluffs, drilling 5825 feet in lime, food drill stem test from 4870 to 4811 feet, open on 3 minute initial flow with weak blow increasing to strong blow in 2 minutes, 60 minutes shut in, open with good blow and decreasing on 60 minute final flow, gas to surface in 10 minutes, always dead at end of test, 15 minute final shut in, recovered 75 feet of free oil (38% gravity) and 355 feet formation water cut drilling fluid with odor of gas and trace of oil. Gulf No. 1-Fruit Ranch, drilling 4900 feet in lime. Gulf No. 1-35 Eddy State, drilling 6320 feet in lime. Gulf No. 1-AV Eddy State, id 11,300 feet, waiting on 4-points test results. HNG Oil Co. No. 1-13 Brantley State, id 12,000 feet, set 4 1/2-inch liner at total depth, acidized perforations from 12,180 to 12,415 feet with 7500 gallons, shut in. The Petroleum Corp. of Delaware No. 7 Parkway, id 11,600 feet, acidized 1.3 barrels of formation water through perforations from 11,450 to 11,455 feet. The Petroleum Corp. of Delaware No. 8 Parkway, drilling 6625 feet in lime and shale. Southland Royalty No. 1-14-A State Communitized, drilling 9670 feet in lime and dolomite. Southland Royalty No. 1-32 State, id 11,136 feet, flowing through separator, gas volume 610 mcf and 2 barrels of oil in 20 hours through perforations from 10,618 to 10,930 feet. GAINES COUNTY Mallard Oil & Gas No. 1 Jones, drilling 7110 feet. Gulf Oil Corp. No. 5 Patrick Donahue, drilling 2810 feet in anhydrite and salt. Union Texas No. 1 Hall, drilling 6530 feet in dolomite, took drill stem test from 3375 to 3530 feet and recovered 125 feet heavy gas cut drilling fluid, took drill stem test from 5490 to 5506 feet and recovered 5 feet of drilling fluid. WTG Exploration No. 2 Bennett Estate, id 340 feet in red bed, running 12 1/2-inch casing. GINZA COUNTY Amoco No. 1-Rex Robinson, drilling 264 feet. HOCKLEY COUNTY Cities Service No. 1-A Piercy, id 7,300 feet in dolomite, plugged and abandoned. HOWARD COUNTY C&K Petroleum No. 1-28 Read, drilling 6,290 feet in lime and shale. IRION COUNTY C&K No. 1 Noelke, drilling 1,000 feet in lime and shale. Union Texas No. 1-43-10 Farmer, id 7,250 feet, spotted 1 barrel of acid across perforations from 6,200 to 6,397 feet, acidized with 4,000 gallons, set packer at 6,815 feet. HNG No. 1-15 Thompson, id 7,470 feet, plugged and abandoned. LEA COUNTY Getty No. 2-36 State, drilling 3,425 feet. Getty No. 2-2C State, drilling 5,146 feet. Getty No. 1 Patterson Federal, id 10,380 feet in lime, tripping. Amoco No. 1-HQ State, id 10,650 feet, set 7-inch casing at total depth, waiting on completion unit. Amoco No. 1-A-C Federal, drilling 13,410 feet. Amoco No. 11-C State Tract II, id 6,900 feet, flowed 138 barrels of oil and 92 barrels of load water in 24 hours, through perforations from 5,900 to 6,175 feet. Amoco No. 1-HL State, drilling 12,282 feet. Amoco No. 1-Andriopoulos, drilling 15,510 feet. Amoco No. 3-FU State, id 239 feet, set 13 1/2-inch casing at total depth, waiting on cement. Amoco No. 1-HR State, id 4,000 feet, running logs, set 13 1/2-inch casing at 300 feet. Amoco No. 9-C State Tract II, id 6,900 feet, set 7-inch casing at 6,865 feet. LYNN COUNTY Southland Royalty Co. No. 1 T-Bar Edwards, id 10,615 feet, plugged and abandoned. MARTIN COUNTY RK Petroleum No. 2 RK Union, drilling 1,930 feet. MITCHELL COUNTY Union Texas No. 4-18 Westbrook, id 4,600 feet, acidized perforations from 3,979 to 4,012 feet with 2,000 gallons, spotted 3 barrels of acid across perforations from 3,724 to 3,724 feet, perforated from 3,364 to 3,472 feet, set cast on bridge plug at 3,555 feet, set packer at 1,296 feet, plugged back fracture tanks, showing 300 barrels of water and no show of oil in 21 hours, choke size not reported. PECOS COUNTY Getty No. 1-18 Slaughter-Pik, drilling 14,197 feet. Getty No. 1-Miriam Ratcliff, drilling 11,037 feet. ATAPCO No. 1-16-A University, id 5,331 feet, plugged back depth 5,161 feet, pumping unit engine down. Getty No. 2-1 Emma Lou, id 29,622 feet in dolomite, recovering load, laid down tubing, perforations from 29,375 to 29,968 feet. Getty No. 2-D Ivy B Weatherly, drilling 11,250 feet in lime and shale. Maddox Energy No. 1 Front Nation at Bank, drilling 264 feet in lime and surface rock. Hunt Energy No. 1-9 Cerf Ranch, drilling 13,418 feet. REEVES COUNTY Gulf No. 2-Zerk, id 12,900 feet, pulled out of hole with tubing, circulation. Getty No. 7-S E. Ligon-State, drilling 9,900 feet in lime and shale. Getty No. 10-S E. Ligon-State, id 6,700 feet, flowed 23 barrels of oil and 111 barrels of water in 24 hours, through a 16/64-inch choke and perforations at 6,600 to 6,490 feet. Getty No. 11-S E. Ligon-State, id 6,700 feet, flowing, no gauges, through perforations at 6,388 to 6,417 feet. C&K No. 2 Cattail, id 2,805 feet, waiting on orders. HNG No. 1-25 Lindsay, drilling 15,397 feet. STERLING COUNTY Hanson Corp. No. 1 Copeland, drilling 2,636 feet in shale. TERRELL COUNTY Mobil No. 3 Brown McNich, drilling 6,090 feet in shale and sand. Mobil No. 1-A Foster, id 17,900 feet.

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Federal sale of Gulf oil leases almost sets record

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The federal sale of oil drilling leases in the Gulf of Mexico was expected to be routine, but it drew a total of \$1.9 billion in high bids, the second highest on record. Tuesday's bids were surpassed only by the \$2 billion sale of 91 tracts in 1974. "This was a great sale. It far exceeded our expectations," said Harry Sieverding, assistant manager of the Department of Interior's Bureau of Land Management office in New Orleans. However, Philip Oxley of Houston, senior vice president of Tenneco Oil Exploration & Production, said he came to the sale expecting to see heavy money and was not surprised. Nor was he surprised to find a lot of it going to lease tracts which already had been worked and abandoned. "You take just 10 years ago, a company might have drilled out there;

found say 25 billion cubic feet of gas, and said forget it. Depending on depth and distance, it might not have been worth the expense of drilling, laying pipelines and other costs," said Oxley. "Of course, those were days when gas went for 27 cents per thousand cubic feet. Now it's \$3.00." About 500 oilmen gathered in the Louisiana Su-

perdome as the sealed bids were read out on 96 of the 124 tracts offered in the central and western Gulf. The rest of the tracts drew no bids.

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Mrs. Edwin Alstrin, left, and Mrs. E. C. Philpy, center, representing the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church Women, donate \$1,200 Wednesday to the Meals on Wheels program at Midland Memorial Hospital. Accepting the donation is Sylvia Cowles, assistant director of the program. (Staff Photo)

OC's midwinter registration continues

ODESSA — Registration for the Midwinter Session at Odessa College opened this week and runs through Dec. 14.

Some 17 college credit courses are offered during the short term, which is scheduled Dec. 27 through Jan. 9.

Classes will not meet Jan. 1.

Registration times for the midwinter term will be 9 to 11 a.m. and 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays, and 9:30 to 11 a.m. and 1:30 to 4 p.m. Fridays.

Evening registration is set from 6 to 8 p.m. today and Dec. 10-13.

Students also will have the opportunity to sign up for classes from 8 to 9:30 a.m. Dec. 27. Persons may sign up in

the registrar's office on the second floor of the Student Union Building.

Students can earn credit for an entire course in nine days during the midwinter session, according to Sue Blair, OC registrar.

Classes will meet from 8:30 to 11 a.m. and 1:30 to 4 p.m. each weekday during the term.

Courses will be offered in geography, government, history, math, speech, English and literature, marine ecology and beginning, intermediate and advanced skiing.

The marine ecology course includes a trip to Puerto Penasco, Sonora, Mexico, while the skiing class will travel to Aspen, Colo.

Tuition for Ector County residents is \$40 for a three hour course. Out of county residents pay \$52 while tuition and fees are slightly higher for out of state and foreign students.

BIRTHS

MIDLAND MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

- Nov. 14, 1979**
Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Epley, 2801 Cimmaron Drive, a girl.
- Nov. 16, 1979**
Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wayne Nunn, 4603 Wilshire Drive, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dale Williams, Rt. 5, Box 1000, space 102, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Mark Green, Rt. 2, Box 148-A, a boy.
- Nov. 17, 1979**
Mr. and Mrs. John Parras Portillo, 910 N. Whitaker St., a boy.
- Nov. 18, 1979**
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lee Mills, Rt. 4, Box A-13, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Andrew Huff, 4201 N. Garfield St., Apt. 211, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Clive Coston, 503 1/2 N. Pecos St., a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Sanchez, 1604 Butter-nut Lane, a boy.
- Nov. 19, 1979**
Mr. and Mrs. Todd Montgomery Wilson, Rt. 4, 124 Barbara Lane, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Dana Arthur Cook, 1302 College Ave., a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Hector O. Valverde, 401 E. Illinois Ave. apt. 11, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Calhoun Morris, Rt. 3 Box 431, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wayne Hereford, 801 W. Louisiana Ave., a boy.
- Nov. 20, 1979**
Mr. and Mrs. Manuel R. Hernandez, Rt. 3 Box 635, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Raul Flores, 1503 S. Baird St., a boy.
Mary Elizabeth McKay, 2438 Whitmire Blvd., apt. B-12, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Dale Smith, 2608 Frontier Drive, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. James Avery Snider, Rt. 4 box AL-57, a boy.
Elaine Michelle Fairfax, 1401 E. California Ave., a girl.
- Nov. 21, 1979**
Valerie Renee Jones, 1414 Chestnut Ave., a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Frederick Jackson, Rankin, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Kent Layne Johnson, 710 W. Pine Ave., a boy.
- Nov. 24, 1979**
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arthur Burton, 711 N. D St., a boy.
- Nov. 25, 1979**
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Leslie Clardy Jr., 714 Boyd Ave., a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Randal Lee Benton, Rt. 4 Box 8-T-2, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Loyce Hill Jr., 3002 N. Big Spring St., a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Lynn Hill, 4602 Laura Drive, a boy.
- Nov. 26, 1979**
Mr. and Mrs. Albert John Atkins III, 2602 Emerson Drive, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Van Gould Jr., Pecos, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Manuel Urias, 1300 S. Terrell St., a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Andres H. Rios Jr., 4024 Roosevelt Ave., a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lee Allen, 1104 W. College Ave., a boy.
Alice Baeza Carnero, 705 S. Indiana Ave., a boy.
- Nov. 27, 1979**
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Guess, 109 S. Jefferson St., a boy.
- Nov. 28, 1979**
Mr. and Mrs. Tony Barrett Porter, Rt. 2, Box 177-M-1, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Adolph L. Espinoza Jr., 709 N. Loraine St., a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Steve Thomas Kattke, 2816 Northtown Place, a boy.

Evelyn Denise Oudems, 401 E. Dormard Ave., a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Raul M. Reyes, 1304 S. Belmont St., a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dwain Turner, Rt. 1 Box 73-A-6, a girl.

Nov. 22, 1979
Mr. and Mrs. Gary Dale McKinney, 3301 Cimmaron Drive, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wesley Bolton, 4410 Anna Drive, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Chavez Natividad, 807 E. Kentucky Ave., a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. James Terrell Childers, 4413 Leddy Drive, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. David Floyd Turner, 608 Beckley Drive, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Edmond O'Brien, Lamesa, a girl.

Nov. 23, 1979
Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Andrew Hardin, Rt. 2 Box 198, Lot 42, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wayne Hatfield, 2800-B N. Pecos St., a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Neal Otis Fulcher Jr., 606 Burlison St., a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Earl Parrish, 4405 N. Garfield St., apt. 809, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. John Steven Evans, Rt. 3 box 392, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Drew Whiteley, 2700 N. Midland Drive, apt. 602, a girl.

Lee High speech groups place second in tournaments

The Lee High School speech and debate team got off to a good start this season, taking second places in its first two meets.

The Lee squad was second in overall competition at the recent Lubbock Coronado Tournament and at the Odessa High-Odessa College Tournament.

At the Lubbock meet, the Lee squad won the Christin Roberson Debate Sweepstakes Trophy for having the highest percentage of wins among the 30 participating schools.

In Lubbock, Eric Fryar took first place in boys' extemporaneous speaking and Paul Raymond took fourth. Both qualified for the state contest.

Jill McElligott took third place in dramatic interpretation and Deanne Durfee took fourth in original oratory. Both qualified for the state meet.

Randy Iola and Kenny Jonsson took first in standard debate while Ernest Angelo and Paul Raymond were second in cross examination debate. Raymond and Angelo qualified for the state tournament.

Semifinalists were Cindy Wells in poetry, Jill McElligott and Karen Durfee in dramatic interpretation, Robyn Rose in prose and humorous interpretation, Rodney Shull and Carlos Camarillo in humorous interpretation and the teams of Mike Harrell and Ann Gillis and Mike Hasha and Karen Durfee in duet acting.

Quarterfinalists in debate were Ross Dolan and

Jon Franke, Melissa Goode and Jennifer King and Eric Fryar and John Kimberly.

At the Odessa tournament, Robyn Rose took first place and Jim Bynum took third in prose. Meri Jo Strawn was second in humorous interpretation, and fourth places were won by Robyn Rose in dramatic interpretation, Bobby Dawson in boys' extemporaneous speaking, Jill McElligott and Jimmy Moseley in duet acting and Eric Fryar in original oratory.

Finalists included Tim Purcell in boys' extemp, Jennifer King in girls' extemp and Sonja Goza in prose.

Semifinalists were Aretha McGruder in humorous interpretation; Meri Jo Strawn in poetry; Billy Forest, Billy Galterston, Robert Dawson and Randy Iola in boys' extemp; Jennifer King and Melissa Goode in girls' extemp; and Billy Forest and Bobby Dawson in cross examination debate.

Qualifying for the state contest in Odessa were Bobby Dawson in boys' extemp, Meri Jo Strawn in humorous interpretation and Robyn Rose in dramatic interpretation.

33 Midland students to perform with choir

Thirty-three Midland students will be performing with the Region IV Texas Music Educators Association choir Saturday at 7 p.m. in the Lee High School auditorium.

The students will attend a clinic at LHS all day Saturday along with other all-region choir members from Odessa, Pecos, Fort Stockton, Big Spring, Andrews, Monahan, Kermit and San Angelo before the 7 p.m. performance.

Milton Pullen, president-elect of the Texas Music Educators Association, will conduct the workshop. He is orchestral conductor for the University of Houston at Clear Lake City and a member of the community orchestra.

Midland High School students in the all-region choir include Deirdre Madison, Melinda McLain, Angela Tompkins, Carol Blaschke, Sheila Pruitt, Scott Morris, Eric Fry, Frank Garramone, Matt Carr, Tom Boswell, Michelle Sutton, Cynthia Davis, R.L. Pertile, Kelly Patterson and Diane Winkler.

Lee High School students in the group include Jeff Woods, Kim Willis, Eddie Pleasant, Laura Walters, Eric Rohner, Phyllis Bryant, Jan Smith, Rob Knox, Sherry Perryman, Tami Rasmussen and John Murphy.

Midland Freshman School students include Lisa Coldewey, Penny Holleman, Walter Paul Miller and Jim Martin.

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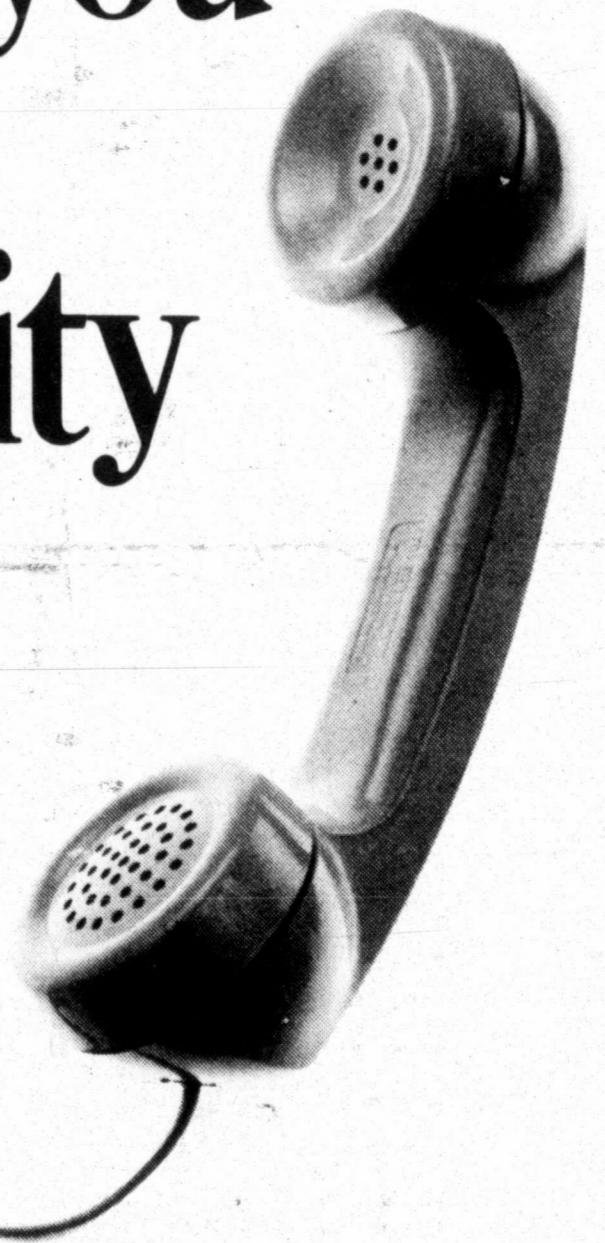
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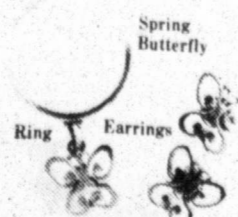
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