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Heat wave deaths climbing

Larger numbers of tourists escaping heat in cool caves

By The Associated Press
A Nebraska church was playing Christmas music and attendance was up markedly at caves in a Kentucky national park as the deadly heat wave in the nation's heartland ended its third week Saturday.

An unofficial count by The Associated Press showed that as of Saturday at least 382 people in 15 states have died from heat-related causes. The heat wave was in its 21st day in some areas Saturday.

The death count includes 88 victims in Texas, 83 in Arkansas, 67 in Missouri, 33 in Oklahoma, 27 in Tennessee, 20 in Mississippi, 19 in Kansas, 15 in Illinois, 11 in Georgia, seven in Alabama, five in Louisiana, three in Kentucky, two in Indiana and one each in Nebraska and South Carolina.

In Norfolk, Neb., the First United Methodist Church has its carillon playing Christmas carols. "We thought we'd try to cool the air with winter music," said the Rev. Loyd Bliss on Saturday.

The carillon peals out "Jingle Bells" and other frosty favorites four times daily. The program of Christmas music began Thursday afternoon, when temperatures reached 101, and church officials say the winter holiday favorites will continue as long as the heat wave.

In Kentucky, Robert Deskins, su-

perintendent of Mammoth Cave National Park, said tourist visits to the park's caves — where the air temperature is 54 degrees — have increased by about 30 percent compared with last summer. He said he didn't know if the heat was the reason for the increase.

In Lexington, Ky., the Citizens Union National Bank and Trust Co. found itself with a vault full of "hot

money" last week.

The bank's air conditioning was broken until late Thursday, and to make matters worse, the building's windows don't open.

"We've had people call in and ask if we have any hot money around," said bank President Arch Malinous Jr.

In Texas, where the last heat death was reported Thursday, the number of fatalities appears to have stabi-

lized. State officials said they believe the reason is that temperatures, while still above 100, have dropped below the record highs experienced at the start of the heat wave.

They said those most susceptible to heat-related problems probably already have died. In addition, the officials said people now take the threat of heat illness and injury seriously and are following advice to keep air conditioning on and to take cool baths.

Temperatures in Texas on Saturday reached 108 degrees in Wichita Falls, 106 in Dallas-Fort Worth and 104 in Houston.

In St. Louis, where a high of 105 was expected Saturday, Dr. George E. Wettach, director of emergency medical services, said that if the heat continues the city will face heat exhaustion and heat stroke cases "in epidemic proportions."

Daily highs for last week were generally above 100.

Mayor James F. Conway declared a medical emergency at City Hospital, where most wards are not air conditioned because the wiring cannot accommodate it. Nearby Scott Air Force Base loaned the hospital three portable cooling units run by jet fuel. An Army reserve unit loaned another operated by diesel.

Dr. R. Dean Wochner, the city's

director of health and hospitals, said about 40 percent of the hospital's 300 patients are now in air conditioned areas.

In Kansas, the National Weather Service said no relief was in sight for the hot spell that is now in its second week there. Gov. John Carlin issued a call Friday for prudent water use and urged churches and other institutions to open their doors to people in distress from the heat.

He also signed an emergency proclamation prohibiting certain kinds of open burning in the state because of the dry weather. The proclamation, issued Friday, will last for 15 days.

In Georgia, Saturday temperatures of 105 degrees in Macon, 103 in Atlanta and 101 in Columbus set records for the date. And Columbus set another record Saturday morning with a daily "low" of 82 degrees, six degrees hotter than the old record, set last year.

Emergency water conservation measures have been put into effect in nearby DeKalb County, and weekend car washing and lawn waterings have been banned.

Some 50 people were treated for heat-related ailments at the Pensacola Naval Air Station in Florida, as temperatures hit 103. Officials said none of the illnesses was serious, however.

Poll shows ERA favored

DETROIT (AP) — Americans who are familiar with the proposed Equal Rights Amendment to the Constitution favor its ratification by nearly 2-1, a new poll says.

The Associated Press-NBC News poll also says that most Americans think abortion is a matter to be left to a pregnant woman and her doctor.

Both positions run contrary to the platform drafted this week for the Republican convention.

The National Organization for Women released a poll Saturday that also found widespread support for ERA.

The poll was conducted by the firm of William R. Hamilton and Staff among 6,601 adults and showed that 62 percent backed the amendment — 34 percent strongly and 28 percent moderately.

Opposition came from 31 percent — 17 percent strongly opposed and 14 percent moderately opposed.

The poll showed support coming from every group: whites, blacks, Hispanics and Oriental Americans, and from Catholics, Jews and Protestants. Even fundamentalists, customarily conservative on social issues, supported the amendment by a margin of 56 to 36.

Reunion 'bigger, better'

STANTON — "Damn," said farmer Johnny Louder as the sun was heating up the dry earth and making the asphalt almost as mushy as tar, "you need to do something about this drought."

So, the folks in Stanton started tossing eggs, eating jalapenos, throwing cow chips and racing turtles.

It didn't exactly drive out the heat and bring in the rain, but the fun and games provided a temporary respite from thoughts of hot weather, drought and a sorry cotton year. Last year's harvest produced a bumper cotton crop.

Youngsters and their elders were beginning to line up to watch the egg toss Saturday afternoon at the 47th annual Martin County Old Settlers' Reunion. The kids had just

finished blowing sticky bubbles with gum and were only a few heat waves away from throwing dried-out cow chips, gobbling up dozens of those green, hot peppers, and racing sleepy turtles.

And the egg toss was about to begin on St. Anna Street.

In the meantime, community and school reunions were being held in town. Only hours had passed since the Old Settlers' 10-block long parade had marched through this town of 3,000-plus folks. And the live music, barbecue feed and memorial services were not far off.

"We've had a real good reunion so far," said Morgan Cox, reunion president. "Everything's going better and bigger."

Helping make things bigger and

better was Stanton's rotund police chief, Jerry Register, who sauntered up to the egg-toss line. His blue-uniformed patrolman, Darrel Brown, tagged along. A plug of Redman chewing tobacco was ballooning his right cheek.

"They want to throw eggs at you," Cox told the chief. "Get over there."

He did. "We expect to win," said Register. "If anybody beats us, they're in trouble. We're going to foul."

The chief got egg on his face.

He and Brown had worked their tossing up to 40 feet. But on a Brown toss, Register missed and the egg splattered across his forehead. The crowd applauded and yelled in de-

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Building permits set record

Permits issued last week for two new office buildings and a large number of new residences sent the estimated amount of construction in Midland soaring to a record-breaking \$22 million in one week, according to the city's inspections and permits department.

The 12-story Summit and the 11-story Paragon buildings accounted for \$20 million of the \$22,365,589 recorded in permits.

Independent oil producers, Wagner and Brown, announced last June plans to construct The Summit at 300 N. Marienfield St. About 150,000 square feet of rentable floor space will connect with an aerial bridge to tenant parking spaces.

Completion date of the building is set for August 1981.

Estimated cost of the project was recorded at \$10 million, according to the permit issued by the city.

The estimated cost of the Paragon at 600 N. Marienfield St. was listed

also at \$10 million. Gifford, Mitchell and Wisenbaker will be owners of the building that will feature a five-story atrium housing some office space, retail stores and a restaurant.

THIRTY-ONE new residential permits accounted for \$1,955,980 in permits. Most of the new housing permits were for houses in the \$50,000-\$75,000 range. One exception was a \$140,000 house constructed by Thomas and Co. Inc. at 707 W. Dengar Ave.

Building construction this year is ahead of last year's record breaking pace. Permits issued for the year ending June 1980 is listed at \$56,563,655 compared to \$47,336,733 for the same period in 1979.

Total building construction permits issued last year is recorded at \$94,353,133. So far this year, about \$79,338,944 has been issued in new commercial starts, new housing, com-

mercial and residential alterations. Until last week, the record-breaking total for one week was set March 3-7 when about \$10 million was recorded by the city department.

PERMITS ISSUED for new residential starts went to:

Williams and Associates, 4559 Shady Oak Court, \$90,000; Concept, 4912 Brownwood Drive, \$54,000; Concept, 4907 Brownwood Drive, \$54,000; Concept, 4909 Brownwood Drive, \$54,000; Concept, 4910 Brownwood Drive, \$54,000; Concept, 4914 Brownwood Drive, \$54,000; T.R. McAden, 4499 Hackberry Court, \$88,500; Tabor Construction, 4907 Fairmont Drive, \$98,000; Milton Lary, 4706 Elma Drive, \$65,000; Kensey Construction, 4617 Anetta Drive, \$57,000; Claude Butler, 504 Brooks Drive, \$35,000; Williams and Associates, 4323 W. Storey Ave.,

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Shell-shock was evident Saturday at the Martin County Old Settlers' Reunion in Stanton. Mandy Swinson, 17, doesn't quite make a clean catch during the egg-tossing contest. (Staff Photo by Bruce Partain)

How allied are we?

By WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST JR.
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MUNICH — The main reason for this Hearst Task Force mission to Europe was to learn for ourselves — from some of the leading government and political figures among our European allies — just how allied we are today.

As you may have noted from reading the newspapers and listening to television news programs, there has been a lot of speculation about the Atlantic alliance being in disarray and about the European allies pursuing a "go-it-alone" policy independent of American leadership.

Well, we have found some conflicting views over here about just what is happening and the implications of it for Western security. While nobody believes the Atlantic alliance is on the verge of collapse, it is apparent that important changes of attitude about the alliance, and especially America's original leadership of it, are tak-



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ing place. When World War II ended in 1945, the United States was the strongest nation, militarily and economically, in the world.

Even after Franklin D. Roosevelt's death one month before the end of that war, Harry S. Truman took over the helm of the ship of state and

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successfully guided it on the same course for the next eight years.

Physically exhausted and financially busted, our allies and former enemies looked to us for the leadership, the means and money to rebuild their morale and machines — and we delivered.

Today, many things are different. No longer do they look to us for the kind of leadership we expected in those early post-war years. Let's face it, we don't have the same strong type of leader in the White House.

Also, the European allies are much stronger economically. Most of them have put their financial houses in order (in some cases in better condition than our own), and finally, the

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Reagan has big lead in AP-NBC poll

DETROIT (AP) — Interviews with 1,949 adults on Tuesday and Wednesday were the basis for the Associated Press-NBC News poll on presidential preference opinion.

1. If the 1980 presidential election were being held today, would you vote for Ronald Reagan, the Republican; Jimmy Carter, the Democrat; John Anderson, an independent; Barry Commoner of the Citizens' Party or Ed Clark of the Libertarian Party?

(Of Likely voters only)
Reagan — 42 percent.
Carter — 28 percent.
Anderson — 18 percent.
Commoner — Less than 1 percent.
Clark — Less than 1 percent.
Other — 2 percent.
Not sure — 12 percent.

Reagan unveils 4-point economic recovery plan

LOS ANGELES, Calif. (AP) — Ronald Reagan proposed a four-point economic recovery program Saturday. He keyed his plan to an auto industry rebound and said the U.S. auto industry needs "protection from Washington," not from the Japanese.

His program includes a moratorium on future auto industry regulation, new tax breaks to encourage re-tooling for production of smaller cars and repeal of federal gasoline allocation rules.

Reagan's statement, coming as Republican delegates arrived in Detroit prepared to nominate him as the GOP presidential candidate, also urged a repeal of the president's authority to impose credit controls.

Reagan said that as president he would seek full employment without inflation through economic growth. And he said he would encourage that economic growth by easing the regulatory burden on industry and creating greater tax incentives for capital

investment. Calling unemployment in the auto industry — estimated at 30 percent of the normal workforce — "a tragedy of the first magnitude," Reagan again urged more unemployment compensation programs and retraining funds, particularly for auto workers whose jobs may be permanently lost.

Last Tuesday, Carter flew into Detroit to unveil his auto aid package. It proposed some regulatory relief, tax reductions similar in concept to that of Reagan's, loan programs for dealers and speeded up consideration of a complaint against the Japanese.

Carter did not seek import quotas on the foreign cars that are grabbing an ever-larger share of the American market. Such a dramatic move is sought by many in the auto industry, reeling from a prolonged sales downturn.

Reagan said he flatly opposed institution of quotas. He explained: "By inducing retaliation by our

trading partners, quotas could deprive American auto workers of valuable foreign markets, and reduce, rather than increase, demand for American made cars."

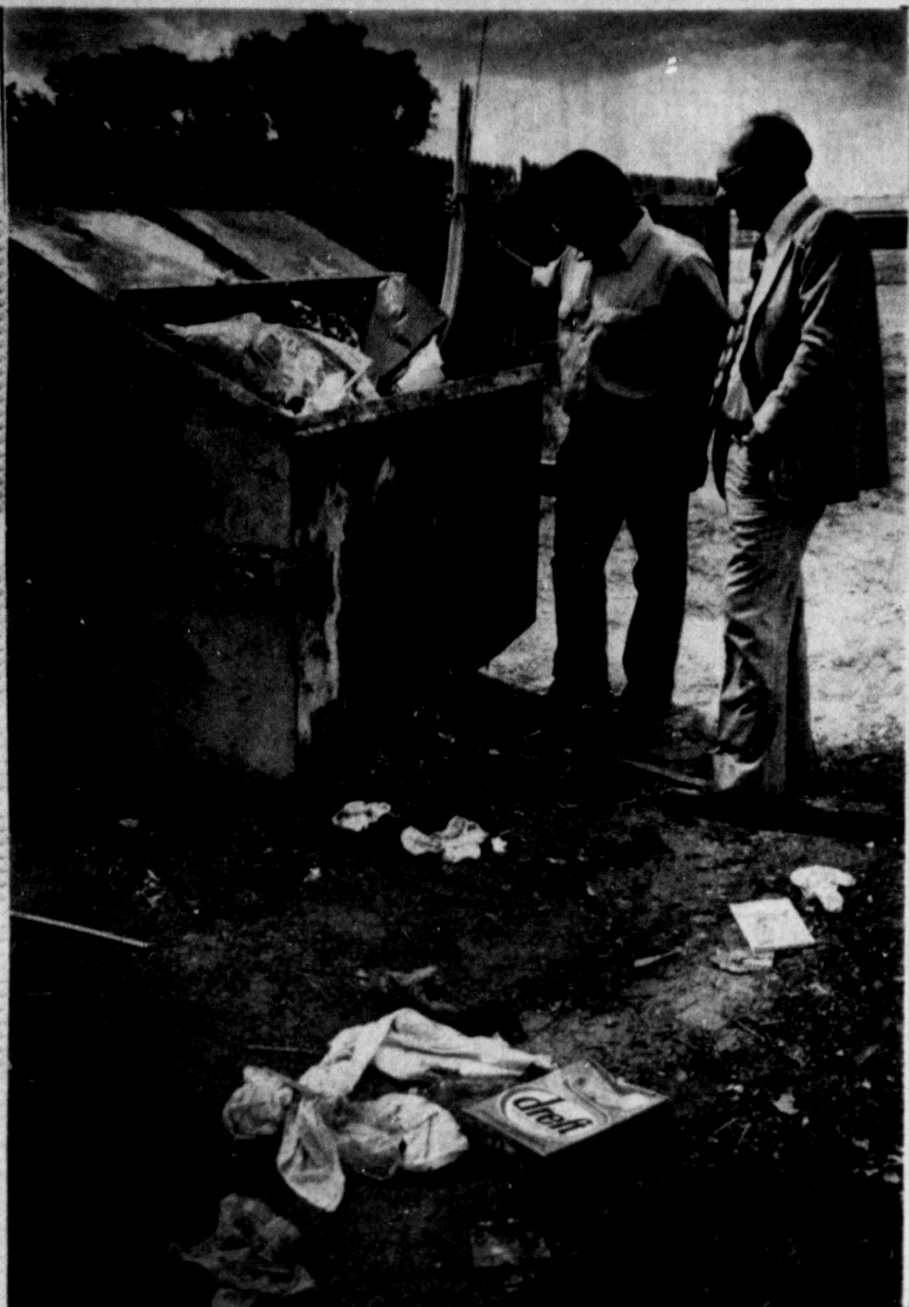
"The U.S. does not need protection from Japan, it needs protection from Washington," he said.

On Monday, an auto recovery plank is expected to be inserted into the Republican platform, a move that symbolizes the GOP efforts to attract support from blue-collar voters.

"American auto workers and consumers are bearing the brunt of four years of economic mismanagement by the Carter Administration," Reagan said in his statement.

While Reagan remained at his Los Angeles home Saturday, granting interviews and working on his acceptance speech for the GOP presidential nomination next Thursday, his office offered a six-page statement on the

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Checking an area as a potential breeding ground for flies are vector control unit worker Demetrio Natividad, left, and Chief Sanitarian Jewel Smith. The City-County Health Department conducts daily checks for possible breeding grounds. (Staff Photo by Brian Hendershot)

City's fly problem under control

By SUE FAHLGREN
Staff Writer

This summer's heatwave has brought an onslaught of heat-related deaths, fires and droughts. One further worry for health department officials is the fly population.

In Midland, however, Chief Sanitarian Jewel Smith said the flies are relatively under control.

"We have the flies and mosquitoes down to a manageable level," Smith said Friday, adding that Midland's insect population was much lower than some other area cities. "Other places have fly problems," he said, declining to be quoted on the names of the towns.

"Comparatively," he added, "we don't have a problem. It's basic sanitation."

There are areas in Midland, however, where the potential for fly festation runs high. Smith said his department is aware of such places.

"We have a pretty good idea of where the trouble spots are," Smith said. "We have identified every potential breeding ground in the city."

With input from citizens' complaints and the vector control unit, Health Department officials have been able to localize their pesticide efforts.

Scraping city trash dumpsters and spraying them with diesel oil about once a month has cut down the population at a majority of the breeding sites. The city's vector control unit, consisting of three men who are certified by the Texas State Board of Health to buy and use pesticides, has had the responsibility for spraying and controlling the flies.

Smith and vector control worker Demetrio Natividad blame many of the problem areas on residents' neglect.

Smith explained the situation. "People put raw garbage in their dumpsters," he said, which attracts the flies. In the summer is the added problem of "dog droppings (left in the yard for more than a day) which offer an ideal media for flies."

Notices included recently in city garbage bills offer residents the same suggestions Smith and Natividad do about alleviating the flies.

"If people would bag their garbage before they put it in the dumpsters," Smith said, "we wouldn't have a problem."

He suggested citizens drain the liquid parts of their rubbish before placing it inside a plastic bag and then in the dumpster. He also said pet owners should pick up pet waste daily.

"When you don't do those things," Smith said, "you're going to have a fly problem. The answer to the fly problem is not chemicals; it's good sanitation."

Smith explained the fly's growth stages.

"This time of year is the optimum time for flies — 95 degrees Fahrenheit and 40 to 60 percent humidity are the optimum forms," he said. "Under optimum conditions a fly will go from egg to adult in seven days. If not disturbed, 12 to 24 hours after the egg is deposited, you've got a larva — a maggot."

After three days the larva becomes pupa, Smith said, and in three more days it develops into an adult.

One hour after that, Smith said, a fly's wings are good enough to fly around. About 15 hours after that, he continued, the flies will start breeding.

Flies breed twice in their two- to four-week lifetime. The females will lay about 500 eggs at each breeding period.

"Time, temperature, food and moisture are what flies need to breed," Smith said. "Take any one of those away and you won't have a fly problem."

Besides being a nuisance, Smith said, "a fly's just a filthy creature, that's all. They are creatures of filth and unless man is around to create that filth for them to grow, they won't."

But, Smith said, some residents don't take care of the alley where their garbage is collected. Trash accumulates outside the container and flies start breeding.

"It really doesn't have to do with the price of the real estate in the area," Smith said. "It has to do with how much people take care of their alleys."

In some alleys, receptacle lids are left open to let flies come and go in the garbage.

"We try to do our part," Natividad said. "If people

try to do their part, there wouldn't be any fly problem. Personally, I think unless we can get the people on the eastside to help out, we'll never get rid of the flies," he said.

The eastside has been the source of most of the complaints received by the Health Department.

"We need to get this situation under control," Smith said. "We are interested in getting it done. The fly population (this year) is better than it has been in three years. The vector control unit has done a good job," he added.

"If people have a complaint, they should call us," Smith continued.

According to the city code, Smith said, residents are required to put their trash in plastic garbage bags, "but we don't enforce that," he said.

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SS benefit will be paid — somehow

By DAVID CAMPBELL
Staff Writer

It is possible by the year 2030, when a large portion of Midlanders retire, there may not be any money to pay Social Security benefits, according to the 1979 report by the Social Security Administration Trustees.

However, Social Security officials quietly remind these persons, who are a part of the post-World War II baby boom, their benefits will be paid — somehow.

The obvious question resulting from this pessimistic prediction is how will Social Security continue to finance itself where today's workers will be able to collect benefits for which they are presently paying.

This question was presented at a recent symposium on the Midland College campus conducted by local Social Security offices.

Although no definite solutions were uncovered during the sessions, Midland and Odessa Social Security officials did receive some public reaction regarding several proposed plans.

The next step in the process is to present final recommendations to Congress for study and future action.

But what is first proposed to Congress eventually gets changed to something completely different, noted Joyce Tays, supervisory resident representative of the Social Security Administration in Midland.

THREE TRUST funds which compose the Social Security program — old age and survivors' insurance, disability insurance and hospital insur-

ance — have been affected by the national economic situation and changing demographic features.

Present levels of about 6.5 percent unemployment created by the recession have reduced the number of workers paying money. This affects the "pay as you go" system that annually replenishes the three trust funds, Mrs. Tays said.

Each pay day employees and employers contribute about 6.13 percent to a fund developed by the Federal Insurance Contributions Act (FICA).

Most of the FICA money, about 4.33 percent, is allocated to the old age and survivors insurance trust fund, according to a Social Security publication. Two other trust funds, disability insurance and hospital insurance, receive about 75 and 1.05 percent, respectively.

Money paid into these funds does not go into individual accounts from which benefits are paid, as most Midlanders believe. Benefit payments are paid according to the amount of wages earned, Mrs. Tays said.

DEMOGRAPHICALLY, persons have a greater life expectancy today, in addition to near zero population growth. These new population characteristics exemplify that more beneficiaries will draw more from the system with very few workers replenishing it.

Estimates by the Social Security Administration illustrate that by 2030, one worker might have to foot the bill to pay for two beneficiaries.

Also, about 42 percent of the present labor force is represented by women. This is another group of beneficiaries that the Social Security Administration did not predict would be included.

As a result of these changes, officials have researched ways to finance the system without increasing the amount taken from a worker's paycheck and employer.

A POPULAR financing plan is the value added tax (VAT) also known as a national sales tax. When added to goods produced at each phase of production in the United States, the proposed one-cent tax would provide about \$5 to \$9 billion to the system, according to "The Basics of Social Security Financing," a release provided by the Social Security Administration.

Most European countries use a value added tax which proponents believe would allow the United States to become more competitive in international trade, Mrs. Tays noted.

And, best of all in the eyes of Social Security officials, this plan meets less taxpayer resistance.

But, state governments would oppose VAT since it, among other forms of taxation, generates sizeable funds for the states' use.

A disadvantage of VAT is that the tax would be relatively greater on the poor and those on fixed incomes than the rich since the poor can not afford to pay an additional tax, Mrs. Tays said.

Also, VAT could not by itself provide enough

funds to pay all benefits when one considers about \$109 billion in benefits were paid in 1979 and VAT is predicted to bring in about \$5 to \$9 billion.

ANOTHER METHOD suggested by officials is financing some or all parts of the program from general revenues received by the government.

However, opposition to this form of financing is from persons who perceive this plan as inviting fiscal irresponsibility and unwarranted liberalization of the program.

Another way of financing would be to increase the base salary which sets limits for payments, Mrs. Tays said. The present base salary is the first \$25,900 made. Next year the amount is expected to be raised to \$29,700, according to a Social Security publication.

During the recent Mid-

land College symposium, it was suggested that the addition of federal employees to the system would increase funds.

However, benefits paid to these employees under the system also would increase, Mrs. Tays pointed out.

Presently, legislation permitting inter-borrowing among the three funds appears to be the trend for financing the system on a short term basis.

At this point, a long-term plan has not been determined by Congress. But officials continue to reassure the public that future benefits will be paid.

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City's water drinkable...but

By SUSAN BAKER
Staff Writer

Although Midland water is drinkable, most Midlanders will agree that it won't qualify as nectar of the gods.

"Tastes just like a glass of dirt," an older resident complained. "I've lived here and drunk the stuff for several years, and I don't like it any better than when I first came."

Glass of dirt or not, its salty, mineral-ish taste has been known to raise a few newcomers' eyebrows. And apparently it is so offensive to some that several bottled water companies are doing a flourishing business here.

According to John Lowe, director of public utilities for the city, Midland's water supply comes from three sources: Lake Thomas near Snyder, Lake E.V. Spence near Robert Lee, and a city-owned well about 30 miles north of town known as the Paul Davis Well Field.

MIDLAND HOLDS a contract with the Colorado River Municipal Water District to deliver water from the two lakes until the year 2000. Odessa and Big Spring are also under contract with CRMWD.

"During the summer, about half of the supply comes from the well, with the other half from the lakes. During the winter, though, we get sometimes as much as 70 or 75 percent from the well," Lowe said.

The well water, he said, is colorless and tasteless, but the water received from the lakes is full of minerals and very hard.

A high level of chlorides (salts) and sulfates are the two constituents that give the lake water its strong taste and odor, according to a technician with Midland's Martin Water Labs.

Both of the source lakes have very salty water tables, the technician said, and the amount of salt in the water is greatly dependent on rainfall.

"When we get a big rain, it fills up the lakes and dilutes the salts. If it doesn't rain pretty soon and this drought keeps up, it'll be so bad by the end of summer you can't even take a bath in it," he said.

CONTRARY TO ONE popular idea, Midland water does not turn the teeth brown, the technician said. "That happens only when there's a large quantity of flouride in the water."

Dr. Robert Henry, a Midland orthodontist, said the water at one time contained much flouride and did cause a

tooth discoloration problem, but that has since been corrected.

"The water here may taste bad, but as far as I know there's nothing in it that would be harmful to teeth, or to persons who wear braces, for that matter," he said.

Dr. Henry did advise that persons who drink bottled, processed water regularly should take a vitamin-flouride supplement to fight tooth decay, as the bottled water contains no flouride at all.

The only health problem that could exist with the city's water is the high salt level, which could be harmful to people on low sodium diets, such as those suffering from heart ailments.

An ordinary home water softener only removes calcium and magnesium, the Martin Labs technician said.

"Removal of the salts and sulfides requires a much more expensive process called reverse osmosis."

Although the city of Midland does not use reverse osmosis, Midland water goes through an extensive treatment process before being delivered to customers' homes.

According to Lowe, the purification process involves three steps. First, a small amount of lime is added to partially soften the water. Then — in a process called coagulation — sand, impurities and color are removed.

CHLORINE THEN IS added as a disinfectant. "Some people pick up a chlorinated taste, but the chlorine level is not high enough to be harmful," Lowe said.

The taste of Midland water apparently has been a boost for the processed bottled water industry here.

"We do a fantastic business here," said Ed Swinney, marketing director for Ozarka Water Co. "We have about 13,000 Midland customers, the bulk of which are home delivery. We also sell a lot of water in

grocery stores, and are finding that more and more restaurants are interested in buying our water to make their coffee and tea."

The company also has more than 1,000 home delivery customers in Big Spring, and sends seven trucks daily to Odessa, despite the fact that it does not have offices in the two cities.

"The water here is bad because of the source of supply," he said. "We're at the mercy of the weather in that respect."

"A 40-inch rainfall would probably do us more good than anything right now," Swinney said. Continued salt buildup year after year in the lakes without rain to dilute it causes continual stagnation and, as a result, not very good drinking water.

"Ozarka fills a need. We think of it as a public service in the form of quality drinking water," said Swinney.

Reverse osmosis is one of two processes employed by Ozarka in its purification process. "We start with Midland water as our base water, which is about 15,000 parts per million dissolved solids," he said.

"Through reverse osmosis and deionization, we completely purify it until it's only about 70 parts per million dissolved solids. Then we add minerals for health and taste — all the minerals a good water needs," Swinney said.

"REVERSE OSMOSIS is a type of filtering process in which the water is strained through very tiny holes, leaving only pure water," he explained.

Alris is another Midland water company that uses reverse osmosis. "But we would never want to give the impression in any way that Midland is not doing a good job of delivering water to citizens," said Roy Ferguson, Alris co-owner and president.

"Considering what they have to work with,

we feel that they are doing a great job. The taste of Midland water is due entirely to natural conditions and is no fault of the city."

"Water purification is a very expensive business. The citizens of Midland would never want to pay the kind of taxes they would have to pay if, for instance, the city decided to get involved in reverse osmosis," Ferguson said.

"People are more water-conscious these days, just as they are more health-conscious," he said. "They're more aware of what they're eating and drinking."

"What we do is take our product and process

it, making optimal drinking water, something the people want. This is probably the key to our success here."

Meanwhile, Midland water's unusual taste has left it vulnerable at times to sensationalism. The Associated Press reported recently that a technician for Petro-Lewis Chemical Co., who had analyzed water at the bottom of now-famous Kermit sinkhole, proclaimed it more fit to drink than Midland water.

"I don't know where they got that, but we never said anything like that," a Petro-Lewis spokesman said.

Cut utility costs while you're away

WASHINGTON (AP) — Vacations can be costly, but a little planning ahead can save you money on your home electric bill while you're away.

Your electric bill won't automatically take a big dip just because you're not home, because many major energy users — air conditioner, water heater, refrigerator and freezer — may still be running.

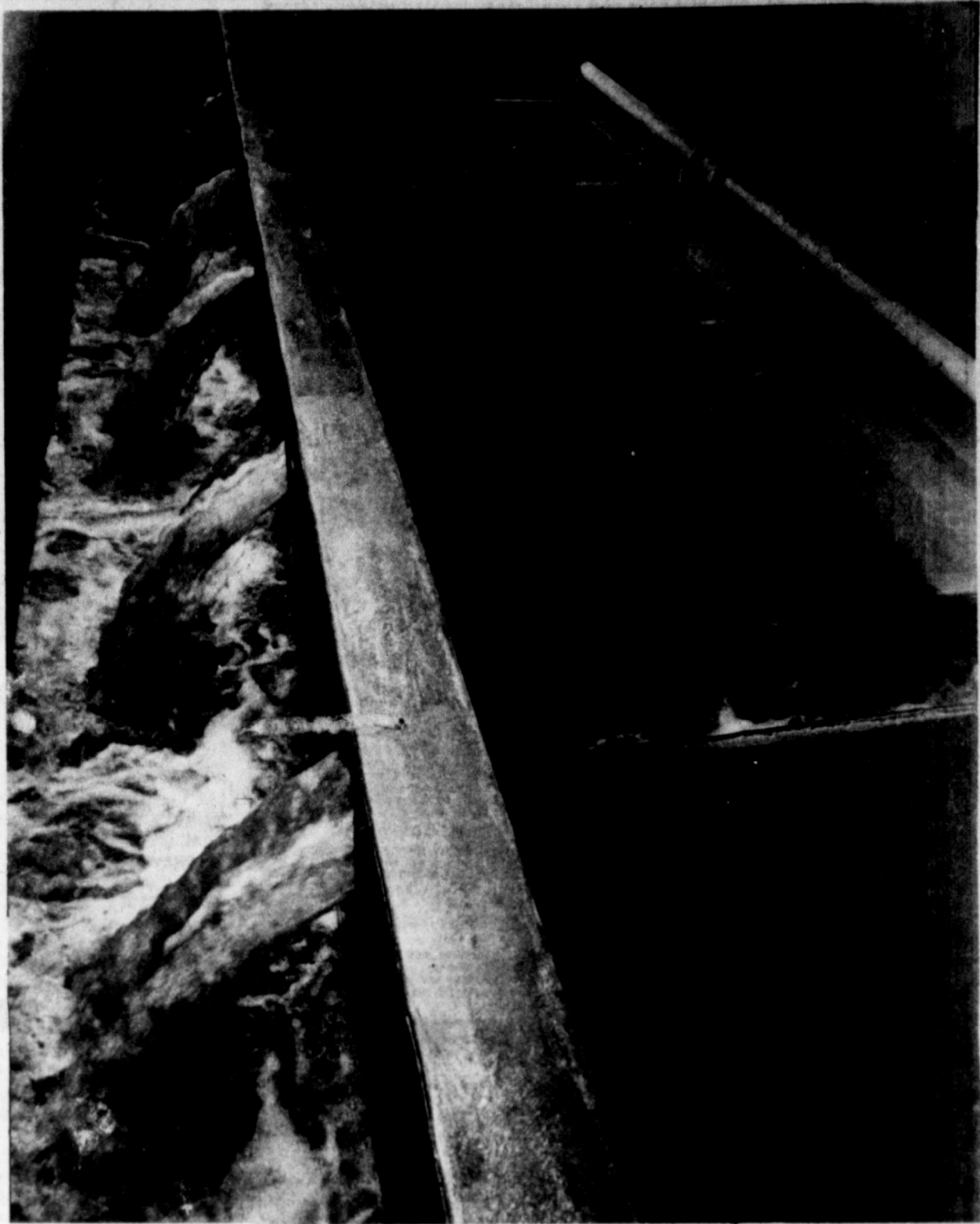
If you have an electric water heater, turn off the circuit breaker or take out the fuse before going away suggests Eric Oganessoff of the Potomac Electric Power Co.

He also suggested turning the air conditioner off, or at least setting it at 85 degrees to reduce its running when no one is home.

If you're cleaning your refrigerator, consider taking out perishable items and turning it off, he added. Leave the door open to prevent mold.

When you can, Oganessoff said, unplug appliances not being used, particularly television sets and stereos, as a safeguard against damage in case lightning strikes while you're away.

"If you want to leave lights on in your home, use timers that will turn them on and off at different intervals and in different rooms," he said. He suggested holding down costs by using low-wattage bulbs.



Filtration is one of several processes the city water undergoes before being sent to holding tanks and, eventually, Midland citizens. Water is shown going through graduated sizes of particles from sand to stone until impurities are strained out. (Staff Photo by Brian Hendershot)

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WEATHER SUMMARY

Midland statistics

Sunny and hot through Monday with fair nights. Winds southerly 10-20 mph today, slowing to 5-10 mph tonight. High temperatures today and Monday near 100 degrees. Low tonight in the mid-70s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS	
Yesterday's High	100 degrees
Overnight Low	72 degrees
Summit today	57.0 m.
Summit tomorrow	5.33 m.
Precipitation	0 inches
Wind to date	0 inches
Wind to date	0 inches
LOCAL TEMPERATURES:	
7 a.m.	74
8 a.m.	77
9 a.m.	79
10 a.m.	84
11 a.m.	87
12 p.m.	91
1 p.m.	94
2 p.m.	96
3 p.m.	98
4 p.m.	99
5 p.m.	97
SOUTHWEST TEMPERATURES:	
Albino	102
Amario	92
Amario	96
El Paso	90
El Paso	94
Houston	104
Marfa	87
Marfa	87
Odessa	100
Odessa	82

Texas temperatures

City	High	Low	Pcp
Albino	102	80	.00
Albino	103	73	.00
Albino	97	68	.00
Amario	99	66	.00
Austin	100	77	.00
Beaumont	96	74	.00
Brownsville	105	78	.00
Childress	98	75	.00
College Station	100	75	.00
Corpus Christi	90	80	.00
Dallart	97	66	.00
Dallas	105	82	.00
Del Rio	103	78	.00
El Paso	96	78	.00
Fort Worth	106	80	.00
Galveston	99	83	.00
Houston	107	80	.00
Junction	103	77	.00
Langview	101	77	.00
Lubbock	99	67	.00
Lufkin	101	72	.00
Marfa	87	69	.00
McAllen	103	78	.00
Midland	100	72	.00
Mineral Wells	105	76	.00
Palacios	92	80	.00
Frederick	105	81	.00
San Angelo	100	78	.00
San Antonio	101	77	.00
Shreveport	102	77	.00
Stephenville	101	74	.00
Texasarkans	101	74	.00
Tyler	103	79	.00
Victoria	98	76	.00
Wichita Falls	103	75	.00
Wink	102	76	.00

Extended forecasts

Tuesday through Thursday
West Texas: Sunny hot days and fair and warm nights. High mid-90s to near 100. Low upper 60s and 70s except near 80 mountains.

North Texas: Fair and hot. Highs 100 to 110 and lows mostly in upper 70s.

South Texas: Continued dry with unseasonably hot daytime temperatures ranging from near 90 along the coastal barrier islands to between 100 and 110 near the Rio Grande, much of extreme south Texas, and parts of the Edwards Plateau. Lows will range from the low 60s along the immediate coast to the 70s elsewhere.

Border state forecasts

Oklahoma: Mostly clear with hot days and warm nights through Monday. Low Sunday night low 70s to low 80s. High Sunday and Monday 102 to 108.

New Mexico: Considerable thundershow activity, mainly in the west and central portions. Sunday and Monday. Local cooling in shower areas. Low Sunday night mostly 40 to 55 in the mountains with 55 to 70 elsewhere. High Sunday and Monday mostly 70s mountains with 80s and 90s elsewhere.

Arkansas: Fair and warm Sunday night. Sunny and continued very hot Sunday and Monday. Low Sunday night in the 70s. High Sunday and Monday 100 to 107.

South Texas: Continued sunny, hot days and fair, warm nights through Monday. Low Sunday night mainly in the 70s. High Sunday and Monday 100 to 105 except 90s along the coast and 105 to 110 along the Rio Grande.

Port Arthur to Port O'Connor: Southerly winds 5 to 10 knots Sunday night and southwest 10 to 15 knots Sunday. Seas 3 to 4 feet Sunday.

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Sunny, hot days with fair, warm nights most sections through Monday. Isolated afternoon and evening thundershowers extreme southwest. Low Sunday night 60 to 70 except near 80 mountains. High Sunday and Monday 90 to 100.

North Texas: Fair and warm Sunday night with low temperatures in the mid-70s to near 80. Sunny and hot Sunday and Monday with high from near 100 extreme southeast to 110 extreme northwest.

Temperatures continue rising

Temperatures are once again climbing into the triple-digits in Midland.

Saturday's high was 100 degrees and today's high is expected to be the same. Even Monday will be a repeat of the hot, dry days the city has seen for nearly a month.

Winds today should be southerly 10 to 20 mph, providing a slight breeze, but no escape from the heat. Winds will slow to 5 to 10 mph tonight when the low is expected to be in the mid-70s.

No rainfall has been recorded this month. Year to date stands at 5.08 inches.

Building permits set record

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\$72,000.

Cook Buildings, 5107 Daventry Place, \$85,000; Cook Buildings, 5109 Daventry Place, \$82,000; Trend Homes, 4501 Lanham St., \$60,000; T. J. Melton III and Associates, 4802 Bedford Ave., \$55,000; T.J. Melton III and Associates, 4805 Harvard Ave., \$55,000; R.J.R. Enterprises, 2603 Wyndwood Drive, \$54,000; R.J.R. Enterprises, 2802 Wyndwood Drive, \$54,000; R.J.R. Enterprises, 3806 Permian Court, \$54,000; R.J.R. Enterprises, 3900 Permian Court, \$54,000; B&R Builders, 307 Godfrey St., \$57,000; B&R Builders, 308 Godfrey St., \$57,000; B&R Builders, 303 Godfrey St., \$57,000.

Commercial alterations permits issued are:
Noel Construction, 3136 Tealwood Drive, \$2,000; All Rich Inc., 105 W. Wall Ave., \$15,000; Plaza Inc. No. 31-38 Plaza Shopping Center, \$10,000; and Darryl W. Logsdon, 2705 W. Wall Ave., \$30,000.

Swimming pool permits were issued to:
Ron Sanders, 3000 Meadowbrook Drive, \$12,000; H. St. J. Rook, 704 McDonald Drive, \$15,000; Sal Mazzulo, 2800 Sentinel Ave., \$11,500; and Ken Renfro, 2613 Terrace Ave., \$15,400.

NEW COMMERCIAL construction permits were issued to:

Pierce-Pace, 720 W. Dengar Ave., \$70,000; Wicks and Sticks, 4511 N. Midkiff Road, \$32,000; Alroe, 4511 N. Midkiff Road, \$75,000; Coach Home Gifts, 4511 N. Midkiff Road, \$40,000; B. Dalton Bookseller, 4511 N. Midkiff Road, \$36,000; and Orange Julius, 4511 N. Midkiff Road, \$15,000.

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Big Spring man shot early today

BIG SPRING — A 17-year-old Big Spring man was shot to death early Saturday morning in his car here.

Les Richardson was pronounced dead at Odessa Medical Center about 8:30 a.m. Saturday following a gunshot wound to his right temple which occurred about six hours earlier.

Big Spring police said a suspect was being sought in connection with Richardson's death, but no arrests have been made. Police added that the death has been ruled a homicide.

Police were lead to Richardson's car shortly before 2 a.m. Saturday after "a buddy of his" called the police department to report the shooting.

Richardson lived in Big Spring with his parents.

Speculation high on Reagan veep

DETROIT (AP) — Ronald Reagan plans to announce his choice for the vice presidential nomination at a news conference on Thursday and that — or perhaps a news leak earlier — will put an end to the speculation.

Reagan, who will be voted the presidential nomination by the Republican National Convention on Wednesday night, will appear with his choice for a running mate at a news conference at 11 o'clock the next morning.

Meanwhile, the speculation continued unabated Saturday — complete with whispered conversations — as most delegates arrived in preparation for Monday's opening of the convention.

Sen. Paul Laxalt of Nevada, a friend of Reagan's since they were governors of adjacent states in the 1960s, suddenly plummeted from the front-runner position in the vice presidential speculation.

Early in the week, Laxalt, a conservative with views very close to Reagan's, flashed to the forefront of guessing games. According to published reports he was Reagan's clear favorite for the No. 2 spot on the ticket.

Then on Saturday, a report appeared that Laxalt had been ruled out. An anonymous campaign source was quoted as saying that Laxalt "brings nothing to the ticket that isn't already there."

Laxalt is a western conservative from a state with only three electoral votes. When the senator was being mentioned as a leading prospect, several Reagan political operatives privately expressed dismay over the possibility the senator would be chosen.

They reasoned that Laxalt on the ticket would undercut Reagan's efforts to appeal to traditionally Democratic voters in northern and eastern industrial states.

In Los Angeles, Reagan press secretary Ed Gray gave his stock reply to questions about Laxalt: "We're not

commenting on the names of anyone who is in or out of contention."

If Laxalt is out of the running, there is still plenty to speculate about. The list includes: George Bush, Donald Rumsfeld, William Simon, Reps. Guy Vander Jagt of Michigan, Tom Evans of Delaware and Jack Kemp of New York, and Sens. Howard H. Baker Jr. of Tennessee and Richard Lugar of Indiana. All except Evans have prominent roles on the convention program.

Lugar arrived in Detroit on Saturday and told reporters at the airport that he has no idea if he is still in the running.

"I have no way of knowing how it stands," said the senator, who added that "I suppose you're supposed to be dragged to the altar kicking and screaming, but that's not my style."

Lugar said it's been more than a week since he's talked to anyone in the Reagan organization.

Lugar will address the opening convention session that begins at 11 a.m. on Monday. Simon, a former treasury secretary, and Rumsfeld, former defense secretary, will speak at the Monday evening session.

Vander Jagt gets the spotlight Tuesday night as the convention keynote. Also speaking that evening is Kemp. Bush speaks Wednesday night just before Laxalt is scheduled to deliver the speech proposing Reagan for the presidential nomination.

Baker will address the convention just before it turns to ratifying Reagan's choice for his running mate.

Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina, who has been active all week in pressing conservative positions on the convention platform committee, said Saturday he intends to allow his supporters to nominate him for Reagan's running mate.

Helms dismissed suggestions that Reagan ought to try to broaden his appeal by choosing a moderate for his running mate.

Queen hospitalized in West Germany

WIESBADEN, West Germany (AP) — Richard Queen, reported suffering a neurological disorder after what his mother called "incredibly, unbelievably hard times" during his 250-day captivity in Iran, was admitted Saturday to a U.S. Air Force hospital for extensive medical tests.

One U.S. official, who asked not to be named, said Queen might be kept several days. State Department officials accompanying the freed hostage said they had no immediate statement on his condition.

A State Department spokesman here, Sheldon J. Krysz, said only that Queen "needs rest and decompression."

Queen's father, Harold, expressed concern about his son's condition after a 50-minute meeting in Zurich, Switzerland early Saturday morning, their first. But he said later in the day that the 28-year-old diplomat was improving "almost hour by hour. His mind is clear. His spirit is great, the mood is excellent. He is coming back fast to be the same boy we knew."

One of the first things Harold Queen said after his first meeting with his son was: "Richard is not as we have known him when we last saw him a year ago."

The younger Queen is reported to have lost 10-15 pounds in the last few weeks, and to be suffering a neurological disorder that has contributed to

dizziness, a lack of coordination and stiffness on his left side.

U.S. State Department officials said he would undergo extensive tests at the three-story complex, regarded as one of the most modern and well-equipped outside the United States.

The 13 black and women hostages freed from Iran last November also were taken to the hospital here for checkups and debriefings.

Queen was flown on Friday from Tehran to Zurich and, on Saturday, taken by military plane with his parents and three American doctors to a military air base in Frankfurt, West Germany.

There, he was put on a stretcher and placed aboard a military ambulance for the 20-mile drive to the hospital here. He was wrapped in a blanket, but smiling when he was wheeled into the hospital.

Iran's Ministry of Health said Saturday that militants in charge of the American hostages in Iran reported Queen's illness to authorities "a few days ago" and that a neurologist promptly examined Queen at the occupied U.S. Embassy in Tehran.

A short time later, according to the ministry's statement, Queen was taken to one of Iran's most respected hospitals and given a series of tests, including a brain scan. A team of five neurologists, including a surgeon, decided, the statement said, that "the hostage should be treated in a better-

equipped center abroad since the patient had symptoms of nervousness six months ago."

It did not elaborate about what is ailing Queen. There have been unconfirmed reports he has a brain aneurysm, a balloon-like sac formed by the enlargement of a weakened artery.

Midlander shot by driver of passing automobile

A Midland man was shot in the shoulder late Friday by the driver of a passing automobile, according to Midland police.

Pedro Esquivel Ramirez, 32, 404 N. Dallas Ave. was shot while on his way home from Al's Grocery about 11 p.m. Friday after he was called over to a late 1960 or early 1970-model Pontiac by the driver.

The driver, who was in the car with four other men, called Ramirez to the window of the car and asked him for a cigarette, police were told. After Ramirez gave the man a cigarette and was reaching into his pocket for a match, the man — described in police reports as a 42-year-old Mexican male — pulled a gun on Ramirez and told him not to lean on the car.

Then, according to police reports, the driver said he was going to kill Ramirez. Ramirez ran, but the driver got out of the car and chased him while shooting.

At one point Ramirez grabbed the driver by his shirt, but the driver finally shoved Ramirez to the ground and shot at him twice more, police reported.

Ramirez walked home from the incident which occurred in the 400 block of North Terrell Avenue. He went to Midland Memorial Hospital about 4 p.m. Saturday, where emergency room Dr. C. Koerper removed two .22-caliber bullets from Ramirez's left shoulder. Reports indicate Ramirez was released from the hospital after the bullets, lodged just below the skin, were removed.

The driver is being sought in connection with the shooting, police said.

Reunion is 'bigger, better'

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Shortly afterward, Brown and Register drove off in their patrol car. Eggs were still splattering on the hot asphalt pavement.

"I think we need a lot more eggs pretty quick," said Robert Haggard, president of the Stanton Jaycees, which was sponsoring the fun and games.

Another egg, tossed by 13-year-old Derek Dowden, sailed skyward, arched and landed intact in the hands of Richard Shanks, 13.

Haggard was amazed. "He (Shanks) can't walk down the street and chew gum at the same time," Haggard joked. "I don't know how he caught that egg."

Danny Fryar, a cotton farmer over at Lomax and Stanton's mayor since 1975, had cropped up. He was chatting near the red fire engine, which was blocking the street for the games.

Moments earlier, Haggard had suggested that Fryar might be mayor for a long time to come.

"Nobody else wants it," figured Haggard. "He gets lots of complaints but no opposition."

And Fryar himself had no complaints about the reunion, the turnout, the parade, the games or his mayoralty.

Reagan unveils four-point plan for economy

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auto industry and the economy, making these major points:

—Credit: "Following Carter's imposition of credit controls in February, interest rates skyrocketed... the president's authority to impose credit controls should be terminated with the repeal of the 1969 Credit Control Act."

—Gasoline: "Federal authority to allocate — and hence misallocate — fuel must be ended immediately. The 'cold reality' is that those gas lines (last year) resulted from the incompetent misallocation of fuel by the Department of Energy. Had the lines not formed, auto demand still would have declined, but not as suddenly, nor as significantly."

—Depreciation: "We need immediate passage of accelerated depreciation, to take effect January 1, 1981. This measure will substantially increase the capital flow within the auto firms — indeed all firms in the economy — and will insure the automakers a certain source of financing for re-tooling."

—Regulation: "We need a temporary moratorium on all future auto regulations, and a careful review of current regulations, with elimination of all unnecessary rules and revision of those which most severely limit American automakers' competitiveness."

"Federal regulation, which imposes on the auto industry a continuing and constantly changing obligation to make highways safer, the air purer, and fuel less costly, has been counterproductive."

Editor's Report

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U.S.A. is no longer the superior military force it once was.

It is this situation that has led the European allied governments to pursue more independent policies, especially in respect to Russia and the Middle East. It sent West German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt hustling off to Moscow recently to meet with Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev, following by a few weeks French President Giscard d'Estaing's visit to the Russian ruler in Poland.

President Carter originally hoped the pursuit of detente by the European allies would be kept on the back burner until the Soviets agree to withdraw their forces from Afghanistan. The administration in Washington was concerned and skeptical about the separate meetings of the German and French leaders with Brezhnev, fearing it to be a Moscow ploy to distract attention from its invasion of Afghanistan.

However, Schmidt and Giscard feared the president's tough attitude toward the Soviets over Afghanistan might precipitate a confrontation which would affect the lucrative German and French trade with Russia, if not revive the Cold War and endanger peace.

Furthermore, Schmidt faces a general election in October and the French president is up for re-election next year. So domestic politics was also involved in their efforts to portray themselves as the champions of

peace, always a good campaign issue.

In London, British Foreign Secretary Lord Carrington and Defense Minister Francis Pym told Joe Kingsbury Smith, our national editor, and me that they didn't think the Schmidt and Giscard visits to Brezhnev weakened the Atlantic alliance. NATO Secretary General Joseph Lums said the same thing in Brussels.

Nor did Lord Carrington think the United States should be concerned about the tendency of the European allies to pursue somewhat independent policies. He thought a European "identity" on global policy would be "complementary" to American policy.

Lord Carrington also told us the Soviets had "indicated" to Chancellor Schmidt they would agree to negotiations with the United States on limiting the deployment of medium-range nuclear missiles in Europe without any "pre-conditions." Dr. Lums confirmed this information, which Chancellor Schmidt had repeated to the Bonn parliament as the major achievement of his visit to Moscow. The Soviets had been insisting there could be no negotiations unless NATO abandoned its December decision to deploy by 1983 modern medium-range missiles, include the American cruise missile.

Here in Munich, we found a completely different attitude about what is happening to the Atlantic alliance, the significance of the visits of the French and German leaders to Brezhnev and

particularly what Chancellor Schmidt brought back from Moscow.

In a two-hour luncheon meeting with Franz Josef Strauss, the Christian Democratic Party leader who hopes to defeat Schmidt in the October elections, we were told the Atlantic alliance is being seriously eroded by the tendency of the German, French, Dutch and Belgian governments to appease the Soviets.

He further accused Chancellor Schmidt of having deliberately misled the German parliament and the other allied governments about the result of his mission to Moscow.

He charged that contrary to the chancellor's assurance the Soviets had agreed to no "pre-conditions" for the missile negotiations, they had indeed imposed two very important conditions.

One was that no agreement on the missiles could be implemented until the U.S. Senate ratified the SALT II treaty.

The other was that what is known as NATO's Forward-Based Systems must be included in the negotiations. These systems are composed of aircraft capable of carrying either conventional or nuclear weapons. They are located on European airfields and on U.S. carriers in European waters. All our administrations in the past have refused to accept limitations on the FBS because they balance equivalent Soviet systems.

Speaking of military balance, Strauss ridiculed the Soviet claim that there is now an equal balance of

NATO and Soviet bloc forces in Europe. He said the Warsaw Pact forces have a "tremendous" superiority in conventional forces and are achieving superiority in tactical nuclear weapons with their 200 SS-20 missiles being installed at the rate of one every week in western Russia. These missiles are capable of hitting targets anywhere in western Europe.

The quick-witted, outspoken Bavarian conservative leader who is acknowledged to be one of the most experienced politicians said Chancellor Schmidt brought back a "rotten egg" from Moscow.

He said the chancellor refused to let him see a copy of the statement he made to parliament beforehand because he did not want him to have time to check on the accuracy of it before he, as opposition leader, could respond while the debate was being televised nationwide.

The two conditions imposed by the Soviets for any agreement on the medium-range missiles later leaked into the German press, and Strauss said the chancellor has not denied them. He was critical of both President Carter and Dr. Lums for praising the chancellor's accomplishments in Moscow.

He said the West German socialist leader is appeasing the Soviets because he knows the German people hope for reunification with East Germany wherein lies the historic capital of Berlin and therefore want to avoid any trouble with the Russians.

In fact, he said if it came to a

showdown with the Soviet Union, 90 percent of the West German people would rather "be Red than dead."

"What they don't realize," he added, "is they would first be Red and then dead."

Peace, he emphasized, can be preserved and detente pursued as more than just an advantage for the Soviets only if the Western allies restore the military balance and adopt a firm stand toward Russia's rulers.

As I listened to him talk, I could not help but think of Winston Churchill in 1938-39 when his repeated warning that the military weakness of Britain would lead to war was a voice in the wilderness.

Argument results in shootout here

LAMESA — An argument between two Lamesa men early Saturday resulted in a shootout here.

The men, whose names were not released, had been drinking and started arguing about 4 a.m. Saturday when one man pulled a .22-caliber pistol on the other, according to Dawson County deputies.

One man was in custody late Saturday and a warrant was expected to be issued for the other's arrest, deputies said.

Charges are expected to be filed late Monday in the case, they said, adding that it is not known what caused the argument.

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City's male stripper era short-lived

By KAY CRITES
Staff Writer

The era of male strippers in Midland has come to an end. After about two months, police last week week shut down the local male strip shows.

Two clubs featured the all-male entertainment for women only on two separate nights. The Metro Club had the male dancers on Tuesdays and Dimensions on Wednesdays.

Both managers said the nights drew large crowds of women.

However, problems were beginning to arise. Phyllis Lassater, Metro Club manager, said that women from a local Baptist church were threatening to picket her club.

Ms. Lassater was the first to offer the male strippers. After a talk Tuesday with Police Chief Wayne Gideon, Ms. Lassater agreed to stop, although she will continue to offer male entertainment on "Ladies' Night."

"He said I started something and I guess I did — never meaning to start anything wild. When I first started this, I never thought I would have the people out that I did because I had always heard Midland was so conservative — they wouldn't do it in their own town. But now we are finding out the exact opposite. They will."

According to Ms. Lassater, Gideon told her that since she began having male strippers, Dimensions had added the attraction and he had also

had an inquiry about a massage parlor.

"CHIEF GIDEON came in looking for me Monday night, but I wasn't here. So he left word to find him. I went in and talked to him for an hour the next day and we talked pretty thoroughly. We came to an agreement. We will not have the guys dancing in swimsuits."

Men in both clubs stripped from three-piece business suits and karate outfits down to swimsuits. Rumors and some complaints said the women in the clubs were tugging on the swimsuits, exposing the men. But Ms. Lassater said she made her dancers wear drawstring swimsuits so that couldn't happen.

"There was a guy who didn't have it (drawstring) or didn't have it tight enough, and the girls did pull it (the swimsuit) out to stick money in," she said.

"But only once. 'I didn't consider it obscene,' Ms. Lassater said about the dancing. 'Nothing was showing. Nothing ever showed. A lot of it was rumor. To me, the people who were protesting were the ones who would not come out to see it.'"

None of the dancers received a salary. They earned only the tips women stuck in the swimsuits.

"The guys would turn down the swimsuit a little on the side for the women to stick in the money," ex-

plained Larry Nolan, manager and part-owner of Dimensions.

BEFORE THE LAST male stripper session Tuesday night, Ms. Lassater made an announcement that, following an agreement between herself and the chief of police, there would be no more male strippers.

Nolan said he was forced to make that announcement at the door. He was called in to the Police Department and told "bluntly" to stop the dancers — now.

"They didn't give us any notice or warning," Nolan said.

"Lt. (Gayle) Reeves more or less told us we were to stop doing it because they just weren't going to have that in Midland. I asked if we could just let them dance in bathing suits and not let the girls touch them, but he said he didn't think it would be a good idea. They can dance in just Levis and no shirts, but that's as far as we could go."

"We agreed. They didn't give us any choice."

"I think they kind of got a different story than what was happening."

Nolan said police had heard the men were stripping down to G-strings or nude, when actually they stripped down to swimsuits.

"It's nothing you couldn't see at any pool." He said police also had heard the women were pulling the briefs out, but Nolan says they weren't.

"Even if they did, they couldn't see

anything, it was too full of money," he said half-joking.

"I DON'T KNOW why they shut it down unless they thought we might take it farther. But we had no intention of ever taking it farther."

"They thought it could get out of hand, and I guess it could."

"We just try to offer what the people want to see. In this case it just didn't work out."

Gideon said his department had heard many rumors and innuendos.

"Of course, you hear all sorts of things, but we do know that some things occurred that I think were provocative. The law says, 'that the average citizen using contemporary community standards would find that it appealed to the prurient interest of sex.' I think that such activity is patently offensive and we are going to enforce the law."

The law Gideon is referring to in this case is a state law.

Nolan said Wednesday nights were rather lonely at the Dimensions Club until he started having male strippers.

"It (dancing) wasn't just trashy or cheap."

"The guys had fun; the women had a good time, and I made money. Everybody was happy."

City seeks firm's help in getting more gasoline

Zinder-Witte, Inc., an energy consulting firm in Midland which pulled an extra 5,000 gallons of gasoline a month out of the Department of Energy, will be considered by the Midland City Council for helping in getting more gasoline.

The issue will be taken up when the council meets in regular session at 10 a.m. Tuesday in City Hall.

Zinder-Witte, Inc., contributed its help last spring in getting extra gasoline for the city to operate MidTran, a public busing system. But that allocation did not apply to the city's increased needs to handle Midland's growth. Last April when Dick Witte succeeded in getting the extra gasoline, he explained that "we know who to talk to and who not to talk to."

Increasing MidTran's subscription rates, adding a free day and reviewing its airport service will be discussed by the council. MidTran has been in operation since last February.

The council will look at the possibility of annexing 250 acres of land in an area north of Interstate 20, east of Cotton Flat Road, west of Rankin Highway and south of Carter Avenue. At the June 24 meeting the panel completed annexation of 6½ square miles north of the city limits.

Getting some unfinished parks farther along on the road to completion will be one topic on the agenda. The council will consider accepting a bid for construction of Tumbleweed Playground Neighborhood Park and discuss what is required to complete Kiwanis Park.

The panel will consider including a space on the water bill for customers to make a donation of \$1 or more towards maintenance, improvements or additions to city parks. This would be a method of adding money to the parks budget without having to increase city taxes.

Projects that will be considered are advertising for bids for remodeling the Animal Control Shelter and improving the Northwest Drainage Channel, relocating power lines along Loop 250 and installing temporary flashing lights at A and Wadley streets, Midkiff and FM 868 and Garfield and FM 868.

Creation of an O-2, office district, will be reviewed for the council. This new district would serve as a different transition zone between the downtown high rise office buildings and O-1 district, which allows for only one or two story buildings.

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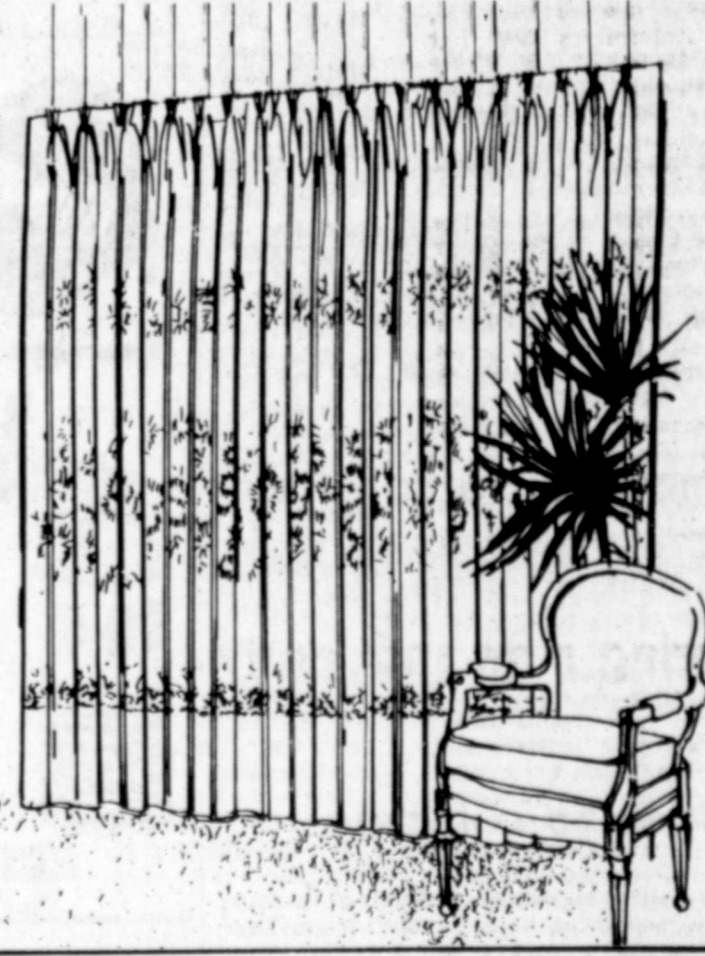


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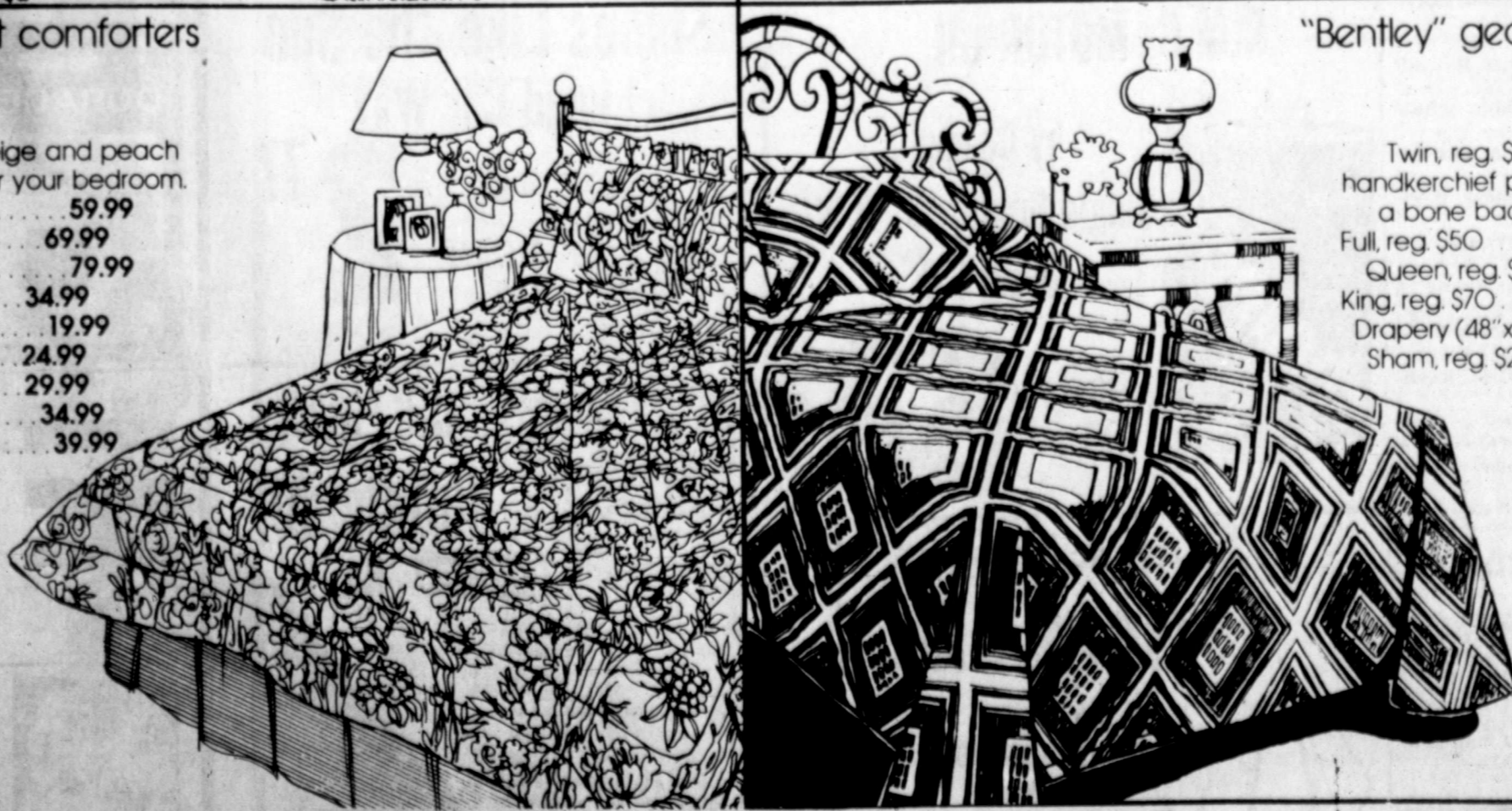
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WEATHER SUMMARY

Midland statistics

Sunny and hot through Monday with fair nights. Winds southerly 10-20 mph today, slowing to 5-10 mph tonight. High temperatures today and Monday near 100 degrees. Low tonight in the mid-70s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:
Yesterday's High: 100 degrees
Yesterday's Low: 73 degrees
Today's High: 100 degrees
Today's Low: 73 degrees
Tomorrow's High: 100 degrees
Tomorrow's Low: 73 degrees
Precipitation: 0 inches
Next 24 hours: 0 inches
This month to date: 0 inches
So far to date: 0 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

7 a.m.	74	8 p.m.	84
8 a.m.	75	9 p.m.	85
9 a.m.	76	10 p.m.	86
10 a.m.	77	11 p.m.	87
11 a.m.	78	12 p.m.	88
12 p.m.	79	1 p.m.	89
1 p.m.	80	2 p.m.	90
2 p.m.	81	3 p.m.	91
3 p.m.	82	4 p.m.	92
4 p.m.	83	5 p.m.	93
5 p.m.	84	6 a.m.	94

SOUTHWEST TEMPERATURES:

Abilene	102	80
Amarillo	102	80
Armadillo	102	80
Big Spring	102	80
Brownsville	102	80
Chico	102	80
Chilton	102	80
Chokecherry	102	80
Chubb	102	80
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Extended forecasts

Tuesday through Thursday
West Texas: Sunny hot days and fair and warm nights. High mid-90s to near 100. Low upper 60s and 70s except near 80 mountains.

North Texas: Fair and hot. Highs 100 to 110 and lows 70s to upper 70s.

South Texas: Continued dry with unseasonably hot daytime temperatures ranging from near 90 along the coastal barrier islands to between 100 and 110 near the Rio Grande, much of extreme south Texas, and parts of the Edwards Plateau. Lows will range from the low 60s along the immediate coast to the 70s elsewhere.

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Sunny, hot days with fair, warm nights most sections through Monday. Isolated afternoon and evening thunderstorms extreme southwest. Low Sunday night 60 to 65. High Sunday and Monday 100 to 105 except near 80 mountains.

North Texas: Fair and warm Sunday night with low temperatures in the mid-70s to near 80. Sunny and hot Sunday and Monday with high from near 100 extreme southeast to 110 extreme northwest.

South Texas: Continued sunny, hot days and fair, warm nights through Monday. Isolated afternoon and evening thunderstorms extreme southwest. Low Sunday night 60 to 65. High Sunday and Monday 100 to 105 except near 80 mountains.

Port Arthur to Port O'Connor: Southerly winds 5 to 10 knots Sunday night and southwest 10 to 15 knots Sunday. Seas 3 to 4 feet Sunday.

Temperatures continue rising

Temperatures are once again climbing into the triple-digits in Midland. Saturday's high was 100 degrees and today's high is expected to be the same. Even Monday will be a repeat of the hot, dry days the city has seen for nearly a month.

Building permits set record

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\$72,000.

Cook Buildings, 5107 Daventry Place, \$85,000; Cook Buildings, 5109 Daventry Place, \$82,000; Trend Homes, 4501 Lanham St., \$60,000; T. J. Melton III and Associates, 4802 Bedford Ave., \$55,000; T.J. Melton III and Associates, 4805 Harvard Ave., \$55,000; R.J.R. Enterprises, 2603 Wyndwood Drive, \$54,000; R.J.R. Enterprises, 2602 Wyndwood Drive, \$54,000; R.J.R. Enterprises, 3806 Permian Court, \$54,000; R.J.R. Enterprises, 3900 Permian Court, \$54,000; B&R Builders, 307 Godfrey St., \$57,000; B&R Builders, 308 Godfrey St., \$57,000; B&R Builders, 303 Godfrey St., \$57,000.

Commercial alterations permits issued are:
Noel Construction, 3136 Tealwood Drive, \$2,000; All Rich Inc., 105 W. Wall Ave., \$15,000; Plaza Inc. No. 31-38 Plaza Shopping Center, \$10,000; and Darryl W. Logsdon, 2705 W. Wall Ave., \$30,000.

Swimming pool permits were issued to:
Ron Sanders, 3000 Meadowbrook Drive, \$12,000; H. St. J. Rook, 704 McDonald Drive, \$15,000; Sal Mazzullo, 2800 Sentinel Ave., \$11,500; and Ken Renfro, 2613 Terrace Ave., \$15,400.

Big Spring man shot early today

BIG SPRING — A 17-year-old Big Spring man was shot to death early Saturday morning in his car here.

Les Richardson was pronounced dead at Odessa Medical Center about 8:30 a.m. Saturday following a gunshot wound to his right temple which occurred about six hours earlier.

Big Spring police said a suspect was being sought in connection with Richardson's death, but no arrests have been made. Police added that the death has been ruled a homicide.

Police were lead to Richardson's car shortly before 2 a.m. Saturday after "a buddy of his" called the police department to report the shooting.

Richardson lived in Big Spring with his parents.

Editor's Report

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U.S.A. is no longer the superior military force it once was.

It is this situation that has led the European allied governments to pursue more independent policies, especially in respect to Russia and the Middle East. It sent West German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt hustling off to Moscow recently to meet with Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev, following by a few weeks French President Giscard d'Estaing's visit to the Russian ruler in Poland.

President Carter originally hoped the pursuit of detente by the European allies would be kept on the back burner until the Soviets agree to withdraw their forces from Afghanistan. The administration in Washington was concerned and skeptical about the separate meetings of the German and French leaders with Brezhnev, fearing it to be a Moscow ploy to distract attention from its invasion of Afghanistan.

However, Schmidt and Giscard feared the president's tough attitude toward the Soviets over Afghanistan might precipitate a confrontation which would affect the lucrative German and French trade with Russia, if not revive the Cold War and endanger peace.

Furthermore, Schmidt faces a general election in October and the French president is up for re-election next year. So domestic politics was also involved in their efforts to portray themselves as the champions of

Texas temperatures

High Low Pop

Abilene	102	80	90
Alice	103	73	60
Alpine	97	66	60
Amarillo	99	66	60
Austin	100	77	60
Beaumont	98	78	60
Childress	105	75	60
College Station	100	75	60
Corpus Christi	90	80	60
Dallhart	97	66	60
Dallas	105	82	60
Del Rio	103	76	60
El Paso	99	79	60
Fort Worth	106	80	60
Galveston	97	66	60
Houston	99	82	60
Junction	103	72	60
Lubbock	101	77	60
Lufkin	99	67	60
Marfa	101	72	60
McAllen	103	76	60
Midland	100	72	60
Mineral Wells	105	78	60
Palacios	92	82	60
Pecos	101	81	60
San Angelo	100	76	60
San Antonio	101	77	60
Stevestown	102	77	60
Stephenville	101	74	60
Tyler	103	79	60
Victoria	98	76	60
Wichita Falls	100	82	60
Wink	102	76	60

Border state forecasts
Oklahoma: Mostly clear with hot days and warm nights through Monday. Low Sunday night low 70s to low 80s. High Sunday and Monday 102 to 108.

New Mexico: Considerable thunderstorm activity mainly in the west and central portions. Sunday and Monday. Local cooling in shower areas. Low Sunday night mostly 40 to 55 in the mountains with 55 to 70 elsewhere. High Sunday and Monday mostly 70s mountains with 80s and 90s elsewhere.

Arkansas: Fair and warm Sunday night. Sunny and continued very hot Sunday and Monday. Low Sunday night in the 70s. High Sunday and Monday 100 to 107.

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Speculation high on Reagan veep

DETROIT (AP) — Ronald Reagan plans to announce his choice for the vice presidential nomination at a news conference on Thursday and that — or perhaps a news leak earlier — will put an end to the speculation.

Reagan, who will be voted the presidential nomination by the Republican National Convention on Wednesday night, will appear with his choice for a running mate at a news conference at 11 o'clock the next morning.

Meanwhile, the speculation continued unabated Saturday — complete with whispered conversations — as most delegates arrived in preparation for Monday's opening of the convention.

Sen. Paul Laxalt of Nevada, a friend of Reagan's since they were governors of adjacent states in the 1960s, suddenly plummeted from the front-runner position in the vice presidential speculation.

Early in the week, Laxalt, a conservative with views very close to Re-

gan's, flashed to the forefront of guessing games. According to published reports he was Reagan's clear favorite for the No. 2 spot on the ticket.

Then on Saturday, a report appeared that Laxalt had been ruled out. An anonymous campaign source was quoted as saying that Laxalt "brings nothing to the ticket that isn't already there."

Laxalt is a western conservative from a state with only three electoral votes. When the senator was being mentioned as a leading prospect, several Reagan political operatives privately expressed dismay over the possibility the senator would be chosen.

They reasoned that Laxalt on the ticket would undercut Reagan's efforts to appeal to traditionally Democratic voters in northern and eastern industrial states.

In Los Angeles, Reagan press secretary Ed Gray gave his stock reply to questions about Laxalt: "We're not

commenting on the names of anyone who is in or out of contention."

If Laxalt is out of the running, there is still plenty to speculate about. The list includes: George Bush, Donald Rumsfeld, William Simon. Reps. Guy Vander Jagt of Michigan, Tom Evans of Delaware and Jack Kemp of New York, and Sens. Howard H. Baker Jr. of Tennessee and Richard Lugar of Indiana. All except Evans have prominent roles on the convention program.

Lugar arrived in Detroit on Saturday and told reporters at the airport that he has no idea if he is still in the running.

"I have no way of knowing how it stands," said the senator, who added that "I suppose you're supposed to be dragged to the altar kicking and screaming, but that's not my style."

Lugar said it's been more than a week since he's talked to anyone in the Reagan organization.

Lugar will address the opening con-

vention session that begins at 11 a.m. on Monday. Simon, a former treasury secretary, and Rumsfeld, former defense secretary, will speak at the Monday evening session.

Vander Jagt gets the spotlight Tuesday night as the convention keynote. Also speaking that evening is Kemp. Bush speaks Wednesday night just before Laxalt is scheduled to deliver the speech proposing Reagan for the presidential nomination.

Baker will address the convention just before it turns to ratifying Reagan's choice for his running mate.

Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina, who has been active all week in pressing conservative positions on the convention platform committee, said Saturday he intends to allow his supporters to nominate him for Reagan's running mate.

Helms dismissed suggestions that Reagan ought to try to broaden his appeal by choosing a moderate for his running mate.

Queen hospitalized in West Germany

WIESBADEN, West Germany (AP) — Richard Queen, reported suffering from a neurological disorder after what his mother called "incredibly, unbelievably hard times" during his 250-day captivity in Iran, was admitted Saturday to a U.S. Air Force hospital for extensive medical tests.

One U.S. official, who asked not to be named, said Queen might be kept several days. State Department officials accompanying the freed hostage said they had no immediate statement on his condition.

A State Department spokesman here, Sheldon J. Krysz, said only that Queen "needs rest and decompression."

Queen's father, Harold, expressed concern about his son's condition after a 50-minute meeting in Zurich, Switzerland early Saturday morning, their first. But he said later in the day that the 28-year-old diplomat was improving "almost hour by hour. His mind is clear. His spirit is great, the mood is excellent. He is coming back fast to be the same boy we knew."

One of the first things Harold Queen said after his first meeting with his son was: "Richard is not as we have known him when we last saw him a year ago."

The younger Queen is reported to have lost 10-15 pounds in the last few weeks, and to be suffering a neurological disorder that has contributed to

dizziness, a lack of coordination and stiffness on his left side.

U.S. State Department officials said he would undergo extensive tests at the three-story complex, regarded as one of the most modern and well-equipped outside the United States. The 13 black and women hostages freed from Iran last November also were taken to the hospital here for checkups and debriefings.

Queen was flown on Friday from Tehran to Zurich and, on Saturday, taken by military plane with his parents and three American doctors to a military air base in Frankfurt, West Germany.

There, he was put on a stretcher and placed aboard a military ambulance for the 20-mile drive to the hospital here. He was wrapped in a blanket, but smiling when he was wheeled into the hospital.

Iran's Ministry of Health said Saturday that militants in charge of the American hostages in Iran reported Queen's illness to authorities "a few days ago" and that a neurologist promptly examined Queen at the occupied U.S. Embassy in Tehran.

A short time later, according to the ministry's statement, Queen was taken to one of Iran's most respected hospitals and given a series of tests, including a brain scan. A team of five neurologists, including a surgeon, decided, the statement said, that "the hostage should be treated in a better-

equipped center abroad since the patient had symptoms of nervousness six months ago."

It did not elaborate about what is ailing Queen. There have been unconfirmed reports he has a brain aneurysm, a balloon-like sac formed by the enlargement of a weakened ar-

Midlander shot by driver of passing automobile

A Midland man was shot in the shoulder late Friday by the driver of a passing automobile, according to Midland police.

Pedro Esquiel Ramirez, 32, 404 N. Dallas Ave. was shot while on his way home from Al's Grocery about 11 p.m. Friday after he was called over to a late 1960 or early 1970-model Pontiac by the driver.

The driver, who was in the car with four other men, called Ramirez to the window of the car and asked him for a cigarette, police were told. After Ramirez gave the man a cigarette and was reaching into his pocket for a match, the man — described in police reports as a 42-year-old Mexican male — pulled a gun on Ramirez and told him not to lean on the car.

Then, according to police reports, the driver said he was going to kill Ramirez. Ramirez ran, but the driver got out of the car and chased him while shooting.

At one point Ramirez grabbed the driver by his shirt, but the driver finally shoved Ramirez to the ground and shot at him twice more, police reported.

Ramirez walked home from the incident which occurred in the 400 block of North Terrell Avenue. He went to Midland Memorial Hospital about 4 p.m. Saturday, where emergency room Dr. C. Koerper removed two .22-caliber bullets from Ramirez's left shoulder. Reports indicate Ramirez was released from the hospital after the bullets, lodged just below the skin, were removed.

The driver is being sought in connection with the shooting, police said.

Reunion is 'bigger, better'

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light. Shortly afterward, Brown and Register drove off in their patrol car. Eggs were still splattering on the hot asphalt pavement.

"I think we need a lot more eggs pretty quick," said Robert Haggard, president of the Stanton Jaycees, which was sponsoring the fun and games.

Another egg, tossed by 13-year-old Derek Dowden, sailed skyward, arched and landed intact in the hands of Richard Shanks, 13.

Haggard was amazed. "He (Shanks) can't walk down the street and chew gum at the same time," Haggard joked. "I don't know how he caught that egg."

Danny Fryar, a cotton farmer over at Lomax and Stanton's mayor since 1975, had dropped up. He was chatting near the red fire engine, which was blocking the street for the games.

Moments earlier, Haggard had suggested that Fryar might be mayor for a long time to come.

"Nobody else wants it," figured Haggard. "He gets lots of complaints but no opposition."

And Fryar himself had no complaints about the reunion, the turnout, the parade, the games or his mayoralty.

showdown with the Soviet Union, 90 percent of the West German people would rather "be Red than dead."

"What they don't realize," he added, "is they would first be Red and then dead."

Peace, he emphasized, can be preserved and detente pursued as more than just an advantage for the Soviets only if the Western allies restore the military balance and adopt a firm stand toward Russia's rulers.

As I listened to him talk, I could not help but think of Winston Churchill in 1938-39 when his

City's male stripper era short-lived

By KAY CRITES
Staff Writer

The era of male strippers in Midland has come to an end. After about two months, police last week shut down the local male strip shows.

Two clubs featured the all-male entertainment for women only on two separate nights. The Metro Club had the male dancers on Tuesdays and Dimensions on Wednesdays.

Both managers said the nights drew large crowds of women. However, problems were beginning to arise. Phyllis Lassater, Metro Club manager, said that women from a local Baptist church were threatening to picket her club.

Ms. Lassater was the first to offer the male strippers. After a talk Tuesday with Police Chief Wayne Gideon, Ms. Lassater agreed to stop, although she will continue to offer male entertainment on "Ladies' Night."

"He said I started something and I guess I did — never meaning to start anything wild. When I first started this, I never thought I would have the people out that I did because I had always heard Midland was so conservative — they wouldn't do it in their own town. But now we are finding out the exact opposite. They will."

According to Ms. Lassater, Gideon told her that since she began having male strippers, Dimensions had added the attraction and he had also

had an inquiry about a massage parlor.

"CHIEF GIDEON came in looking for me Monday night, but I wasn't here. So he left word to find him. I went in and talked to him for an hour the next day and we talked pretty thoroughly. We came to an agreement. We will not have the guys dancing in swimsuits."

Men in both clubs stripped from three-piece business suits and karate outfits down to swimsuits. Rumors and some complaints said the women in the clubs were tugging on the swimsuits, exposing the men. But Ms. Lassater said she made her dancers wear drawstring swimsuits so that couldn't happen.

"There was a guy who didn't have it (drawstring) or didn't have it tight enough, and the girls did pull it (the swimsuit) out to stick money in," she said.

But only once. "I didn't consider it obscene," Ms. Lassater said about the dancing. "Nothing was showing. Nothing ever showed. A lot of it was rumor. To me, the people who were protesting were the ones who would not come out to see it."

None of the dancers received a salary. They earned only the tips women stuck in the swimsuits.

"The guys would turn down the swimsuit a little on the side for the women to stick in the money," ex-

plained Larry Nolan, manager and part-owner of Dimensions.

BEFORE THE LAST male stripper session Tuesday night, Ms. Lassater made an announcement that, following an agreement between herself and the chief of police, there would be no more male strippers.

Nolan said he was forced to make that announcement at the door. He was called in to the Police Department and told "bluntly" to stop the dancers — now.

"They didn't give us any notice or warning," Nolan said.

"Lt. (Gayle) Reeves more or less told us we were to stop doing it because they just weren't going to have that in Midland. I asked if we could just let them dance in bathing suits and not let the girls touch them, but he said he didn't think it would be a good idea. They can dance in just Levis and no shirts, but that's as far as we could go.

"We agreed. They didn't give us any choice.

"I think they kind of got a different story than what was happening."

Nolan said police had heard the men were stripping down to G-strings or nude, when actually they stripped down to swimsuits.

"It's nothing you couldn't see at any pool," he said police also had heard the women were pulling the briefs out, but Nolan says they weren't. "Even if they did, they couldn't see

anything, it was too full of money," he said half-joking.

"I DON'T KNOW why they shut it down unless they thought we might take it farther. But we had no intention of ever taking it farther.

"They thought it could get out of hand, and I guess it could."

"We just try to offer what the people want to see. In this case it just didn't work out."

Gideon said his department had heard many rumors and innuendos.

"Of course, you hear all sorts of things, but we do know that some things occurred that I think were provocative. The law says, 'that the average citizen using contemporary community standards would find that it appealed to the prurient interest of sex.' I think that such activity is patently offensive and we are going to enforce the law."

The law Gideon is referring to in this case is a state law.

Nolan said Wednesday nights were rather lonely at the Dimensions Club until he started having male strippers.

"It (dancing) wasn't just trashy or cheap.

"The guys had fun; the women had a good time, and I made money. Everybody was happy."

City seeks firm's help in getting more gasoline

Zinder-Witte, Inc., an energy consulting firm in Midland which pulled an extra 5,000 gallons of gasoline a month out of the Department of Energy, will be considered by the Midland City Council for helping in getting more gasoline.

The issue will be taken up when the council meets in regular session at 10 a.m. Tuesday in City Hall.

Zinder-Witte, Inc., contributed its help last spring in getting extra gasoline for the city to operate MidTran, a public busing system. But that allocation did not apply to the city's increased needs to handle Midland's growth. Last April when Dick Witte succeeded in getting the extra gasoline, he explained that "we know who to talk to and who not to talk to."

Increasing MidTran's subscription rates, adding a free day and reviewing its airport service will be discussed by the council. MidTran has been in operation since last February.

The council will look at the possibility of annexing 250 acres of land in an area north of Interstate 20, east of Cotton Flat Road, west of Rankin Highway and south of Carter Avenue. At the June 24 meeting the panel completed annexation of 6½ square miles north of the city limits.

Getting some unfinished parks farther along on the road to completion will be one topic on the agenda. The council will consider accepting a bid for construction of Tumbleweed Playground Neighborhood Park and discuss what is required to complete Kiwanis Park.

The panel will consider including a space on the water bill for customers to make a donation of \$1 or more towards maintenance, improvements or additions to city parks. This would be a method of adding money to the parks budget without having to increase city taxes.

Projects that will be considered are advertising for bids for remodeling the Animal Control Shelter and improving the Northwest Drainage Channel, relocating power lines along Loop 250 and installing temporary flashing lights at A and Wadley streets, Midkiff and FM 868 and Garfield and FM 868.


Creation of an O-2, office district, will be reviewed for the council. This new district would serve as a different transition zone between the downtown high rise office buildings and O-1 district, which allows for only one or two story buildings.

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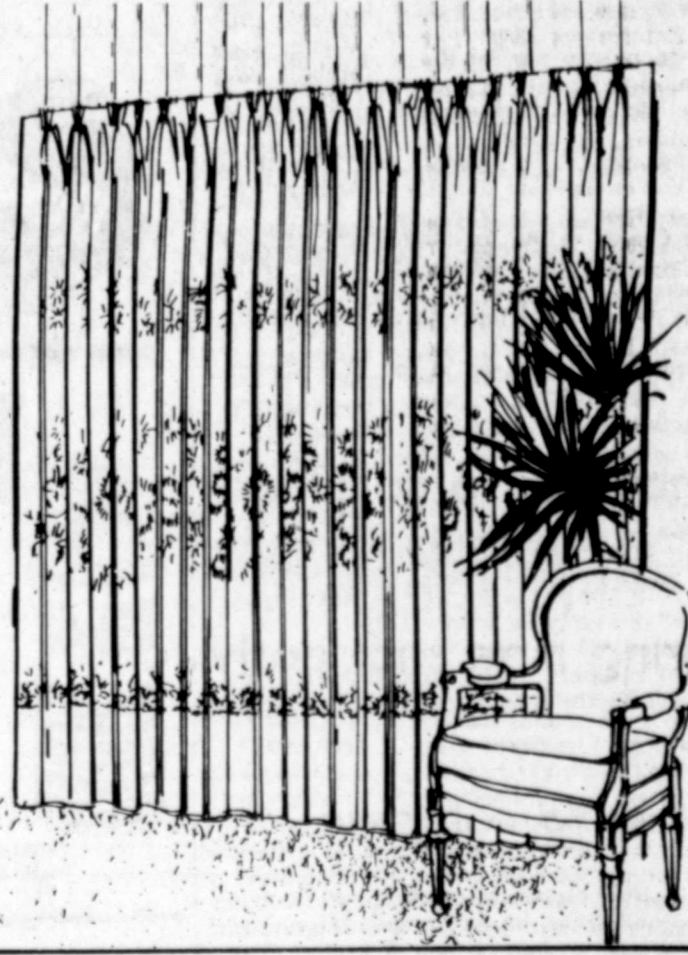
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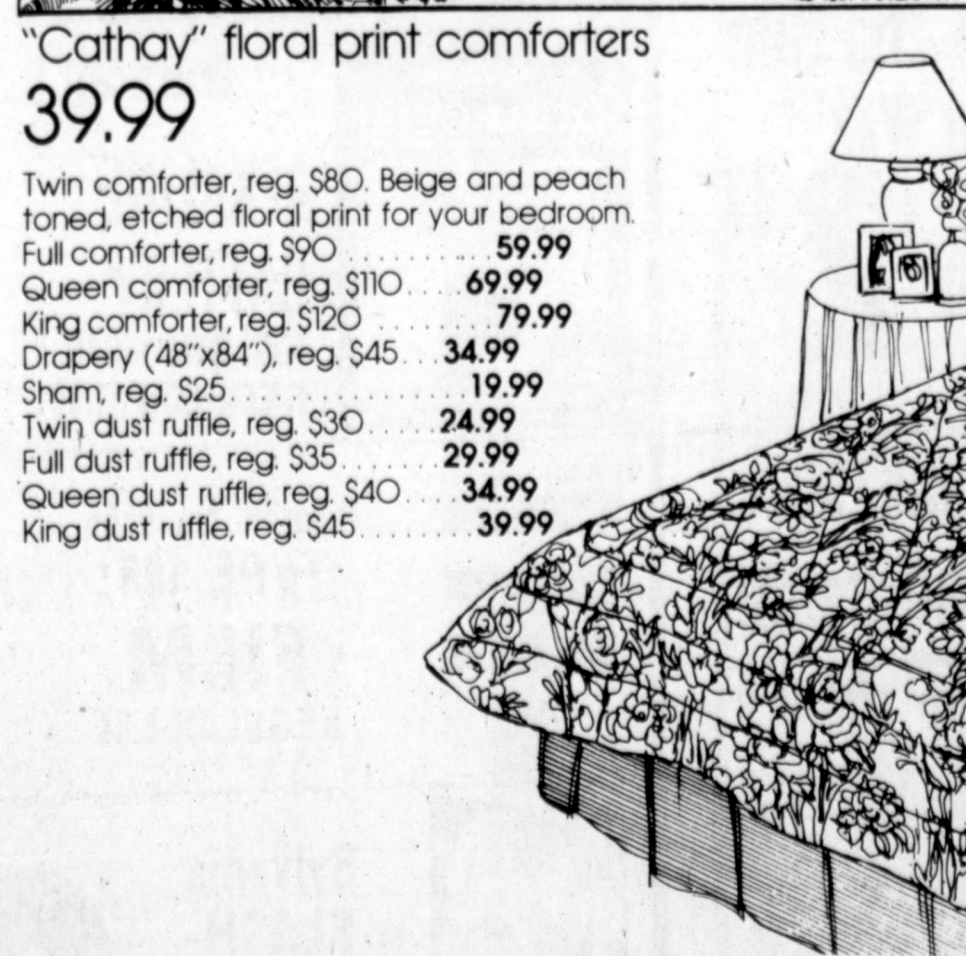
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AREA REPORT

McCameyites limit water use

McCAMEY — Water-conscious McCamey denizens are voluntarily limiting their water usage during the present water crisis here.

And John Johns, water superintendent, said that water conservation will continue until a new source of water can be found.

With McCameyites conserving water, this city of about 2,600 people recently was able to fill both city storage tanks. McCamey, like Rankin, gets its water from underground wells.

Outside of home-use conservation, McCameyites are conserving water in other ways. Service stations are limiting car washing. Lawns and trees are being watered in the late evening hours on Saturday, Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday. The cemetery is watering only on Fridays.

With the co-operative effort, McCamey should have adequate water for essential needs, Johns said.

Deadline approaches

LAMESA — Deadline for Dawson Countians to submit family biographies for inclusion in the Dawson County History Book is Tuesday.

Already, the deadline on family histories has been extended twice since spring.

Each family in the county is permitted to submit a 500-word story and two photographs for publication. There will be no charge for that; however, the sponsoring Dawson County Historical Commission is charging for longer stories and additional photographs.

Those wishing more information on the book may contact Dawson County historian Wayne Smith at 806-872-3909 or Ella Ward at 806-872-7211.

The book will include the county's early history, such as the 1905 rivalry between Chicago and Lamesa for the county seat; settlement of the dozens of communities, such as Ten Mile, Five Mile, Friendship, Sparenberg, Shack Town, Patricia, Klondike, Hancock and Union, and their cotton gins, schools, churches and families; the business and political history of the county and Lamesa.

Water carnival set

FORT STOCKTON — The annual Fort Stockton Water Carnival featuring water ballet, dancing acts and the musical production "It's About Time" will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday at Comanche Springs Swimming Pool in Fort Stockton.

The musical will be preceded by a beauty review at 8 p.m. each day of the carnival.

"The musical production will showcase songs to suit everyone's taste, including country and Western, rock, and show tunes," according to Dean F. Duerksen, the 1980 Water Carnival's publicity chairman.

The story line of the musical centers around B.Z. Mann, a business executive who finds himself constantly pressed for time. But with the help of his company's research scientist, Professor Pumfrit, and a time machine developed by the professor, Mann studies a variety of schemes to stretch his time.

"The ingenious way in which the two men solve the problem will provide laughs and entertainment for people of all ages," Duerksen said in a news release.

The cast and crew of "It's About Time" is made up of 250 Fort Stockton people, directed by writer-director Alice Duerksen.

Advance tickets to the production are \$2.50 for adults and college-age students and \$2 for public school students. Tickets at the gate will be a \$1 higher. The performance for Saturday night will be \$4.

Tickets may be purchased at the Fort Stockton Chamber of Commerce.

'Samboree' to conclude

ANDREWS — The Good Sams Club, an organization of friendly camp-out travelers, today are wrapping up their six-day stay at the Good Sams' "Samboree" in Florye Park here.

An estimated 500 travelers in their recreational vehicles and campers were expected at the meet. Bob Ellison of Boerne is the Good Sams' Texas State director.

Beauties to compete

CRANE — Five classes of beauties will be vying for crowns and titles in the annual Miss Crane Beauty Pageant on Aug. 1 and 2 in the Crane County Coliseum.

Categories of contestants will be:

—Miss Crane for young women ages 16 through 20.

—Junior Miss Crane for teen-age high school freshmen to girls age 16.

—Duchess Miss Crane for girls in grades six through eight.

—Little Miss Crane for girls in grades three through five.

—Petite Miss Crane for girls age 4 through the third grade.

Contestants may pick up pageant entry forms at Flowers by Kirksey beginning this Tuesday. Those wishing additional information may call 558-2431.

The pageant will be followed by the Crane Ex-Students Reunion and the Sandhills and Old Timers Reunion on Aug. 9.

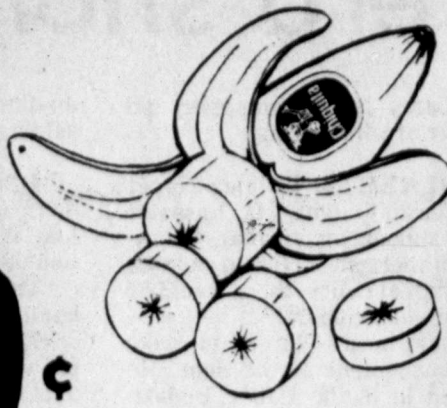
The Ex-Students' Association will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Texas Electric Service Co.'s Reddy Room to finalize plans for the reunion.

History book planned

CRANE — Crane Countians are beginning the "nitty-gritty" tasks of getting material ready for the Crane County History Book to be published by the Crane County Historical Commission.

Historical materials, including family, business, boom town and oilfield histories, may be mailed to the commission at P.O. Box 196, Crane 79731.

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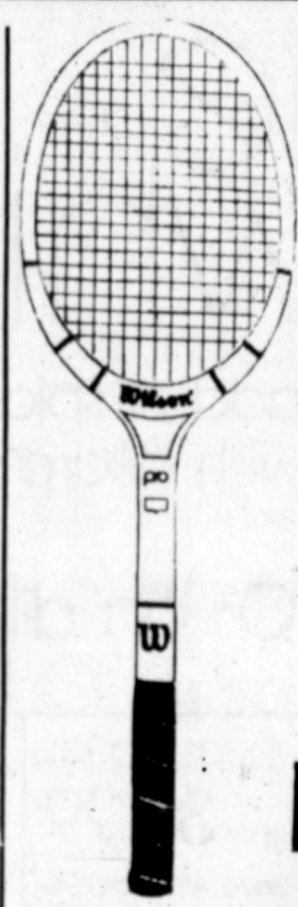
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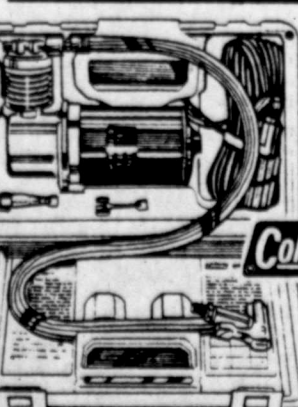
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FARM-RANCH REPORT

Grasshopper spraying begun

AUSTIN — Aerial spraying to combat grasshoppers invading the Panhandle is under way, according to Reagan V. Brown, Texas Agriculture Commissioner.

"Excellent kill rates have been achieved by the treatment in Briscoe, Randall and Armstrong counties," Brown said. He noted that some 250,000 acres were covered in the first spraying operation. And aerial spraying last week was to cover more than 700,000 acres in Deaf Smith, Hartley, Oldham and Dallam counties. Also planned is a 90,000-acre spraying operation in Hansford County.

All told, eight Panhandle counties are to be sprayed in an effort to control the locust.

Spraying is done in mornings before the temperature reaches 85 degrees and when the wind velocity is relative low. The insecticide Malathion is used in spraying.

Cost of the spraying program is estimated at \$1.75 million. Landowners, the Texas Department of Agriculture and the U.S. Department of Agriculture share in the cost, which is computed at \$1.80 per acre.

Budget adopted

LUBBOCK — The 50-man Plains Cotton Growers Inc. board has adopted a \$273,550 budget for legislative representation, research, market development and other services to High Plains cotton producers in 1980-81.

Most of the increase in the budget is due to inflation, noted PCG finance committee co-chairman Charles Axtell of Springlake.

Major expenditures will be for agricultural research, fiber research and services, advertising, export and domestic market development and legislative activities.

PCG, which represents cotton producers in 25 High Plains counties, is financed by voluntary dues from farmers and cotton-related business people in the 25-county area. Producer dues are 15 cents per bale, ginner dues are one cent per bale, compress dues are one-third cent per bale, and oil mill compress dues are two cents per ton of cottonseed. Banks and other businesses contribute on a pro-rated basis.

Sheep marketing up

AUSTIN — Sheep and lambs marketed for slaughter in June totaled 58,000 head, which is 10,000 above the intended marketings and 23 percent above marketing in June 1979, according to the Texas Crop and Livestock Marketing Reporting Service.

Texas drylot sheep feeders with a lot capacity of 2,000 head or more had 119,000 sheep and lambs on feed for slaughter on July 1.

Weight breakdown of sheep and lambs on feed July 1 were: under 70 pounds, 23,000; 70 to 79 pounds, 20,000; 80 to 89 pounds, 26,000; 90 to 99 pounds, 25,000, and 100 and more pounds, 25,000.

Crop damage estimated

AUSTIN — A "conservative" estimate of \$750,000 in current crop and hay losses due to the summer heat wave and drought is predicted for Texas, said Texas Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown.

And that damage estimate will go much higher if wide-spread rains do not come by Aug. 1.

"Loss estimates are based mainly on dryland production, but there are reports from some counties that even irrigated crops are going to have lower than average yields," the commissioner said.

The damage estimate does not include losses in livestock and poultry.

"The most honest assessment of the situation is that we are facing a severe financial crisis in many segments of agriculture," he said.

"Farmers went into debt fairly heavily this season — most at high rates of interest at planting time. A drought couldn't have come at a worse time."

Some of the worst crop losses are expected in grain sorghum; only 19 percent of the grain is under irrigation.

Cotton, Texas' major cash crop, is moisture stressed throughout the state, wherein cotton production is 65 percent dryland.

The most severely affected areas are the Gulf Coast and the Blackland. Twenty-five to 30 percent reduction in production is expected in Nueces County. And Blackland cotton is either in a "holding pattern" or is shedding squares.

Rolling Plains cotton can hold out for two to three more weeks without rain. Some of the High Plains crop was battered by high winds and hail early in the season and had to be replanted. Irrigation there is "going full blast" to help save the crop.

And for Texas ranchers, next month will be critical. Hay and water are adequate now, but grass is being depleted rapidly.

"So far as range conditions are concerned..., the situation was nothing that a cold front and a three-inch slow rain wouldn't cure," Brown said in quoting Moore County Agent Kenneth Holloway.

Cooper skyjacking remains a mystery

SEATTLE (AP) — A skyjacker with a briefcase and demands for money and parachutes became part of Pacific Northwest folklore nine years ago.

The mysterious man who boarded a Northwest Airlines 727 at Portland International Airport on Nov. 24, 1971, was identified only as Dan Cooper, later known in legend as "D.B. Cooper."

He was the first skyjacker-for-money and his caper remains the nation's only unsolved skyjacking.

Cooper took over the jetliner after it left Portland by threatening to explode a bomb he claimed to have in his briefcase.

He forced the plane to land in Seattle, where he was given four parachutes and \$200,000 in \$20 bills.

Passengers and two of three attendants were allowed to leave and the plane took off, heading toward Reno, Nev.

Somewhere over the forests and mountains of southwestern Washington, the plane's rear door clicked open and Cooper bailed out.

His body has never been found.

But last February, an 8-year-old boy picnicking with his family along the banks of the Columbia River unearthed three decomposed bundles of \$20 bills that the FBI identified as part of the Cooper loot.

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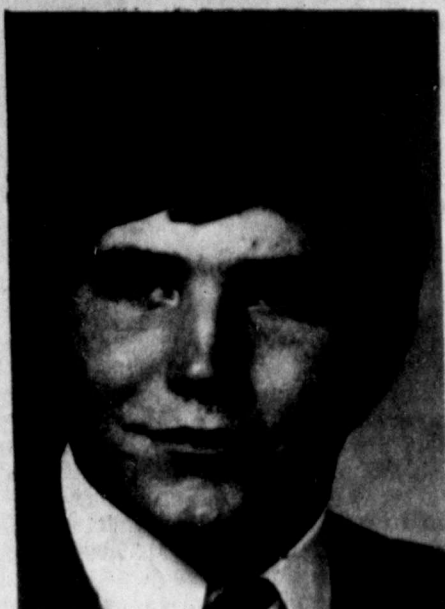
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DEATHS



Britt Padgett

Services for Britt Padgett, 20, of 3506 Roosevelt Ave., will be at 2 p.m. today in Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home chapel with Owen Cosgrove, pastor of Westside Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be Stanley Carter, Don Leewallen, Teddy McMurray, Victor Compton, Jim Gilbow and Lawrence Spraglin.

Betty Shirey

Mrs. A.P. (Betty) Shirey, 77, 211 S. L St., died Saturday morning following a brief illness.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Monday in the Chapel of the First Presbyterian Church with Dr. Robert B. Smith, pastor, and the Rev. Ray Riddle, associate pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park directed by Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

She was born Oct. 31, 1902, in St. Joseph, Ky. Mrs. Shirey earned a degree in home economics from the University of Kentucky. She moved to Dallas in the 1920s where she met Dr. A.P. Shirey. They were married in Collin County on April 21, 1928.

The Shireys moved to Midland in 1934. Dr. Shirey in 1978. Mrs. Shirey organized and was a charter member of the Midland Garden Club. She was the first president of the club in 1941-42 and served again in 1976-77. Mrs. Shirey was a life member of the Texas State Garden Clubs Inc.

She received a degree as a Golden Gardener in 1968. She was a National

Master Flower Show judge and a member of the African Violet Society of America. Mrs. Shirey was also a landscape design critic and, until recently, coordinator for the Lancaster Garden Center.

She has written the history of Women of the Church, has become an ordained elder and was a Bible moderator for Women of the Church.

Survivors include a number of nieces and nephews living in Kentucky.

Jessye Harrison

Jessye Harrison, 89, 1008 W. Tennessee Ave., died Saturday following a lengthy illness.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home chapel. Graveside services will be at Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Roy Carley, associate pastor at the First Baptist Church, officiating.

Mrs. Harrison was born Nov. 11, 1890, in Valley Mills. She was raised in Gatesville. She was married to J.R. Harrison. They moved to Okmulgee, Okla., where they lived for several years.

The Harrisons moved to Midland in 1928. Her husband died here in 1960. Mrs. Harrison was active in the First Baptist Church and was a member of Althean Sunday School class for many years.

Survivors include her daughter, Dorris Williams of Midland; and her granddaughter, Mrs. Jerry Ball of Odessa.

Jerri Crawford

Jerri Crawford, 27, of southeast Midland, died Friday night following a short illness.

Services will be at 4 p.m. today in Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home chapel. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park with the Rev. Peter Adcock, pastor of Foursquare Church, officiating.

Mrs. Crawford was born Nov. 27, 1952, in Amarillo. She moved to Midland at an early age. A 1971 graduate of Midland High School, she married Paul Crawford on May 27, 1972. She was employed at Crawford Insurance Agency as a secretary and was a member of the Foursquare Church.

Survivors include her husband, Paul Crawford; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cooper of Doole; two grandparents, Sue Joosten of San Angelo, and Dee Branch of Midland; two sisters, Mary Spurlock of Gilaband, Ariz., and Karen Collins of Midland; three nephews and a niece.

Pallbearers will be Danny Smith, Bill Jones, Lanny Davis, David Jones, Phil Stroud and Charles Koonce.

Yuell G. Winslow

Yuell G. Winslow, 54, 208 S. 1 St., died Saturday morning after suffering an apparent heart seizure at his residence.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in St. Ann's Catholic Church. Burial arrangements are pending.

Winslow was born Dec. 13, 1925, in Big Spring. He entered the Navy during World War II and later served during the Korean War. He started his business career with Texas Electric Service Co. in 1948 and remained with them for 32 years. He married Zora Lou Houston of Stanton in 1949.

After living in Stanton for a number of years, Winslow moved to Midland in 1960. He graduated from Midland College and received his B.S. degree in business from the University of Texas at the Permian Basin in 1978.

Survivors include his wife, Zora Lou Winslow of Midland; a son, Donnie Winslow of Duncan, Okla.; his mother Dorothy Winslow of Midland; two brothers, Robert Winslow and Ed Winslow, both of Midland; and a sister, Peggy Atchison of Midland.

Green County, but had lived most of his life in Midland. He was graduated from Midland High School in 1973. He received his degree from Texas Tech University in 1977, and was a chemical engineer with Phillips Petroleum Co. in Houston. He married Lyn Boyd Aug. 23, 1975, in Midland.

Survivors include his wife; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Brosig of Big Spring; three brothers, Karl Brosig of Midland, Terry Brosig of Odessa and David Brosig of Big Spring; two sisters, Linda Brosig of Odessa and Lois Brosig of Big Spring; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Brosig of Uvalde; and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Hoelscher of Olton.

Dollye Coates

OSZONA — Services for Dollye Coates, 89, of Ozona were Saturday in Ozona United Methodist Church with burial in Cedar Hills Cemetery directed by Sheppard Funeral Home.

She died early Friday in an Ozona hospital.

She was born Nov. 28, 1890, at Buffalo Gap. She was a member of Ozona United Methodist Church.

Survivors include a niece, Mrs. Dick Kirby of Ozona; and a nephew, Gaines C. Teague of Boerne.

Steven Brosig

BIG SPRING — Rosary for Steven Brosig, 25, a former Midland resident, will be at 7 p.m. today in Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel here. Services will be at 10 a.m. Monday in Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church with burial in Trinity Memorial Park.

Brosig died Friday in a Houston hospital. He was born July 22, 1955, in Tom

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CRIMINAL FILINGS Charles Henry Robertson, indicted for unlawfully carrying a weapon on a premises licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages. Bond set at \$2,000. Frances Scifres, indicted for theft. Bond set at \$5,000. Franklin McKinley Johnson, indicted for aggravated robbery. Bond set at \$15,000. Stephen Ray Dunn, indicted for burglary of a building. Bond set at \$4,000. Ricky Larry Beeman, indicted for burglary of a building. Bond set at \$4,000. Manuel Chanen, indicted for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. Bond set at \$5,000. Herbert Cecil O'Neal, indicted for burglary of building. Bond set at \$5,000. Richard Lee Leonard, indicted for gambling promotion and keeping a gambling place. Evidence suppressed on motion by defense attorney. (Culp)

CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS Carolyn Mitchell, pleaded guilty to aggravated assault with a deadly weapon on May 16, 1980, was found guilty, handed a five-year suspended sentence and placed on probation for five years. (Culp) Troy Lee Coleman, pleaded guilty to forgery by passing on May 9, 1980, was found guilty, handed a 10-year suspended sentence and placed on probation for 10 years. (Culp) Dayna Haven, pleaded guilty to unlawful delivery of cocaine on April 11, 1980, was found guilty, handed a

10-year suspended and placed on probation for 10 years. (Culp) Dayne Hawes, pleaded guilty to possession of methamphetamine, was found guilty and handed a 10-year suspended sentence to run concurrent with a probation sentence handed down in another case. (Culp)

Dismissals Gary L. Clark, indictment for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle dismissed. Defendant returned allegedly stolen car and parked car on complainant's lot without the knowledge of Mary Massey. Car rented again. (Pickett) Hugh Farrell Riera, indictment for credit card abuse dismissed. Defendant pleaded guilty to a similar charge in Howard County and was assessed eight years in the state penitentiary. (Pickett) Freddie Clive Coston, indictment for theft of property on May 8, 1980, dismissed. Defendant's 10-year probation sentence for possession of the hallucinogen lysergic acid diethylamide (LSD) was revoked for violation of terms of probation. (Culp) Billy Lee Shipman, indictment for gambling promotion dismissed. Evidence in case suppressed on motion by defense attorney. (Culp) Ronnie Dale Smith, indictment for gambling promotion dismissed. Evidence in case suppressed on motion by defense attorney. (Culp) Richard Lee Leonard, indictment for gambling promotion and keeping a gambling place dismissed. Evidence suppressed on motion by defense attorney. (Culp)

Miscellaneous Kenneth Earl Grismore, also known as Kenneth Earl Grismore, found innocent in a jury trial of aggravated robbery on April 19, 1980. (Culp) Wilbert Ray Watson, handed a five-year probation sentence in 1977 for delivery of Dexamil, was granted a new trial. Indictment was ruled invalid and fundamentally defective, as it alleged the delivery of a controlled substance not specifically named in the penalty group of the Texas Controlled Substances Act. Defendant's probation was revoked in January after he was accused of possession of phenmetrazine hydrochloride. Defendant was indicted earlier in July for delivery of amphetamine. (Culp) Timothy M. Youngblood, sentenced to 19 years in prison following his pleading guilty to robbery by assault in 1972, credited with 454 days of jail time. (Pickett)

Bottle rocket blaze damages homes

DALLAS (AP) — Flames ignited by an errant bottle rocket destroyed one home and spread to the wood-shingled roofs of eight others, causing heavy damage, firefighters said.

Many neighborhood residents watered down their roofs with garden hoses and sprinklers, but burning cinders still spread the flames to the destroyed house with a garden hose.

No one was injured in the three-alarm blaze Friday that fire Capt. W.A. Richardson said caused \$200,000 damage to one house and \$50,000 damage to the roofs of eight others in the Casa Linda section of Dallas. Fire investigators say

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Mexican tuna banned

WASHINGTON (AP) — Imports of tuna from Mexico, which total about \$20 million annually, will be banned on Monday under a statute requiring retaliation for the seizure of U.S. tuna boats by the Mexican government.

Treasury Department spokesman Robert Don Levine said Saturday the embargo would become effective as of its publication in the Federal Register.

A 1976 law requires an embargo whenever American fishing vessels are seized because of a territorial claim the United States does not recognize.

Three American tuna boats — all from San Diego — were seized during the past week for alleged violations of Mexico's 200-mile fishing zone for tuna. Mexican officials have said the vessels will be fined the equivalent of \$13,300 each and their cargo confiscated.

The United States recognizes the right of countries to protect natural resources within a 200-mile zone — but says that does not apply to migratory fish like tuna.

Sandra McCarty, a State Department press officer, said the department had reported the situation Friday to Treasury Department officials.

There was no need for a recommendation, she told reporters, because the law leaves no option. In addition to the Mexican exports, \$15 million worth of tuna shipped through Mexico by other nations also would be excluded under the embargo.

"We are confident we are right and we will prevail," Mexican President Jose Lopez Portillo was quoted as saying Friday by a Mexico City newspaper.

Mexican officials have said they are taking a hard line because there has been no resolution of the issue despite three years of negotiation among the United States, Mexico and Costa Rica. The United States em-

bargoed imports from Costa Rica earlier this year after Costa Rica had fined several U.S. boats.

Mexico has been requiring that

fishing boats buy 60-day licenses at \$55 a ton for the boat and \$61 a top for the catch. American fishermen find the fees reasonable if they make a good catch, but high if they do not.

Canadian deputy slain

CANADIAN, Texas (AP) — A sheriff's deputy was shot to death early Saturday while responding to a burglary alarm at a downtown pharmacy, police said.

Deputy M.L. "Corky" Guthrie was answering a silent burglar alarm at Lad's Pharmacy when he was hit by three blasts from a 12-gauge shotgun, Department of Public Safety trooper Pat Moore said.

A preliminary autopsy report from Amarillo showed that two of the shots were in close range, one in the head.

Roadblocks were set up in six Texas counties and parts of western Oklahoma shortly after the shooting, and authorities were analyzing fingerprints found at the scene, Moore said.

Texas Ranger Bill Baten said the gunman "shot first from the inside of the store ... and then crawled outside and shot again through the windshield and then came around and shot him again through an open window (on the driver's side)."

"Somehow, the car got

put into park," Moore said. "We haven't found out yet how. He (Guthrie) could have changed the gear, because he talked just a few minutes just before he died. He said 'I'm shot.'"

Guthrie left the sheriff's office when a silent alarm went off at the pharmacy, about a block away, at 3:46 a.m., Moore said. Three minutes later, the deputy was dead, he added.

The pharmacy's front plate glass window had been smashed, triggering the alarm, Moore said. He said although investigators aren't sure what intruders may have taken from the pharma-

cy, "it appears they did get behind the counter." Police found three spent 12-gauge shotgun shells, he said.

"There was a camper parked across the street with no windows and a witness in there said he heard what sounded like three people walking around outside, but he did not open the door," Moore said.

Baten said officers were looking for a 28-year-old man who escaped from the Custer County, Okla., jail April 22, although the man is not considered a suspect.

"We've got nothing to indicate there is any connection," he said.

Nine from area granted paroles

Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Nine persons convicted of crimes in the Midland area have been paroled by Gov. Bill Clements on recommendations of the Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles.

Two other persons convicted in the Midland area had their paroles revoked.

Paul W. Adair, Jr., convicted of theft by check and possession of marijuana in Ector and Andrews counties April 1 and March 17, 1977 was paroled to Andrews County after serving and earning six years of a 10-year sentence.

Xavier Chacon, convicted of forgery by passing in Ector County Sept. 8, 1977 was paroled to Ector County after serving and earning five years and five months of a 10-year sentence.

Matt W. Crain, convicted of possession of a controlled substance and possession of marijuana in Brazos and Hudspeth counties Nov. 21 and Oct. 27, 1979 was paroled to Harris County after serving and earning 10 months of a two-year sentence.

Joe Dominguez, convicted of sale of heroin in Ector County Sept. 7, 1978 was paroled to Ector County after serving and earning four years and four months of an eight-year sentence.

Antonio L. Perez, convicted of aggravated assault on a police officer, possession of a prohibited weapon, possession of heroin and three counts of delivery of heroin in Ector County June 15, 1977 and June 15, 1979 was paroled to Ector County after serving and earning four years and seven months of a 10-year sentence.

Moises L. Samora, convicted of burglary, enhanced, in Ector County Sept. 18, 1969 was paroled to Smith County after serving and earning 22 years and three months of a life sentence.

Ronnie P. Huff, convicted of burglary of a habitation in Howard County July 8, 1977, was paroled to Dallas County after serving and earning four years of an eight-year sentence.

William L. Cooper, convicted of theft over \$200 in Ector County Jan. 19, 1979, was paroled to Harris County after serving and earning three years of a three-year sentence.

William E. Crayton, convicted of theft over \$10,000, theft over \$200 and burglary with intent to commit theft in Ector County Oct. 15, 1979 was paroled to Ector County after serving and earning two years of a two-year sentence.

Henry Badger, convicted of two counts of burglary and sale of a narcotic drug in Midland County in 1968 and 1970, had his parole revoked for unsatisfactory adjustment. Badger had been on parole since June 17, 1977.

Robert S. Collins, convicted of two counts of burglary of a habitation, forgery and theft over \$200 in Tarrant and Reeves counties in 1976, had his parole revoked for unsatisfactory adjustment. Collins had been on parole since May 4, 1979.


Car insurance rates may rise

AUSTIN (AP) — A State Board of Insurance spokesman predicted Tuesday major increases in automobile rates will be ordered later this summer.

"It doesn't look good," said Tom Bond, director of information services for the board.

The board will hold its statewide auto insurance hearing on July 23. Last year, the board raised rates an average of 8.9 percent statewide for all coverages.

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By LES SCHLANGEN

AJO, Ariz. (AP) — The travel agency ads were simple and direct as they appeared in San Salvador, stating that passage to the United States could be assured for \$2,500.

There was no money-back guarantee, but there was a hedge against the misfortune of being caught. If that happened, you could get a second chance at the bargain rate of \$500.

For a party of 30 which struck out through the mesquite and cactus of the Organ Pipe National Monument last week, such an ad led to a tragic odyssey in the southern Arizona desert.

"It was hell," Legal Aid Society attorney Marry Louise Harris says. "It broke their hearts, it broke their souls, it broke their minds."

Thirteen died, including one said to be an "arranger" who ran such a travel agency and routinely offers such ads.

Fourteen survived, two of them charged as being among the smugglers and the other 12 considered their victims.

Three others still are unaccounted for. Only a three-strand barbed wire cattle fence, often in disrepair, separates the United States from Mexico along the stretch of border where the desert march began late the night of July 2 or early July 3.

"Somehow the word got around that the Border Patrol didn't keep watch on holidays, especially the Fourth of July," said Senior Border Patrol Agent Jerry Scott, 38.

"That's not so, of course, and they'd all have been alive today if the ones we'd caught had told us about the others," said Scott.

Discovery of the illegal entry came by accident the night of July 4. Border Patrolman John Rockhill's wife Sheila was driving home to the desert patrol base at Why, 10 miles southeast of here, when she saw three men along Arizona 85 who looked like aliens. She told her husband.

That's when the patrol picked up Mateo Preciado-Navarro, 54, a Mexican who lives across the border in Sonita, and two Salvadorans.

"We took them to the hospital and all the way they insisted there was no one else out there," said Border Patrolman Hector Ochoa. "They never told us about the others."

Preciado-Navarro and Elias Nunez-Guardado, 26, of El Salvador, have been charged with smuggling the aliens across. Nunez-Guardado, on whom authorities found about \$4,000, was not one of the Salvadorans caught July 4.

The next day, two other aliens wandered out of the desert, where temperatures had soared to 110 degrees. One ducked behind a filling station and the other behind a small grocery store, two of the three buildings in the dusty settlement outside the park.

"It was the woman who finally broke down, crying, and told us there were people dying out there," said Ochoa.

The search began at that point. Soon the signals of desert death were found — clothing draped on mesquite brush, on scrub trees and strewn on the ground. Two bodies were found that day.

Eleven more bodies were found the next day. Sunday, not far apart, most of them face down with their arms spread wide above their heads.

"It was as if they were swimming, using a breast stroke," said Ochoa.

At first, it appeared to investigators that the smugglers, known as coyotes, had deserted their charges.

The theory fell apart as Scott and sheriff's deputies queried the frightened survivors — the men and one woman detained in a small jail at the edge of Ajo, and the three women being treated in the spotless New Cornelia Hospital here.

"It turned out that it was a thoroughly bungled operation from the start," Pima County Sheriff Clarence Dupnik said. "They had 20 gallons of water for 30 people on a 40-mile march across the desert."

Then came his later disclosure that Carlos Rivera, identified as a smuggler from El Salvador, was said to have strangled four women who begged him to end their agony. The account came from one of the women survivors, who said she was beaten into unconsciousness when she tried

to prevent the strangling. Sheriff's Capt. Dennis Douglas said Rivera was one of the smugglers who ran the "travel agency" in El Salvador. He died with his clients in the desert.

Ochoa, a former Tucson police officer, was one of those on the rescue and body search. He was immediately suspicious about the deaths of two of the women when their bodies were found Sunday.

"I noticed that two of them died face up with their eyes wide open and foam on the mouth," he said. "To me, that meant suffocation or strangulation."

He described how one of the women survivors bit his hand in her anxiety to clutch the canteen of fresh water he offered her. A young man who had drunk his shaving lotion refused water after his mouth had been swabbed with a damp cloth.

"He was one of the hardier specimens," said Ochoa.

But the desperate hours of the desert trek were filled with delirium and ghastly suffering for all. Searches said the marchers drank their urine, lapped cold cream which the women carried in their small handbags and drank their spray deodorant.

Two of the survivors are students. Among the others are a warehouse worker, a bus driver, a shoemaker and a former detergent salesman.

Scott and sheriff's investigators are confident the 12 Salvadorans, who want to remain in America and fear a return to their homeland, will never be deported. Federal authorities consider them material witnesses against the two who stand accused as smugglers, and one other smuggler among those still not accounted for.

Citizen committees in Tucson and in Ajo, a Phelps Dodge Copper Corp. town whose copper mine now is shut down by strike, quickly began to raise funds in behalf of the 12 surviving victims.

Preciado-Navarro and Nunez-Guardado face charges of transporting illegal aliens and possible state charges of homicide. No one has begun any effort on their behalf.

Meanwhile, Dupnik has cut off any flow of information to El Salvador Consul General Hugo Stanley Orantes of Los Angeles. Orantes hastened to Ajo to interview the survivors last week, assuring reporters later that none had anything to fear by returning to their homeland and that none had expressed such fear.

Dupnik, however, said the Salvadorans believed that if forced to return home, they would be jailed or killed.

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No fight on the floor, but on the airwaves...

By HARRY F. ROSENTHAL

DETROIT (AP) — Charles Kuralt goes on the road for CBS on the crowded aisles of the convention floor. David Brinkley goes on an NBC balcony to be closer to the action. ABC goes conventioning gavel-to-gavel for the first time since Barry Goldwater and Lyndon Johnson won nominations in 1964.

The television networks are ready for the four days of ceremonies attending the coronation of Ronald Reagan at the Republican National Convention which begins Monday.

No matter that the convention has all the suspense of an ice cream cone melting; for the network news divisions this is the big show. Even charging \$35,000 for 30 seconds of prime-time commercial, they spend millions more than they take in.

A CBS executive being shown the convention hall for the first time notices that the giant ABC and NBC signs are lighted while CBS's is not. "Can't we get lights behind those letters?" he asks anxiously.

The two political conventions, along with election night, are the networks' big chance to show the flag.

To put on the show, they create miracles. In Cobo Hall, next door to the Joe Louis Arena where the convention is held, three separate cities have sprung up complete with police, health and transportation services.

Six hundred or more people, all wearing necklaces of identification badges, perform some sort of useful work there while John and David, Walter, Frank and Ted and Barbara are out in front.

For television, the political conventions are the World Series, the Paris fashion shows, the new model unveiling, the Broadway opening, moon shots, and the Super Bowl in one.

Why? The men in charge sound remarkably alike.

"There is no other meeting like this in America, there is no other meeting like this in the world," says Gordon Manning of NBC. "We're involved in important work here. There is nothing more important in a democracy than elections."

RINGING THE BELL

Columnist's opinion always own, often valid

With BOB TIEUEL

BLACK COLUMNIST TAKEN TO TASK FOR VIEWS: Most columnists for newspapers express their own views and not those of the editorial management. Those views are noted in the regular editorial column of most newspapers, and otherwise indicated. Nonetheless, Thomas A. Wilder of Eules, Texas, in a letter to the editor of the Dallas Morning News states: "Carl Rowan in his column in the News recently has shown he does not deserve the have a forum to espouse his views.... I urge the News to drop his column forthwith as the garbage he spouts for his own selfish ends does nothing but further widen the gulf between black and white."

Who was it that said, in effect, "I may not agree with all you have to say but will defend to the death your right to say it"? We read dozens of newspapers weekly and columnists of every rank and hue and we have found that more than 80 percent of the editors and columnists are most critical of President Carter and his administrative policies at home and abroad. Would you, Mr. Wilder, delete those columns that actually castigate Carter? If so, our reading views from the columnists on the far right, to the middle and to the far left would be sharply curtailed. We still believe in our constitution and freedom of the press to be critical regardless of whose side we are on.

HISTORICAL GREAT QUOTES: "Happy is he whom neither wealth nor fashion nor the march of the encroaching city drives an exile from the hearth of his ancestral homestead." — Longfellow

THE BROWN EXPERIENCE: Ruben Bonilla, president of the League of United Latin American Citizens said Hispanic turnout in November elections

may be light, because Carter has little support among Mexican-Americans, Puerto Ricans and Cubans, and Ronald Reagan has even less. He said Hispanics have 765,000 votes in Texas and hold the keys to victory in California, New York, Ohio, Florida and possibly New Mexico and Arizona. The organization has asked for a \$3 billion youth training and employment program, amnesty for undocumented workers and continued expansion of coalition politics between blacks and Hispanics.

ONE OF OUR favorite "Letters to the Editor" writers in Dr. Lockhart of Alpine. For many years, too, he was a regular contributor to the Tullie Herald when it was published by an editor known worldwide — we will comment on him in a later column.

Dr. Lockhart believes that inflation is not caused by our government's deficit spending but rather by profit-hungry, greedy and monopolistic businesses. He also recommends and asks for wage and price controls and support Ted Kennedy for president.

Curtis Pool of Odessa suggests that Dr. Lockhart be employed to write a regular column of financial and economic advice and that it be put "in the part of the paper where it logically belongs — in the comic section so that not even the most ignorant will take it seriously." That's one man's opinion of Dr. Lockhart anyway, but there can be no doubt that some of his views make sense sometimes.

At the same time, George Brockway, staff writer for the Dallas Morning News wrote recently: "Everyone knows that inflation is at least partly the result of too much money chasing too few goods.... Did you get into any kind of store in the past several months? What did you find there? Was anything in short supply, even plastics and other petroleum products? What is the nonsense about 'too few goods?'"

"There are things in stores that you can't afford to buy at the posted price. If you can't afford to buy something, does that mean you have too much money? What kind of logic is that? In the real world, there's too little money in circulation — where it counts."

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Many home repairs unneeded, overpriced

By JEFFREY MILLS

WASHINGTON (AP) — Much of the \$40 billion spent each year on home improvements goes for unneeded, defective or exorbitantly priced products, the nation's largest consumer group said today.

"A strong case can be made that home improvement abuses are more in need of remedy than any other type of consumer fraud," the Consumer Federation of America said in the study, done under contract with the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Home repairs are second to automobiles as the largest source of consumer complaints, it said. "But in dollar terms, home improvement frauds are far more costly. They typically involve more than \$1,000 and at times, tens of thousands of dollars."

The consumer group said such problems have received little attention and called for a federal investigation to find out more precisely how much is lost through fraud.

It recommended that home improvement firms be required to post bonds, have insurance or put payments in escrow to make sure that operators don't take a customer's money without performing the work as expected.

"Disturbingly, the problems appear to be growing worse," the consumer group said.

Some of the practices discussed in the study are: —Lien sales contracts. Contractors write into sales contracts a fine-print provision for a lien on the house. If payments are missed, the holder of the lien can foreclose on the property. Especially in California, this has led to foreclosures on homes in which consumers had built up thousands of dollars in equity. The con-

sumer group called lien sales contracts "a prime candidate for the distinction of being the worst consumer rip-off of the last 30 years."

—Basement waterproofing by the soil injection method, which involves pumping clay or a chemical into the ground under pressure, allegedly sealing the walls against water leakage. "Few experts will say flatly that the method never works, but nearly all agree that it is highly unreliable," the report said.

—Roofing repairs. "Poor workmanship in roofing repairs is evident when the roof continues to leak or, as in many cases, leaks worse than before the work was done," it said.

—Solar heaters, where tax credits can be used to get extra money from home owners. In one such scheme, a contractor sells a \$3,000 system for an artificially high price of \$4,000 as a device for boosting the tax credit. He says he will throw in a \$1,000 monitoring system for free. But the monitoring system may not be worth \$1,000 and may not be needed.

Those most often defrauded are such vulnerable groups as low-income people, recent widows and immigrants who haven't mastered English, the study said.

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land increased 40 times its original costs.

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Your horoscope

By JEANE DIXON

Sunday, July 13, 1980

YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY: Those born on this date have considerable dramatic talent, which comes in handy in a surprising number of tricky situations! Curb a tendency to be overbearing and you will find greater success in both business and romance. Realize that even the young and inexperienced have something to offer and teach. Money may not be as plentiful as you might like this year, but neither is it a source of worry. Your analytical insights are of great value to any employer, and few mysteries remain unsolved once exposed to your gaze. Try not to lose your temper with loved ones.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Look forward to a pleasant day in which domestic affairs take precedence. Friend offers excellent advice regarding home surroundings.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A good day for making valuable social contacts. Feel free to mix business with pleasure. Domestic conditions remain favorable for entertaining. Keep all secrets imparted by relatives, friends.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Let loved ones know that you care. Creative endeavors flourish when two or more friends put their heads together. A serious discussion about the future can put marital plans into better perspective.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Plan to relax and unwind with good friends this afternoon, ignoring the irritating "family member."

Contact with a former associate could prove lucrative as well as entertaining.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Much pleasure can be derived from a conversation with a warm-hearted relative. Someone who cares will urge you to

work and forget this petty character!

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Your restlessness communicates itself to others. Be good-humored and try a change of working environment. If possible, stick close to home. Tend to family obligations while there is plenty of time.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Stick to priorities and make inroads into heavy workload. Co-workers are congenial, but tend to be immersed in their own affairs. Make plans, reservations for a celebration.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Another's vacation plans could interfere with your work. Perform solo tasks and tackle overdue correspondence. Keep options open where a commitment is concerned.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You now gain access to important people. Innovative ideas receive a favorable hearing. Added power and prestige could result. Romantic partner lends helping hand when it is most needed.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Lay the foundation for improving your financial status. Prominent associate could be the key to landing a new job or contract. Be extra careful around heavy machinery, electrical equipment.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Element of good luck affects career fortunes now. Intellectual endeavors will have greater success than physical exertions. Finish routine tasks before asking responsibility for intriguing new project.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Check the quality of a project before giving it your personal approval. Some exercise or a brisk walk around the neighborhood should make you feel better this evening, but be careful not to overdo it!

be more adventuresome. Inspiration can come from an unusual experience.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Take advantage of a unique opportunity to acquire specialized knowledge. Romantic partner may express a desire for more freedom. Repress an urge to say something hasty. Any ultimatums will backfire.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Business and pleasure mix beautifully now. Rub shoulders with influential people at social gatherings, community affairs. Be careful not to confide too much too quickly!

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Show more concern and consideration for loved ones. A hard worker may feel that for granted and decide to do less in the future. Make this person feel appreciated.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Include older relative or in-law in the day's plan. Mate may feel that his or her needs are neglected. Show this is not the case! Changes in lifestyle could ease financial worries, reduce tension.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Community functions, social gatherings hold particular appeal today. You could be asked to promote or endorse an acquaintance's pet project. Refuse to be pushed into making any hasty commitments.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): A chance meeting could result in an on-again, off-again romance. Friend confides exciting news, but asks that it be kept secret for a while. Tempo of domestic life picks up by late afternoon.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Personal relationships continue to enjoy favorable influence. You're delighted by an unexpected meeting of the minds. Adjust schedule to accommodate new friend's activities.

Monday, July 14, 1980

YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY: Actress Marla Gibbs, who plays the sassy maid Florence on TV's "The Jeffersons," was born on this date. In the next few months, look for new outlets for your managerial talents. A reputation for being highly organized may win you a top administrative post! Domestic affairs show great progress, and luck is on your side in romance. Do try to break down an imaginary wall that some relatives believe to exist between you and them. A fondness for order and patterns could lead to an overly-rigid lifestyle. Guard against getting into a rut!

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Meticulous attention to detail impresses influential "higher-up." Expect to hear more about a new idea to boost profits. Something said in jest strikes you as food for thought.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Good humor, optimism dominate even when the going gets tough! Superior may put more emphasis on the appearance of productivity than on actual output.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Work done at home will be more rewarding than tasks tackled in office environment. Think in terms of long-range goals. One who has done you many favors in the past now needs special assistance.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): A business opportunity, too good to pass up, could involve some personal adjustments. Mate, romantic partner will be supportive. Community project can bring new recognition, prestige.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Romantic, family involvements may require the lion's share of your attention today. Relationships are generally harmonious. Concentrate on

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By MIKE COCHRAN
Associated Press Writer

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Since it is high noon, one could reasonably expect to find the strange people on the bluff smoking exotic herbs and engaging in sacrificial rites.

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Sad to say, the hilltop invaders aren't really weird at all, just a bunch of good old boys and girls building something called The Capital of the Age of Enlightenment.

You might call it a branch office of Transcendental Meditation, or TM, the non-mystical technique for self-improvement through structured

meditation.

When it first was the vogue, Johnny Carson and other talk show hosts once spent countless hours interviewing celebrity devotees of TM and the Indian guru, Maharishi Mahesh Yogi.

Somehow, the practice not only survived, but flourished.

TM is no more sinister than the Campfire Girls, dedicated as it is to accelerating the growth of consciousness through a course called the "science of creative intelligence."

Jerry Custard, 37, an articulate and good humored Californian, confirms that not a single sacrificial maiden has lost her life here.

But no one seems surprised that the natives of tiny Forestburg, an hour's drive from Fort Worth, might think differently.

"It's kind of beyond the comprehension of most rural people what we're doing here," said an attractive young woman, Peggy Palms-Barrett.

Peggy's husband Pat, from Albuquerque, is one of three directors of the Montague County program.

"As for being a movement or cult, it is not," said Custard. "We don't teach a religion or a philosophy...We don't say what people should or shouldn't

eat...what people should or shouldn't believe.

"TM does not take the place of anybody's religion or philosophy about life. In fact, it enriches and complements a person's experience in life.

"It is simply a non-profit educational organization...which teaches meditation as a technique for releasing tension and stress and making the mind more alert."

And The Capital for the Age of Enlightenment?

"It is built by and for meditators," said Custard. "It is here for the benefit of people who've learned to meditate. They can come here for a week, a weekend, two weeks, whatever."

This is the first of five similar projects. Others will be built in Denver, Houston, St. Louis and Kansas City, said Don Howard of Wichita, Kan., another director.

The \$1.3 million Texas capital is financed largely by TM's international headquarters in Switzerland, but 90 percent of the work is volunteer labor, he said.

Located on 180 acres in "one of the

nicest, quietest places we could find," the two-story, solar heated structure includes 108 individual bedrooms, 4 meeting and lecture rooms, a library, a kitchen, a cafeteria and, beneath the golden dome, the "Hall of Silence."

It embraces 55,000 square feet and overlooks the Lyndon B. Johnson National Grasslands to the east and lush, green, wooded farmlands in all directions.

The colonial-style stucco, Howard explained, resembles a nation's capitol building, and indeed it is designed as a seat of world government, but not in the traditional sense.

"It is governing from the level of consciousness," said Howard estorically.

Through meditation, he said, practitioners create a "certain orderliness in the environment."

According to Howard, once a city gets one percent of its population meditating, the results can be profound. He said "one percent" cities such as San Francisco, Seattle and Vancouver, B.C., have experienced a decline in both the crime and violent death rate.

And that's without sacrificing a single maiden.

Gatesville escapee captured

GATESVILLE, Texas (AP) — A quick-thinking civilian helped end the manhunt for an escaped prisoner Saturday when he drove the fugitive to within blocks of the Texas Department of Corrections unit from which he fled.

TDC spokesman Keith Wall said guards captured Jimmie Leon Tullos, 29, a short time later one mile northwest of Jonesboro, Texas.

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Hispanic families take in Salvadoran survivors

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — Two Salvadorans who survived a blistering desert trek that led to the deaths of 13 other aliens remained hospitalized Saturday while 10 compatriots were released in the custody of Hispanic sponsors.

The 10, ranging in age from 17 to 40, left jail Friday after churches and politicians posted bonds for their release. They were held on illegal entry charges.

One sponsor was a Salvadoran who immigrated three years ago.

A federal magistrate agreed to release the 10 from direct custody as material witnesses, and immigration officials lowered bond on the ille-

gal entry charges from \$2,000 each to \$500.

Officials want the two hospitalized women and their 10 fellow aliens to testify against two other survivors, a Mexican and a Salvadoran who are alleged to have led the Salvadorans into the desert as part of an alien smuggling scheme.

Bond was posted by a bail bondsman Friday after Pima County Supervisor David Yetman put up \$500 in cash, and a Tucson Presbyterian church and the Catholic Church of Arizona provided collateral to cover the rest.

Many of the Salvadorans who appeared at the hearing showed the effects of the three-day

desert journey with little water. The arms and back of one 20-year-old woman were crisscrossed with hundreds of cuts and scratches, and a 40-year-old man picked at the cactus needles in his hands.

U.S. marshals hustled the 10 and their sponsors into cars, keeping reporters away on grounds the Salvadorans feared repercussions if their names or photographs were publicized.

Bond for the two hospitalized women was expected to be posted once they were able to appear in court.

Citizen's committees here and in Ajo, at the edge of the sprawling, waterless desert in which the survivors were

found, had scrambled to raise the bond.

Representatives of the German magazine Der Stern offered to post the entire \$5,000 Friday in return for exclusive interviews with the survivors, but Legal Aid lawyer Mary Louise Harris turned them down.

"I don't sell my clients," she said.

U.S. Magistrate Raymond Terlizzi said the sponsoring families would be responsible for the aliens as "third-party custodians." The 10 must appear for hearings in the case, may not travel over 30 miles from Tucson and must contact their lawyer each week, Terlizzi said.

Lawyer Richard Gonzales was appointed to

represent the aliens in connection with their roles as material witnesses, while Legal Aid of Southern Arizona Inc. is representing them in what lawyers said will be an effort to allow them to

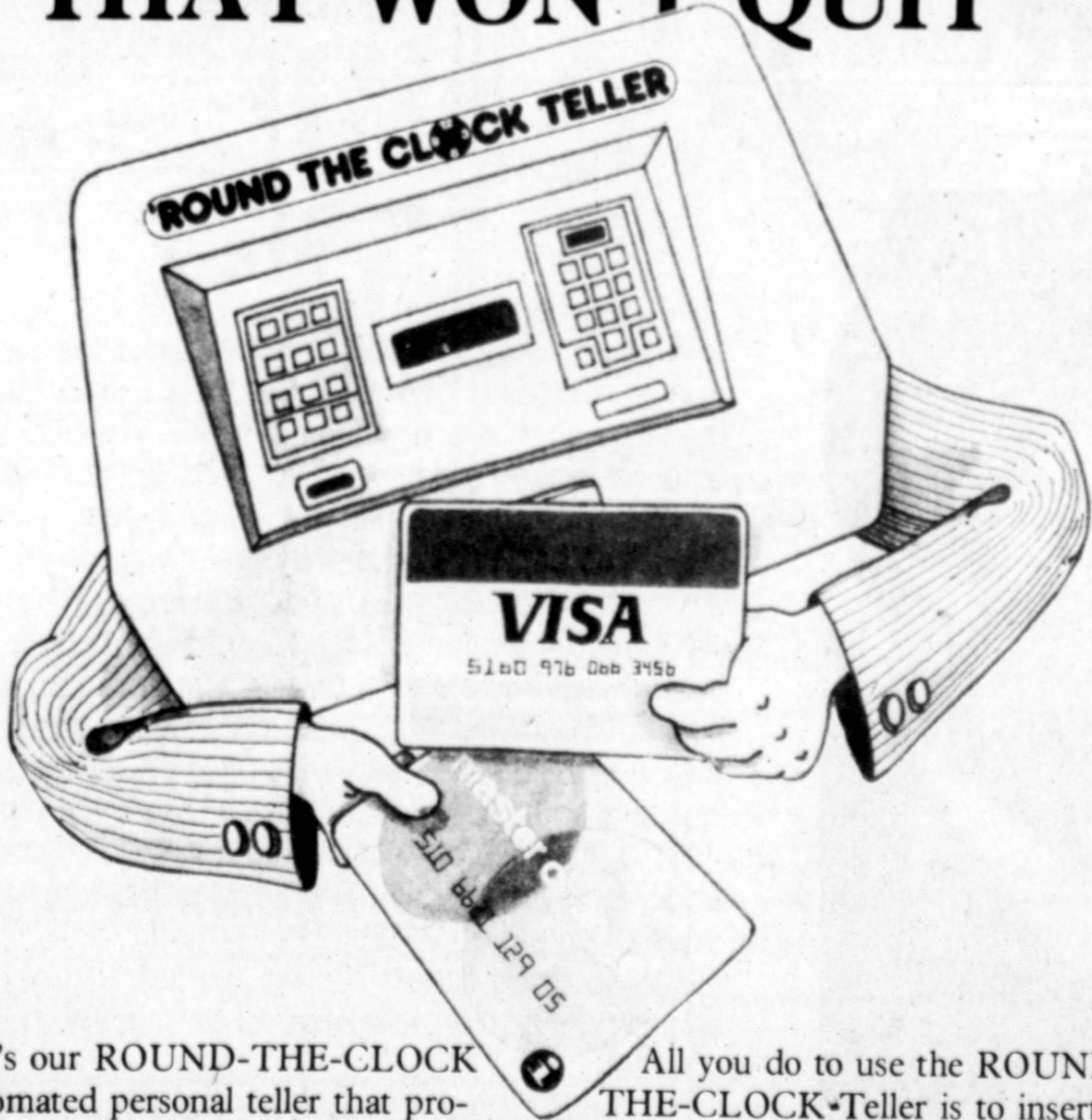
Pork nutritious

By the Associated Press

PORK STUDIED — A new analysis by the Agriculture Department reports that pork holds its vital nutrients between slaughter and the meat counter.

However, the study did disclose that pork contains considerably less iron than had previously been thought.

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Singer Debbie Boone holds her first child, Jordan Alexander Ferrar, as she leaves the hospital for home. The baby, born July 7th, weighed eight pounds, 5 ounces and his father is Gabriel Ferrer, 23, the son of Rosemary Clooney and Jose Ferrer. Debbie won a Grammy for best new artist three years ago for her rendition of "You Light Up My Life." (AP Laserphoto)

South Jersey partisans want 51st state created

WINSLOW, N.J. (AP) — Comparing themselves to patriots of 200 years ago, a small but spirited band of South Jersey partisans Saturday called for the creation of a 51st state of pinelands, beaches, nuclear power plants and casino gambling.

South Jersey secessionists, in a rebellious mood, held a three-hour "convention" to organize formally the so-far part-serious, part-joking movement to make New Jersey's eight southern counties a separate state.

Although only about 190 of an expected 800 supporters showed up, organizers compared the faithful to the handful of patriots who signed the Declaration of Independence in 1776.

"What we finally have is a sign of South Jersey unity," said John J. Mahoney, a high school teacher from rural Millmay.

"We think the support is there, but we didn't get near as many people as we expected. After all, it is a good beach day," admitted organizer Joel Jacovitz, deputy mayor of Egg Harbor Township and chairman of the new "Committee to Free South Jersey."

Representatives of eight southern counties — Ocean, Atlantic, Cape May, Cumberland, Salem, Gloucester, Camden and Burlington — formed committees to stir up grassroots support and study the legal means to secede from New Jersey.

The meeting featured speeches, bumper stickers, T-shirts, balloons and even an unnamed South Jersey anthem sung to the tune of "Dixie."

"Take a stand. We've got a plan. We'll make a great state of South Jersey," goes part of the song.

Bob LaTorre, Seaside Heights public relations director, read a 12-point "Declaration of Secession" blasting what secessionists see as tyrannical control by a state government dominated by urban North Jersey bureaucrats.

"The Trenton government has continually sent hordes of bureaucrats into our midst to harass us," declared the document.

Jacovitz said that South Jerseyans are "very mad" about insensitivity from the state government in Trenton. The south, he contended, can survive on revenues from Atlantic City casino gambling, five proposed nuclear power plants, tourist dollars and offshore drilling.

Largely seashore and agricultural South Jersey, which has about 1.8 million people oriented toward Philadelphia, has long been suspicious of state government, which it claims is controlled by urban and industrial interests from the New York-oriented north.

Secessionists, riding the newly revived movement, hope to capitalize on the south's new and bitter opposition to state efforts to control development of the Pine Barrens.

More than 350 arrested for plot in Iran

By The Associated Press

More than 350 soldiers including several high-ranking army officials have been arrested for plotting to overthrow Iran's revolutionary government, and more arrests are expected, a leading Tehran newspaper reported Saturday.

The revolutionary prosecutor of Iran's armed forces was quoted as identifying "top heads" of the alleged intrigue, smashed last week, as the ex-commander of the nation's air force and the ex-chief of the rural police.

The government said last Thursday it had crushed the conspiracy, reported to have been based in the western Iranian city of Hamadan, and that several of those involved had been killed or arrested.

But the plot, the third reported since the revolutionary government assumed power nearly 18 months ago, was believed to have been the prime topic Saturday at a 3 1/2-hour meeting in Tehran between Iranian President Abolhassan Bani-Sadr and several of the nation's top military leaders.

Tehran's daily Jombouri Eslami, official organ of the clergy-led Islamic Republican Party, which controls the Iranian Parliament, blamed the United States, Israel and Soviet Union for the reported conspiracy.

A member of the nation's powerful Revolutionary Council was quoted as saying: "The plotters wanted to release the American hostages, then to take some high officials as hostages and bomb important places such as the residence of Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini."

The council member, Mohamad Javad Bahonar, was reported to have added: "The plotters with the help of America, Israel, Iraq and Egypt wanted to establish a regime and put (Shahpour) Bakhtiar on top." Bakhtiar, who lives in exile in Paris, served as the deposed shah's final prime minister before his forced exile in January 1979.

Khomeini, Iran's revolutionary leader, was quoted by the official Iranian news agency Pars as telling a group of pro-government Kurdish guerrillas: "You saw for yourselves that there was supposed to have been a so-called coup d'etat in the past two or three days. Blessed and almighty God helped us and this coup was uncovered and a great many of the traitors captured."

Pars reported Friday that an armored division commander and 16 of his officers had been arrested in the alleged conspiracy.

Iranian militants who took over the U.S. Embassy in Tehran Nov. 4, have held 53 Americans hostage. On Thursday, at Khomeini's order, they released Richard Queen for health reasons. Queen arrived at a U.S. military hospital in Wiesbaden, West Germany, on Saturday and is to undergo medical tests.

In another development Saturday, Tehran Radio reported several people were killed or wounded in

a clash between young people and police and Revolutionary Guards, but did not say where or when the fighting took place.

The broadcast said, "A number of young girls and boys, subservient to renegade leftist groups, launched attacks, brandished knives, and by chanting slogans confirmed that they were hirelings of Eastern and Western imperialists."

"Police and revolutionary guards tried for several hours to disperse them by a soft approach. However,

the hirelings were not prepared to leave the demonstration, and as a result, several people were killed or wounded."

Iran reported it killed 20 Iraqi raiders in fighting Friday night and Saturday. Military commanders of the southwest region of Iran, where numerous clashes have been reported the past several months between Iranian and Iraqi forces, sat in on Saturday's meeting between Bani-Sadr and the nation's military leaders.

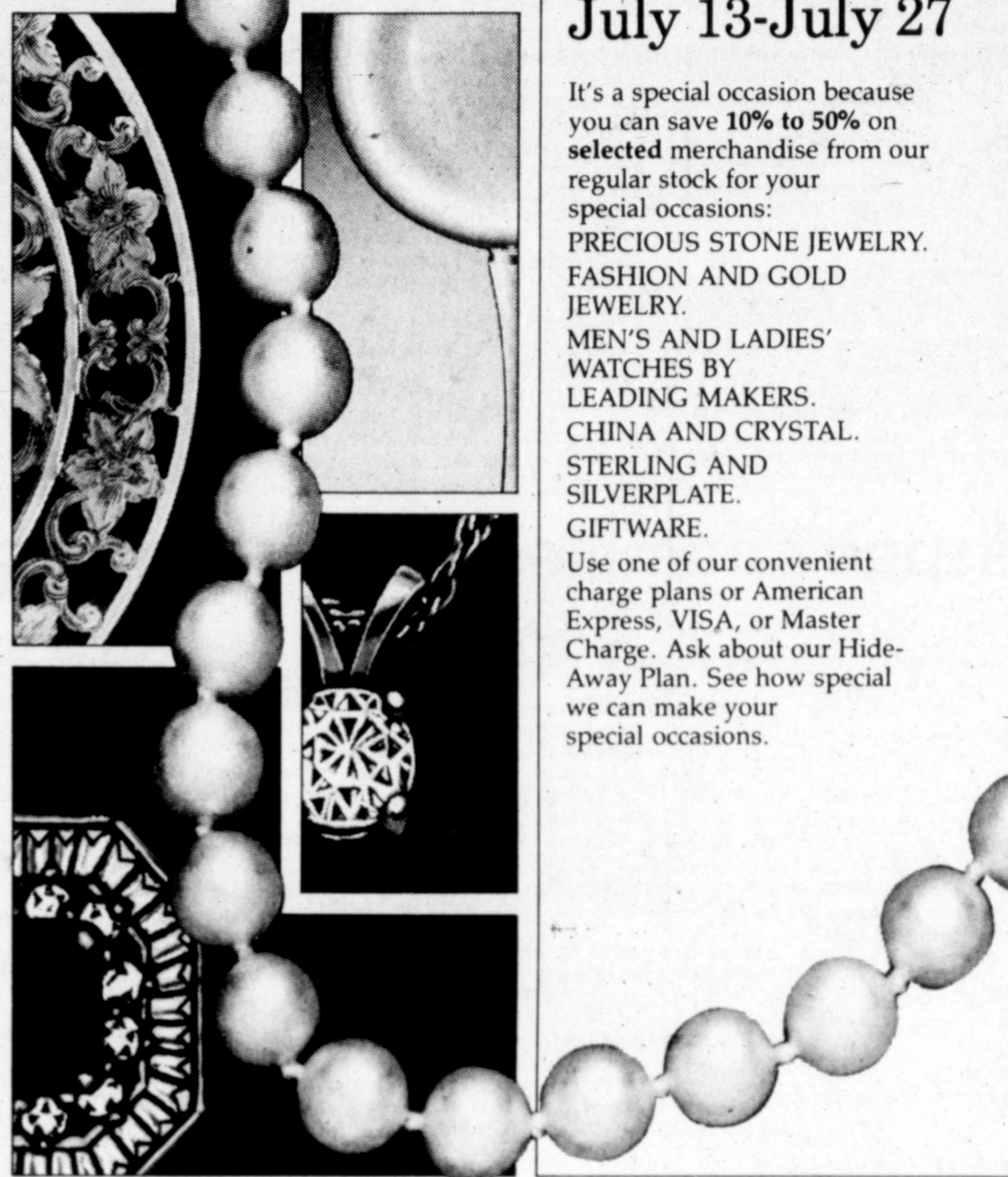
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Companies to test imported chemicals

DALLAS (AP) — The federal Environmental Protection Agency has ordered 20 chemical companies to conduct health tests on imported French chemicals suspected of causing birth defects and cancer, authorities said.

The federal agency ordered the firms to analyze chlorinated benzenes and chlormethanes, chemicals used to manufacture industrial solvents and pesticides.

Officials said substantial quantities of at least four chlorinated benzenes are imported to Texas by the French-owned Rhone-Poulenc, Inc., reportedly the world's ninth largest chemical company. The firm's state office is based in Freeport.

However, Rhone-Poulenc spokesman Dick Tevabaugh refused to disclose who purchases the chemicals, how they are used or the quantity imported.

The order issued Wednesday marked the first time the EPA has sought health tests on chemicals it regulates under the 1977 Toxic Substances Control Act.

However, EPA officials said they were uncertain whether the act included regulation of imported chemicals.

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People alerted in volcano area of Mount Hood

VANCOUVER, Wash. (AP) — Federal officials Saturday warned people to carry a portable radio and stay alert in the area of Mount Hood, the Oregon peak where a volcano hazard watch is in effect. But officials say an eruption is unlikely unless there is more seismic activity.

The Cascade Range mountain about 50 miles from Portland, Ore., has been quiet since Wednesday. However, scientists planned to install monitoring devices at the mountain.

Mount Hood National Forest officials warned people in the forest to carry a portable radio "to be alert and have a high sensitivity of what is going on," said Rick Schuster of the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

And, Bob Oliver, Oregon public safety assistant, said Friday he was "getting in touch with locals, drawing contingency plans. But we're not running around screaming."

"If it settles down, fine," Oliver said. "But if it follows the same pattern as St. Helens, we might well have to consider evacuating."

Mount St. Helens remained in a lull. The search for victims from its eruptions continued, with a confirmed death count of 28 persons and another 36 listed as missing and presumed dead.

A volcano hazard watch — similar to a tornado or hurricane watch — was issued Friday for Mount Hood because of earthquakes at the peak.

"Scientists don't think an eruption is imminent," Schuster said Saturday.

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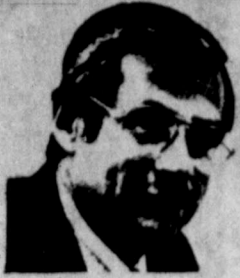
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Surgery possible for hemophiliacs

Dear Dr. Solomon: A friend of mine who has hemophilia tells me he's going to have an operation on his hip. Wouldn't he bleed to death? I would also like to know how the disease is inherited. — Mr. L.A.

Dear Mr. A.: Surgical operations have been performed safely on hemophiliacs for more than a decade, thanks to major advances in separation of donated blood into several components. Each component is used to meet a specific need.

Clotting factors from blood plasma are partially purified and greatly concentrated, and usually are freeze-dried in small vials for easy storage. Just before the operation, several vials of clotting-factor concentrate are dissolved with sterile water and injected intravenously until the patient's clotting factor level is normal. Repeated injections are given for several days after the operation in order to maintain normal clotting factor levels and assure good wound healing.

Clotting-factor concentrates also are used to control bleeding from minor injuries. Hemophiliacs bleed most often in muscles and joints, particularly the knees, elbows, ankles, shoulders, and hips. Blood is irritating to the lining of the joint, and repeated hemorrhages cause inflammation and, eventually, arthritic degeneration. Bleeding in muscles leads to weakness and atrophy. Many adults with hemophilia have severe crippling, and most have arthritis of several joints.

Today hemophiliacs receive clotting-factor concentrates as soon as they feel the sensation of fullness and stiffness in a joint or muscle that warns that bleeding is starting. Injec-

tion at this early stage stops the bleeding before much damage can be done. Most teen-aged and adult patients are trained to inject the concentrate into themselves, and parents are trained to inject their children.

Although many hemophiliacs appear in families with no history of the condition, the disorder is genetic and may be transmitted to future generations. A man with the gene for hemophilia is a hemophiliac. A woman with the gene is a carrier; she usually has an adequate level of the clotting factor, but occasionally has a low level and is a bleeder herself.

All the sons of a man with hemophilia are normal, and all his daughters are carriers. If a carrier has a son, there is a 50-50 chance that he will have hemophilia. If a carrier has a daughter, the chances again are equal that she will or will not be a carrier.

Women who are related to hemophiliacs but who don't know whether they are carriers can get information and blood tests at hemophilia centers. Worldwide, a few medical centers, including the Yale-New Haven Medical Center in this country, have developed techniques for obtaining a sample of blood from a fetus during the first half of pregnancy. The blood can be tested to determine if the fetus has hemophilia. Carriers have the option of terminating the pregnancy if hemophilia is diagnosed.

Centers that specialize in the care of hemophilia offer patients many services, including instruction in self-injection of clotting-factor concentrates. A list of these centers may be obtained from the National Hemophilia Foundation, 25 West 39th Street, New York, New York 10018.

Scientists develop living tissue to replace skin, blood vessels

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (AP) — A living, skin-like tissue to replace burned skin and damaged blood vessels in humans has been developed by scientists at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, a scientist says.

The new, laboratory-grown tissue is made, in part, from a patient's own cells, and therefore would not be rejected by the body, according to Prof. Eugene Bell, who developed the replacement skin with several colleagues.

Bell said samples of the new tissue soon will be tested on patients at Beth Israel Hospital in Boston.

A detailed report of the technique is being prepared for publication in a scientific journal, Bell said.

"When we combine fibroblasts (connective tissue cells) with a cocktail of collagen and a number of other ingredients, we observe that a Jello-like matrix forms, and in time the cells convert this matrix into a tissue," Bell said. The resultant tissue is similar to dermis, the layer of skin below the bodies outer covering.

"A second type of cells, epidermal cells taken from the outer part of a patient's skin, are added to the sheet of dermis tissue which then arranges itself into several levels of cells, just the way it is in the skin," he said.

"When we stick this tissue on the animal," said Bell, who developed

the technique with experiments on rats, "in three or four days it's vascularized, infiltrated by blood vessels."

"The nice part," he added, "is that we can make as much skin as we want.... We could grow enough skin to treat my whole body, but it would take a month...."

FDA questions tranquilizers use

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Food and Drug Administration, concerned that millions of Americans are using tranquilizers "just to deal with the anxiety of living," wants doctors to be more selective in prescribing them.

The agency announced Thursday that manufacturers of Valium and other minor tranquilizers have agreed to revise their drugs' labels to tell physicians they are not for everyday stress.

An estimated 10 million Americans get prescriptions for 5 billion tranquilizers a year, and FDA Commissioner Jere E. Goyan said he was "especially concerned about people continually taking these drugs without knowing they are becoming physically and psychologically dependent." He said users also should be careful about taking them with alcohol or other drugs that affect the central nervous system.

Goyan said the tranquilizers "can do great good in helping people get through crisis situations or in helping with problems of mental illness. Yet millions of Americans are taking them habitually just to deal with the anxiety of living. These drugs were not intended merely to deal with normal anxiety."

Goyan said he hoped doctors would be "more discriminating in prescribing tranquilizers to relieve the symptoms of anxiety... (and that) patients will not pressure their physicians for drugs that are not clearly needed."

Drug industry officials noted that prescriptions of the minor tranquilizers already have dropped sharply in recent years. The FDA acknowledges a 25 percent drop in use of the benzodiazepine drugs, from 90 million prescriptions in 1975 to 68 million in 1978.

Hoffman-LaRoche Inc. of Nutley, N.J., which makes both Valium — the largest selling drug in the world — and Librium, agreed to the labeling change, but took issue with the FDA's suggestion that the tranquilizers are being used indiscriminately for everyday stress.

"Valium is recognized throughout the worldwide medical community as having an excellent efficacy-

safety ratio and it is this record which accounts for its widespread use," said Caroline R. Glynn, a spokeswoman for Hoffman-LaRoche.

Valium is far and away the leading tranquilizer, with an estimated \$230 million in wholesale sales last year. However, Ms. Glynn said Valium prescriptions dropped from 53 million in 1977 to 44 million in 1978 to 38 million in 1979. During the same years, Librium prescriptions fell from 13 million to 11 million to 9 million, she said.

The new labeling does not affect the meprobamate drugs, such as Miltown, another widely prescribed tranquilizer not linked to dependency problems, said

FDA spokesman Wayne Pines.

The new labeling for benzodiazepines provided to doctors will state: "Anxiety or tension associated with the stress of everyday life usually does not require treatment with an anxiolytic (anti-anxiety) drug."

Other companies that agreed to the change are: Warner Chilcott Laboratories (Verstran) and Parke-Davis (Centrax), both of Morris Plains, N.J.; Abbott Laboratories of North Chicago, Ill. (Tranxene and Azene); and Wyeth Laboratories of Philadelphia (Serax and Ativan). Generic drug makers are expected to follow suit.

'Sickle cell' mutation traced to two sources

By ROBERT LOCKE

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Scientists using tools developed for genetic engineering say they've traced the historic roots of an inherited blood disease that kills thousands of black Americans.

Sickle cell anemia afflicts an estimated 50 million people around the world, including 70,000 Americans, nearly all of them black.

Researchers at the University of California-San Francisco said Thursday the disease began many thousands of years ago when a mutation occurred in two separate areas of Africa. The resulting gene changes appeared in slightly different forms, said Dr. Yuet Wai Kan and Andree Dozy.

The two scientists developed a blood test to identify a harmless genetic marker that's always present in only one version of sickle cell anemia. Except for the markers, Kan said in a telephone interview, the two types are virtually identical.

The researchers devised the technique in 1978 as a safe way to tell whether an unborn child had sickle cell genes.

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Panel to consider 14 items

Midland County Commissioners' Court is to consider a 14-item agenda in its 1:30 p.m. Monday meeting in the Midland County Courthouse. The commissioners are to:

—Consider a request of the Midland County Child Welfare board for the county to underwrite transportation expenses for a foster parent to accompany a child to Dallas for testing. The request is to be presented by Beverly Acker, supervisor of the Midland County Department of Welfare.

—Consider a proposal by the health department on permits issued to food services and private sewage operators. Presentation is to be made by Jewel Smith, chief sanitarian for the Midland City-County Health Department.

—Consider request of Donald W. Barrett and Wilbur E. Knight to connect waterline on Navajo Road in 349 Ranch Estates.

—Consider request of Texas-New Mexico Pipeline Co. to place a concrete slab over a company pipeline crossing Industrial Avenue at Highway Station 126+50.

—Appoint election judges and alternate judges and to name voting places for the Nov. 4 general election.

—Discuss hiring Tom King to appraise property along proposed Texas 191.

—Consider authorization for the issuance of bonds for deputy constables Charlie Jones and Tom McGinnis.

—Authorize County Auditor Johnnie Thompson to advertise for bids for the purchase of a .48 acre parcel of land adjacent to the south edge of Texas Electric Service Co. Center property.

—Consider bids for typewriter for Sheriff Dallas Smith's office, emergency generator system for the jail, tractor-type lawnmower for Fairview Cemetery, painting exterior of Culver Youth Home, pickup truck for road and bridge department, and rental of old county warehouse building.

—Consider sheriff's proposals for jail repairs.

—Accept road easements, agreements or deeds.

Arguments to be heard

Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Oral arguments in the dispute over the proposed Stacy Reservoir to be built in parts of Concho, Runnels and Coleman counties will be heard by the Third Court of Civil Appeals in Austin on Nov. 19.

The Texas Water Commission granted the Colorado River Municipal Water District a permit to build the reservoir despite objections by the Lower Colorado River Authority that the project would cut the water supply downstream.

The reservoir would contain more than 1 million acre-feet of water for storage and municipal water supplies. Austin District Judge Herman Jones upheld the TWC decision in February.

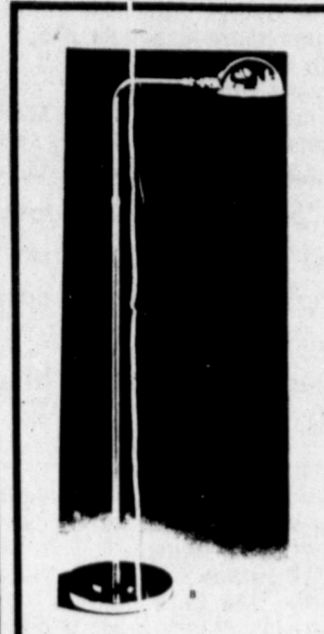
The LCRA had appealed on grounds the TWC did not have authority to grant the CRMWD the permit because the district did not show it was acting on behalf of any particular cities.

The LCRA also argued that Water Commissioner Dorsey Hardeman should have been disqualified from voting in the matter because he represented the City of San Angelo in a previous case concerning Stacy Reservoir.

Assistant Attorney general Tim Brown said the appeals court has given LCRA until early September to file written briefs in the case.

The state will file its answers to those briefs during early October, Brown said.

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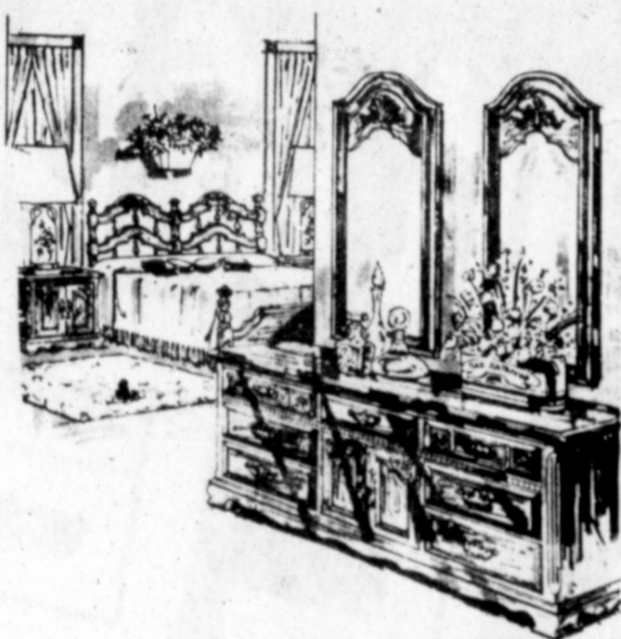
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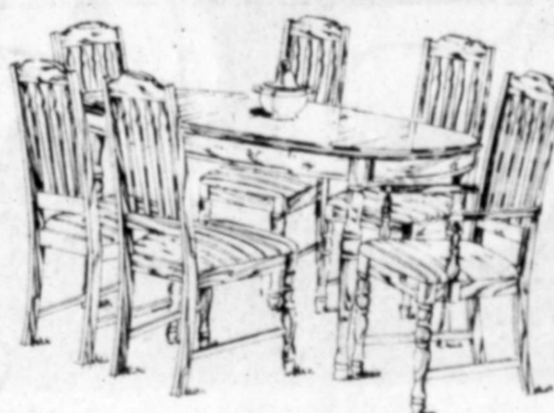
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Drought damage not high — yet

By CHARLES W. GREEN
Midland County Extension Agent — Agriculture

The drought continues to hang on and according to the weatherman, there is no immediate relief in sight. In the Midland area the effect is not as great at this point as in other areas of the state, because we got better spring rains. Dryland cotton on the deeper sands has continued to grow some but is beginning to stress the shallow soils. Range forage is drying rapidly, especially on the Edwards Plateau soils of south and west Midland County. A few more weeks without moisture with continued hot conditions, however, will result in damage.

HAVING PLANT PROBLEMS? Need help? The Midland County Extension Service, Texas A&M University and Lancaster Garden Center invite you to a Come-and-Go Plant Clinic at Dellwood Mall Shopping Center, Thursday, July 17. You may bring your gardening problems and questions, actual plant and insect specimens and consult with the following: Texas Agricultural Extension Service specialists: Austin Stockton Jr., ornamental and vegetable plants; Dr. Harold Kaufman, plant diseases; Charles Neeb, insect problems; and Dr. Kenneth Lindsey, soil and water problems.

You may come at your convenience from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 6 p.m. This is an opportunity to get help with those problems that are "bugging" you in trying to keep the lawn, trees, shrubs and other plants as healthy and attractive as nature will allow.

When selecting specimens to bring to the clinic for diagnosis, take samples of leaves, twigs and limbs that show characteristic lesions, spots, browning or yellowing. Small root specimens are helpful in many instances. If you have used chemicals or fertilizers, check labels for ingredient content name (not brand names) and furnish this information to the consulting specialist.

AN INSECT that loves hot, dry weather and that can damage garden and ornamental plants almost before you are aware of their presence is the spider mite. Spider mites are popping up all over Midland. There are numerous mite species that attack home lawns, vegetable gardens and ornamental plants and they can become extremely destructive.

Mite populations initially develop on the undersides of plant leaves. They reproductive potential of mites is extremely high, and in periods of hot, dry weather mites can complete a life cycle from egg to egg in approximately five days. Females are known to lay up to 300 eggs in only a few days. Thus, rapidly increasing mite populations can cause extensive damage before the home gardener becomes aware of the problem.

There are three types of mites that are most prevalent in Midland. They are the two-spotted mite, the red spider mite and the bermudagrass mite.

Leaves of plants infested by spider mites develop a characteristic appearance. Lightly infested plants have pale yellow blotches or spots showing on the upper leaf surface. With heavy infestations, the entire leaf appears light in color, becomes desiccated, and often turns reddish-brown in spots or around the edges. Plants generally lose their vigor and often die.

The undersides of lightly infested leaves have silken threads spun across them. Where large populations develop, these threads may form a web over the entire plant. Mites crawl on this web and attach eggs to it.

Mites appear on the undersides of the leaves as tiny reddish, greenish, yellowish or blackish moving spots. Mite color may vary according to the kind of plant food available.

Bermudagrass mites cannot be seen with the naked eye. They stay within the leaf sheath of the plant. Bermudagrass mite damage results from the removal of plant sap from the stems and leaves, which causes yellow or brown areas. Characteristic symptoms of injury are short internodes which cause the grass to have a bushy or tough appearance, and in fact resemble another type of grass.

Chemicals recommended for mite control include diazinon, kelthane and ethion. Malathion is recommended in some garden publications but does not work well in this area. Be sure and read labels to be sure of EPA regulations and registered use for particular plants and also days from last spray application to harvest for vegetables.

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Preliminary Census figures released

'Where have all the people gone,' cities ask

By LOUISE COOK
Associated Press Writer

The early returns from the 1980 census are in, and local officials across the country are crying that the count is too low. Census takers, they say, missed individuals, households — even whole neighborhoods.

"We have 4,000 or 5,000 people that either disappeared or something," said Wally Jahraus, the assessor in Aberdeen, S.D. According to the preliminary figures, Aberdeen has a population of 25,007 — down 5.5 percent from 1970. Jahraus had estimated the population at near 30,500.

The Census Bureau began distributing figures on population

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and housing units to 39,000 municipalities last week. The figures are not final. Counting is still going on. The bureau says it expected an outcry and wants local authorities to look at the preliminary statistics and help them catch any mistakes.

Billions of dollars hinge on the outcome of the national count. Federal funds often are allocated on the basis of population. Spokesmen in regional census offices estimated that a city can get up to \$200 for each resident. A population loss of 1,000 would mean a monetary loss of nearly a quarter of a million dollars.

Critics of the census have complained about its cost and its heavy reliance on the mails. Director Vincent Barabba accused one major critic, Rep. Robert Garcia, D-N.Y., of having "reached a verdict on the 1980 census without waiting

for it to be finished...."

An Associated Press survey showed no geographical pattern to the accusations of undercounting. Complaints came from the big cities of the Northeast and from smaller, newer communities in the West and South.

The president of the Chamber of Commerce in Newport, Ore., said the preliminary count of 7,153 is too low by 1,000. "When you look at the increase in traffic and the increase in people looking for a place to live, it stands to reason there is an increase in population," said Charles Johnson.

"I'm not getting hysterical," said Mayor Alfred Libous of Binghamton, N.Y., but "we're not willing to accept these figures."

The census tally shows Binghamton with 50,971 residents, down 20 percent from the 1970 total of 64,123. Libous said he quickly found at least one error, responsible for about 4,000 people. "The map they're using is cut off," he said.

Officials in Ithaca, N.Y., discovered that a city neighborhood known as West Hill wasn't included in the count. They issued a tongue-in-cheek press release: "Several thousand lost people were discovered late yesterday on West Hill.... These people... may have been wandering for days, without shelter or food."

Authorities in Roswell, N.M., however, saw no humor in census figures that showed their city with 38,250 people — almost 9,000 fewer than local people thought.

"We're very unhappy," said Siri Collins, director of development and planning. "To the best of our knowledge, the figures are terribly incorrect."

Marisela Thompson, the head of the census district including Roswell, said census officials welcomed help in counting any missing people. "Those preliminary figures are bound to change — some already have changed," she said.

In Seattle, Kelly Fitzgerald Royce, a regional information coordinator for the Census Bureau, said many local officials point to an increase in the number of housing units and claim that population must have risen by a similar proportion. "They have not realized how the household size has shrunk," she said. "Population growth has not kept even with housing

growth."

The situation Ms. Royce described seems to exist in Hastings, Neb., where preliminary figures indicate population dropped from 23,580 in 1970 to 22,776 this year.

"It strikes one as being a bit peculiar because they say we have had a 13.4 percent increase in the number of housing units," said Harold Yungmeyer, the city administrator.

Mayor George Athanson of Hartford, Conn., said the city estimates there are 2.83 people per housing unit. Census officials estimate 2.53. "I don't believe an adequate and complete count was undertaken," said Athanson.

In contrast, Mayor Henry Marsh of Richmond, Va., said, "I'm pleased with the figures so far" even though "they still

"Several thousand lost people were discovered late yesterday on West Hill.... These people... may have been wandering for days, without shelter or food." — a tongue-in-cheek statement issued by Ithaca, N.Y., city officials.

show about 5 percent of the people not counted.... The federal figures are not absolutely accurate, but are a big improvement over past figures."

The AP survey showed that figures for the nation's biggest cities, like New York and Los Angeles, had not been released by Thursday. Where statistics for major metropolitan areas were available, most local authorities disputed them.

Panke Bradley, director of the Atlanta bureau of planning, said her office was checking the major utilities as part of an effort to challenge census figures which show a population drop of 19 percent — from 497,000 in 1970 to 403,000 in 1980.

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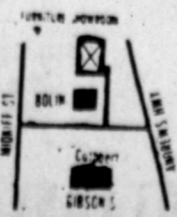
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Mount Everest's slopes to be unique laboratory

NEW YORK (AP) — Is the old custom of "bleeding" coming back? Maybe so. The locale is as startling as the concept: high up the slope of Mount Everest, according to the American Lung Association, which is supporting two medical scientists who will do just that in 1981.

Individuals who live at high altitudes and some persons who live at sea level but have lung disease have an overabundance of red corpuscles. Although the red blood cells carry oxygen to the tissues, there can be too many of them, causing the blood to become thick, sticky and resemble sludge. This defeats the oxygen-carrying assignment of the red corpuscles and deprives tissues of the needed oxygen.

"The mountain-climbing scientists will seek to determine if 'bleeding' or removing some of the excess red corpuscles and substituting plasma, a blood fraction free of either red or white corpuscles, will improve performance and exercise tolerance," says Dr. Lewis B. Clayton, director of medical affairs of the American Lung Association.

"If it works out on Mount Everest, there is a good chance the procedure can be applied to certain patients with lung disease, particularly chronic obstructive pulmonary disease patients, some of whom suffer an over-abundance of red corpuscles and consequent lack of sufficient oxygenation."

The two scientists who will undertake the Mount Everest study for the American Lung Association are Dr. Frank H. Sarnquist, of the Veterans Administration Medical Center at Palo Alto, Calif., and assistant professor of

anesthesia at Stanford University Medical Center, and his co-investigator, Dr. Peter H. Hackett, of the University of Colorado Medical Center in Denver. Both are experienced mountain climbers.

Although the two scientists' experiments will be underwritten by the American Lung Association, they will be part of the American Medical Research Expedition to Everest, some members of which will try for the summit.

Dr. John B. West, professor of medicine and bioengineering of the University of California School of Medicine in San Diego, is leader of the American Medical Research Expedition to Everest. Sir Edmund Hillary is the advisor to the expedition.

The medical research undertaken by the entire group will be at a scientific camp at 20,000 feet on the southwest side of Mount Everest. The peak itself is 29,028 feet. It is hoped that at least 10 men will take part in the ALA-sponsored experiments, including several who will have been to the summit. Their performance and exercise tolerance will be tested both before and after the "bleeding," technically called hemodilution.

A prefabricated research hut and some of the instruments which will be used on Everest were tested successfully last winter at the 11,000-foot summit of Mammoth Mountain Ski Area in California, where atmospheric conditions somewhat resemble those on Everest.

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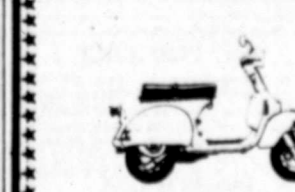
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ATTENTION BUILDERS—15 ac site for suburban residential south of town. Only \$2500/acre. Call Alice.

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PICK YOUR OWN COLORS NOW! Hurry to see this 3 bedroom, 2 bath being constructed in lovely new area.

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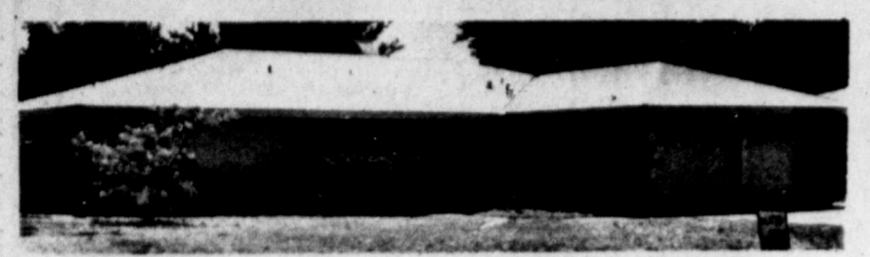
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2407 W. Cuthbert **\$57,500**

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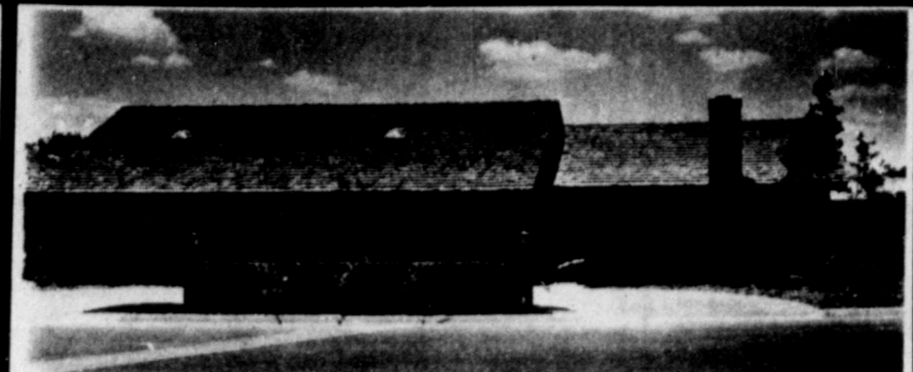
202 YUCCA Del Norte Estates



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FOR sale: 2 1/2 acres, one mile North of Greenwood school. Total price \$6250. 684-4303.
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***COOKIE JAR HOME**
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3 bedrooms, 1 3/4 baths, new paint outside and some new paint inside. For further information contact Karen Foster, Associate DON HARVEY, REALTORS 683-5333. Evenings 697-4434.

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Cincinnati's Johnny Bench tied Yogi Berra's major league home run record for catchers with a solo blast in the fourth inning of the second game of a Saturday night doubleheader against the San Francisco Giants.

STANDINGS BASEBALL

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Kratzert retains lead Shooting another record-breaking 67

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Bill Kratzert, a consistent money-winner on the PGA tour, maintained a 1-stroke lead Saturday in the Greater Milwaukee Open with another par-shattering round of 67 for a 54-hole total of 200, 16-under par.

Kratzert, son of a Fort Wayne, Ind., golf pro, is seeking his first tour victory since taking the Greater Hartford Open in 1977. Despite a drought of victory, however, he has had four straight \$100,000 money-winning years.

Howard Twitty, missing only one green and planting his approaches near the pin most of the way, carded a 66. He had an eagle 3 at the 12th hole and birdies on 17 and 18 with putts of 35 and four feet. His round left him at 201 with a 2-stroke edge in second place as par 72 took a licking in cool, misty weather over the 7,010-yard Tuckaway Country Club course.

The surprise of the third round was pulled by little-known Dana Quigley, the 1974 Rhode Island Open winner who has done little in three years on the Professional Golfers' tour because of a painful elbow that he injured as a 14-year-old playing basketball.

Quigley, 33, posted a 65 after scoring birdies on four of the first six holes on putts ranging from three to 25 feet.

"I had only 25 putts, hit 13 greens and kept popping aspirin to relieve the pain that always seems to be in my elbow," Quigley said. "It was the best putting round in my life."

Quigley said he putts cross-handed

and uses a baseball grip. Tied with him in third place at 203 was Mark Lye, who also had a sensational day with the irons that left him with five birdie putts of six feet or less on the backside for a 31 and a 66 round.

Colorful ChiChi Rodriguez bogeyed the last hole but rounded out a 68 to be alone in fifth place at 204.

The par wreckers are so bunched together that the pursuit for the \$36,000 first prize should resemble the charge of the light brigade Sunday. In all, 43 of the 71 players who made the second-round cut were 6-under or better, and 12 were within six strokes of the lead.

Johnny Miller, with a 70, was grouped at 205 with Jim Dent, who had a 67; George Cadle, 66, and first-round leader Ron Streck, who shot 71.

Four were at 206 — Dan Pohl, Brad Bryant, Pat McGowan and Joe Hager.

Scott Simpson, who under the GMO tournament committee setup could have won a \$100,000 bonus by coming off his Western Open victory to win this one, faded from the picture with a 77 to stand at even-par 216.

Kratzert had a sensational start, dropping a 5-foot putt for birdie on the opening hole and knocking a one-iron 20 feet from the cup for an eagle on the 520-yard second hole.

"I don't think anyone can start better than I did today," he said. "I don't know why I did it, but for some reason I backed off after that."

Kratzert also had a birdie duce at the fifth, at which point he was 15-under-par and enjoying a five-stroke lead.

"I feel as though I am capable of winning," Kratzert said. "I really don't think I have any breathing holes because most of the rest of the field seems to be birdying every third hole out there."

Greater Milwaukee Open scores

Table listing scores for Greater Milwaukee Open, including names like Bill Kratzert, Howard Twitty, Mark Lye, Dana Quigley, etc.

Hillin's car grabs 250 pole position

LEXINGTON, Ohio (AP) — Watery rooster tails flew from the rear of the championship cars Saturday as Al Unser slipped through a steady rain to take the provisional pole position for the Mid-Ohio 250 road race.

The 41-year-old Unser, the official one-lap record-holder on the 15-turn, 2.4-mile Mid-Ohio course, wheeled his Cosworth-powered Longhorn LR-1 racer of Midland's Bobby Hillin to the fastest lap of the wet qualifying session, a relatively slow 1:45.05.

That converts to \$2,247 mph, far below the record of 105.00 set by Unser in a Lola during a 1975 Formula 5000 race on a dry track.

With lightning lighting up the area around the track and mixed rain and hail falling late in the afternoon, track officials ended the day's session. They then decided to schedule a second qualifying session for today, several hours prior to the 1:15 p.m., CDT, start of the 250-kilometer race, in hopes of giving the drivers dry time trials.

Unser was more than four mph faster than his older brother, Bobby, who qualified second at 78.162.

Veteran Tom Bagley, who drove for Hillin last year, was third at 78.148, followed by rookies Tom Gloy at 77.447 and Roger Rager at 77.392.

It was the first time since a 1969 race in Kent, Wash., that rain tires have been used on the Indy-type cars. Normally the low, wide-bodied bullets use treadless tires that cannot be used

at all in wet conditions. The other Midland entry, owned by Jim Hall and driven by Johnny Rutherford, stand in 13th position.

However, these intermediate tires are designed only for light rain conditions.

A number of the drivers, many of them — like the Unsters, Bagley and Gloy — graduates of road racing series, slipped, slid and spun around the slick asphalt track.

Several cars went off the roadway but veteran Dick Simon's car was the only serious casualty. He came out of the first turn out of control and, whipping into the guardrail, knocking part of it down and forcing a temporary halt to the time trials while repairs were made on the steel fencing.

The cars qualified, at least temporarily, for today's 24-car grind by virtue of their fastest lap during a 15-minute period. They went out for those sessions in small groups.

Most people remained close-mouthed about the renewed feud between the U.S. Auto Club and Championship Auto Racing Teams, which are co-sanctioning this race.

The war was restarted two weeks ago when USAC disbanded the Championship Racing League and kicked two CART officials — car owners Roger Penske and Pat Patrick — off its board of governors in an effort to retain its relationship with the Indianapolis Motor Speedway.

Speedway President John Cooper has threatened to take the sanctioning of the Indy 500 away from USAC, charging that its champ car division was being run by car owners.

This apparently will be the final USAC-CART event. Right now, CART has seven more races on its 1980 schedule while USAC has none.

Cruz paces 9-5 win for Astros

HOUSTON (AP) — Jose Cruz drove in three runs and Rafael Landestoy scored three times to lead the Houston Astros to a 9-5 victory over the Atlanta Braves Saturday night.

Cruz increased his season RBI total to 51 with two doubles and a single while Landestoy went 3-for-4 as the Astros won only their third game in July.

Winner Joe Niekro, 10-7, scattered 12 hits, walked five and struck out two before needing Dave Smith's last-out relief help.

Houston touched loser Larry McWilliams, 5-6, for two runs in the first on Cruz's two-run double. The Astros increased their lead to 5-0 in the second, as Cruz singled home one run and Cesar Cedeno knocked in two more with a triple.

Atlanta cut the Houston margin to 5-1 in the third when relief pitcher Preston Hanna led off with a triple and scored on Chris Chambliss' sacrifice fly.

Houston added single runs in the third and fourth. Enos Cabell led off the third with a single, took second on a fielder's choice and scored on Luis Pujols' single.

Start of dream for Houston begins today

SAN ANGELO (AP) — Houston Oilers rookies and free agents, 71 strong, report to the Angelo State University campus today, the first step in what the Oilers hope will be the start of a dream come true.

The Oilers' No. 1 dream is that they'll have their longest season in history, ending in the Super Bowl, and that a pair of off season acquisitions, quarterback Ken Stabler and defensive back Jack Tatum, will help put them there.

The Oilers lost to the Pittsburgh Steelers in the American Conference title game for the second straight year last season and Coach Bum Phillips left little doubt in the off-season that the Oilers are going for that extra step this season.

Stabler, acquired from the Oakland Raiders in exchange for quarterback Dan Pastorini, is not due in training camp until June 25 with other veterans. But an Oilers official said the 34-year-old veteran would join the rookies this week.

Tatum, who also came to the Oilers from Oakland, will have to battle an already talented Oiler secondary for a starting position.

Houston's only unfinished business going into training camp involves the signing of two free agent starters, tight end Mike Barber and defensive lineman Andy Dorris, and third round draft choice Tim Smith from Nebraska.

Oiler Vice President Ladd Herzog said he didn't anticipate contract problems. "Our main objective is to go to camp as smoothly as possible and have everybody thinking about the season," Herzog said.

Barber, who grumbled last season when he caught only 27 passes with Pastorini as the quarterback, could fare better this year under Stabler, more noted for throwing to his tight end.

In addition to Stabler, several other veterans were scheduled to report with the rookies including quarterback-receiver Guido Merkens, line men John Schumacher, Tom Randall and David Carter, receivers Richard Ellender and Jeff Groth, linebacker Daryl Hunt, former Odessa Permian and Oklahoma great along with Mike Murphy and defensive backs Carter Hartwig, Charles Jefferson and Tony Towns.

Fifty-two veterans are on the Oiler roster going into camp. All veterans are due here June 25 with their first workout on June 27.



Glenn Hubbard, second baseman for Atlanta, tries to tag out Houston's Cesar Cedeno during the attempt to steal second after the outfielder had singled into left. (AP Laserphoto).

Rookies, free agents opening Cowboy drills

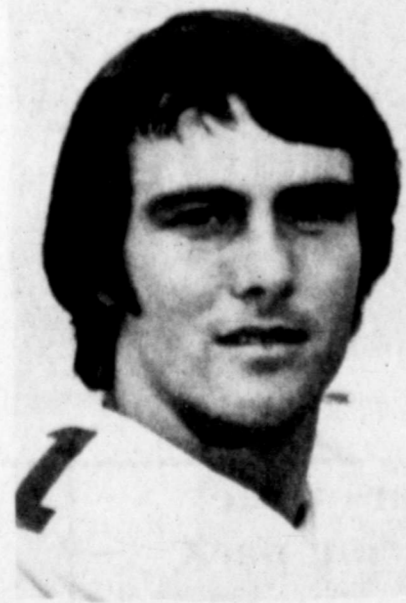
THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. (AP) — About 80 rookies and free agents report to training camp here today as the Dallas Cowboys begin workouts for the 1980-81 season.

Veteran quarterbacks, receivers and centers will report July 20 and all veteran players are to report to camp by July 24, Cowboy spokesman Doug Todd said Saturday.

The Cowboys meet the Green Bay Packers Aug. 9 in Dallas, but "we'll be commuting for that one," Todd said. Training camp breaks up Aug. 22.

"We will get down to a 45-man squad by the opening of regular season, the opening game Monday, Sept. 8, against Washington at Washington," Todd said.

The Cowboys will be playing without veteran star quarterback Roger Staubach this year. Staubach retired at the end of last season. But defensive end Ed "Too Tall" Jones, who left the Cowboys to pursue a professional boxing career, has rejoined the team. Danny White is expected to fill



Danny White in for the retired Staubach this season and do an outstanding job in the process. This is the 18th year the Cowboys have held training camp on the campus of California Lutheran College here.

Black day can produce light

Few football fans will ever forget what happened on Oct. 26, 1974. It was a black day in the annals of Southwest Conference football history.

The date may not ring a bell, but there are few fans who will not recall the name of Kent Waldrep. His name alone attacks the mind with thoughts of what can happen on a football field. Injury and Waldrep have become one in the eyes of America.

It was just another football game, if there is such a thing. It was Texas Christian University's Horned Frogs going against Bear Bryant's Tide from Alabama. The 41-3 loss by the Frogs was predictable, but in the second quarter, there was one play that shattered the hearts of Americans everywhere.

Kent Waldrep, a 5-foot-11, 179-pound running back (as listed in the TCU press guide that year), was having a fair day. He was TCU's leading rusher in the second quarter. Then the call came — "28 Power Sweep" — another call for the Alvin Junior. He was first met by an Alabama linebacker and then a defensive back. He soared into the air and landed on his neck. The play left him a quadriplegic with no feeling from the chest down.

Waldrep was listed in critical condition in an Alabama hospital, and doctors gave the first hint that Kent was in trouble saying, "He (Waldrep) has sustained a contusion, or severe bruise to his spinal cord as a result of a fractured cervical vertebra." With



TERRY WILLIAMSON

that Waldrep became known nationwide.

But that was only the beginning of the Waldrep story. From tragedy has come research and a spirit of courage that is only now beginning to unfold. That black October day may result in hope for millions of others.

Now Kent is working fulltime as executive director of the Kent Waldrep International Spinal Cord Research Foundation, Inc., from his home in Grand Prairie. And that work brought him to Midland Saturday for a fund raising effort at the American Legion Hall. His life is now just beginning and he is a model of courage and hope.

"I've never had any animosity toward football," Waldrep said Saturday. "In fact, the game itself has helped me deal with my injury. I learned to set goals while playing football and that has helped me work toward the good things that has happened to me. I am an advocate of player safety and I will continue to work in that area. Many things have been done to make football safer, but there are still areas of equipment,

playing conditions and rules that need improvement. A lot can be accomplished with player safety without destroying the game we all love."

Waldrep had no feeling from his chest down until the fall of 1978 when he made a historic trip to the Polenov Institute in Leningrad, Russia. There he underwent special enzyme injections and hyperbaric oxygenation. Now he has almost total use of his arms and 50 percent use of his hands.

"I began having some feelings in my arms before I went to Russia, but after treatment there, I regained sensations all the way to my feet and retained my bodily functions. Since I was initially paralyzed from the shoulders down, you can see what this did for me. I am almost totally independent now. I can drive and function. It was a great thing for me."

The trip to Russia gave Waldrep hope and the Waldrep foundation is almost a direct result of the success he had there. "There was no real treatment or research in spinal cord injuries in this country. But now Dr. John Geldred, who is associate professor of anatomy at Texas A&M, is one doing work in spinal cord regeneration with the drug DMSO and hyperbaric oxygen. Some great things are going to happen from this work."

"Doctors recorded my injury as a C-5 spinal cord injury, and most thought there was little hope for any

Weston team takes RHCC Pro-Member win

Kermit professional Dick Weston teamed with Elmo Glass, Roy Peden and Bill Beard for a 55 Friday to win the Ranchland Hills Country Club's Pro-Member golf tournament.

Monahans pro Ken Wright teamed with Beau Wright, Bill Anderson and Dr. Charles Gaines for a 55 also but lost on the playoff.

Three teams tied for third place with a 56. RHCC pro Bill Keys played with David Holt, Craig Adams and Don Hargrove while Hogan Park pro Perry Wilks played with Morris Howell, Hanev Atya and Wayne Roye. The other team at 56 was Brownfield pro Jerry Pepper, Paul Woods, John Kennedy and Jane Thomas.

Weston was also the winner of the pro competition with a 68, three strokes better than Midland Country Club's Terry Lester and Hobbs' Fred Bond. Green Tree's Mark Felton produced a 72 for fourth.

In the Pro-Pro matchup, Weston and Green Tree's Jerry Mobley won honors with a 64 while Felton and San Angelo's Don Bryant took second with a 65.

That's Raney Ruidoso Downs feature winner

RUIDOSO DOWNS, N.M. (AP) — That's Raney outdueled Easy Dame down the Ruidoso Downs stretch Saturday to capture the featured Zia Stakes over 400 yards.

That's Raney, winner of \$145,000 last season, took the lead early in the sprint, then managed to hold off the outsider Easy Dame. That's Raney paid \$4.60, \$3.40 and \$3.00, while Easy Dame returned \$5.80 and \$4.00.

Power Swivel finished third and paid \$8.00.

The results of all races Saturday:

First — 5 1/2 furlongs: Maccom 10.80, 5.60, 5.20; Peaceful Success 6.80, 3.20; Spectacular 6.80, T — 1:12.

Second — 550 yards: Top Joker Deck 5.20, 3.20, 3.00; Motor Sickle 4.40, 3.80; Menow 5.80, T — 28.53, Q — 13.40; Daily Double — \$7.80.

Third — 5 1/2 furlongs: Point Venture 6.00, 4.00, 3.20; Offensive 1.80, 3.80; Foggy Beam 4.20, T — 1:12.25, Q — 13.40.

Fourth — 400 yards: Highsteer Jet 5.20, 3.40, 2.60; Sweet Tooth Bars 5.00, 3.20; Leavens Lucille 3.60, T — 20.84.

Fifth — 6 furlongs: Cellarman 4.60, 3.60, 3.20; Tony Oh 10.40, 6.40; Muddywin 3.60, T — 1:19.35, Q — 28.80.

Sixth — 400 yards: Ten Four Good Buddy 10.40, 4.20, 3.40; Tiny Overdrive 2.80, 2.60; Mr. Speed Boat 3.20, T — 20.88, Q — 12.20.

Seventh — 3 1/2 furlongs: Cut Shot 3.40, 2.60, 2.20; Capri's First 3.40, 2.60; Tee Up 2.20, T — 1:10, Q — 7.20.

Eighth — 870 yards: Cross's Request 5.40, 19.00, 6.60; Loomarang 18.00, 6.60; Draconic's Loom 3.00, T — 47.57, Q — 237.00.

Ninth — 6 furlongs: Bag of Money 34.00, 11.20, 5.20; Final Drive 3.80, 2.80; Festos 3.00, T — 1:17, Q — 60.60.

Tenth — 400 yards: That's Raney 4.60, 3.40, 3.00; Easy Dame 5.80, 4.00; Power Swivel 8.00, T — 20.55, Q — 29.80.

Eleventh — 3 1/2 furlongs: Brazen Maiden 7.60, 3.60, 3.00 (cop.); A Bit of Brave 3.60, 3.20; Holme's Beauty 3.20, T — 1:11.35.

Twelfth — 3 1/2 furlongs: T. Bone 13.40, 6.40, 4.40; Cedar Rouge 3.20, 3.60; Bucks Indian 7.20, T — 1:19.25, Q — 34.40; Big Q — 228.60.

Handle — \$630,397.

Attendance — 6,147.

Reaves' teammates surprised

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — As the police search for reserve quarterback John Reaves continues, his Minnesota Vikings teammates say they're surprised by reports of his bizarre behavior.

At the same time, they acknowledged there is a lot of pressure in professional sports and that Reaves, as a talented benchwarmer on a National Football League team, was a likely person to feel it.

Reaves has been the object of a police search since a circuit court judge in Tampa, Fla., on Wednesday ordered him committed to a mental health center.

In his order, Circuit Judge Benjamin C. Sidwell wrote that Reaves "appears to be mentally ill, and because of such illness is likely to physically injure himself or others unless immediately detained."

Reaves' wife, Patti, says her husband has been depressed about his football career and has a drinking problem. She disputes sworn affidavits that Reaves, apparently under the influence of drugs, has been violent.

"It sounds real strange," Viking wide receiver Ahmad Rashad said Friday of the reports about Reaves. "But there is a lot of pressure in pro sports. Maybe some of it got to him."

"John was totally engrossed in pro football. He was a heck of a quarterback, and I still think he has a future. But I think it's about time society realizes athletes have a lot of problems and are subjected to a lot of pressures ... I hope he can work out his problems and be back in camp."

Although Reaves, 30, didn't play at all during the regular season last year, he did throw the Vikings' only touchdown pass in the preseason, to Rashad against Miami.

"It's tough to be patient when you're not playing," Rashad said. "It affects every player."

Reaves started the season as backup to Tommy Kramer, but wound up as No. 3 behind Kramer and rookie Steve Dils. Last month, the Vikings obtained veteran quarterback Mike Livingston from Kansas City.

Friends said that acquisition bothered Reaves.

Middle linebacker Jeff Siemon said it was clear last season that Reaves was frustrated sitting on the bench.

"I knew football was very, very important to him," said Siemon. "As a quarterback, it was frustrating for

him not to be able to contribute last year.

"The frustration to him at Minnesota was that he knew they were going to go with Tommy Kramer, the young quarterback who needed the experience, come hell or high water," Siemon added.

Dr. Donald Lannin, team physician, said Reaves appeared to him to be "a nice, stable guy" last season.

"I talked to Fred Zamberletti (Vikings' trainer) and he said John Reaves never so much as asked him for an aspirin the whole season," Lannin continued. "He never acted like a flake, and never gave anyone

the idea he was emotionally unstable. He was real low on the list of guys I thought might be flakey."

Winkel scores ace at Ranchland Hills

Jamie Winkel had a hole-in-one this past week at the Ranchland Hills Country Club.

His ace came with a 212-yard, three-iron shot on No. 12. Winkel was playing with Rick Peterson, Bob Reik and Herman Wright.

Cubs have now won 9 of last 10

SHREVEPORT — Dave Stockstill's run scoring double in the fifth inning lifted the Midland Cubs to a 7-6 Texas League victory over the Shreveport Captains here Saturday night as the Cubs have now won nine of their last 10 outings, including three of four on the current road trip.

The victory also maintained Midland's 1 1/2 game lead over Amarillo in the Texas League's second half Western Division race.

Midland was leading by a 6-4 margin in the fifth when Stockstill hit his second double of the night to score Randy LaVigne from second base. Shreveport came back in the bottom of the fifth to two runs to cut the margin to 7-6, but Herman Segelke came on to relieve winner Randy Clark (7-4) with four innings of shut-out baseball.

Midland started with a flurry as Joe Hicks hit the first of two homers in the second inning for a 1-0 Midland lead. Shreveport went ahead at 2-1 in the bottom of the frame when Jim Dunn had a bunt single with the bases loaded and another run scored on a double play ball.

In the third, a double by J. W. Mitchell scored Mike Shepston for a 2-2 tie and Hicks later hit a three-run homer in the inning for a 6-2 Midland

margin. Shreveport tried to get back in the game in the fourth when Dan Gladden hit a two-run single off Clark, but Stockstill's double in the fifth to the left field corner proved to be the game winner in the fifth.

Hicks' two homers gives him 14 for the season and six in the last five games.

The two teams take today off before resuming their warfare Monday night.

Midland	ab r h b	Shreveport	ab r h b
Fletcher 2b	4 0 1 0	Gladden cf	4 0 1 2
Alfaro ss	4 1 0 0	Wojcik lf	5 0 0 0
Mitchell 3b	5 1 1 1	Wiggins dh	4 1 2 0
Grant rf	4 0 0 0	Lane 2b	5 1 3 0
LaVigne 1b	3 2 1 0	Rothford 1b	3 2 1 0
Hicks 1b	4 2 2 4	Anthony rf	4 0 2 1
Stockstill cf	4 0 2 1	Ransom c	4 0 0 1
Payne dh	3 0 0 0	Cardwell ss	2 1 1 0
Shepston c	4 1 2 0	Dunn 2b	3 1 2 1
Totals	35 7 8 8	Totals	35 12 2 5

Score by innings:

Midland	015 010 000-7 3 0
Shreveport	020 220 000-6 12 3

E—Cardwell 2, Gladden, DP—Midland 2, Shreveport 2.
LOB—Midland 6, Shreveport 7. 2B—Stockstill 2, Mitchell, Anthony. HR—Hicks 2 (14). SB—Fletcher, Sac-Fletcher, Gladden.

Midland	ip	bo	r	er	bb	so
Clark W 7-4	5.0	10	6	4	2	2
Segelke S	4.0	2	6	0	3	3
Shreveport	ip	bo	r	er	bb	so
Alexander L 0-1	4.2	8	3	3	2	3
Glinatsis	4.1	6	0	1	2	2

WP—Clark 2, PB—Ransom. T: 2:45. Attn: 319.

Cleveland downs Texas Rangers

ARLINGTON, Tex. (AP) — Gary Alexander drove in three runs with doubles in the fifth and sixth innings and the Cleveland Indians held off the Texas Rangers for a 9-8 victory Saturday night.

Len Barker, 8-7, had a four-hitter and a 9-2 lead with two out in the seventh before Tom Verzyer's error at shortstop opened the gate for four unearned runs that brought Texas within 9-6.

The Rangers got two more in the ninth on an RBI single by Al Oliver and an error by right fielder Jorge Orta.

Gaylord Perry, 5-7, gave up six runs on six hits before leaving in the fifth. Jim Sundberg got aboard on Verzyer's seventh-inning error, Jim Norris hit an infield single and pinch-hitter John Grubb walked to load the bases, knocking out Barker and bringing on Sid Monge.

Bump Wills doubled and Al Oliver tripled to drive in two runs each before reliever Mike Stanton got the final out of the inning.

Cleveland loaded the bases on two singles and a walk in the first inning, and Ron Hassey's single gave the Indians a 2-0 lead.

The Indians added two runs in the fourth, three in the fifth and two more in the sixth to pad the lead, with Alexander leading the way. Verzyer added an RBI double and Mike Hargrove an RBI triple.

Mickey Rivers' consecutive hitting streak was stopped at 20 games. The Rangers' center fielder was struck with a Barker pitch in the first inning and went 0-for-2 before leaving in the sixth.

Black Day

(Continued from 1D)

type of regeneration. I wouldn't accept that and that is why I went to Russia. Now the door is open and work is being done. Seeing this work being done can make any suffering worthwhile."

Waldrep felt right at home in Midland since his uncle Buck Kent of Kent Oil Company lives here. "I haven't been able to come to Midland since my injury, but Buck is my namesake and it's really good to visit here. I'm now able to do many things that I couldn't do before."

Life is exciting for Kent Waldrep now and among the lists of things to do in the near future is a Dec. 6 marriage date with Lynn Burchland. Waldrep has a long way since that "28 Power Sweep".

Earnhardt NASCAR leader

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — NASCAR points leader Dale Earnhardt had Cale Yarborough on his back bumper for the final 30 laps, but held off Saturday night to win the blistering Nashville 420 Grand National Stockcar Race.

Benny Parsons was third, with Darrell Waltrip fourth and Richard Petty fifth in the \$95,500 race at the Nashville International Raceway.

Nashville's 101-degree heat plagued the drivers, with Petty collapsing on the 347th lap and Harry Gant taking his place. Gant earlier drove in relief for Don Sprouse until his car experienced engine trouble. Gant said the temperature in Petty's car was 150 degrees.

After staying ahead for 30 laps mid-way in the race, Earnhardt took the

lead for good after Bobby Allison spun out in the front straightaway.

The victory was Earnhardt's first Grand National checkered flag at Nashville after being a popular late-model sportsman competitor at the track in the late 1970s. His average speed was 93.811 mph.

Earnhardt said, "Cale kind of gave me a fit at the end, but it was good race for us. I thought it was going to be bad hot at first, but it seemed the longer I ran, the cooler it got."

Earnhardt earned \$14,600, while Yarborough got \$10,160.

Allison finished sixth. Gary Baker, driving in relief of Sterling Marlin, was seventh. Jody Ridley was eighth while Buddy Arrington placed ninth and Richard Childress was 10th.

A near-capacity crowd of 16,000 attended the 420-lap race.

Decker shatters fourth track mark

STUTTGART, West Germany (AP) — Oft-injured Mary Decker, running unchallenged, continued her assault on the record books, shadowing her fourth mark of the year by winning the 1500-meter race Saturday at an international track and field meet.

Decker's smashing performance of 4 minutes, 0.17 seconds, was the highlight of the two-day competition for the U.S. Olympic team, which has been denied an opportunity to participate at the Summer Games in Moscow. In the Stuttgart session, the first of seven international meets scheduled for the boycotting Americans, the U.S. team won 14 of 31 final events to top the entries from among 25 countries.

Five other victories were produced Saturday. Decker, 21, a sensation as a teenager during the early 1970s, obliterated the American 1500-meter mark of 4:02.1 set by Jan Merrill at the 1976 Olympics in Montreal.

For the disappointed and somewhat bitter Americans, this current trip, which continues in London Sunday, Oslo on Tuesday and Philadelphia on Wednesday and Thursday, this is their Olympics.

"There is great sorrow because they are not going to Moscow," said Jimmy Carnes, coach of the U.S. men's track and field team. "They are only looking forward to doing well on this trip."

Decker did exceptionally well. Bolting into the lead from the outset, she outclassed the field all the way.

"I went out hard on the first leg, but I didn't get

any splits," Decker said. "I thought I had a 61 (actually it was 62.38) for the first quarter."

"I felt I had a lot left at the finish and if I had been challenged I felt I could respond," added Decker, who has been plagued by injuries in recent years and underwent an operation a couple of years ago to repair shin damage.

Injuries also have hampered her this year, but when healthy she has been devastating.

On Jan. 26, she slashed the outdoor mile record to 4:21.68 at Auckland, New Zealand. On Feb. 8, in New York's Madison Square Garden, she cracked the indoor best for 1500 meters with a time of 4:00.8. And eight days later, the remarkable Decker lowered the indoor mile mark to 4:17.6 at the Houston Astro-dome.

Decker said her next race would be the 3,000 in Oslo, Norway, on Tuesday.

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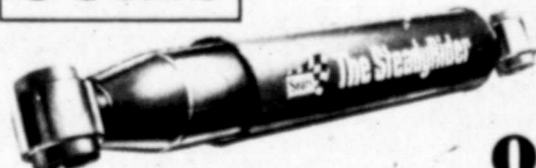
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Track summaries

STUTTGART, West Germany (AP)—Results in the Stuttgart international track and field meet at Neckar Stadium Saturday.

Men's shot put—1. Ralf Reichenbach, West Germany, 69.75, 2. Bruno Pauletto, Canada, 66.43, 3. Al Feuerbach, U.S., 66.45, 4. Peter Schmock, U.S., 66.15, 5. Nagy Assad, Egypt, 65.63, 6. Colin Anderson, U.S., 62.65.

Men's 110-meter hurdles—1. Javier Moracho, Spain, 13.54, 2. Tony Campbell, U.S., 13.78, 3. Dieter Gebhard, West Germany, 14.00, 4. Robert Schneider, Switzerland, 14.27, 5. Marc McKay, Canada, 14.64.

Women's 1,500—1. Mary Decker, U.S., 4:01.17 (American record, old record, 3:58.10), 2. Cornelia Burki, Switzerland, 4:07.18, 3. Jeanette Marlow, Great Britain, 4:08.92, 4. Penny Werthen, U.S., 4:10.00, 5. Anat Meier, Israel, 4:16.06, 6. Helen Ritter, Liechtenstein, 4:17.01.

250 lineup

LEXINGTON, Ohio (AP)—The provisional starting lineup for Sunday's Mid-Ohio 250 championship car race, with type of car and qualifying speed in mph.

1. Al Unser, Longhorns-Cosworth, 82.207.
2. Bobby Unser, Penske-Cosworth, 78.162.
3. Tom Bagley, Phoenix-Cosworth, 78.148.
4. Tom Gloy, Penske-Cosworth, 77.447.
5. Roger Hager, Wildcat-Chevrolet, 77.287.
6. John Martin, Wildcat-DGS, 76.855.
7. Rick Mears, Penske-Cosworth, 76.345.
8. Danny Ongais, PEB-Cosworth, 76.117.
9. Roger Mears, King-Chevrolet, 74.993.
10. Jerry Karl, King-Chevrolet, 74.586.
11. Tom Snow, McLaren-Cosworth, 74.259.
12. Dick Simon, Vullstedt-Offenhauser, 73.887.
13. Johnny Rutherford, Chaparral-Cosworth, 73.960.
14. Pancho Carter, Penske-Cosworth, 73.735.
15. Sheldon Kinser, Watson-Offenhauser, 70.988.
16. John Mahler, Penske-Offenhauser, 70.848.
17. Phil Caliva, McLaren-Offenhauser, 70.652.
18. Bill Alsup, Penske-Cosworth, 70.118.
19. Howdy Holmes, Orbitol-Cosworth, 70.000.
20. Gary Bettenhausen, Wildcat-DGS, 69.788.
21. Tony Bettenhausen, King-Chevrolet, 68.588.
22. Tim Richmond, Penske-Cosworth, 68.545.
23. John Wood, Eagle-Offenhauser, 68.208.
24. Bill Tempero, Eagle-Chevrolet, 68.043.

Tommy John wins 13th for Yankees

CHICAGO (AP)—New York's Tommy John tossed a seven-hitter, shut out Chicago for the third time this season and recorded his 13th victory Saturday night, riding an 18-hit Yankee attack to an 8-0 triumph over the White Sox.

The shutout was John's fifth overall, tops in the American League. The Yankees left-hander defeated the Sox 6-0 on a two-hitter April 16, and beat them 1-0 with a six-hitter in New York 11 days later.

He was supported by RBI singles from five Yankee batters—four of them in the Yankees' seven-run ninth. Eric Soderholm delivered a first-inning run, then Reggie Jackson, Rick Cerrone, Ruppert Jones and Bucky Dent had RBI singles in the ninth before Willie Randolph added a three-run triple.

Soderholm's first-inning single off Ross Baumgarten, 2-6, drove in Lou Piniella, who had reached base on a fielder's choice and moved to third on Bob Watson's single. Piniella also scored in the ninth, singling by Watson and Jackson.

In Baumgarten's last 12 starts, the White Sox have scored more than

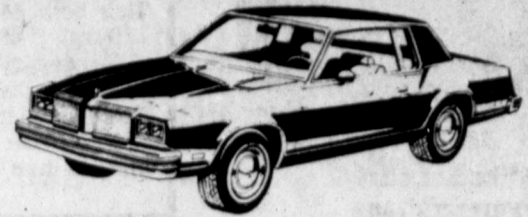
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Women's long jump—1. Kathy McMillan, U.S., 21.11, 2. Karin Hanel, West Germany, 21.21, 3. Anke Weight, West Germany, 21.45, 4. Sue Hearnshaw, Great Britain, 21.45, 5. Sue Reeve, Great Britain, 21.45, 6. Zvi, 21.5, 7. Pole vulov, Tom Hinnatus, U.S., 17.85, 8. Jürgen Winkler, West Germany, 17.85, 9. Gerald Hensler, West Germany, 17.04, 4. Jeff Taylor, U.S., 17.45, 5. Bruce Simpson, Canada, 16.83.

Men's 100—1. Don Paige, U.S., 2:19.06, 2. Carlos Cabral, Portugal, 2:20.87, 3. Klaus Digel, West Germany, 2:20.87, 4. Martin Selzer, Austria, 2:24.87, 5. Zvi Israel, 2:25.35, 6. Momo Livers, Netherlands, 2:27.06.

Men's 500—1. Kip Rono, Kenya, 13:19.24, 2. Craig Virgin, U.S., 13:24.48, 3. Bill Chesney, U.S., 13:24.55, 4. Fernando Mamede, Portugal, 13:28.77, 5. Frank Zimmermann, West Germany, 13:41.84, 6. Filippos Philippo, Greece, 13:48.40.

Women's 200—1. Angela Taylor, Canada, 22.82, 2. Denise Boyd, Australia, 23.21, 3. Angela Bailey, Canada, 23.32, 4. Chandra Chesnoy, U.S., 23.66, 5. Maria Masulos, Italy, 23.79, 6. Karen Hawkins, U.S., 23.83.

Men's 100—1. Jan Campbell, Austria, 55.61, 2. Bella Bakoni, Hungary, 54.4, 3. Willie Banks, U.S., 54.5, 4. Len Lorrway, Australia, 55.15, 5. Paul Jordan, U.S., 55.18, 6. Greg Caldwell, U.S., 55.1.

Men's high jump—1. Andre Schneider, West Germany, 7.41, 2. Benn Fields, U.S., 7.41, Other results unavailable.

Men's 100—1. Rick Mitchell, Australia, 45.78, 2. Harald Schöler, West Germany, 45.82, 3. Walter McCoy, U.S., 45.82, 4. Franz-Peter Hofmeister, West Germany, 45.82, 5. Detle Lido, Nigeria, 46.48, 6. Alan Bell, Great Britain, 46.74.

Men's 200 (B Division)—1. Willie Gault, U.S., 21.25, 2. Tony Sharp, Canada, 21.33, 3. Frans van Doorn, Canada, 24.38, 4. Hamid Adio, Nigeria, 21.86, 5. Alexander Papovic, Yugoslavia, 21.64, 6. Robert Tempel, West Germany, 21.85.

Men's 300 (A Division)—1. James Butler, U.S., 20.85, 2. Steve Williams, U.S., 20.78, 3. Fred Taylor, U.S., 21.07, 4. Peter Okonogbe, Nigeria, 21.11, 5. Peter Krieger, Switzerland, 21.21, 6. Desha Williams, Canada, 21.22.

Men's javelin—1. John Corazza, Canada, 208.10, 2. Klaus Teichmeyer, West Germany, 205.11, 3. Helmut Schreiber, West Germany, 204.4, 4. Bruce Kennedy, U.S., 200.11, 5. Duncan Alwood, U.S., 202.10, 6. Phil Olson, Canada, 202.8.

British Grand Prix

BRANDS HATCH, England (AP)—The starters for today's British Grand Prix (drivers listed with country, car and total time).

1. Didier Pironi, France, Ligier, 1 minute, 11.004 seconds.
2. Jacques Laffite, France, Ligier, 1:11.265.
3. Alan Jones, Australia, Williams, 1:11.609.
4. Carlos Reutemann, Argentina, 1:11.629.
5. Nelson Piquet, Brazil, Brabham, 1:12.046.
6. Bruno Giacomelli, Italy, Alfa Romeo, 1:12.128.
7. Alain Prost, France, McLaren, 1:12.624.
8. Patrick Depailler, France, Alfa Romeo, 1:13.180.
9. Mario Andretti, U.S., Lotus, 1:13.488.
10. Derek Daly, Ireland, Tyrrell, 1:13.489.
11. Jean Pierre Jarier, France, Tyrrell, 1:13.666.
12. John Watson, Britain, McLaren, 1:13.717.
13. Jean-Pierre Jabouille, France, Renault Turbo, 1:13.749.
14. Elmo de Angelis, Italy, Lotus, 1:13.952.
15. Marc Surer, Switzerland, ATS, 1:13.952.
16. Rene Arnoux, France, Renault Turbo, 1:13.967.
17. Hector Rebaque, Mexico, Brabham, 1:14.226.
18. Rupert Keegan, Britain, Williams, 1:14.228.
19. Gilles Villeneuve, Canada, Ferrari, 1:14.296.
20. Eddie Cheever, U.S., Onella, 1:14.317.
21. Riccardo Patrese, Italy, Arrows, 1:14.560.
22. Emerson Fittipaldi, Brazil, Fittipaldi, 1:14.580.
23. Judy Schecker, South Africa, Tyrrell, 1:15.270.
24. Jochen Mass, Germany, Arrows, 1:15.423.

Twins down Mariners

BLOOMINGTON, Minn. (AP)—Dave Edwards slugged a two-run homer and doubled to spark another run as the Minnesota Twins defeated the Seattle Mariners 8-3 Saturday night.

Geoff Zahn, 8-10, was the winner with relief help from Doug Corbett in the ninth, when the Mariners scored three runs, two of them on Tom Paciorek's double.

Floyd Bannister, 6-7, gave up six Twins' runs and was pulled when Edwards hit his second homer of the season in the sixth inning.

The Twins scored twice in the first inning. Ken Landreaux drove in one run with a double and scored on a sacrifice fly by Jose Morales.

Minnesota picked up another run in the second as Edwards led off with a double and later scored on a suicide squeeze bunt.

ASL at a glance

By The Associated Press	BASEBALL
National League	PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Placed Greg Loureik, outfielder, on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 8. Reinstated Warren Brusstar, pitcher.
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No games scheduled	

Women's Open

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP)—Results of Saturday's third round of the 72-hole U.S. Women's Open Golf Championship tournament being played at the par-71, 6,229-yard Richland Club country club (4 rounds amateur):

Amy Alcott 70-70-68-68=276
Holly Stacy 70-71-70-74=285
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Giants trip Cincy

CINCINNATI (AP)—Jack Clark's three-run homer in the eighth inning Saturday lifted the San Francisco Giants to a 7-4 victory over the Cincinnati Reds in the first game of a doubleheader.

Clark's homer off reliever Doug Bair, 0-4, followed singles by Bill North and Terry Whitfield. Gary Lavelle, 2-5, handcuffed the Reds on one hit in three innings of relief and Greg Minton finished for his seventh save.

The Reds tied the game 4-4 in the seventh on Dave Collins' leadoff triple and Ken Griffey's sacrifice fly. San Francisco had gone ahead in the sixth, loading the bases on walks before Whitfield collected an infield single off reliever Paul Skouf.

Niekro injured

HOUSTON (AP)—Atlanta Braves starting pitcher Phil Niekro was hospitalized Saturday night after he was struck in the right elbow while pitching batting practice before a game against Houston.

Niekro, 6-11, was hospitalized for observation after X-rays showed his elbow had been bruised. Niekro is scheduled to pitch the finale against the Astros Monday, but it was not immediately known how the injury would affect his start.

Transactions

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Placed Greg Loureik, outfielder, on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 8. Reinstated Warren Brusstar, pitcher.

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Giants trip Cincy

CINCINNATI (AP)—Jack Clark's three-run homer in the eighth inning Saturday lifted the San Francisco Giants to a 7-4 victory over the Cincinnati Reds in the first game of a doubleheader.

Clark's homer off reliever Doug Bair, 0-4, followed singles by Bill North and Terry Whitfield. Gary Lavelle, 2-5, handcuffed the Reds on one hit in three innings of relief and Greg Minton finished for his seventh save.

The Reds tied the game 4-4 in the seventh on Dave Collins' leadoff triple and Ken Griffey's sacrifice fly. San Francisco had gone ahead in the sixth, loading the bases on walks before Whitfield collected an infield single off reliever Paul Skouf.

Niekro injured

HOUSTON (AP)—Atlanta Braves starting pitcher Phil Niekro was hospitalized Saturday night after he was struck in the right elbow while pitching batting practice before a game against Houston.

Niekro, 6-11, was hospitalized for observation after X-rays showed his elbow had been bruised. Niekro is scheduled to pitch the finale against the Astros Monday, but it was not immediately known how the injury would affect his start.

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Twins down Mariners

BLOOMINGTON, Minn. (AP)—Dave Edwards slugged a two-run homer and doubled to spark another run as the Minnesota Twins defeated the Seattle Mariners 8-3 Saturday night.

Geoff Zahn, 8-10, was the winner with relief help from Doug Corbett in the ninth, when the Mariners scored three runs, two of them on Tom Paciorek's double.

Floyd Bannister, 6-7, gave up six Twins' runs and was pulled when Edwards hit his second homer of the season in the sixth inning.

The Twins scored twice in the first inning. Ken Landreaux drove in one run with a double and scored on a sacrifice fly by Jose Morales.

Minnesota picked up another run in the second as Edwards led off with a double and later scored on a suicide squeeze bunt.

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Women's Open

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP)—Results of Saturday's third round of the 72

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Lake Fairfield in Freestone County is one of a growing number of electric generating plant cooling lakes which have sprung up around the state in recent years.

The warmer waters of power plant cooling lakes provide a longer growing season and sometimes a more stable forage base to support the predator species throughout the year.

One of the sport fish species, which apparently does well in power plant lakes, is the Florida strain of largemouth bass, stocked by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. Florida and hybrid crosses between Florida and native largemouth have become the dominant sport fish at Lake Fairfield.

A survey conducted by biologists in August of 1979 revealed the lake was supporting approximately 112 pounds of bass per acre. This ranks Fairfield close to the top in that category among the state's reservoirs.

Florida bass have been stocked four of the past five years, and one recent survey indicated that 90 percent of a sample group of fish contained the Florida gene. The largest bass produced so far weighed 10 pounds, four ounces, and was caught during February, according to TP&WD fisheries biologists.

Bass fishing is best in early mornings and late evenings around timbered areas, submerged creek channels and near the power plant discharge area. Fishing around the margins of aquatic weeds and the riprap areas is also productive. In summer, bass usually are found in water 10-15 feet deep.

Most of the traditional bass fishing methods work at Fairfield. Plastic worms in red, black, green and grape produce well, as do spinnerbaits.

Spinnerbaits and crankbaits are good when the bass aren't in shallow water. Preferred crankbait colors are white, chrome, green, chartreuse and orange. When the fish are deeper, Fairfield anglers sometimes use chrome spoons or lead-bodied lures with spinner tails.

Channel catfish are caught both by rod-and-reel fishermen and trotliners, employing the usual variety of catfish baits such as blood, liver, worms, shad or minnows.

The lake also has been stocked with striped white bass hybrids, and they can be caught in open water and near the power plant discharge area.

Sunfish (bream) are taken throughout the year on tiny jugs, spinners and plastic worms, or on natural baits such as grasshoppers or crickets.

The only public access to the lake is through the Lake Fairfield State Recreation Area, where a \$2 per vehicle entry fee is charged. Campsites may be reserved by calling 214-389-4514. Facilities also include a picnic area, store and two boat ramps.

Topographic maps of the lake are available by sending \$1.25 to the branch of Distribution, U.S. Geological Survey, Federal Center, Denver, Colo., 80225.

Fairfield is situated about 35 miles southeast of Corsicana. Fishing pressure on this little lake is minimal and recent fishing reports have been outstanding. For the bass angler or the catfisherman, Fairfield is an excellent choice.

Oberkfell's triple paces Cards' win

NEW YORK (AP) — Ken Oberkfell collected three hits, including a 12th-inning triple that scored Terry Kennedy with the deciding run, as the St. Louis Cardinals scored a come-from-behind 8-6 victory over the New York Mets Saturday.

Oberkfell's drive went over the outstretched glove of New York center fielder Lee Mazzilli, who misjudged the ball. Oberkfell then scored on a pinch single by Mike Ramsey. Ed Glynn, 3-2, the fourth Met pitcher, was charged with the loss while John Littlefield, 4-2, the fifth Cardinal hurler, got the victory.

The Cards, behind 6-4 in the top of the ninth inning, chased Neil Allen, who relieved starter John Pacella. With

one out, Mike Phillips hit a grounder through the legs of Doug Flynn. It was the Met second baseman's first error in 40 games and his initial misplay with the glove this season. He has three throwing errors.

Garry Templeton then tripled into the left-center field alley, scoring Phillips, and Leon Durham greeted New York reliever Jeff Reardon with a long sacrifice fly to center field, scoring Templeton with the tying run.

Keith Hernandez doubled to right field and Ted Simmons, who hit his 12th home run in the eighth off Allen to bring the Cards within two runs, was walked intentionally. George Hendrick then ended the rally with a fly ball to center field.

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Tringali ss 7 1 2 2	Mazzilli cf 5 0 3 0
Durham rf 4 0 0 1	Taveras ss 6 2 1 0
Littlefield lf 2 0 0 0	Simmons c 4 2 2 1
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Simmons c 4 2 2 1	Jorgensen 1b 2 0 0 0
Hendrick cf 6 0 3 0	Yongblud rf 6 1 2 2
Kenny if 5 1 1 1	Trevino c 6 0 1 1
Rettig 2b 2 0 0 0	Edwards lf 4 0 1 1
Urrea p 0 0 0 0	Flynn 2b 4 0 0 0
Jorg ph 1 0 0 0	Glynn p 0 0 0 0
Hood p 0 0 0 0	Pacella p 2 0 0 0
KSmith ph 1 0 0 0	DNrmn ph 1 0 0 0
Seaman p 0 0 0 0	Allen p 1 0 1 0
Phillips 2b 4 1 1 0	Reardon p 0 0 0 0
Ramy 1b 1 0 1 1	Oberkff 2b 6 2 2 2
Total 48 15 8	Total 47 6 13 6

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Hood	1	0	0	0	1	2
Seaman	1	2	0	0	0	2
Littlefield W, 4-2	2	0	0	0	0	2
New York						
Pacella	6	7	2	2	2	3
Allen	2 1/3	1	4	2	0	0
Reardon	1 2/3	1	4	2	0	0
Glynn L, 3-2	2	3	2	2	2	1
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Alcott holding 8-stroke lead in Women's Open play

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Amy Alcott fired a torrid 3-under-par 68 Saturday, bringing her 54-hole score to 208 — five strokes below par — after the third round of the U.S. Women's Open golf championship.

The 208 — a record for 54 holes at a U.S. Women's Open — left her eight strokes ahead of Hollis Stacy, a two-time Open winner who had mounted a charge of her own Saturday, shooting a 1-under 70.

Temperatures that soared to 102 degrees bothered the 60-player field as the women toured the par-71, 6,229-yard Richland Country Club course in this 72-hole, \$140,000 event.

The opening day field of 150 had been trimmed at the midway point Friday to those players who carded 36-hole scores of 153 or lower.

Alcott shared the opening day lead with Barbara Moxness, but had it all to herself after Friday's second round when Moxness developed trouble on the putting green.

The personable 24-year-old brunette from Santa Monica, Calif., started the day four strokes ahead of Moxness, Donna Caponi-Young and Penny Pulz.

When it was over, Moxness and Caponi-Young each had dropped 11 strokes back while Pulz fell off the leader board, turning in a 77 for a 221.

Despite a wide lead, Alcott told reporters after returning to the clubhouse that she's not a good hot-weather player.

Looking toward Sunday's final round, Alcott said she wasn't worried about anybody else's score.

Nancy Lopez-Melton, who started the round six strokes back, finished nine strokes behind the leader after shooting an erratic 71 that included two bogies and a double-bogey on No. 17.

Among the early finishers Saturday was amateur Lida Kinnicutt of West Hartford, Conn., who turned in a 73-230. Judith Oliver of Sewickley, Pa., is the only other amateur going into today's round. She skied to an 80 Saturday.

Hope retains ring title

WEMBLEY, Engand (AP) — Maurice Hope of Britain retained his World Boxing Council super welterweight title by stopping former champion Rocky Mattioli of Italy in the 11th round at Wembley Conference Center Saturday night.

Antigua-born Hope was making his second defense of the title which he won from Italian-Australian Mattioli in San Remo, Italy, 16 months ago.

Hope, inactive for 10 months after undergoing an eye operation, started slowly but bombarded Mattioli from the eighth round on.

American referee Arthur Mercante jumped in to save Mattioli from further punishment as Hope pummeled the challenger from all angles.

The 26-year-old Hope now is set for a lucrative meeting with WBC wel-

terweight champion Roberto Duran of Panama. American promoter Don King had offered the winner of Saturday's fight a \$2-million contract to fight Duran.

Mattioli, born in Italy but brought up in Australia, previously had been stopped only twice in more than 60 professional contests.

He broke his right arm in the first round of his previous meeting with Hope and had claimed he would be a clear winner in the rematch.

Instead, it was Hope who got his right jab working and dominated the action in the fight that was televised live in the United States by ABC.

Hope weighed 153 and Mattioli 151 1/2.

Mattioli had a good second round, bobbing and weaving busily and showing a willingness to

take a punch to land one.

By the third it was a real battle with the 26-year-old former champion boring in on his foe forcing the quicker, cleverer Hope to back off.

Hope, shaking off the effects of his months of inactivity, found the range in the fourth round and scored with repeated lefts and rights to Mattioli's head, opening a small cut under the Italian's right eye.

Hope was the crisper, cleaner puncher but relaxed in the sixth and seventh rounds, allowing Mattioli to come forward.

Brewers hammer Toronto by 9-2

TORONTO (AP) — Milwaukee Brewers exploded for seven runs in the second inning and Bill Travers pitched a six-hitter en route to a 9-2 victory over the Toronto Blue Jays Saturday.

The Brewers sent 10 men to the plate in the second, getting six of their nine hits for the game.

With one out, Toronto starter Balor Moore, 1-1, normally a reliever, walked Ben Oglive and Sixto Lezcano singled. Don Money's double scored Oglive and Mark Brouhard's grounder to third scored Lezcano when Bob Davis couldn't handle the throw to the

plate.

Jim Gantner's single made it 3-0, and Charlie Moore's single loaded the bases and brought on Tom Buskey. Robin Yount greeted him with a single to short that scored Brouhard when Gantner was called safe on a close play at third.

Cecil Cooper then delivered a two-run single and Gorman Thomas added an RBI single to chase Buskey. Paul Mirabella came on to induce Oglive to hit into a double play to end the inning. Mirabella allowed just one hit over the next four innings.

The Brewers added two runs in the ninth on Moore's single, Yount's triple and Cooper's single.

MILWAUKEE	TORONTO
Clayton c 5 2 2 0	Griffin ss 4 1 2 0
Yount ss 5 2 2 3	DGaret 2b 4 0 1 1
Cooper 1b 5 0 2 3	Woods lf 4 0 0 0
Thomas cf 5 0 2 1	Velez dh 4 0 1 0
Oglive lf 3 1 1 0	Maybry 1b 4 0 0 0
Lezcano rf 5 1 1 0	Howell 3b 4 0 1 0
Money 2b 4 1 1 1	Bonnell rf 3 1 0 0
Brouhd dh 4 1 0 1	Bailor cf 3 0 1 0
Gantner 2b 4 1 1 1	BDavis c 3 0 0 0
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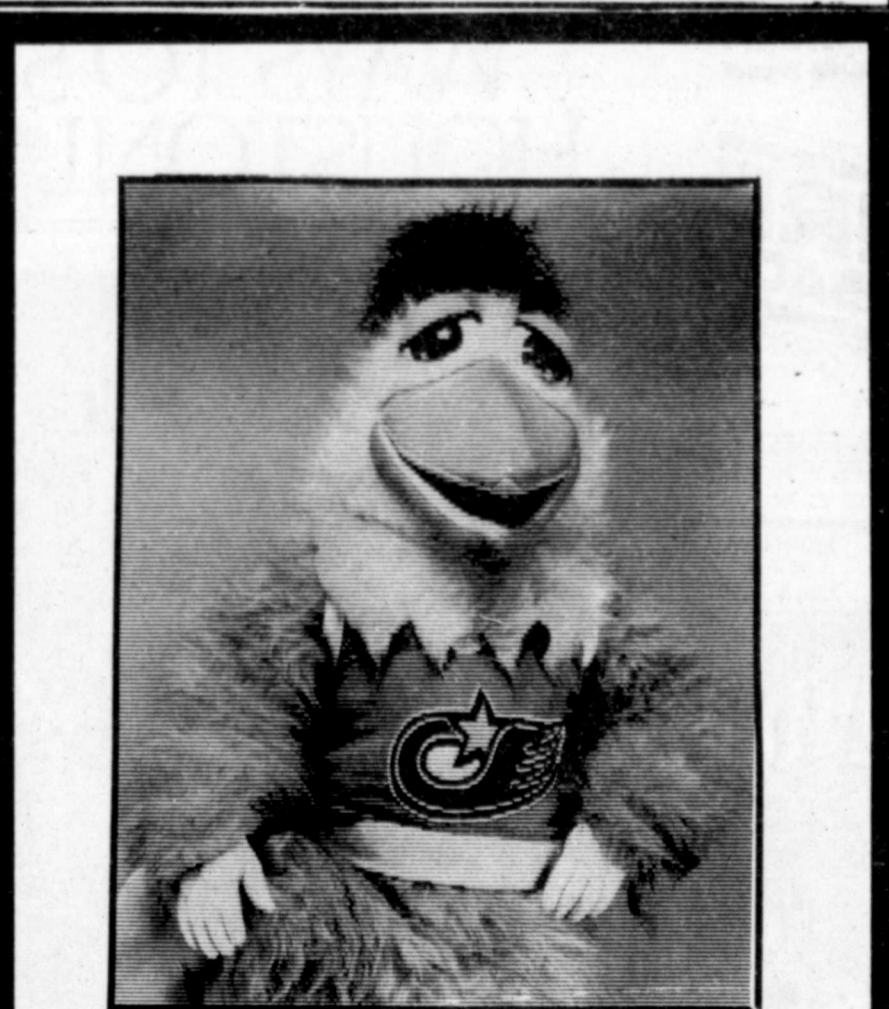


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Carolyn Sutton, Midland's own actress

Prince Charles' romance talk of British nation

By NIKKI FINKE

LONDON (AP) — When a 31-year-old bachelor shows no sign of settling down, it's not often the talk of a nation.

But if he's Prince Charles, heir to the British throne and adored by the public, then Charles' "angels" are as newsworthy as soaring inflation and unemployment rates.

This week, Charles' romantic future reached Parliament following reports that he might marry a Roman Catholic, Princess Marie-Astrid of Luxembourg.

Northern Ireland's Rev. Ian Paisley and other Protestant hardliners demanded assurance that there would be no change in the 1701 Act of Settlement which bars anyone marrying a Roman Catholic from the throne — the British monarch is head of the Church of England, the state church.

Laborites protested that the law discriminates against Catholics and Charles should be free to marry one if he wants to. They introduced a bill to change the law, but it has no chance of being adopted.

Buckingham Palace, in a rare official announcement about such a matter, defused the issue by declaring that Charles barely knows Marie-Astrid and certainly has no plans to marry her.

Many Britons complain because Charles already is a year past the age he once said was the best time to wed — 30 — and still is searching for his ideal partner.

Earlier this month, when he was on a tour of Scotland, a 71-year-old pensioner popped the question.

"Excuse me, sir, but when are ye getting married?"

"Ah," sighed Charles, "it is difficult finding the person."

Said Nigel Dempster, the British gossip columnist: "Whether he likes it or not, Charles must marry someone virginal, someone non-controver-

sial, someone queenly. And I am sure that this is making him miserable."

So far several of Charles' sweethearts have turned sour.

For months, he courted Anna Wallace, a 25-year-old blonde keen on hunting and high on pedigree. Many royalty-watchers thought she just might be the one.

But the press disclosed that Anna used to be the "constant companion" of two wealthy London financiers. Then Dempster claimed in a column he had "chilling news" for Charles that dashed any chance of marriage.

"There is a risqué picture of Anna in circulation — and I have a copy of it," he wrote. "She'll never be queen of England."

A link with dainty, demure Princess Marie-Astrid, 26, is now considered too controversial after the recent row, even though Queen Elizabeth is believed to favor the foreign flower because she would make an "excellent" queen.

There was Davina Sheffield, a ravishing London socialite. Her chances were ruined when a former boyfriend claimed he shared a cottage with her before she met Charles.

And Lady Jane Wellesley, daughter of the Duke of Wellington, is believed to have been ruled out after she started taking too keen an interest in her labor union and appearing on TV.

Charles in one interview in the past excluded a "dark horse" American or showgirl.

"A woman not only marries a man, she marries into a way of life, a job," he said. "She's got to have some knowledge of it, some sense of it; otherwise she wouldn't have a clue about what's going on."

A nationwide public opinion poll published last spring showed that most of the Britons questioned want his mother, 54-year-old Queen Elizabeth II, to abdicate at 60 in favor of Charles. But so far there is no sign she will.

Folk Festival reunion set for Kerrville

KERRVILLE — The outdoor theater at Rod Kennedy's Quiet Valley Ranch, nine miles south of Kerrville on Highway 16, will host the Kerrville Folk Festival's third annual reunion July 26.

The event, "12 Great Hours of Kerrville," begins with an informal concert at 2 p.m. with Don Sanders and ends at 2 a.m. with Allen Damron. The concert includes all kinds of Texas music with performances by Gary P. Nunn, Doak Snead, Kurt Van Sickle, Lindsay Haisley and Eagle Bone Whistle.

During the halfway break, Texas Hatters are again sponsoring the "Worst Hat Contest." The winner with the worst hat receives a \$50 custom made hat.

Following the contest, evening performances

will be given by Dan McCrimmon, John Vandiver, Uncle Walt's Band, Marcia Ball and her band and B.W. Stevenson.

Tickets for the concert are \$5 in advance by mail and \$6 at the gate. Camping permits may be purchased at the gate for \$1 per person.

'Good craftsman has key to success'

By GEORGIA TEMPLE Staff Writer

For the reporter, it was just another routine assignment. For Carolyn Sutton, it was being in the right place at the right time and not knowing it until later.

It's easy to recreate the editor's words. "We need a local picture. Go to the university and get a shot of the new arrivals and some quick copy on how it feels to be in Hawaii."

The headline, which read "New Crop of Coeds Arrives in Hawaii," was Carolyn's ticket to a future she had dreamed about all her life.

"My picture was in the paper and I was contacted by an agency," Carolyn explained. "I started doing runway shows (modeling) in Hawaii."

But, Carolyn was not unprepared for a future which has so far encompassed modeling, dancing, teaching and radio and television work. She had spent 12 of her Midland growing-up years studying

the pavement. The people who make it in this business are the ones who approach it as a business and not as a lark. And you're in business for yourself."

Carolyn, who has been in dance scenes in the television series "Dallas" and the movie "Can't Stop the Music" with the Village People, works constantly at her craft.

"You get out and promote yourself. You let people know that you're around and that you're professional because a lot of people aren't. A lot of people don't take it seriously, they don't show up on time," Carolyn explains, her voice intense.

"When you're being paid, for example, \$60 an hour on a print job, you'd better be there ahead of time and be ready to shoot when the photographer's ready, or they won't use you again. It's a very competitive business and there's always somebody else that's just as pretty and just as talented that can step right in and be as good as you can be at what you are doing."

Carolyn continues to take dance and voice lessons. She also participates in acting workshops in Dallas that are sponsored by the Screen Actors Guild-American Federation of Television and Radio Actors.

"THEY BRING IN people that give workshops on cold readings and on auditions. Auditions are nightmares. You go in and you don't know what these people are looking for. You walk in and there's a table of maybe four people," Carolyn explains with a laugh.

"They say, 'Hello, How are you.' They hand you a piece of copy. They give you a few minutes to look it over. 'Are you ready to read now?' 'Sure.' And you

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ballet under Georgia Harston. At that time, she was Carolyn Jones, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Jones.

She stayed in fashion for a long time and worked for Bill Blais in New York.

"When I moved to Dallas about four years ago, I went to see Kim Dawson. I was just amazed at all the different options I had besides fashion. One of my first jobs with Kim Dawson was a television commercial."

ALTHOUGH IT WAS a fashion commercial, she was dancing.

"I really enjoyed doing commercials. I got into a radio and television workshop so I could learn the craft a little better."

Carolyn finds commercials challenging, plus the opportunity to get into this field in Dallas is very good.

"All the jingles are done in Dallas. People come from everywhere to Dallas to do commercials because we are a right-to-work state."

Carolyn is quick to point out that to be successful it takes "tenacity, perseverance, hanging in there and learning as much as you can about the craft."

"It's not an art, it's a craft. We all love to think of ourselves as artists, but actually you are a good craftsman."

Carolyn, for example, who has been on the cover of "D Magazine" and "ART Times," explains that in print modeling, "you've got to learn how to hit your mark, time after time after time when they're doing takes of you from front, back, sides, close-ups, long shots and three-quarter shots."

Patience, too, is a necessary characteristic. Whether it's for television, motion pictures or photographic layouts, the actual filming may take an incredible amount of time which involves retakes and waiting.

And it takes hustling.

"SO MANY PEOPLE get into this business thinking that all they have to do is sit around and wait for things to happen. When you get started, you pound

Art workshop registration set

INGRAM — Registration is open for two art workshops scheduled Aug. 4-16 in the Hill Country Arts Foundation at Ingram.

Michael Frary, who has published the books "Impressions of the Big

Thicket" and "Impressions of the Texas Panhandle," will teach watercolor and Robert Fromme, who has had articles published in "Ceramics Monthly" and "Studio Potter," will teach a class in ceramics and pottery.

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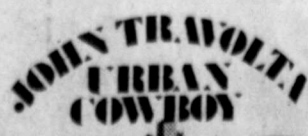
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Student complains of 'Ladies' Nights'

COLUMBIA, Mo. (AP) — A University of Missouri graduate student has filed a complaint with the state Human Rights Commission that ladies' nights at four Columbia taverns are discriminatory.

Michael Zarowitz testified at a commission hearing Friday that the ladies' nights, on which women do not have to pay cover charges and can buy drinks at reduced prices, are unfair to male patrons.

Zarowitz said he will continue to fight the case even if the commission, which would have no legal power to penalize the taverns, rules against him. He did not specify what further actions he might take, however.

Michael Imgarten, part-owner of T.W. Chumley's Bar, said taverns have the right to encourage more customers by offering special prices. He said he plans to continue ladies' night, with or without commission sanction.

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Afghan resistance grows against Russian troops

EDITOR'S NOTE — The writer spent 10 days in Afghanistan and filed this report after her departure.

By **EDITH M. LEDERER**
Associated Press Writer

KABUL, Afghanistan (AP) — In whispered conversations in the dusty bazaars and crowded tea houses of Kabul, middle-class businessmen and students are talking about giving up their jobs and studies and taking up arms against Soviet occupation troops.

Witnesses who visited rebel camps within 15 miles of the mile-high Afghan capital said a smattering of students, businessmen and professionals are already fighting alongside Moslem "holy warriors" — a few even commuting from Kabul to rebel hideouts.

"The Russians must pull out," said Shiragha, a middle-aged office worker. "Otherwise, they will all die. The Afghans are very tough people. We are strong fighters. If we have 16 million people in the country, than they will need 32 million soldiers to fight us."

Westerners in Kabul hear much talk about the killing of Afghan children, and about the destruction by the estimated 75,000-80,000 Soviet troops of ancestral villages and family farms — and after six months, resistance to the Soviet occupation seems to be growing.

A foreign agricultural expert trying last week to visit a village in Logar Province, just south of Kabul, said he was escorted by two government tanks, two helicopters and 300 soldiers.

Afghans, who have repeatedly resisted foreign domination, dismissed as "propaganda" the recent Kremlin announcement of the withdrawal of one division.

They also seem contemptuous of both the Soviet troops in their homeland and of the Kremlin's announced objective to find a political settlement to the fighting that began when the first of three Marxist governments was installed in April 1978.

The few Western European and American visitors to Kabul are almost always taken for Russians. The Afghan greeting is usually a shout or hissed "Russia" or "Shurave" (Soviet), sometimes accompanied by a shove, pinch or handful of tossed pebbles.

One little boy playing in a park near the old bazaar yelled "Shurave" and threw himself at a Westerner like a human torpedo and almost knocked her down.

The Russians themselves keep to their own compounds, venturing only in large groups to shops and restaurants in the tourist quarter of Share Naw.

Once Afghans learn a visitor is really a Westerner, their reaction is markedly different. One taxi driver refused to accept a fare, saying: "We love the Americans and we hope they will help us." Others responded with the Persian word for "good" and a smile.

The growing popular resistance here is proving to be a headache and an embarrassment for Kremlin leaders. It also has created some tough choices for them.

Should they maintain their current troop strength, resigning themselves to the status quo: control of the major cities and highways and continued rebel attacks.

Or should they send in massive reinforcements and wipe out the rebels in what one well-informed

An AP News Special

observer guessed would be a bloodbath that would cost 1 million Afghan lives?

By counting the number of vehicles arriving at the airport when Soviet medical evacuation flights are scheduled to take off, well-informed sources have estimated that more than 25 Soviet troops are being killed daily. Rebel losses are believed to be higher, and thousands of civilians are also believed to have died.

By almost all accounts, the Soviet troops are apparently getting little help from Afghan government forces.

Well-informed sources say the Soviet-backed government of Babrak Karmal recently conducted raids in homes and boarding houses to try to find recruits for the Afghan army, which has a listed strength of 80,000 but has been depleted by mass desertions.

The sources said only two Afghan commando units are at full strength and estimate the current strength of the army at between 20,000 and 40,000.

The rebels are known to exaggerate their strength and their successes, but there is little doubt fighting has disrupted the economy and daily life for many Afghans.

Longtime observers say unemployment is up; prices are up, apparently because of problems getting items like vegetables and fruits to the bazaars, and secondary school attendance is down by perhaps 50 percent.

Kennedy to wage floor fight on rules

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Edward M. Kennedy served formal notice on Saturday he intends to wage a floor fight at the Democratic National Convention next month over new party rules barring committed delegates from switching choices on the first ballot for the presidential nomination.

Kennedy needs the support of more than 300 delegates now pledged to President Carter if he is to have even the slimmest chance of wresting the nomination away from Carter at the convention.

Last week, the party's Rules Committee agreed after bitter debate to prohibit first-ballot switches by delegates previously committed to any candidate.

Carter has 1,982 delegates and Kennedy 1,235 going into the Aug. 11 convention in New York City. There are 113 delegates uncommitted. The nomination requires 1,666 votes.

Kennedy's challenge of the rules change on the convention floor had been expected. It was made formal Saturday when his aides filed a minority report with the Democratic National Committee.

Six other minority reports on rules also were filed but the one on a delegate's freedom to switch allegiance is central to the Kennedy campaign. That floor battle is likely to be his last hope for turning the convention around.

Though Kennedy's prospects hardly appear bright, his campaign field director, Carl Wagner, told reporters a victory is "within reach."

"We'll be dealing not with 155 members (of the

Rules Committee) but over 3,000 delegates and their alternates," Wagner said after filing the minority reports at the Democratic National Committee headquarters.

Wagner said that based on contacts with delegates there seems to be "some movement toward the Kennedy side" on the rules issue, although it is "hard to discern" just how much.

"The central issue is whether we are to rewrite the rules to accommodate the candidate," he told reporters.

Public forum scheduled for solar energy ideas

Ways and means of exploiting solar energy will be discussed in a free public forum, "Texas Solar Town Hall '80," at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the Allison Fine Arts Building auditorium at Midland College.

Heading up the discussion will be Dr. C.E. "Gene" Teske of the engineering technology department at Texas Tech University, and Glenn E. Hill, an architect.

The forum is being sponsored by the Texas Energy and Natural Resources Advisory Council. The council and Texas Solar Energy Society developed solar

town hall meetings.

The forum will include a review of solar homes and installations of solar-energy units in Midland. Each person attending the forum will be given a manual on the use of solar energy and references for more information.

Additional information on the forum may be obtained from Dr. David Eggleston at 683-5735 or from Jeff Fiddler at 683-5878.

Toastmasters celebrating anniversary

The Pop-Up Toastmasters Club is celebrating its 20th anniversary at 7 p.m. Thursday in the Midland Center.

All Toastmasters and their spouses are invited to attend the event. However, the Pop-Ups are looking for past members of the club.

The event will be a catered dinner and reservations are needed as soon as possible. Toastmasters and past members may call Henry Williams at 682-6424 or 683-4227, Dan Hutchinson at 697-2052 or 563-1590, or David Hoff at 682-4789 or 683-5696.

David Hoff will be toastmaster for the event.

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Execution nearing, 'Candy Man' maintains his innocence

By **ROB WOOD**
Associated Press Writer

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) — He is a big man, bordering between stout and fat. His eyes are pale blue, so light that when the morning sun reflects on his face, they seem to have no color at all.

He is Ronald Clark O'Bryan, called by his fellow inmates on Texas Death Row as the "Candy Man", known to others as "the man who killed Halloween."

He is sentenced to die for the death of his 8-year-old son Tim, who O'Bryan said in a recent interview, "Was very close to me. I never did anything to that boy. I loved him. I taught him to ride his bike, and we did a lot of things together, fishing, playing ball, just wrestling around."

When Tim died, O'Bryan said, "I felt anger and then sadness and then depression. I wanted somebody to pay for the death of my son. The police were looking for somebody to convict. I became the scapegoat. I was convicted of something I didn't do."

O'Bryan was sentenced to death by a jury after his conviction of murdering his son with cyanide-laced Halloween candy to collect insurance benefits.

A former resident of Deer Park, a Houston suburb, and an optical company employee, O'Bryan has been on Death Row for almost six years.

On that Halloween night in 1974, O'Bryan allegedly gave the deadly candy to his son and daughter and three other children.

Tim was the only one of the five children to eat the candy. He became sick immediately and was rushed to a hospital.

He died one hour later.

In a recent appearance before State Judge Frank Price, O'Bryan was formally sentenced to die by lethal injection on Aug. 8.

During the hearing, O'Bryan said to the judge, "As Jesus said to Judas, What thou do, do quickly."

O'Bryan said he in no way meant that he wanted to die soon, only that the sentencing be done quickly so he could appeal "to a higher court."

"And, that higher court simply meant a higher legal court, not to God as some writers thought I meant. I hope and pray the higher courts of this nation will see that I have been done an injustice."

"There has been so much publicity on my case, I believe it has influenced the courts. The courts just won't get down and look at my case."

O'Bryan insisted, as he has for years, "I had nothing to do with the death of my son. The police wanted to convict somebody and I was convicted. Now, everybody says leave it alone, we have our scapegoat. We have someone to blame."

"But if one judge, just one, would take the time to read the transcripts, he would understand there is not testimony based on facts. It is all circumstantial."

When you have only circumstantial evidence, O'Bryan said, each link

"must be put together before you can make a noose. That noose, in my case, is non-existent. Even the key witness for the state couldn't identify me. I can prove I was never in some places where witnesses said I was. If some judge would just take the time, he would know I need a new trial."

O'Bryan was chairman of the parent-teacher organization in his neighborhood. He was active in the Baptist church, one of the those who handled a bus ministry project. He was a volunteer for youth programs at the

church and was a teacher for a Baptist training class.

O'Bryan said, "I don't like being on Death Row because I don't deserve to be here. You know we had a big chinaberry tree in our yard and Tim and I and some other kids in the neighborhood would get together and

have chinaberry fights, like I did as a kid.

"I never drank, never smoked, never took any drugs and never went anywhere I couldn't take my son and my daughter. The honky-tonk life wasn't for me."

"I am a Christian."

Public prefers balanced budget over tax cuts

DETROIT (AP) — Republican and Democratic politicians are scrambling to lead the tax-cut crusade this election year, assuming that inflation-weary voters want nothing more than a slash in their federal tax bill.

The politicians are wrong.

An Associated Press-NBC News poll says the majority of Americans do not look favorably on a tax cut and do not buy the arguments for one that are being pushed by Ronald Reagan and Republican congressional leaders.

The polls shows that the public believes balancing the budget is more important than reducing taxes. There is a wide perception that a tax cut could worsen the nation's inflation problem.

They don't see a tax cut helping their personal financial situation. If there was a cut, most Americans say they would use it to pay day-to-day expenses or pay outstanding bills.

Reagan has made cutting federal government and cutting federal taxes a centerpiece of his challenge to President

Carter. In June, congressional Republicans began intensive efforts to enact a 10 percent tax cut effective Jan. 1, 1981, as the first step in what they envision as a multi-year tax cutting program.

In response, Carter and congressional Democrats have promised a 1981 tax cut of their own concoction.

But the public isn't entirely enthusiastic about these efforts.

Asked whether Reagan's proposal shows that he understands the needs of the American people, or whether it was an election-year political gimmick, 19 percent of those interviewed said

Reagan understands the needs of the people; 71 percent cited election year politics. The remainder of the 1,949 adults interviewed by telephone nationwide were not sure.

Inflation remains the nation's top economic problem in the minds of most Americans. That concern is nowhere more clear than in the reaction to a possible tax cut.

Asked whether a tax cut would help their personal financial situation or would hurt it because such a slash might worsen inflation, Americans said a tax cut might hurt.

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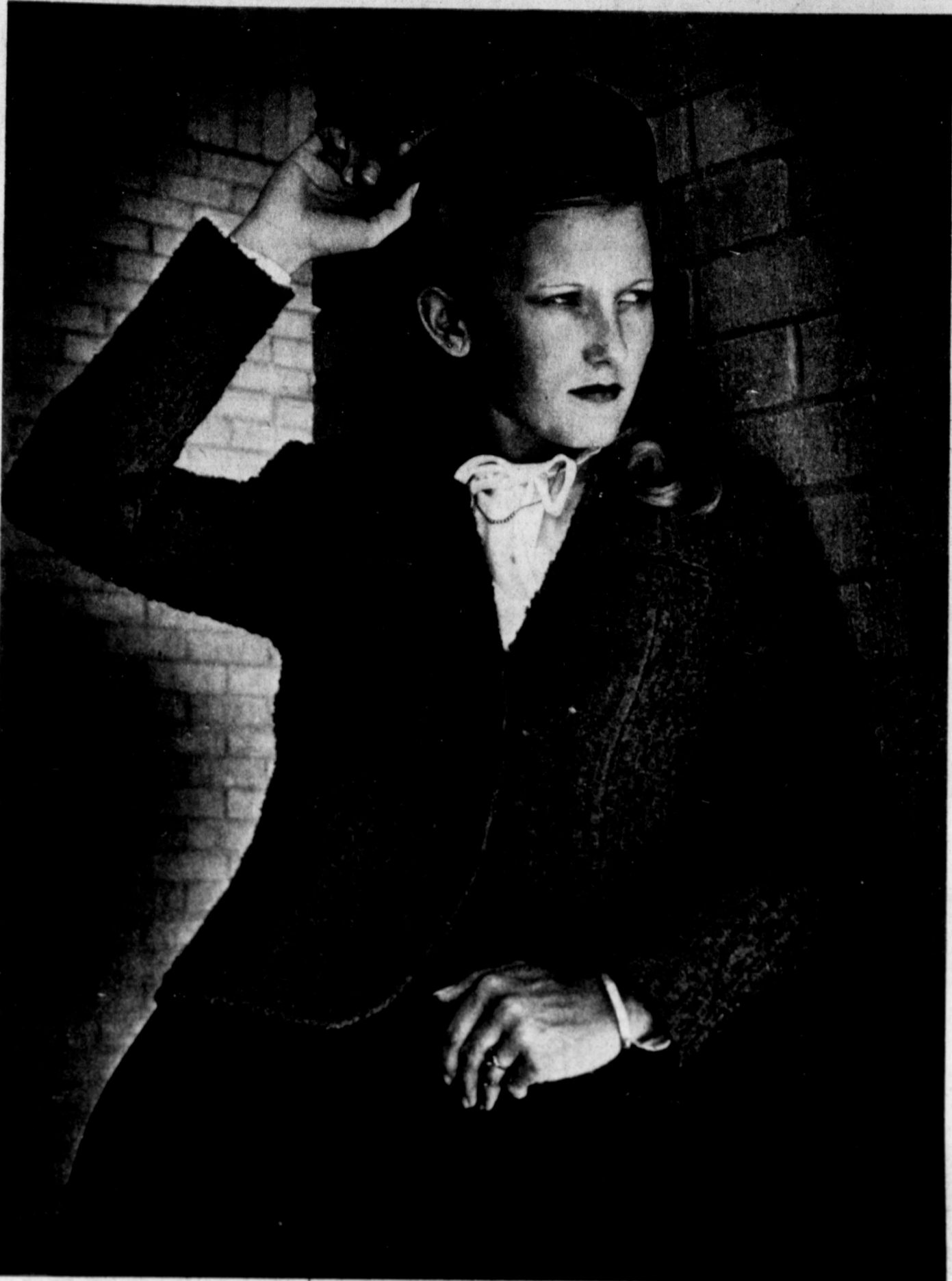
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Georgie Cravens, 16, a junior at Lee High School and member of the Sears Teen Fashion Advisory Board, typifies the look of a Midland girl. Popular for fall is this boucle blazer and tam, a sporty but

sophisticated look. It's a classic from the fifties. She also wears a full pleated skirt. Georgie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Dee Cravens.

Photos by Brian Hendershot

The look of a Midland girl

By WANDA MOUTON
Lifestyle Editor

If you're searching the fashion stores to find the right "look" for fall, then stop looking. There isn't one.

"There isn't a definite statement—what we call silhouette—for fall," said Billie Patterson, who coordinates Sears fashion activities for the Dallas zone. She was in Midland this week to oversee the arrival of fashions in time for the store's grand opening at Midland Park Mall July 30.

"You will see the same fall fashions in the Midland stores that you would see in Dallas or any other metropolitan area," she said. "I've found that Midland is very fashion-conscious."

But she says that, while some Paris, New York and California designers carry their showings to the extreme in fall, their look for the new season is classic.

"Before, it took retailers a year to stock the fashions that were modeled at the designer shows. Then it took another year for the customer to accept them. That's not so anymore. We are stocking the fashions that were available at the spring showing," she said.

She explained that the basic wardrobe, especially for the teenager and college girl, is a blazer, several pairs of jeans, some Oxford cloth blouses with the button-down collar, a pair of loafer-type low-heel shoes, a pleated skirt and a dressy outfit. The career woman will add more skirts, jackets and shirtwaisted dresses.

"Sweaters will play a big part for fall," she predicted. "The cowl neck and turtleneck are returning in popularity. The V-neck sweater, especially worn over the Oxford cloth blouse, is especially pretty."

She said that the velour sweater will still be with us, but not as strong. "It's in its third year of popularity and its appeal is not as big," she said.

Probably the word for fall, if there is one, is "preppie." Especially for the teen, college student and the young career girl.

"The preppie look up North is a severe military look, but we will wear a more modified look here in the Southwest," said Ms. Patterson.

The preppie look will continue with straight skirts, full skirts that are plaid or pleated, Oxford shoes, pleated skirts (with no slits), and soft "romantic" blouses with small ribbon ties and in soft colors.

Natural fibers will be popular, with a lot of cottons and wools.

"The general feeling I get is that the college girl and career girl will have a neat look," she said.

This includes hairdos cut close to the head, or held back with combs, ribbons and narrow headbands, or even braided.

She also predicts that popular colors in fashions will be black, jade green, burgundy and beige.

"About the only thing that has changed dramatically is dress length. The hemline has come up to the point that it is just below the knee."

Ms. Patterson said that makeup colors will be brighter, as will lipstick and nail polish. "Wine colors are still popular, but more pinks and reds have been added to the fall lineup," she said.

In other accessories, purses will return to the shoulder straps bag, in canvas cloth and leather, though the clutch purse should still be around, said Ms. Patterson.

"The three accessories that make any garment look richer, more finished are a pair of good gold earrings, a gold bracelet and a gold necklace," she said.

"For the teenager and college girl, a loafer or low-heeled walking shoe will be perfect. Patterned and textured hose will play a big part in fall fashion. The working woman should invest in a good pump.

"Yet, the high heel is still big for evening wear.

In other evening wear, a lot more will be seen of the short formal, or what in earlier days was called the cocktail dress.

Ms. Patterson said that active sportswear is an area that is growing bigger, and sales of jogging suits, tennis outfits, sweat pants and other sports wear is increasing rapidly. A return to the fashion scene is the sweatshirt, worn in bright, bold colors.

"The overall look for the Midland girl will be basic, neat and attractive—but comfortable and stylish," she said.

Janet Landenberger, senior at Lee High School, steps out in a classic suit for fall. It's of a burgundy color and woven material. Janet is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Landenberger. Audrey Barber, center, also a Lee High senior, wears a sweater dress, a big item for fall. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Barber, Audrey will participate in the Miss United Teenager Pageant in Dallas Aug. 1-3. Probably the biggest feature for fall, especially for returning school students, is the "preppie" look modeled by Carol Kilborn, right, a junior at Lee High. She sports khaki pants, Oxford cloth button-down blouse and low-heel shoes. Carol is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kilborn. The girls are all members of the Sears Teen Fashion Advisory Board.



around town

...A unique opportunity to find out about another culture and make international friends awaits Bob and Beverly Wise, who will be hosting Iris Maucher from West Germany. During Iris's stay with the Wise family, she will attend Midland High School and become familiar with day-to-day life in Texas.

Students who participate in the Youth for Understanding International Student Exchange program are required to have conversational ability in English, and are responsible for their own personal expenses, spending money and insurance. Host families provide room and board, and the same care and guidance they would give to their own children. The exchange student is treated as any member of the family.

Youth for Understanding is a non-profit teenage student exchange program. Over 60,000 young people from 50 countries have participated in it since it began in 1951 as an effort to improve understanding between different countries. For further information, contact Lois Perna, 3563 Colgate, Irving, Texas, 75062...

...JANINE GREEN of Midland recently attended a five-day conference for singles at Montreat Conference Center near Black Mountain and Asheville, N.C.

Theme of the event was "Tasting Sweet Solitude Again." The conference center is a Presbyterian facility...

...WINNERS OF THE July 4th sidewalk parade sponsored by the Col. Theunis Day Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, have been announced.

They are: Pre-School, Natalie and Alan Hall, first; Diane and Glenn Willing, second; and Eric Browning, third. Sarah Bland, Tom Warmbrodt, Susan Herd and Arianna Reaves won honorable mention.

Grades 1-3, Harper Essex, first; Flash Gordon, second; and Joe Warmbrodt, third. Kristen Schreiner and Jenny Hobbs won honorable mention.

Grades 4-6, Kelly and Jamie Dodson, first; and Connie Culpepper, second.

The program following the sidewalk parade had two special features. Ruth Newton, a retired school teacher here, recited the poem "God Bless America" by Helen Steiner Rice.

Also, Laura Wettstein, recently named Miss Hospitality in the National Teenager contest, led the parade and spoke on "What's Right About America?" This will be her speaking topic for the contest when she competes in the National Miss Hospitality Contest in Orlando, Fla., this August.

Boy Scout Troop 152, sponsored by the First United Methodist Church, and under the leadership of Bill Slattery, presented the flag ceremony. Parade banner was carried by Amy Furgeson and Angela Floyd, and the American flag was carried by Brandi Linne...

...PERMIAN BASIN CENTER FOR BATTERED WOMEN has almost completed its move to its new location, but still needs some furniture.

The center needs lamps, occasional tables, coffee tables, filing cabinets, desks, dishes and pots and pans. Any other items, such as toilet paper, towels, wash clothes and clothing of all sizes are always appreciated.

If you have items you would like to give, call the center's hotline, 683-1300.

Engagements



Teri Dawn Harris



Karen Denise Loper



Tammie Drew Oden



Karen Marjean Martin



Connie Beth Garwin

HARRIS-BROWN

Howard Harris of Merced, Calif., and Mrs. Robert Reiebert of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter, Teri Dawn Harris to Randy Stephen Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Brown, all of Midland.

The couple will be married at 6:30 p.m. Aug. 30 at the First Baptist Church.

The bride-elect is employed by the House of Jeans and her fiancé is employed by Wayne's Hair Designs.

LOPER-PERKINS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne E. Loper, Rt. 4 Box AA57-L, announce the engagement of their daughter, Karen Denise Loper to Larry Lee Perkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex R. Perkins Jr., all of Midland.

The couple will exchange wedding vows at 7:30 p.m. Aug. 16 at Alamo Heights Baptist Church.

The bride-elect is a 1977 graduate of Midland High School, a 1980 graduate of Midland College and will attend Texas Tech University in the fall. She is employed by Moran Exploration, Inc.

Her fiancé is a 1977 graduate of Midland High School, a 1980 graduate of Midland College and will also attend Texas Tech University in the fall. He is employed by Threshold Development Co.

ODEN-BARNHILL

FLOMATON, Ala. — Mr. and Mrs. Perry L. Oden of Flomaton announce the engagement of their daughter, Tammie Drew Oden to Samuel Earl Barnhill of Snyder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy E. Barnhill of Stanton.

The couple will exchange wedding vows at 2 p.m. Aug. 9 at the Flomaton First United Methodist Church.

The bride-elect is a 1979 graduate of Flomaton High School, attended Jefferson Davis Junior College and will attend Western College in Snyder. She is employed as a pianist and secretary by the Flomaton First United Methodist Church.

Her fiancé is a 1980 graduate of DeVry Institute of Technology and is employed by the Welox Co. in Snyder.

GARWIN-HOLLOWAY

Charlie Garwin of Starr, S.C., and Lois Brookshire of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter, Connie Beth Garwin of Midland to Clifford Alan Holloway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Finis Holloway, all of Melrose, N.M.

The couple will be married at 5 p.m. Aug. 23 at South Memorial Church.

Self-help clothing aids handicaps

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — "Dressing is such a common thing. It's so routine, we don't stop to think about it. But if you have a handicap, even a simple act of dressing can be a problem."

So says Eleanor Boettke Hotte, professor emerita of the School of Home Economics and Family Studies at the University of Connecticut and author of the booklet, "Self-Help Clothing."

The booklet, written for parents of children with physical handicaps, is published by the National Easter Seal Society. It contains suggestions on how to teach children to dress themselves; how to adapt ready-to-wear clothing to fit the different needs of handicapped youngsters, and what fabrics to look for and how to care for them.

Transplanting cells may help in treating diabetes

WASHINGTON (AP) — New research raises the possibility of transplanting insulin-producing cells from animals to man as a radical new approach to treating diabetes, scientists say.

The first successful transplants of insulin-making cells between different animal species — rats to mice — was announced Tuesday.

Scientists at Washington University Medical School in St. Louis said the transfer of hormone-secreting cell clusters called islets was accomplished with remarkably little rejection of donor cells by the recipients.

Ten diabetic mice received transplanted cells which continued to function in their bodies. In

seven of the 10, the cells produced insulin and maintained normal blood-sugar levels for at least 116 days, the researchers said.

And several of these reached 200 days, half their normal lifespan, with no apparent problems, one said in an interview.

However, the scientists stressed, even preliminary application of these techniques to treating human diabetes is at least three to five years away.

In a report to be published next week in Science magazine, the researchers say rejection problems were overcome by culturing the donor cells extracted from rat pancreases at room tem-

perature for a week.

Also, before the rat islet cells were transplanted, the recipients got a single injection of a chemical that temporarily suppressed their bodies' immune systems, which normally attack foreign tissue.

Keynote: A. Nini, p. accountant; Hoover, as

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'Women in Business' seminar slated this week

Two keynote speakers will join 27 panelists representing women in various business and professional areas to present a special conference on women in business, sponsored by the Faculty of Accountancy and Information Systems at The University of Texas of the Permian Basin Friday and Saturday.

In addition to workshops on resume preparation and interviewing, sessions will feature panel discussions on the role of women in accounting, banking, business, education, law, marketing, oil and gas, not-for-profit organizations, personnel management and stock brokerage.

Keynote speakers are Dr. Eugene A. Nini, professor and chairman of accountancy and information systems at UTPB, and Dr. Duane Hoover, associate professor of man-

agement and organizational development at Texas Tech University.

They will discuss the leadership capabilities of women and guidelines for the working woman.

Other panelists include Carol Reinert, CPA, Main Hurdman and Cranstoun Certified Public Accountants, Midland; Pat Cihonski, Arthur Young and Co. Certified Public Accountants, Midland; and Doris Madden, self-employed CPA, Odessa.

In law, Judge Barbara Culver, 318th District Court, Midland; Gloria Svanas, Svanas and Svanas Attorneys at Law, Odessa; and Jan Fisher, assistant county attorney, Ector County, Odessa.

In not-for-profit organizations, Dr. Joyce Neville, DBA, Mercy Medical Center, Denver, Colo.; Dr. Grace Renee Ferguson, MD, Texas Depart-

ment of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, Big Spring State Hospital, Big Spring; and Janet Cate, Internal Revenue Service, Odessa.

In banking, Eunice Pflog, Republic National Bank, Dallas; Georgia Reeves, Midland National Bank, Midland; and Narita Holmes, State National Bank, Odessa.

In oil and gas, Mary Williamson, CPA, Perry Gas Companies Inc., Odessa; Diane Smith, Peat Marwick Michell and Co. Certified Public Accountants, Midland; and Jani Roddy, Gulf Oil Corp., Midland.

In personnel management, Jan Stockstill, Baytown Refinery, Exxon Corp., Houston; Delores Scoggins, First National Bank, Midland; and Helen Blackstock, El Paso Products Co., Odessa.

In stock brokerage, Mary Jo

McKellar, Shearson Loeb Rhoades Inc., Houston; Deanna Mutter, Shearson Loeb Rhoades Inc., Midland; and Paula Martel, Shearson Loeb Rhoades Inc., Odessa.

In education, Dr. Doris Drury, University of Denver, Denver, Colo.; Dr. Lee Buice, Odessa College; and Elizabeth McCrone, Permian High School, Odessa.

In marketing, Carol Levy, State National Bank, Odessa; Jan Wooten, Deilco Industrial, Midland; and Dana Harrington, Womack Claypoole Griffin Inc., Odessa.

Cost of the workshop is \$100 per participant, which includes all conference sessions, a catered lunch each day and refreshments throughout the conference. Persons desiring registration or further information may contact Felts at 367-2182.

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He was ambitious, smart as they come, and worked like a horse. I did all the things a good wife should do, including raising three nice kids practically single-handedly while my husband was all over the map on business most of the time.

To make a long story short, we sort of drifted apart. Twenty years later he was a multimillionaire, and we were living in different worlds. That's when he asked for a divorce. He said there wasn't anybody else—he just wasn't "happy."

Well, I wasn't going to hang onto a man who didn't want me, so I didn't fight it. My lawyer got a much better settlement than I asked for or

expected, so I am well provided for financially. I've been alone for four years. He is now married to a younger, stylish woman who is very pretty and active socially. I frequently see her picture (usually with him) in the society section of the newspaper. Abby, every time I see a picture of that woman with my ex-husband, I get so upset I have to go to bed for a week!

I would cancel my subscription to the paper, but I love your column. What should I do?—JEALOUS

DEAR JEALOUS: Don't cancel your subscription. Just quit reading the society section.

DEAR ABBY: What is your opinion of a neighbor who brings her dog next door to do his business on MY lawn—and on a leash yet!

That dog's urine has burned white spots all over my lawn. HER lawn is lush, green and perfect.

I would give her a piece of my mind, but I don't have the nerve.—FUMING

DEAR FUMING: I think your neighbor has a lot of nerve and YOU don't have enough.

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 21-year-old unmarried woman. Whenever I travel on a bus or plane, I enjoy conversing with the person sitting next to

me. It's easy to strike up a conversation. I just introduce myself, then I'm asked where I'm going, and what for, etc.

Well, Abby, I've got this terrible habit of making up the most fantastic stories. I never let me start talking to a stranger on a bus, and I start to spin the most outrageous yarns. I even amaze myself.

I suppose it's just a matter of time before I meet one of these fellow travelers again and get tripped up in my lies.

I keep promising myself I'll quit making up stories, but the first chance I get, I do it again. What's wrong with me?—STORY-TELLER

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The recalled sprayers have been sold under brand names, including Smith, Servistar Parco, State Chemical and Metra Chem, with various model numbers.

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SORGE-REESE

Donna Fern Sorge of Midland and Charles Henry Reese of Grand Prairie, exchanged wedding vows at 5 p.m. Saturday at the home of the bride's parents with Justice of the Peace John Biggs officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Sorge, 3529 Seaboard. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Reese of Grand Prairie.

Honor attendants were Les Jackson of Irving and Penny Davis of Lufkin.

The couple will reside in Irving.

PERSAD-GARCIA

Ann-Marie Persad and Girard Garcia, both of Midland, exchanged wedding vows at 2 p.m. Saturday at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church with the Rev. Charles Hassenauer officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Dourga Persad, 1001 N. Main. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Margarito Garcia, 1907 E. Pecan.

Joann Rodriguez, sister of the bridegroom of Breckenridge, was matron of honor. Sharon Persad, sister of the bride of Midland, was maid of honor. Anna Maria Garcia, niece of the bridegroom of Midland, was flower girl.

Oscar Rodriguez, brother-in-law of the bridegroom of Breckenridge, was best man. Richard Perales of Midland was the maid of honor's escort. Eddie Valles of Midland was ring bearer. Ushers were Gabriel Garcia, cousin of the bridegroom of Marathon and Ralph Diaz of Midland.

Bridesmaids were Anita Garcia, Maria Persad, Yvonne Garcia, Shama Persad, Bertha Garcia, Gloria Garcia, Barbara Garcia, Carolina Gomez, Thofia Galindo, Ava Galindo, Grace Fierro, Esperanza Gutierrez, Debbie

Cruz, Rosa Valles, Angie Diaz, Clara Acosta, Anabel Acosta, Josie Acosta, Esther Acosta, Diana Sanchez, Rosa Marquez, Lupe Vidal, Lisa Vidal, Oralia Equibel, Julia McKinnis, Alicia Rivera and Ann Terrazas.

Groomsmen were Fred Garcia, Suresh Persad, Narie Persad, Kamal Persad, Carl Persad, Eliseo Garcia, Manuel Garcia, Arturo Garcia, Daniel Gomez, Reyes Galindo, Raul Galindo, George Acosta, Herbert Badal, Junior Fierro, Hilario Gutierrez, Carlos Cruz, Frank Valles, Martin Diaz and Larry Terrazas.

The couple will reside in Midland.

LONGMONT, Colo. — Sheila Maxine Sielsky of Longmont and Peter James Bird of Boulder, Colo., exchanged wedding vows at 2 p.m. July 4 at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints here with Bishop

Wall officiating. The bride is the daughter of Betty Eggleston of Longmont. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ramond Bird of Midland.

Honor attendants were Terri Sommerville of Longmont and Tom Schwisow of Denver, Colo. Ushers were Troy L. Sielsky, brother of the bride, S. E. Wilbur and Randy Wertz, all of Longmont.

The bride is a 1977 graduate of Niwot High School and is employed by James Wilbur, attorney-at-law, in Longmont. The bridegroom is a 1975 graduate of Robert E. Lee High School and is employed by AMF Head Ski in Boulder.

SIELSKY-BIRD

BIG SPRING — Monica Marie Lewis and James Rodney Murray, both of Midland, exchanged wedding vows at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at the Crestview Baptist Church here with the Rev. P. J. Tyler officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleon Brown, 4303 Parkdale. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mayo, 3502 Roosevelt.

Cheryl McCall, sister of the bridegroom of Midland was matron of honor. Bridesmaid was Brenda Brown, sister of the bride of Midland.

W. E. Mayo served as his son's best man. Groomsmen were Walter McCall, brother-in-law of the bridegroom of Midland. Ushers were Lynn Monroe, Koby Reeves, Daryl Selby and Thomas Lewis, uncle of the bride, all of Midland.

After a wedding trip to Lubbock, the couple will reside in Midland.

LEWIS-MURRAY

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ter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lewis, 810 Canyon. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David E. Murray, 4402

ter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleon Brown, 4303 Parkdale. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mayo, 3502 Roosevelt.

Cheryl McCall, sister of the bridegroom of Midland was matron of honor. Bridesmaid was Brenda Brown, sister of the bride of Midland.

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Weddings



Mrs. David Ralph LeBlanc



Mrs. Robert L. Pringle

COSTELLO- LeBLANC

NEW ORLEANS, La. — Barbara Ann Costello and David Ralph LeBlanc were married at the Our Lady Church here. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vincent Costello of Midland, and formerly of New Orleans. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence LeBlanc of Marrero, La. The bride is a graduate

of Louisiana State University Medical Center and is employed as an occupational therapist with the Jefferson Parish, Public School System. The bridegroom is a graduate of The University of New Orleans and of the Xavier College of Pharmacy. He is employed by Ochsner Foundation Hospital. Following a wedding trip to San Francisco and Lake Tahoe, the couple will reside in New Orleans.

McMAHAN- PRINGLE

BIG SPRING — Cynthia Ann McMahan of Coahoma and Robert L. Pringle of Midland were united in marriage at 8 p.m. Friday at the Midway Baptist Church in Big Spring. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McMahan of Coahoma and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Pringle of Lamesa. The Rev. Buster Gregg officiated. Attendants were Jerry Don Tredaway of Midland as best man and Michelle Speciale of San Angelo as maid of honor.

Bridesmaids were Fairey McMahan of Coahoma and Jackie Swinney of Odessa. Letitia McMahan of Big Spring was flower girl and Todd Tredaway of Midland was ring bearer. Seating the guests were Paul Gibbs of Coahoma and Marion Tredaway of Big Spring. Groomsmen were Ruben Pringle of Holiday and Richard Winkler of Big Spring. Candlelighters were Rena Pringle and Joey McMahan. Following a wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Midland at the Fairmont Apts.

Visits to the dentist

BETHESDA, Md. — Shortening the time of specific dental procedures within a dental appointment may help reduce anxiety-related behavior in preschool children, according to the National Institute of Dental Research.

"Dental fear, which often originates in childhood, can result in avoidance of needed dental care throughout life or in disruptive behavior in the dentist's office," the report published in the "N.I.D.R. Research News" states.

Analyses of study involving 60 children ages 3-5 years of age showed that the length of a given procedural phase was significantly related to an index of fear-related behavior. Longer treatment phases were associated with more squirming, exclamation of pain, protest, whimpering or screaming.

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AT WIT'S END

Displaced homemakers

By ERMA BOMBECK

The current name for them is displaced homemakers. They're at that awkward time of their lives. Too old for camp. Too young for Social Security. Too overqualified for yellow wax build-up. Too tired for an affair. They decide to re-enter the job market. They're terrified, insecure, intimidated, apprehensive, desperate, confused, put-down and frustrated. They're sensitive about being the last parenthesis of the age brackets (35 or over) on the application form. There is one thing they are definitely not... and that's alone. Every week, letters come over the desk asking me to find some humor in their situation. It's not easy. Can a woman who gets leg cramps from wedgies find happiness with a young girl whose life revolves around a yogurt pyramid club?

Mostly, displaced homemakers are amazed at what they see when they emerge from their domestic time capsule. One woman from Maumee, Ohio, summed it up better than anyone else.

"I was interviewed by a child," she said. "I knew that child and all the others like her. Didn't I hold them in my arms, nurse them, powder their behinds? Didn't I feed them and hang crepe paper for their birthday parties? I went to their class plays and clapped the loudest. I went to their science fairs and walked for hours while they explained their projects to me about how bread mold can cure cancer."

"I went to their noisy concerts, their plays and listened to their voices crack between youth and adulthood."

"I balanced their

meals and balanced our budget. I learned how to sew and cut hair. I enrolled them in school and gave them words in English while they responded in Spanish.

"Now my professional life hangs in their balance and they are asking me if I'm qualified for anything."

"I have been told in the same day I am too quiet and too aggressive. One said my eyebrows showed 'negativism.' (I developed those when I was 'into diapers.') One asked if I could drive under pressure. (Get serious!) Another said if I could get a No. 2 license I could drive an airport shuttle or if I were a size 9 I could rent cars."

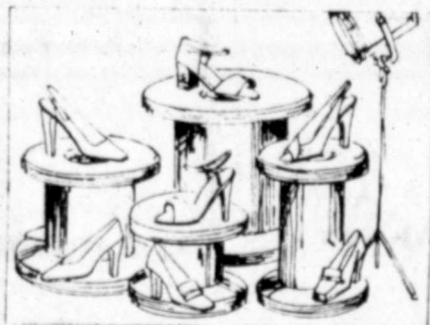
"The girl in front of me had hipbones and mouth

like Emmett Kelly. She was young and got the job."

Do not despair, ladies. Try to remember Helen who wrote in one of the letters, "When I was given an application blank and I came to a small spot marked, 'Experience,' I said to the personnel manager, 'Pardon me, sir, I've been a wife and mother for 15 years. I'll need two extra sheets of paper to list my background and skills.'" She got the job.

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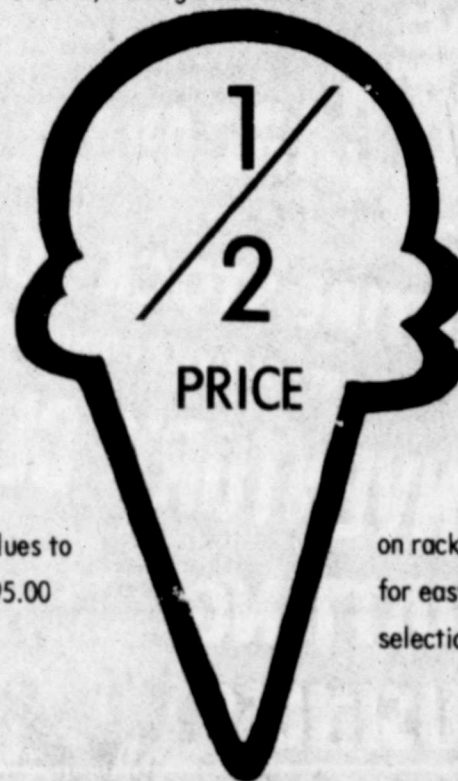
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HAYLES-JACOBSEN

Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Hayles, 3308 W. Shandon, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Josephine, to Harry Rudolph Jacobsen of Sidney, Montana, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jacobsen of McCamey.

The couple will marry Oct. 11 at 7 p.m. in the Chapel of the First United Methodist Church. The bride-elect is a graduate of Lee High School. She is employed as a secretary at Lone Star Abstract & Title Co. Inc.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Sam Houston State University in Huntsville and is employed as a landman with Shell Oil Co.

MINTON-HOLLUMS

Mr. and Mrs. Haden K. Minton, 3213 W. Michigan, announce the engagement of their daughter, Julie Renee Minton, to Jerry Don Hollums, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Hollums, all of Midland.

The couple will be married at 1 p.m. Sept. 6 at Crestview Baptist Church.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Midland High School and is employed by Wilbrook Exploration Inc. Her fiancé is also a graduate of Midland High School and is stationed in Corpus Christi with the U.S. Navy.

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HASLEY-MORRISSEY

STEPHENVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hasley of Stephenville and formerly of Midland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kim Suzanne Hasley of Stephenville to Allan Stuart Morrissey of Arlington.

The couple will be married Sept. 13 at the First Baptist Church in Stephenville.

The bride-elect attends The University of Texas at Arlington where she is majoring in music education. She attended Tarleton State University where she was a majorette of the Texan Band and attended Robert E. Lee High School. She is staff assistant for Castleberry High School Band in Fort Worth.

Morrissey is a graduate of The University of Texas at Arlington with a degree in music performance, attended Texas Tech University, North Texas State University and is a graduate of Lamar High School. He is a free lance musician and was a member of the Stan Kenton Orchestra and the Creative World Publishing editing staff.

DENNY-HEATH

LUSK, Wyo. — Mr. and Mrs. William E. Denny of Rancho Palos Verdes, Calif., announce the engagement of their daughter, Andrea Jo Denny of Rancho Palos Verdes to Dennis W. Heath, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn E. Heath, all of Bartlesville, Okla.

The couple will exchange wedding vows Aug. 16 at Lusk.

Heath is a graduate of Robert E. Lee High School and is attending the University of Wyoming in Laramie, Wyo.

LOWERY-GREEN

LUBBOCK — Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lowery of Lubbock, formerly of Midland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lisa Jean, to Jeffrey Scott Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Green of Duncanville.

The couple plans a Dec. 20 wedding in Park Cities Baptist Church in Dallas.

The bride-elect was graduated from Lee High School in Midland, attended Southwest Texas State University and was graduated from North Texas State University.

The future bridegroom was graduated from Duncanville High School and The University of Texas at Arlington.

Ducks in trees

ALLENTOWN, Pa. (AP) — Ducks apparently don't let their webbed feet prevent them from taking to trees.

A clutch of Mallard duck eggs was spotted in a hole in a tree a few feet above ground along Jordan Creek here recently.

FLEMING-KANE

Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Fleming of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter, Paula, to Hogan Daniel Kane of Baytown, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Donald Kane of Wenona, Ill.

The couple will exchange vows Saturday in the First United Methodist Church.

Miss Fleming received a bachelor of science degree in health and education from Texas Tech University in 1979. She is employed in Baytown as a junior high school science teacher.

Kane is a 1978 graduate of the University of Illinois, with a B.S. in mechanical engineering. He is employed as a job refining engineer with Exxon in Baytown, where the couple plans to reside at 401 Azalea St.

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Weddings



Mrs. Jimmy Lee Smith



Mrs. John Sturges Bozell

CARTER-SMITH

Cheryl Lynn Carter, 1710 E. California, and Jimmy Lee Smith, 4000 W. Illinois, exchanged wedding vows at 7 p.m. Saturday at the Alexander Temple Church of God in Christ.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Carter, 1710 E. California. Bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ross Smith, 1214 Chestnut.

The Rev. C. S. Johnson officiated the ceremony.

Attendants were Wendell Smith of Midland, the bridegroom's brother, as best man, and Reta Mason of Midland as maid of honor.

Bridesmaids were Carla Graves of Midland, Gayla Carter of Midland,

Delores McAfee of Dallas, Pat Woods of Austin, Faye Haynes of Midland and Brenda Smith of Texas City.

Junior bridesmaid was Dasia Lee of Midland.

Flower girl was Stephani Woods of Austin and ring bearer was Donald Carter of Midland.

Ushers were Benny Earl Graves of Midland and James Hearne of Midland.

Groomsmen were Lonell Smith of Texas City and Alvin Carter Jr., Fred Carter, Joe Carter, Wayne Bess and Estor Montgomery, all of Midland. Junior groomsman was Ronald Carter of Midland.

Following a wedding trip to Las Vegas, Nev., and San Diego, Calif., the couple will reside at Valencia Villas in Midland.

PALAFIX-BOZZELL

EL PASO — Andrea Dannette Palafox and John Sturges Bozell, both of El Paso, exchanged wedding vows at 7:30 p.m. June 21 at St. Patrick's Cathedral here with the Rev. Ken Flynn officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Palafox of El Paso. The bridegroom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. James Bozell of Midland.

Norma Virginia Palafox served as her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Lorenia Calderon, Diana Zepeda, Julie Palafox and Cynthia Saucedo. Liseli Arias Calderon was flower girl.

Tom Bozell, brother of the bridegroom of Midland, was best man. Groomsmen were Jim Bozell, Mike Bozell, Mark Bozell and Lee Collins.

The bride is a graduate of The University of Texas at El Paso. She is employed by the El Paso Independent

School District.

Bozell is also a graduate of The University of Texas at El Paso. He is employed by Harding-Orr and McDaniel.

GILLIAM-BATCHELOR

JUNCTION — Nancy Jill Gilliam of Junction and Richard Bryant Batchelor of Baytown were married at 4 p.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church here with the Rev. Sam Coffey officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Gilliam of Junction. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Batchelor of Midland.

Debra Speer of Fort Worth was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Debby Gilliam, sister-in-law of the bride of Lubbock, Phyllis Gilliam, sister-in-law of the bride of Crosby and Kathleen Grimes of Clyde.

Best man was David Roberson of Oklahoma City, Okla. Ushers were Gary Gilliam, brother of the bride of Lubbock,

Tim Gilliam, brother of the bride of Crosby, Roger Batchelor, brother of the bridegroom of Merkel and Randy Julian of Woodlands. Kevin Johnson of Lake Jack-

son, Larry Ledet of Houston and David Gill of Franklin, Ohio, were groomsmen.

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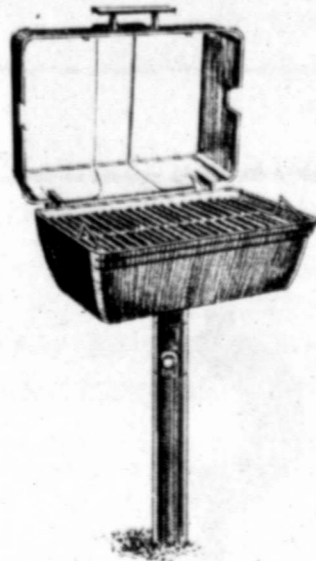
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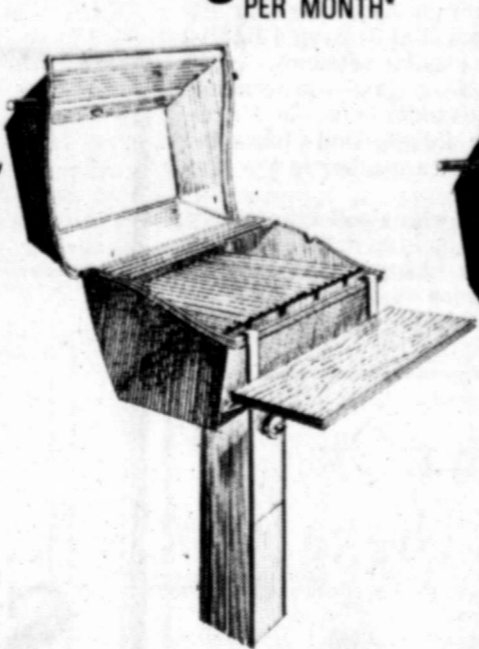
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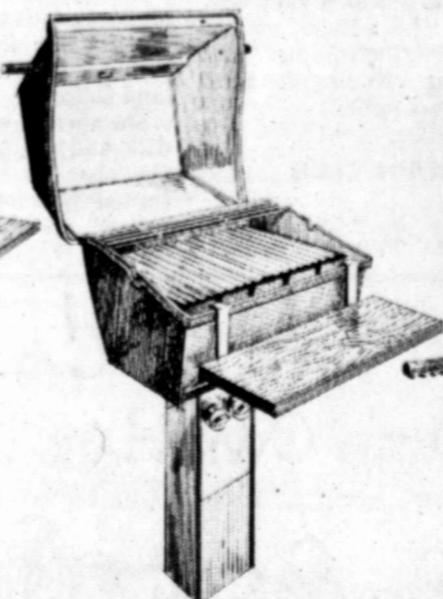
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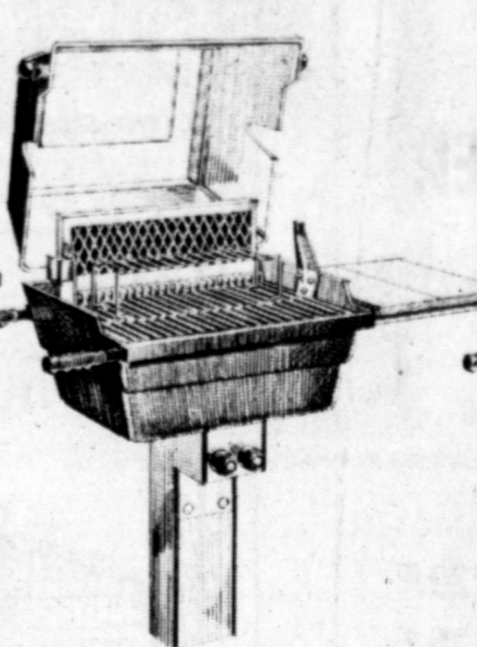
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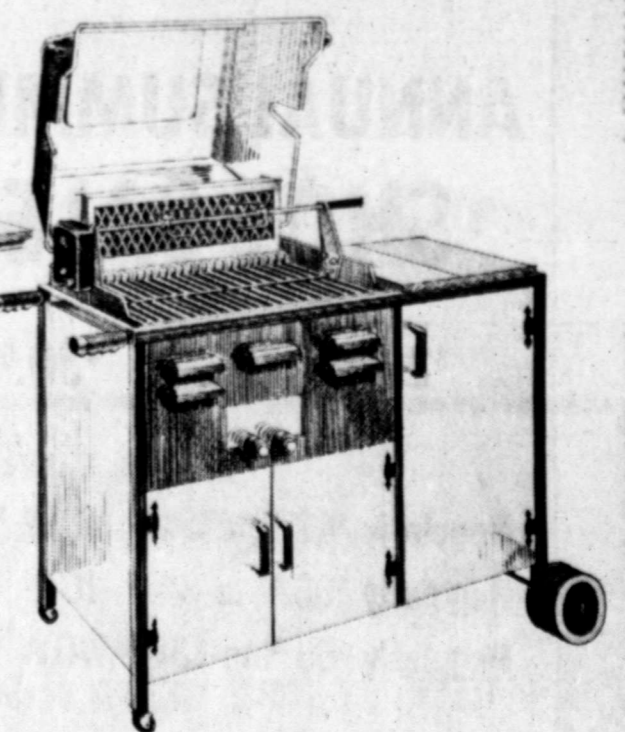
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Weddings

JOHNSON-WOLFENBERGER

Kaynell Johnson and H. Calvin Wolfenberger, both of Midland, were married at 4 p.m. Saturday at St. Paul's United Methodist Church with the Rev. Robert Ford officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Johnson of Midland. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard R.

Taylor of Midland. Lyrisa Lisso of Midland was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Jeri Lin Reini of Austin and Pam Leek of Lubbock. Kathy West of Midland was bridesmatron and Patti Johnson, sister of the bride of Midland, was flower girl.

Klaus Wolfenberger, brother of the bridegroom of San Francisco, Calif., was best man. Groomsmen and ushers were James Hamilton and Walt Johnson, broth-

er of the bride, both of Midland and Don Parker of Lubbock.

After a wedding trip to Corpus Christi, the couple will reside in Midland.



Mrs. H. Calvin Wolfenberger



Mrs. Gregory Lester Day

Bridesmaids were Renee Goodgame and Cindy Cooper, sister of the bride, both of Midland, and Sally McCubbin, sister of the bridegroom of Woodward.

George L. Day was his son's best man. Ushers were Steve Wilson and George Hamblin, both of Midland. Larry Hutchinson, cousin of the bridegroom of Austin, Gary Leascher and Bill Chalfant, both of Midland, were groomsmen.

Following a wedding trip to Pagosas Springs, Colo., the couple will live in Midland.

KING-HARTSFIELD

Yolane Hodge King of Midland and J. Timothy Hartsfield of Victoria exchanged wedding vows at 5:30 p.m. Saturday at Memorial Christian Church with the Rev. J. Allen Lowe officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Frances O. Hodge of Slaton. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hartsfield of Beeville.

Kay Nell Hodge of Slaton, sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor. Maid of honor was Tammi Hartsfield, sister of the bridegroom of Beeville.

Best men were Gary Messer of Corpus Christi and Robert Hayhurst of Midland.

Ushers were Dianne and Melissa King, daughters of the bride of Midland.

The couple will live in Victoria.



Mrs. J. Timothy Hartsfield



Mrs. Karl Lynn Parker

MORGETTE-PARKER

MIDKIFF — Pamela Kay Morgette of Midland and Karl Lynn Parker of Midland were married at 5 p.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church here with the Rev. Johnny Kidd officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morgette of Midkiff. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy R. Parker of Midkiff.

Cindy Morgette, sister of the bride of Midland, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Marla

Morgette, sister of the bride, and Claudette McKaskle, both of Midkiff. Sonya Nixon, cousin of the bride of Irving, was flower girl.

Mark Parker, brother of the bridegroom of Midland, was best man. Ushers were Billy Morgette, brother of the bride of Irving, and Mike Stafford, cousin of the bridegroom, of Denver City. Jerald Mead of Midkiff and Roy Kendrick of Rankin were groomsmen. Greg Austin, cousin of the bride of Midland, was ring bearer.

After a wedding trip to

Ruidoso, N.M., the couple will live in Midland.

COOPER-DAY

Melinda Lee Cooper and Gregory Lester Day, both of Midland, were married at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at St. Luke's United Methodist Church, with Dr. McBrayer officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Cooper of Orange. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Lester Day of Woodward, Okla.

Lori K. Hill of Midland was matron of honor.

Stress positions

CHICAGO, Ill. — Dishwashers, waiters, waitresses, practical nurses and health technicians are included in a list of "Americans with the most stress-related jobs" in a report published in "American Medical News," and based on information from the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health.

Quality control inspectors, public relations people, clinical laboratory technicians warehousemen and nurses aides are also high on the list.

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CLUB NEWS

MIDLAND WRITERS' CLUB

The Midland Writers' Club met in the home of Mary Jane Warren and elected the following slate of officers for 1980-81:

Connie Metz, president; Becky Elliott, vice president; Alle Durfee, program chairman; and Ms. Warren secretary-treasurer.

Frances Ponder and Ruth Melville gave a short talk on the Lubbock Writers' Conference which they attended in April. The writers' group will not meet during the summer, but will hold their next meeting the second Tuesday in September.

OLDTIMERS BRIDGE CLUB

Gladys Hays and Helen Owens were hostesses when the Oldtimers Bridge

Club met at Allison Bridge Building. Winners were Gladys Hays, first; Phyllis Maxwell, second; and Eloise McGraw, third. Helen Owens won the special prize.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED PEOPLE

The American Association of Retired People met at Crestview Baptist Church in a regular session.


Mary Lockhart gave a program on Madame Alexander dolls. She is president of the Midland Doll Club and a home economics teacher in the Midland schools.

She started with a collection of 1923 dolls and has dolls up to the year 1979. She also has "Little Women" dolls, United Nations dolls, "Romeo and Juliet", "Heidi" and "Peter Pan" dolls.

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HARRIS-DOWDY

Oletha Harris and Kenneth Lavon Dowdy, both of Midland, were married at 6 p.m. Saturday at Fannin Terrace Baptist Church with the Rev. Ben Walker officiating. The bride is the daughter of Harlon K. Harris, 4721 Crockett. The bridegroom is the son of Lawrence Dowdy, 710 Sinclair. Jolee Harmon of Floyd, Va., was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Janiece Teichman and Cindy Dowdy, both of Midland. Alisia

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Best man was Mike Dowdy of College Station. Groomsmen were After a wedding trip to San Antonio, the couple will reside in Midland.

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Weddings

HANSON-BURROW son of Midland and Bruce Raguet Burrow of Dallas exchanged wedding vows at 11 a.m. Saturday at The Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity with the Rev. Sam Hulsey officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Morris Hanson of Midland. The bridegroom is the son of William Fite Burrow and Mrs. Thomas Griffith Moore, both of Dallas.

Karen Hanson of Houston served as her sister's maid of honor. Sally Muire of Midland was bridesmaid and bridesmatrons were Mrs. James Yager of River-ton, Wyo., and Mrs. Thomas Foley of Denver, Colo.

William F. Burrow Jr., brother of the bridegroom of Denver, was best man. Ushers were Eric Hanson, brother of the bride of Bradford, Penn., and Irion Worsham, uncle of the bridegroom of Dallas. Dr. Christopher Burrow, brother of the bridegroom of Baltimore, Md., Charles Adams and Richard Danner, both of Dallas, were groomsmen.

After a wedding trip to Alaska and Canada, the couple will live in Dallas.

MCCRACKIN-HOLEVA

Jennifer Dean McCrackin and Patrick Ted Holeva, both of Midland, exchanged wedding vows at 2 p.m. Saturday at St. Ann's Catholic Church with the Rev. Clifford Blackburn officiating.

The bride is the daughter of A. L. McCrackin of Midland and Frances Dean of Hamilton. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Holeva of Midland.

Maid of honor was Sheri Talley of Midland and Karen Talley of Midland was bridesmaid.

Danny Holeva, brother of the bridegroom of Midland, was best man. Usher was James McCrackin, brother of the bride of Midland, and Jim Dailey of Midland was groomsmen.

Special out-of-town guests attending were the grandparents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McCrackin Sr. of Trinidad, the grandfather of the bride, Morris S. Dean, and the grandmother of the bridegroom, Nora Crumley of El Paso.

Following a wedding trip to Dallas, the couple will reside in Midland.

MICKAN-HUGHES

WALBURG — Pamela Ann Mickan of Georgetown and Michael Carroll Hughes of Midland exchanged wedding vows at 4:30 p.m. Saturday at the Zion Lutheran Church here with the Rev. John Kieschnic, uncle of the bride, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mickan of Georgetown. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hughes of Midland.

Cindy Mickan of Austin served as her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Kristi Cunningham of Houston, Dale Martinka of Bartlett, Denise Merino of Dallas and Susan Holmstrom of Georgetown. Kimberly Kieschnick of Nassau Bay was flower girl.

Johnny Jackson of Brady was best man. Ushers were Danny Mickan, Tim Mickan, brothers of the bride of Georgetown, Greg Holcomb of Midland, Bill Ragsdale of Brady, Keith Moerbe of Austin

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Engagements, weddings, anniversaries and club notices must be submitted in writing. All materials should include the name and telephone number of the person submitting them. The Reporter-Telegram has forms for engagement and wedding announcement stories.
We cannot mail pictures or forms to persons living within Midland. Pictures must be picked up in the Lifestyle office within one month after publication.
You may submit a photograph of the bride-elect ONLY with an engagement announcement.
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Weddings

McKAY-COLLINS
EDMOND, Okla. — Debra Lynn McKay of Levelland and Douglas Van Collins of Lubbock exchanged wedding vows at 7 p.m. Saturday at the First Christian Church here with the Rev. Kyle Nelson officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.C. McKay Jr. of Edmond. The bridegroom is the son of Richard D. Collins and Elwana L. Collins,

both of Midland. Leshia McKay of Edmond was her sister's maid of honor. Michelle Bambace of Houston was bridesmaid and bridesmatrons were Mrs. Burt Gilliland and Mrs. Mike McKay, both of Edmond. Julie Sparks, cousin of the bride of Tulsa, Okla., was candlelighter.

Scott Collins of Midland was his brother's best man. Ushers were Burt Gilliland of Edmond and Tim McKay, cousin

of the bride, of Marlow. David Miller of Borger, Jackson Reames of Wichita Falls and Mike McKay, brother of the bride of Edmond, were groomsmen.

After a wedding trip to Las Vegas, Nev., the couple will live in Levelland.

BARNHILL-BOSTIC

Lorraine Dea Barnhill and Jesse Jay Bostic, both of Midland, were married at 1 p.m. Satur-

day at the Calvary Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Walter Esch officiating.

The bride is the daughter of S. M. Barnhill of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. A. Able of Odessa. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bostic of Midland.

LaVina Mitchell, sister of the bride of Midland, was matron of honor. Flower girl was Shyla Mitchell, niece of the bride of Midland.

Jackie Estep of Houston was best man. Ushers were Briley Mitchell, brother-in-law of the bride and Freddie Bostic, cousin of the bridegroom, both of Midland. David Bostic was ring bearer.

The couple will live in Midland.

WILLIAMS-CARLSON

Cynthia Lynn Williams of Midland and Gene Randall Carlson of Dal-

las exchanged wedding vows at 4 p.m. Saturday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ratcliff of Midland. Judge John Biggs officiated.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Milo Carlson of Pampa. Honor attendants were Frey Rad and Lisa Williams, sister of the bride. Following a wedding trip to New Mexico and Colorado, the couple will reside in Dallas.

'See the World' in travel series

The Permian Basin Graduate Center will present the Balkans, Yugoslavia and Mainland Greece in the travel series "See the World" Tuesday through Thursday. Classes will meet at 7:30 p.m. at 105 W. Illinois.

Erma Underwood, who has traveled extensively, will present the Slavic nations of Bulgaria, Rumania and part of Yugoslavia on Tuesday. Highlights will be Zagreb, Sofia, Bucharest and the Reta Mountains.

On Thursday, Lyn Caryl will cover the Adriatic Coast, concentrating on Yugoslavia and Mainland Greece. The cities of Dubrovnik, Athens, Peloponnisos will be viewed.

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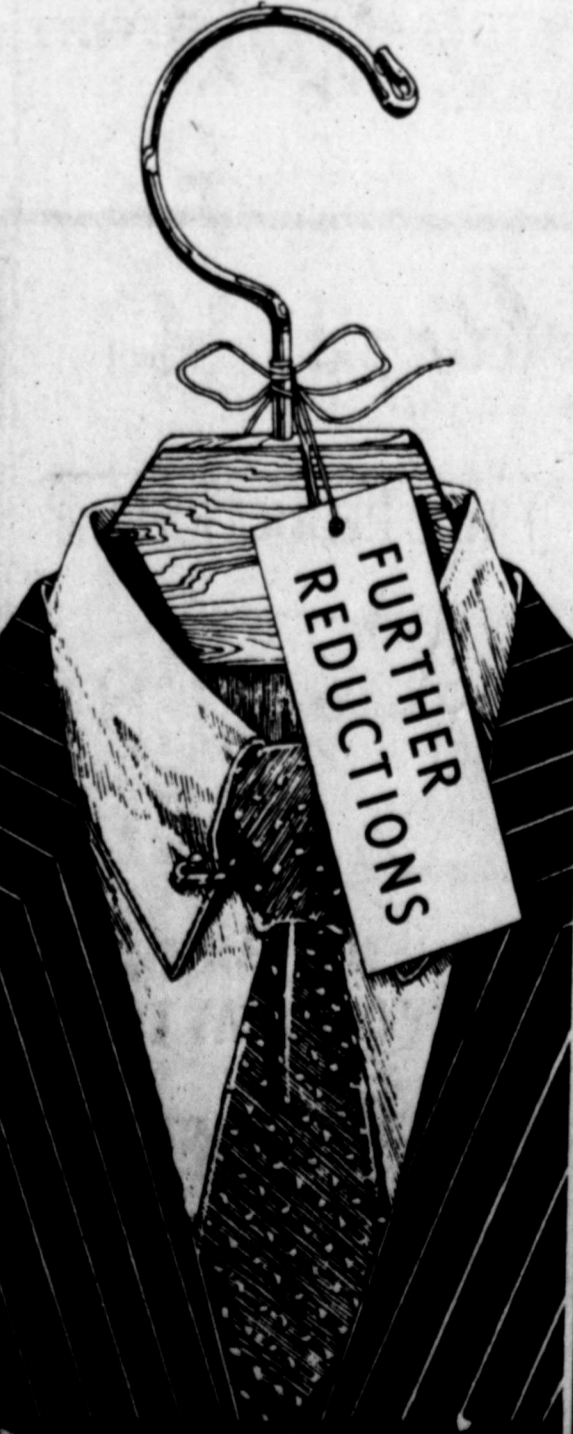
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Gulf service anniversaries reported

Gulf Oil Exploration & Production Co. has announced 18 service anniversaries for employees in its Western Division, Southwest District, headquartered in Midland.

D. C. Pillans, area subsurface geologist in the Hobbs, N.M., AREA, has completed 40 years of service with the firm.

He joined the firm April 1, 1940, as a messenger in the Fort Worth Area. After a military leave he returned to Gulf in 1945 as a clerk. During his tenure in Fort Worth he was senior clerk and technical clerk.

In 1957, Pillans was promoted and moved to Midland as a junior production geologist. He was promoted to geologist in 1958 and two years later was moved to Monahans.

He was transferred to the Crane Area as a production geologist in 1966. He has held the positions of senior geologist, project geologist and his present assignment as area subsurface geologist.

J. T. Beverly, senior production operator in Midland, completed 35 years with Gulf April 11. He started his career with the company in Fort Worth as a junior photo machine operator.

He was senior blueprint machine operator, senior reproduction machine operator and reproduction operator before being transferred to Midland in 1959.

B. L. Boxley of Monahans, a lease operator in the Monahans Area, observed his 35th anniversary with the company in May. He joined Gulf as a lease pumper at Wickett in 1945. He was moved to Monahans in 1956 and has been a connection man, roustabout and lease operator.

C. M. Moshier of Monahans, another 35-year hand, started with Gulf July 11, 1945, as a truck driver at Carson. He later served as a weld and connection man before transferring to Wickett in 1954.

Moshier moved to Monahans in 1958 and has been assigned as a water injection plant operator, lease pumper, roustabout and well tester, a job he now holds in the Monahans Area.

W. J. Brown, a water injection op-

erator in the Production Department in Goldsmith, completed his 35th year with Gulf June 25.

He joined the company at Carson as a roustabout. He was moved to the Panhandle in 1949 and to Goldsmith in 1950. He has been a connection man, lease pumper, well tester, and water injection operator.

Another 35-year employee, G. W. Lisle of Odessa, is a lease operator in the Odessa Area.

During his tenure he has served as a roustabout in the Penwell Area and as a lease pumper and well tester in the Judkin. He was moved to Odessa in 1960 as a lease pumper. He moved to Crane in 1975 and returned to Odessa in 1976 as a lease operator.

W. C. Harrington, exploration operations coordinator in the Exploration Department in Midland, observed his 30th anniversary with the company June 5.

He joined Gulf in 1950 as a geologist in Fort Worth. He moved to Midland in August of that year.

Harrington was promoted to zone subsurface geologist in 1954 and transferred to Poswell, N.M. the same year. He became district regional geologist in 1956, and in 1960 was moved to Wichita Falls as area exploration geologist.

He has been working in Midland since 1963 as regional geologist, and in his present capacity of district operations coordinator.

C. W. Banks, senior project land agent in the Exploration Department in Midland, also has completed 30 years of service with the company.

His first job as clerk with the company June 16, 1950, at Wichita Falls. He was transferred to Midland in 1963 and has served as senior clerk, permit claims agent, landman, senior landman, senior land agent, project land agent and senior project land agent.

S. M. McWhorter, another 30-year man, is senior unit supervisor in the Exploration Department in Midland. He joined the company May 5, 1950, as a clerk in the Goldsmith Area.

McWhorter was transferred to Odessa in 1954 and to Midland in 1957. He has been senior clerk, district group head, unit supervisor, titleman and senior unit supervisor.

C. E. Marley, an analyst in the Comptroller Department in Midland, marked his 30th year of service with

the company May 5. He started his Gulf career as a clerk at Wichita Falls. He moved to Fort Worth in 1951, went back to Wichita Falls in 1957 and became senior clerk in Midland in 1960.

H. J. Ford also has completed 30 years with Gulf. He is a lease operator in the Hobbs Area of the Production Department. He started with Gulf May 2, 1950, as a laborer in Hobbs. He has served as truck helper, lease dumper, roustabout and lease operator.

F. E. Frawley Jr. has completed 25 years with the company. He is a staff gas engineer in the Production Department in Midland, a position he took in 1978.

His first job with the company was as a roustabout in Odessa July 6, 1955. He was promoted to engineer trainee in 1957 and to petroleum engineer in 1958. Frawley moved to Monahans in 1969 where he became senior petroleum engineer.

He moved to Crane in 1972 as a production superintendent, and in 1977 became area remedial engineer.

L. D. Findley, manager of drilling in the Production Department in Midland, marked his 25th anniversary June 18.

He joined Gulf as a student engineer in Illinois. He moved to Kansas in 1951 and to Oklahoma in 1952. He resigned in 1963 and returned to the company at Casper, Wyo., in 1967 as drilling foreman.

Findley became area drilling superintendent in 1968 and in 1974 was named drilling superintendent and transferred to Denver. He returned to Monahans in 1975 as area drilling superintendent and in 1978 was promoted to his present position.

N. S. Banta Jr. of Midland, project petroleum engineer in the Production Department here, also has observed his 25th year with the company. His first job was June 6, 1955, as a connection man in Wickett.

He served as roustabout, lease operator and well tester before his career was interrupted for military service.

Banta returned to Monahans in 1958 as an engineer trainee and was promoted to petroleum engineer at Crane in 1960. He was named reservoir engineer in 1976, and in 1977 was transferred to Midland.

Z. W. Zorn, secretary for the general manager in the Exploration Department in Midland, observed her 20th anniversary April 1. She joined the company in 1960 as a messenger in the Roswell office. She moved to Kermit in 1971 and to Midland the next year.

Four Gulf employees have observed their 10th year with the company. They are Maxine Nelson of Midland, unit supervisor in the Comptroller Department; P. T. Gordon, senior regional geologist in the Exploration Department in Midland; Charles H. Kramer, communications technician in the Comptroller Department here, and J. B. Traweck, senior rig superintendent in the Production Department in Monahans.

Center sets two courses

"Compliance with Winfall Profits Tax Act of 1980" and "Interpersonal Communications" will be offered by the Permian Basin Graduate Center, 105 W. Illinois St., Midland. "Compliance" is scheduled from 3 to 5 p.m. July 23.

The Winfall Profits Tax Act of 1980 will raise in excess of \$227.3 billion over the next 10 years. This tax directly affects producers, operators, non-operators, and purchases of crude oil.

The program will provide a brief review of the Winfall Profits Tax and will focus on specific problems of complying with its provisions.

Michael Conaway, a CPA with Price, Waterhouse & Co. in Midland, will be the lecturer. Fee for the course is \$25.

The center will offer "Interpersonal Communications" July 22.

The course presents an in-depth look at what is going on between people by tuning in on communication channels and finding ways to improve the ability to listen and communicate more effectively with employers or employees.

Bob Avary, an expert on transactional analysis will be the instructor. Fee for the seminar is \$75.

Domestic drilling records increase during first half

DENVER, Colo. - Domestic drilling for oil and gas in the first half of 1980 climbed 33.4 percent above the 1979 level, Petroleum Information Corp. said.

With 29,264 wells completed through June and the number of working rotary rigs at its highest point since 1955, it appears an all-time record for wells drilled in a single year will be set this year.

The existing record of 57,111 wells was achieved in 1956. If completions continue at the first-half 1980 rate, PI foresees a total for the year of no less than 58,500 wells.

Supporting the prediction of record activity was the Hughes Tool Company rig count of 2,901 active rotaries at work at the end of June. That number surpassed the 1956 high count, making it the highest since 1955, when a peak of 3,137 rigs was reached.

The first half total compares to 21,945 wells completed at the end of June last year and 23,270 wells completed at the same time in 1978. The first half figure surpasses the annual well totals for the years 1971, 1972 and 1973, when domestic drilling was at a modern low, prior to the Arab oil embargo.

In response to the embargo, domestic oil and gas drilling efforts showed an upward turn from a low of 26,400 completions in 1973. In each year since 1974, total completions have climbed.

Of the wells drilled through the first half of 1980, 14,338 were oil wells, 6,010; 7,145 were gas wells, up 688; and 7,781 were dry, up 621. One reason for the particularly strong showing over 1979 was a severe 1979 spring in several key drilling states, slowing completions in that year. Environmental regulations also created problems in California during 1979, holding down completions there.

Also a factor, is a strong upturn in drilling in the older producing areas in the northeastern United States. Improved economics have apparently made shallow, lower-yielding wells in that area more attractive.

First half PI statistics showed an increase in each of the 10 most active drilling states, with Texas again ranked number one. The state showed 8,836 wells completed, up by 1,037 wells from the first half in 1979.

Other top-ranked states and the number of wells completed during the first six months are: Oklahoma, 3,707; Ohio, 3,186; Kansas, 2,485; Louisiana, 1,995; Pennsylvania, 1,823; California, 973; West Virginia, 861; New Mexico, 817; and Illinois, 565 wells.

Increases came in all categories of drilling, with development drilling, or drilling in known oil or gas fields, showing the largest increase. Operators drilled 23,665 development wells during the first six months, up 41.5 percent from the 16,771 wells completed for the comparable period in 1979.

New field wildcat drilling, or exploration not associated with known oil or gas fields, showed a gain of 4.8 percent. Of the 3,302 new field wildcats drilled during the first half of the year, 332 found oil, 325 found gas and 2,645 were unsuccessful.

A third category, "other exploratory" wells, including wells drilled to extend known fields or discover new pay zones, showed an increase of 11.1 percent. Of the 2,297 wells drilled in this category, 487 found oil, 634 found

gas, and 1,176 were dry.

Expenditures for drilling and completion work also went up during the six-month period. PI estimated \$8.27 billion in expenditures during the first six months, compared to \$6.6 billion during the same period in 1979. With more than 131 million feet of hole drilled during the period, the average per foot cost of drilling was \$63.01.

That compares to a 1979 first-half cost of \$60.77 per foot.

According to the first-half statistics, the success rate for new field wildcat drilling increased slightly despite the increase in activity. The rate of 19.9 percent, up from 19.8 percent for the same period last year, indicates continued potential for discovery of domestic petroleum supplies.

Crude prices remain stable

TOKYO (AP) - Prices of crude oil should remain stable until early winter, then start a gradual rise until a shortage develops in 1982, the oil minister of the United Arab Emirates said today.

"The temporary oil glut we are seeing now will soon start to disappear," said Sheikh Mana Saeed al Otaiba. "The oil conservation measures in the oil-consuming countries are starting to take effect now, but only a limited amount of conservation is possible in the oil-using countries. Conservation is possible, but not overnight. So by 1982 we think there will be a shortage of oil."

Otaiba, considered one of the pricing moderates and political conservatives among the oil ministers of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries, came to Japan for the memorial service for Prime Minister Masayoshi Ohira on Wednesday. He stayed on to sign an agreement for the Abu Dhabi National Oil Co. and the Japan Oil Development Co. to develop three oil fields in the UAE jointly.

Otaiba said a similar agreement is expected for the joint production of liquefied natural gas.

The UAE produces 1.8 million barrels of crude oil daily and is a steady supplier to Japan.

Otaiba said he was encouraged by non-governmental talks between members of the Palestine Liberation Organization and a delegation of Japanese which began last year. He said he hoped "our friends in Europe and America would follow suit and have a face-to-face dialogue with the PLO."

But he said political differences between the Western and Arab nations are normal, and the UAE will not "blackmail" its customers by threatening to cut off oil exports for political reasons.

"We have lived with the problems for the last 30 years, and we are looking for a just and comprehensive settlement," he said. "But 30 years of effort have been wasted, and a lot of people have been killed, when we should have been concentrating on economic development."

Midland firm organized

A privately held diversified energy management and operating company, Paralle Petroleum Corp., has been formed with headquarters in Midland.

Officers, directors and founders of the corporation are Frank S. Delay, president and chief executive officer; William E. Vick, vice president, Exploration and Production, and Larry C. Oldham, vice president of Finance and treasurer.

The founders have more than 60 years experience in the areas of exploration, drilling and production, and oil and gas administrative management.

Delay said each of the private investors is involved in the oil and gas community, either as investor or operator.

The company has acquired five prospects containing approximately 7,000 acres on which, as operator, it will drill five wells in the near future.

The board of directors has seven members, including the three founders and four of the corporations shareholders. They are Thomas E. Dawkins, Amarillo; E. R. Duke, Midland; C. R. Pannill, Fort Worth, and Glen A. Smith, Burk Burnett.

Corporate headquarters are in Suite 500, Metro Building.



Jim R. Waters

Waters heads new concern

Jim R. Waters of Coahoma has been named president of Production Profiles, Inc., a new Permian Basin production logging firm with headquarters at Terminal.

Waters is a former drilling foreman for a major production company and a veteran fluid movement measurement specialist.

The new firm is located at 9720 Permian Road.

It performs temperature surveys, injection profiles and after-fracking and after-acidizing surveys, and rod lift, gas lift and flowing well production profiles.



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234 rotaries making hole in Permian Basin areas

Operators were working 324 rotary rigs in the Permian Basin of West Texas and southeast New Mexico last week according to the weekly survey of drilling operations conducted by Reed Rock Bit Co.

The count is nine less than the week-earlier survey, which listed 333 units making hole. One year ago there were 222 active rotaries in the Basin.

Two of the southeast New Mexico counties, Lea and Eddy, account for 73 of the projects. Lea County increased its units to 44, three months after reported the previous week. Eddy County reported 29 rotaries going, a decrease of nine rigs from the previous week.

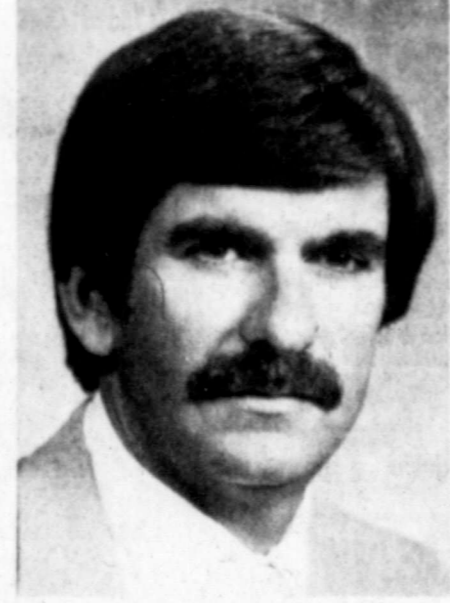
Pecos County, leader of the West Texas counties and third in the Basin, reported 26 rigs at work, a decrease of three.

Other counties with 10 or more rotaries actually cutting hole at the time the survey was made include: Andrews, 16; Crockett, 10; Reagan, 16; and Ward, 11.

County	7/11	7/03
Andrews	16	17
Borden	6	7
Chaves	2	1
Cochran	4	3
Coke	3	4
Concho	1	1
Crane	8	8
Crockett	40	9
Crosby	2	3
Culberson	1	1
Dawson	8	7
Ector	7	7
Eddy	29	36
Gaines	5	6
Garza	6	4
Glasscock	8	9
Hockley	7	6
Howard	6	7
Irion	6	7
Kent	2	2
Lamb	0	1
Lea	44	41
Loving	8	8
Lubbock	5	6
Lynn	1	3
Martin	7	6
Midland	4	5
Mitchell	4	3
Pecos	26	29
Reagan	16	11
Reeves	3	3
Roosevelt	2	2
Runnels	1	2
Schleicher	7	7
Scurry	5	4
Sterling	2	4
Sutton	4	3
Terrell	3	4
Terry	5	6
Tom Green	7	7
Upton	7	6
Val Verde	1	1
Ward	11	10
Winkler	8	9
Yoakum	6	7
Total	324	333



R. L. Foster



Curtis A. Bedrich

Promotion, addition made

Adobe Oil & Gas Corp. has announced the promotion of Reynolds Lee Foster to vice president - Tax and the addition of Curtis A. Bedrich to its Midland staff as vice president - Finance.

Foster has been with Adobe since 1972 and has served as controller since 1976. Prior to joining the firm, he was with Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co. in Midland.

He is a graduate of Texas Tech University, and is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public

Accountants, the Texas Society of CPA's and the Permian Basin Chapter of CPA's. He is a Certified Public Accountant.

Bedrich was treasurer with Texas American Oil Corp. three years before going with Adobe. Before that, he was engaged in the practice of public accountancy.

He is a Certified Public Accountant and a 1965 M.B.A. graduate of Texas A&M University.

Bedrich is a member of several professional accounting organizations.

Field rules changed

CRANE - The Railroad Commission has approved well density and spacing rule changes for the University Waddell (Devonian) field in Crane County that are expected to lead to recovery of an additional two million barrels of oil.

The changes, sought by Gulf Oil Corp., allow well locations 467 feet from lease lines, 800-foot spacing be-

tween wells and optional 20-acre proration units.

Gulf spokesmen told the RRC during hearings in May that the rule amendments would allow Gulf to extend its infill drilling program by 12 wells, with the expectation of producing nearly two million additional barrels of oil from the 30-year-old field.

The field already has produced more than 46 million barrels of oil.

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Jury favors auto maker in negligence lawsuit

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — A jury that ruled in favor of General Motors Corp. in a \$2 million lawsuit was saying manufacturers don't have to build "accident-proof vehicles," a lawyer for the nation's No. 1 automaker says.

"The jury decided that the plaintiff didn't prove GM was negligent in any way," defense attorney Wayne C. Kreuzer said Thursday after a Marion Superior Court panel ruled against Patricia H. Lawrence.

Mrs. Lawrence, 33, Camby, asked \$2 million in damages against GM and Nankivell Chevrolet Inc., an Indianapolis dealership, after she suffered third-degree burns

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Permian Basin Petroleum Briefs

Gulf Oil Exploration & Production Co. has announced retirements of six employees in its Western Division, Southwest District, headquartered in Midland.

J. M. Truss, material supervisor in the Comptroller Department in Monahan, retired after 35 years and 6 months with the company.



Truss

He joined Gulf Oct. 12, 1944, as a roustabout in the Odessa Area. He has served his entire tenure in West Texas.

In addition to his retirement classification, he has held the position of stockman.

Y. B. Newson, senior staff geologist in the Exploration Department, leaves the company with 34 years and 8 months of service.



Newson

His Gulf career began Oct. 22, 1945, at Fort Worth. He transferred to Midland in 1946 and worked in the Crane and McElroy fields before moving to Amarillo in 1948. He returned to Fort Worth in 1949 and went to Amarillo as zone geologist the next year.

He was transferred to Roswell, N.M., in 1951, and in 1957 became staff geologist in Fort Worth. He returned to Midland in 1959. He has served as district exploration geologist, district geoscience coordinator and manager of geoscience.

M. L. Johnson, instrument technician in the Odessa Area of the Production Department, retired June 1 after working for Gulf 34 years and one month.



Johnson

He joined the company April 11, 1947 as a roustabout in the Sandhills Area.

He served his entire tenure in West Texas, having held positions of connection man and instrument technician.

He and Mrs. Johnson will make their retirement home in Eldorado, Ark.

W. W. Walker, a roustabout supervisor in the Goldsmith Area of the Production Department, retired July 1 after working for the company 33 years and 4 months.



Walker

His first Gulf job was roustabout in the Odessa area.

He was transferred to the Goldsmith Area in 1949 and completed his tenure with the company in that area. He served as connection man, roustabout/pumper, roustabout foreman and as roustabout supervisor.

Steve Wentworth and Ross D. McCasland, both former Midlanders, have joined the staff of Tenneco Inc. Wentworth joined Tenneco oil Exploration and Production as a landman in the Southwestern Division office in San Antonio.

He earned a B.S. degree in Mathematics Education in 1974 from Texas Tech University and an M.A. degree in Educational Psychology in 1977 from The University of Texas-San Antonio.

Before joining Tenneco, he was a mathematics teacher and golfing coach at Marshall High School in San Antonio.

McCasland joined Tenneco Oil Exploration and Production as a geologist in the Mid-Continent Division office in Oklahoma City.

He is a graduate of Midland High School and earned a B.S. degree in Geology in 1976 from Texas Tech University. He received an M.S. degree in Geology from Tech this year.

Adobe Oil & Gas Corp. of Midland announced it has acquired certain oil and gas exploratory and producing interests of Bill S. McGowen of Houston.

The acquisition involves eight wildcat prospects drilling or to be drilled free of cost to Adobe in 1980 on 36,000 gross acres in Texas, Mississippi, Alabama and Arkansas.

Present production acquired in the transaction generates approximately \$180,000 per year. Consideration for the acquisition was \$2 million, plus variable oil payments out of existing production and/or discovered oil.

Travis G. Cole, with Exxon Co., U.S.A. has been promoted to associate systems analyst in the Midcontinent Production Division, Engineering Group, in Midland.



Cole

He has been with the company since 1955. He held drilling assignments in various West Texas areas before being transferred to Snyder as a clerk.

He moved from Snyder to Midland and in 1969 was assigned to the Reproduction Group in the Services Department. He transferred to the Engineering Department as staff assistant in 1975.

Anchor Bolt and Screw Co. has appointed Ken Hughes as sales manager in the firm's Permian Basin headquarters in Odessa.



Hughes

Hughes is a graduate of Emporia State University and formerly was an area sales representative for Anchor Bolt.

His experience has been in oil field production facilities in the Permian Basin of West Texas and southeast New Mexico.

Alpha Equipment, Inc., has announced the addition of Jerry Troop as vice president and sales manager.



Troop

He directs Alpha's sales effort in the Permian Basin area.

He formerly was employed by W.P.C., Inc., Ciba Pipe Systems, Koch Products Co., and Oilwell Supply Co.

R. O. Baker, lease operator/water injection plant operator in the Hobbs Area of the Production Department, worked for the company 29 years and six months. He retired July 1.



Baker

His Gulf career started as a rotary helper in 1950 in the Hobbs area. All of his service with the company has been in West Texas and New Mexico. He has been a roustabout, derrick man, truck driver, drilling foreman and connection man.

He and Mrs. Baker will make their retirement home in Hobbs.

W. J. Gibson, production supervisor in the Goldsmith Area of the Production Department, completed 29 years and 3 months of service before retiring June 1.



Gibson

He joined Gulf Sept. 13, 1950, in Odessa. He served as a chainman and roddman before being transferred to Midland in 1957.

After serving as transitman here, he was moved to Goldsmith in 1968 where he was roustabout, water injection plant operator and senior material expeditor.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson now are living in Odessa.

Sivalls, Inc., of Odessa announced that Rod Griffin has been named director of marketing and will work to coordinate and expand Sivalls' sales activities in the U.S. and overseas.



Griffin

Griffin joined the company in 1965. He was manager of domestic sales when he was promoted to the newly-created position of director of domestic and foreign marketing.

John E. Bunch, coordinator of Environmental Affairs with Conoco Inc.'s Production Department in Midland, recently was presented with a watch in recognition of 30 years of service with the company.



Bunch

He entered Conoco's service at Bowie and progressed through various engineering assignments there, at Wichita Falls and Fort Worth before being transferred to Midland in May 1961.

Jerry A. Dunn has been promoted to project engineer for the Midland Division of The Ortloff Corp.



Dunn

He was an Ortloff piping design coordinator before his promotion. He now is responsible for coordinating engineering and design on assigned Ortloff projects. He also is responsible for construction liaison efforts.

He has more than 17 years of management and technical experience related to the engineering and construction of oil and gas processing plants, chemical facilities, and pipelines.

Prior to his employment with Ortloff in 1972, Dunn worked for Elcor Corp. seven years and later was employed by the city of Lubbock as an associate civil engineer.

He received his B.S. degree in Civil Engineering from Texas Tech University in 1968.

He is a member of the National Society of Professional Engineers.

Crown Central Petroleum Corp. has announced the addition of Bruce Li Sooy to its Production Department in Midland as a petroleum engineer.

He is a graduate of Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio.

He is a native of West Field, N.J., and was a resident of Midland at the time he joined Crown Central.

TAEC takes waterflood

Texas American Energy Corp. of Midland announced it has taken over operations of the Somerset Cooperative Waterflood properties, effective July 1.

The properties produced 18,400 barrels or approximately 614 barrels per day during June.

The company has a 69 percent net revenue interest in the properties. June net revenue will be in excess of \$300,000 after giving effect to the excise tax applicable to stripper production. The company's gross revenues from the properties for 1979 amounted to approximately \$490,805.

The waterflood is now owned by Somerset, Ltd., a Texas limited partnership.

Texas American Oil Corp., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Texas American Energy Corp., is the general partner in the partnership and will operate the 51 leases which currently have 261 producing or injection wells located on 6,100 acres included in the waterflood project.

Texas American earned its interest in these properties following a three-year performance schedule requiring the installation of a successful waterflood and infill development drilling program.

Gulf reorganizes exploration district

The Southwest Exploration District of Gulf Oil Exploration and Production Co. in Midland has been reorganized into four elements, effective July 1.

They are Western Exploration Area, Eastern Exploration Area, Technology Department, and Land Department.

The area exploration manager for the Western Exploration Area is O. F. Huffman.

Reporting to Huffman as area exploration geologist is Y. E. Lewis, and reporting as area exploration geophysicist is J. J. Storrie.

The Western Exploration Area is responsible for Gulf's exploration activities in the Delaware and Val Verde Basins of Texas and New Mexico; Arizona and the southern half of Utah and the southern half of Colorado.

The area exploration manager for the Eastern Exploration Area is R. W. Nordling. Reporting to Nordling as area exploration geophysicist is Marvin Ginzel, and reporting as area exploration geologist is R. F. Ward.

The Eastern Exploration Area is responsible for Gulf's Texas exploration activities eastward from the Central Basin Platform through the Fort Worth Basin.

Manager of the Technology Department is R. L. Coons. Reporting to him as exploration data processing supervisor is

H. S. Barr. The Technology Department is responsible for the evaluation and implementation of the latest geological and geophysical exploration methods.

Also reporting to Coons are supervisors of exploration drafting, seismic data acquisition and seismic processing.

Manager of the Land Department is R. E. Griffith. All matters pertaining to submittals and requests for subleases and working interest units are coordinated under the supervision of C. T. Blackham for both exploration areas.

Likewise, all submittals of leases, acquisitions of leases and mineral take-offs for both areas is under the supervision of E. L. Orrell.

All four managers, along with the district's

exploration advisor, W. C. Harrington, report to G. M. Markey, general manager of Exploration for the Southwest District.

The Southwest Exploration District is a part of Gulf's Western Division which is responsible for the company's exploration and production activities in the Southwest and far western states, including Alaska. E. M. Miller is division vice president.

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Meadowpark, a project of Citizens Savings & Loan Association, will be a Planned Unit Development of attractive patio home and townhome clusters. Meadowpark will consist of up to 200 attached and detached patio homes and attached townhomes on nearly 60 acres in north Midland. The development is inside the city of Midland and receives all municipal services, including police and fire protection, and water and sewer services.

Meadowpark Owners' Association
Common recreation facilities and park areas are managed by the Meadowpark Owners' Association. Purchasing or building a patio home on your own lot automatically makes you a member of the Meadowpark Owners' Association. The Association provides management and maintenance of the common park areas, playgrounds, tennis courts, and swimming pool with deck area. Homeowners are assessed a monthly maintenance fee.

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The cluster arrangement of Meadowpark restricts traffic flow on residential streets. On-street parking is prohibited, so that streets become areas for family activities.

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Lot sizes in Meadowpark will accommodate patio homes ranging in size from 1,576 square feet, up to a

Where is Meadowpark?
Meadowpark is located on 59.91 acres northeast of the intersection of North "A" Street and FM 868 (proposed Loop 250). Nearby are newly developing shopping centers and a regional mall, Midland College, schools and Midland Air Park. Country clubs are close by as well.

For information about Meadowpark, call Citizens Savings & Loan Association, and ask for John Phipps, Vice President, Telephone: 697-2231.

Each Meadowpark residence is designed as an energy efficient home and will meet Texas Electric Service Company's strict "E-OK" rating.

What does it cost?
Patio homes and townhomes start in the low eighties and range up to \$150,000. Of course, you may request additional features in planning with your builder which may affect the final sales price.

Citizens Savings & Loan Association serves as both developer and permanent lender, and you may wish to visit with one of our loan officers about interim financing and permanent mortgage for your Meadowpark home. We will be pleased to supply a list of reputable builders who will execute your selected Meadowpark plan.

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News Briefs From The Petroleum Industry

HOUSTON — Pennzoil Exploration and Production Co. has announced that R.A.F. Hill has been named vice president and promoted to division manager of the Gulf Coast Division.

Hill was formerly gulf coast division production manager. He will continue to be located in the Houston office.

TULSA, Okla. - K & A, Inc., an oil and gas mineral and energy management service, announced two additions to its staff.

Steve Swab has joined the company as a statistical analyst. Swab was previously employed at Midwest Energy Corp. in the Gas Field Operations Division.

John H. Williams, formerly employed at Geological Services of Tulsa, has joined as a geological assistant.

Both men will reside in Tulsa.

NORMAN, Okla. - Hydrogen sulfide, an extremely toxic gas sometimes discovered during deep oil well drilling, will be the focus for a one-day poisonous gas safety course July 31 at the University of Oklahoma.

Offered as a joint venture of the OU Oil Well Blowout Prevention School and the Red Adair Co., the safety course will meet from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Building 31 of OU's south Norman campus.

Bob Wells, safety and training director for the Red Adair Co., will teach the course.

The \$150 course fee includes lunch. For more information or to register, write or call the OU Oil Well Blowout Prevention School, Building 31, South Campus, Norman, Okla. 73019; phone (405) 325-3946.

HOUSTON — John W. Soden, president of Armo's National Supply Co. Group, announced Armo has purchased the oilfield-equipment fabricating plant of Houston Systems Manufacturing Co. at the Port of Iberia, La.

The facility will become part of PAR Industries Inc., a fabricator of equipment for the offshore oil and gas industry, Soden said. PAR is a subsidiary of National Supply.

The sale includes all assets, improvements and leasehold rights, Armo said. The purchase price was not disclosed.

TULSA, Okla. - Jimmy J. Clifton has joined Willford Energy Co. as a geologist.

A graduate of West Texas State University, he was previously with Amerada Hess Corp. as area geologist in the Oklahoma Area Exploration Group.

DALLAS — Sun Gas Co. recently opened its newest natural gas plant at Gillis, La., near Lake Charles, with a daily processing capacity of more than 25 million cubic feet of unprocessed wet gas.

The \$1.5 million plant in Calcasieu Parish processes 25 million cubic feet of gas per day and extracts 700 barrels of natural gas liquids daily.

Some 15 million cubic feet of the processed gas is sold to Conoco, with the remaining 10 million cubic feet reinjected to enhance recovery from the Upper Hackberry Unit of the Gillis-English Bayou field.

Sun Gas sells the gas liquids, propane, butane, ethane and natural gasoline, to various customers after the mixed stream is delivered to and fractionated by Conoco at its nearby plant.

J.H. Gaudet is on-site operator.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. - Barry Hunsaker was elected senior vice president - Gas Supply of Southern Natural Gas Co. at a meeting of Southern Natural's board of directors.

Hunsaker is a former senior executive of a subsidiary of The El Paso Co., of which he was also a director.

He currently serves as president of the Society of International Gas Tanker and Terminal Operators.

Hunsaker will be headquartered in Houston.

DALLAS — Two persons have joined the staff of Texas Oil & Gas Corp. and the company announced the promotion of another.

Jackey L. Vasbinder has been promoted to geologist for the Gulf Coast District in Corpus Christi. Ms. Vasbinder previously served as a geological technician for the same district.

John Poag has joined the company as a district attorney in the Gulf Coast District in Corpus Christi. He was previously with Forest Oil Corp. as an attorney.

Edward A. Lusch joined the company as a geologist in the Gulf Coast District in Corpus Christi. He was previously with Gulf Oil Exploration & Production Corp. in Houston as a production geologist.

ST. LOUIS, Mo. - Monsanto Co. announced that it is forming an Oil & Gas Division to direct its expansion in hydrocarbons exploration and production, and is planning to spend several hundred million dollars in the next two to three years to ensure adequate feedstocks and fuel supplies.

Frederic Tietz, formerly of Midland and director of the former production

& exploration group, has been named general manager of the new division to be headquartered at the company's Houston offices.

"Today," said John W. Hanley, chairman and chief executive officer, "Monsanto has proven reserves in the range of 115 to 130 million barrels of oil and equivalent gas on a BTU basis in the ground. This year we will spend \$100-125 million on an expanded exploration and development program, and we are searching for opportunities to acquire oil and gas producing properties."

In 1979, Monsanto increased its hydrocarbon reserves for the fourth consecutive year. Significant new production in the Gulf of Mexico, Wyoming, West Texas, and Alberta, Canada resulted in the company discovering more oil than it produced.

Production is mostly traded or sold for petrochemical feedstocks and last year supported about one-third of Monsanto's liquid feedstocks requirements.

Oil and gas sales in 1979 totaled \$88 million and are projected to rise this year to \$110-125 million.

More than 90 percent of oil and gas production by Monsanto is in the U.S. with the balance in Canada. Exploration is being expanded in the regions served by Monsanto exploration and production offices in Denver, Oklahoma City, Houston and Midland. The company has about 450,000 undeveloped domestic leasehold acres and about 250,000 foreign acres.

Overseas, Monsanto has interests in exploration ventures in the U.K. sector of the North Sea, in Guatemala and Trinidad. There are plans to expand foreign exploration into other areas where a good part of the liquid production can be used directly or be exchanged for feedstocks.

HOUSTON — Robert J. Stone has been named assistant general manager of Oilworld Supply Co., a unit in Mitchell Energy & Development Corp.'s energy operations.

Stone will be involved in Oilworld's sales and distribution activities.

HOUSTON — Wainoco Oil Corp. announced that its 1980 limited partnership Wainoco 80 Co. has been fully subscribed with funds totaling \$25 million.

Operations will commence immediately on about 50 prospects located principally in the Gulf Coast area with other ventures planned for the Mid-Continent and Rocky Mountain states as well as the Michigan basin.

Wainoco, in addition to its 40 percent interest as general partner, will purchase a 15 percent interest in every prospect undertaken by the partnership.

Petroleum Information Corp. (PI) announced the availability, on microfilm, of Texas historical well logs, especially those wells in Railroad Commission District 8. Full state coverage of current Texas well logs has been previously available from PI.

Commission OKs recovery operation

AUSTIN — The Railroad Commission has approved a well density and spacing plan that the applicant-operator believes will lead to the recovery of an additional four million barrels of oil from a West Texas producing unit.

Chairman John Poerner and Commissioner Mack Wallace acted on the application of ARCO Oil & Gas Co. Approval was recommended by Senior Staff Geologist Bill E. Watson, who conducted a public hearing on the proposal involving the Willard Unit of the Wasson Field in Yoakum County.

The order: - Recognizes the 13,360-acre Willard Unit as a separate entity for density purposes, provided that well density does not exceed one producing well per 20 acres. Currently, average density is one producing well for 46 acres.

- Exempts future wells drilled within the unit from spacing rules except those drilled within 1,100 feet of the unit boundary will be subject to field rules and require ten days notice to offset operators.

- Provides that applications filed under the exception clause of the order shall be administratively approved by the Rule 37 department of the Commission. The department handles applications to drill at sites in variance to the statewide spacing rule.

At the May 7 hearing, ARCO indicated that 100 or more infill wells would be drilled within the unit to accelerate and optimize production if its application won approval.

"Additional infill drilling can add over four million barrels (of oil)," an ARCO representative testified to Examiner Watson.

ARCO submitted exhibits indicating infill drilling has resulted in the recovery of new oil reserves that would not be recovered by existing wells. Also, ARCO testified, reservoir continuity improves through closer well spacing on the unit.

The Wasson field was discovered in 1936. It ranks among the 12 top oil fields in the state. The Willard Unit became effective on April 1, 1965, and its waterflood program began nine days later.

The unit's original-oil-in-place was calculated to be 624 million barrels of which 151.2 million barrels had been produced as of last Jan. 1. Today it has 288 production wells and 219 injection wells.

Current production of the Willard Unit is 11,500 barrels of oil per day. Production is from the San Andres dolomite at an average depth of 5,100 feet. Gross pay thickness varies between 200 and 500 feet.

Amendments OK'd

AUSTIN - The Railroad Commission of Texas has approved amendments to one of its statewide rules that are intended to speed the determination of oil and gas discovery wells and ease producer requirements under the Natural Gas Policy Act.

Adoption of the amendments to Rule 41 was approved last week.

Legal Examiner Sandra K. Joseph advised the commissioners that the set of amendments bore several changes as the result of comments received after publication of staff proposals in the May 16 issue of the Texas Register.

She said the changes provide greater specificity and clarity.

Also, she cited, a proposed change pertaining to notice requirements had been dropped from the original amendments draft. It will be the subject of future rulemaking proceeding.

She said the amendments update, clarify, simplify and consolidate the requirements for receiving new field designation and/or allowable, and eliminates duplication of effort in making determinations within the Oil and Gas Division of the commission.

Court says authority exceeded

WASHINGTON (AP) — A federal appeals court has told the Carter administration it went too far in trying to force states to adopt tough strip-mine regulations.

Several states and a number of coal mining companies had gone to court to fight Interior Secretary Cecil Andrus' efforts to press strict standards on states which are taking over major responsibility for enforcing strip-mining regulations. And the U.S. Court of Appeals ruled Thursday that he had exceeded his authority.

An Interior Department source, asking not to be identified, said the ruling "could be a serious setback" for Andrus' strip-mine regulation hopes.

The nation's strip-mine law, passed in 1977, gave the federal government initial responsibility for controlling

strip-mine operations, but regulation of such mining is now being turned over to the states.

Andrus wanted the states to adopt his tougher permit standards before they assumed authority for regulation. But the appeals court, in its 2-1 decision, said Andrus could not force states beyond the lesser permit requirements that Congress spelled out in the 1977 law.

Andrus' proposed regulations would have forced coal companies to submit detailed maps, list all permits needed for mining a particular area, show how streams would be diverted during reclamation work, and provide detailed plans for use of explosives.

Much of this information is not required under the language of the statute.

Send ideas to Washington

WASHINGTON (AP) — Have any bright ideas on how to turn sewer water, manure, molasses or livestock entrails into fuel?

Send them to the Department of Energy. A few folks with thoughts on the subject already have gotten \$200 million in grants, but the government says it has more money to hand out — up to \$88 billion.

That's how much Congress has indicated it is willing to spend to get this country involved in a big way in producing synthetic fuels from coal, shale rock, wood chips, garbage and a variety of other products.

The first phase of that program began Wednesday when the Energy Department announced \$200 million in grants to 110 corporations, cities, Indian tribes and individuals.

A Mountain View, Calif., firm got \$440,261 to study the feasibility of using micro-organisms to turn sewer water into methane gas while the Pacific Gas & Electric Co. was awarded \$328,900 to study harnessing the tiny bacteria to turn manure into gas.

A Pepeekeo, Hawaii, company got \$900,000 to look into making ethanol fuel from molasses — one of 44 proposals which won \$56 million in grants to study turning a whole host of farm products into ethanol, which makes gasohol when combined with gasoline.

Among the list were the traditional crops — corn, sugar beets, wheat and potatoes — but a Vermont firm wants to try making ethanol from cheese whey and a Wisconsin farmer says he would like to use livestock entrails.

About the only thing all the proposals had in common was that none planned to use oil or natural gas as their energy

source to make the conversion to ethanol. Instead they proposed using coal, which this country has in abundance, and such exotic things as underground steam.

The Energy Department said if all the ethanol proposals reach the production stage, they would be able to supply enough gasohol to meet 20 percent of the country's gasoline requirements.

In all, projects in 46 states were awarded \$100 million in grants for feasibility studies to determine if they are worth pursuing and another 11 projects which are further along got \$100 million for final design work leading to construction.

The biggest awards — up to \$25 million — went to more traditional synthetic fuel projects such as the planned Beulah, N.D., plant which will convert 14,000 tons of coal daily into 125 million cubic feet of natural gas.

With the projects, the Carter administration hopes to take the country from the minuscule effort now being made in synthetic fuels to production of 2 million barrels daily by 1992 — enough to replace about one-third of the foreign crude oil the United States is now using.

Congress, which passed the synthetic fuels bill two weeks ago, appropriated \$20 billion to fund the new U.S. Synthetic Fuels Corporation for the first five years of its operations, but said the Energy Department could hand out money while the corporation is gearing up.

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Paul L. Davis Jr.

Davis elected FSLA head

The board of directors of First Savings and Loan Association of Midland announced the election of Paul L. Davis Jr. as president and managing officer, reports Tom Brown, chairman of the board.

Davis will replace T. L. "Ike" Cauthen who will retire Aug. 1. Cauthen's retirement marks the end of a 25-year career with First Savings and Loan. He has served as president and managing officer almost since the association was founded in 1955.

Cauthen is a member of the boards of directors of the Douglas MacArthur Academy of Freedom Foundation and Howard Payne College. He also is a member of the Executive Committee and board of directors of the Industrial Foundation of Midland, Inc.

He previously served as chairman of the Midland Planning and Zoning Commission and as a member of the City Finance Commission.

Davis, who currently holds the office of executive vice president and director of First Savings and Loan, began his career with the firm in 1958 as a clerk. He was named executive vice president and director in 1975.

He is a B.B.A. graduate of The University of Texas at Austin and a member of the boards of directors of the Permian Basin Girl Scout Council and the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation in Austin.

He is a past chairman of the Midland Planning and Zoning Commission.

Sun-Times news editor quits post

CHICAGO (AP) — The Chicago Sun-Times has announced that managing news editor Stuart H. Loory has resigned to pursue other opportunities in journalism.

A former executive editor of WNBC-TV in New York, Loory joined the Sun-Times as associate editor in 1975 and was named managing news editor in March 1978.

Loory was a science writer, Washington correspondent and Moscow bureau chief for the New York Herald Tribune and a science writer for the New York Times. He covered the Pentagon Papers story as the White House correspondent for the Los Angeles Times and was honored with the George Polk Award and the Raymond Clapper Award. He is the author of two books and numerous magazine articles.

James A. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Brown of Midland has been elected assistant vice president in the Personnel Department of Mercantile National Bank in Dallas.



Brown

Robert W. Semple, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Semple of Midland, has been promoted to senior vice president in the Correspondent Banking Department of the Dallas bank. Brown has been with Mercantile nine years. Before joining the bank, he was a personnel representative for Dallas Power and Light. He is a graduate of Midland High School and earned B.B.A. and M.B.A. degrees in management at Southern Methodist University.

Semple joined the bank three years ago and prior to that he spent five years as a bank examiner for the FDIC.

He was graduated from Midland High school and from Texas Christian University with a B.B.A. degree. He also attended the National Commercial Lending Graduate School in Norman, Okla.

He is the recipient of the American Institute of Banking Basic and Standard certificates.

Members of the Permian Basin Restaurant Association chose Lonnie Jordan, president of DLJ Enterprises, as its president for 1980-1981.

The association serves as the area chapter of the Texas Restaurant Association.

DLJ operates Kettle Pancake Restaurants in Midland and Odessa. Jordan purchased the franchises and opened the stores in 1979.

Donna J. Grimland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Grimland of Midland, has joined Culpepper & Associates in Houston as an account executive.

She formerly was advertising department director for E. James White Co. Advertising and Design in Alexandria, Va.

She previously served as director of advertising services for Builder Magazine, the monthly publication of the National Association of Home Builders and as an account executive with Goodman and Associates, Advertising and Public Relations, Inc., in Fort Worth.

Ms. Grimland is a Midland native.

and was graduated from Texas Christian University with a B.A. degree in Journalism.

Ray P. Moudy, president of Citizens Savings and Loan Association, has been appointed a director of the Texas Savings and Loan League.

The league is a trade organization organized in 1922 to promote thrift and home ownership through the Texas savings and loan industry.

Moudy has held his current position with Citizens Savings since 1974. Prior to that he served as vice president of The First National Bank of Midland. From 1958 to 1965, Moudy practiced law in Midland.

He is president of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, a director and former treasurer for the United Way, and a director of the Texas Housing Agency.

V. E. McFarling and Nell McFarling of Midland have been elected to the 1980-81 board of directors of the Texas Apartment Association, a statewide multihousing trade organization.

They have operated the Hyde Park Apartments since June 1977. They previously managed apartments in Lubbock for Investment Property Management Co.

Aston Marton Lagonda Inc. has announced the appointment of The John J. Schaler III Collection of Midland and Odessa as its official dealer for West Texas. The luxury imported automobile dealer is quartered in new facilities near the Midland Regional Airport.

The State Securities Board has received applications from CPI Ltd., 1980-B and PEDF-1980/D Program Ltd., to register for sale securities in Texas.

CPI requested to sell \$1,642,000 in securities, and PEDF requested authority to sell \$300,000 in securities.

Carol P. White of The First National Bank of Midland has received the 1980 Norel T. McLaughlin Award. The award honors the regional chairman who has contributed most to the development of the American Safety Deposit Association during the past year. She has been with FNB 28 years and with the Safe Deposit Division five years where she is assistant cashier.

Delbert K. Murphy, agent in the Midland-Odessa District office of National Life and Accident Insurance Co. has observed his 10th year with the firm. His entire tenure has been in the Midland-Odessa District.

National Toll Free Marketing, a nationwide protection service, has appointed John Dopp of Midland as an independent distributor for The Body Guard and Pet Switchboard emergency protection services.

Dopp will handle retail and fundraising sales for the company in the Midland area.

Firm organizes subsidiary

DETROIT (AP) — Chrysler Corp. has incorporated its defense division into a wholly owned subsidiary to be known as Chrysler Defense Inc.

"We feel it will help us from a defense standpoint by being a separate entity," spokesman Bob Heath said Friday. "It separates this entity from automotive."

Chrysler is the only combat tank manufacturer in the country, he said. It is the primary producer of the M-60 and the XM1 tanks for the U.S. Army.

E. Elmer Sivacek, former vice president of the defense division of Chrysler Defense Inc., which is part of Chrysler's Diversified Operations Group.

U.S. retail sales showing first signs of improvement

By KRISTIN GOFF
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Retail sales, which have tumbled steeply since the start of the year, may be showing the first signs of improvement.

While consumers are clearly still cautious about big purchases and borrowing, some economists think the worst may be over.

The government's decision to disband the credit controls it imposed in March has helped alleviate some concerns consumers had when those emergency steps were taken, analysts say.

Interest rates, in some cases, are lower than they were a couple of months ago. And purchasing plans may be picking up in a cyclical fashion after months of decline.

The Commerce Department reported this past week that retail sales in June rose 1.4 percent from sales the previous month. That was the first improvement in sales since January.

Separately, the government reported that consumers had repaid \$3.43 billion more in debts than they borrowed in May, reducing consumer debt at a record annual rate of 13 percent. That followed a steep 8 percent annual rate decline in consumer debt in April which may have left many consumers in a position to borrow and buy once again.

Retail sales, as measured in the Commerce Department report, came to \$75.35 billion in June. Automobile sales, which rose nearly 4 percent from the previous month, helped bolster those figures after auto sales had fallen to below their lowest levels in the 1974-75 recession.

Retail sales are a key indicator of economic health and represent a third of the nation's Gross National Product, or value of its total economic output.

Michael Evans, who heads a Washington-based economic forecasting company bearing his name, suggests that the \$20 billion falloff in retail sales in the April-June quarter led the economy to a steep 8 percent drop in GNP.

"The worst of the recession is over," he declares. While the recovery in sales may be gradual, he predicts a rebound by the end of the year.

But Courtenay Slater, Commerce Department economist, warned against making too much of the latest retail sales figures.

"I think that in general it's an encouraging report... (but) it is much too early to say if it is the beginning of a trend or just a blip," she told reporters.

The Conference Board, a business-funded research group, also found some hope of improvement in general business conditions because of expected increases in consumer sentiment.

Its survey of 5,000 households last month resulted in the first increase in its consumer confidence index in eight months.

The index climbed to 48 points in June, up nearly 6 points from May. The index measures assessments of the current and future economic conditions and is based on a base of 100 established in the 1969-70 period.

A separate index which measures plans to make purchases of homes, automobiles, or other major appliances also improved in June. That buying plans index rose 11 points to 87.2, the Conference Board reported earlier this month.

"The recent improvement in both

the cost and availability of credit and a slackening in the pace of inflation have helped lift consumer spirits. Based on historical experience, latest consumer findings suggest that business conditions may begin to improve before the year is out," said Fabian

BUSINESS

Linclen, director of consumer economics at the Conference Board.

In other business developments this past week:

—Jane Cahill Pfeiffer resigned as chairman of NBC after reaching a settlement with the network on her contract, which paid her more than \$400,000 a year and ran until October 1981.

Mrs. Pfeiffer, among the highest paid women executives in the nation, was forced out of RCA, a subsidiary of RCA Corp. in a bitter and publicized dispute with other company executives. She was the second high-level executive to be forced out of RCA recently. Last month, RCA's president Maurice Valente was fired after only six months on the job. Mrs. Pfeiffer became chairman of the struggling network and a director on

RCA's board in October 1978.

—Prices at the wholesale and producer level jumped at an annual rate of 9.6 percent in June, the government reported. That was higher than the 3.6 percent annual rate in May and 6 percent rate in April.

Still the report did mean that producer price inflation rose at an annual rate of 6.3 percent in the second quarter, the smallest quarterly increase since late 1977. Producer prices, which are soon reflected at the retail level, rose at a torrid 13.9 percent annual rate in the first three months of the year.

—Directors of Ford Motor Co. announced they were slashing the company's quarterly dividend from \$1 per share to 30 cents to conserve cash in the face of massive losses.

Ford lost a record \$164 million in the first quarter, and some Wall Street analysts have predicted the No. 2 automaker could report a loss of \$350 million in the second quarter and of more than \$1 billion for 1980 overall. Reducing the quarterly payout will save Ford \$84.4 million a quarter, or \$338 million a year. Company executives said reducing the quarterly dividend was one of several "prudent steps" Ford found necessary to improve its financial position.

First National Bank to mark birthday

On July 14, 1980, Midland's oldest continuous business will celebrate its 90th birthday.

The First National Bank of Midland was founded on that day in 1890 in the small cowtown that sprang forth from a mail car that was parked on a rail siding halfway between Fort Worth and El Paso. The siding was the result of the Texas and Pacific's push westward - and Midland, or Midway as it was initially called, provided a convenient resting stop on the rail route.

Five years before the bank was organized, the commissioner's court of Midland County met for the first time after Midland County had been carved from Tom Green County, and an election was held to name public officials. Midland County became a reality, and \$3,000 was contributed toward the construction of a courthouse and jail.

By 1890 the area was beginning to need a bank to serve the growing population. A group of men - mostly ranchers - pooled what resources they had and founded The First National Bank. It was among the first banks in the West Texas and New Mexico area.

The bank's first cashier was W.E. Connell, a young, aggressive and experienced banker. As general manager, he had the responsibilities of getting the fledgling bank profitably off the ground. Working with Connell from the beginning was W.H. Cowden, who was named vice-president in the original charter. Later he served as president of First National and continued to serve through the first World War and afterward.

First National Bank financed the County's first public works program initiated by the commissioners on Sept. 19, 1890, when the judge ordered three men and a team and wagon to

fill Abilene Street to grade in front of J.J. Westmoreland's building. The Cashier of the bank advanced \$25 to pay for the project, and the loan was repaid on Oct. 6, 1890.

The bank was 11 years old when a petition was circulated to incorporate the town and form a city government. The vote was approved by 93-69.

After 1923 - during the years of transition from a ranching economy to an oil economy - the bank was guided by Clarence Scharbauer, Sr., a successful rancher and civic leader who served as the president of the bank until 1942.

The bank saw the depression come and go; and by 1935 when First National was 45 years old, oil became a prominent factor in the economy when crews west of Midland struck oil near Goldsmith and later opened a field that was to produce 100 million barrels of oil within the next 15 years.

By 1940 when First National had reached its 50th birthday, Midland was a growing city of 9,352 and was becoming interested in aviation. Sloan Field, which later became Midland Airport, was designed as a stop on the Army Airways System, and the city built four houses at the field for enlisted men who were stationed there to service military planes.

Following Scharbauer as president of the bank were M.C. Ulmer, Jno P. Butler - currently senior chairman of the board - the late C.J. Kelly and Wilbur A. Yeager, Jr. The current president is Charles D. Fraser, who assumed leadership of the bank in January, 1980.

First National now has assets of more than \$900 million and is the largest independent bank in Texas. It employs more than 400 people, including some 70 officers.

Casino stays closed

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — A judge's refusal to overrule the Nevada Gaming Commission means the Aladdin Hotel's casino will remain closed this week-end.

However, U.S. District Judge Harry Claiborne ordered the state Friday to show why it shouldn't issue a new license to the embattled Strip resort. He will hold a hearing on the matter July 22.

The judge's decision not to grant a temporary restraining order brought cries of protest from 200 Aladdin employees - many of them

facing unemployment - who had gathered in front of the Federal Building chanting, "Open the Aladdin, Open the Aladdin."

The casino was closed shortly before 8 p.m. Thursday by Gaming Control Board agents in the latest move in a running battle between Aladdin owners and the commission.

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Texas employers face compensation rate increase

By BILL KIDD
Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Employers in Texas face a 4.2 percent increase in worker's compensation rates Sept. 1, due to an increase in benefits required under Texas law.

State Board of Insurance approved the increase - noting that the benefits would increase regardless of SBI action on rates, since the law provides that benefits are adjusted when the average weekly wage of manufacturing workers rises \$20.

That happened in 1979, and rates have been adjusted to meet the new increased benefits (\$2 minimum and \$14 maximum, weekly).

The whole question of worker's compensation insurance is under study by the House Committee on Employment Practices, which during last year's legislative session, approved the idea of self-insurance by Texas' largest employers.

Texas is reported to be second in the amount of worker's compensation premiums paid nationwide, with over \$1 billion last year (California led with \$3 billion).

Ed Kasper, director of the Worker's Compensation Section of the SBI, says Texas has had a reputation for high rates and low benefits, but he says the actual payouts in worker's compensation cases are high.

The Texas system, he told the committee during its hearings, is court-oriented, resulting in many out-of-court settlements for "lump sum" awards.

About 75 percent of all employers in Texas have worker's compensation coverage, according to the Industrial Accident Board, which processes some 155,000 claims annually.

Texas Association of Business has been a persistent critic of the system in recent years, arguing the rates are too high compared to other states - and that the "lump sum" provisions result in greater attorney involvement than is necessary.

TAB also pushed, in 1979, for self insurance by employers, but that died in the House.

David Gray of the Employment Practices Committee said the Worker's Compensation Subcommittee will meet again July 30 (and perhaps July 31) to wrap up its recommendations.

Self-insurance and "captive companies" along with rate matters are among the items to be consid-

ered, Gray reports.

State Finance Commission meets at 10 a.m. July 17 at the Department of Banking offices, to begin looking at any possible legislative changes which may be required under the recently enacted Depository Institutions Deregulation and Monetary Control Act (PL 96-221).

Among the matters to be considered are any changes needed to allow State-chartered banks to compete effectively with Federally-chartered banks, effects of the phase-in requirements for Federal Reserve membership for State-chartered banks, use of NOW accounts (in effect interest-bearing checking accounts) and other recent changes.

Also to be considered are the effects of the Federal pre-exemption of State interest rate ceilings (an area where the State could move to reinstate limits, although there are few indications at present of any desire on the part of financial institutions in favor of such a move).

Texas Supreme Court has refused to reconsider its ruling that "no reversible error" was made in a decision by the Beaumont Court of Civil Appeals in dismissing usury penalties in which the appeals court concluded finance charges were not interest by a "time-price differential."

In the dispute, from Jasper County, the trial court had ordered \$7,036 in penalties and \$750 in attorney's fees for a woman who contracted with Mid-State Homes, Inc., of Florida to buy a house and lot for \$4,350, paying \$150 down.

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A better decision

There's little doubt the United States needs to develop an updated land-based intercontinental ballistic missile system.

The hottest of the prospects currently is the controversial MX missile system now under consideration by the Congress. Nothing has been decided.

But Congressman Kent Hance was in Midland and Lubbock this week to talk about the MX because a portion of his 19th Congressional District possibly would serve as a site for some of the missiles if the project is approved and that option chosen.

A site for the missiles in Nevada-Utah is preferred, officials have indicated, but an option under consideration would involve splitting the missile conglomeration and locating a portion of the missiles in another location.

The South Plains-New Mexico area appears to be the prime location if that option is chosen.

Under the information available at this time, it appears that splitting the sites would be more costly and would place more individuals in danger in the event of an attack on the United States.

While most Americans probably understand the need for the updating of our nuclear arsenal in order to deter an attack, few understandably want that arsenal located in their backyards, so to speak.

But in considering whether the United States should congregate the missiles solely in the Nevada-Utah location or put a portion of them in another site, there is another consideration.

It's estimated that locating some of the missiles in the South

Plains region of Texas would effectively involve some 8,000 square miles of land. The land in that area is farmland, some of the richest and most valuable in the United States.

That land is needed for the production of food and fiber. To remove some of it from active agricultural production would mean further increasing the already rapidly rising cost of food and reducing the already dwindling amount of active farmland in this nation.

The area in question in Texas and New Mexico also is inhabited by a relatively large concentration of people. According to news accounts, the area being considered in Nevada-Utah is more sparsely populated, the land less suitable for the production of food and fiber.

Choosing to locate some of the missiles in the South Plains area also would mean the displacement of an estimated 3,000 to 4,000 individuals. Since the Nevada-Utah site is said to be more sparsely populated, probably fewer people would be displaced if all the missiles were located there.

A last consideration, of course, is money. The federal government owns considerable land in the Nevada-Utah area, but little in the Texas Panhandle and Eastern New Mexico. It would be more costly for the government to have to buy land for the second missile site.

All things considered, it's our opinion that all the MX missiles should be located in the Nevada-Utah region.

Leave the Texas South Plains and Eastern New Mexico for the production of food and fiber.



WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND GOP unified, but Democrats in disarray

DETROIT—As the Republican National Love-In convenes here, the GOP's biggest worry will be how to ignite the faintest spark of interest among the American public during all the long hours of prime-time network television.

Indeed, at this point the likeliest source of interest seems to be the appearance of one of Ronald Reagan's unsuccessful challengers as a TV commentator. But John Anderson is hardly the man to turn a quiet family barbecue into the kind of four-alarm fire that will keep viewers glued to their sets.

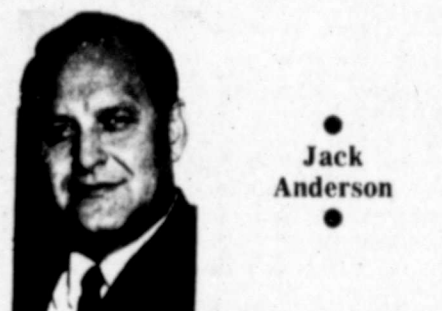
By contrast, the Democratic gathering in New York next month holds promise of being a Hatfield-McCoy shootout enacted "live" in millions of American living rooms.

Unlike Reagan's people, Jimmy Carter's team has a vital interest in seeing to it that the Democratic convention runs as smoothly as a preprogrammed Miss America contest. Unfortunately for them, Teddy Kennedy and his dwindling nucleus of loyalists seem intent on making the convention a Donnybrook of political shillelagh-swinging.

The smart-money bettors give Kennedy little chance of upsetting Carter and his lead of 600 or 700 delegates. But I have seen an internal Kennedy headquarters memorandum which discloses a confidence that, under the circumstances, strains the credibility of neutral observers. Apparently, the Kennedy camp actually thinks it can turn the convention upside-down and get their man nominated.

Cockily titled "Only 205 Days Until the Inauguration," the Kennedy staff memo seeks to bolster morale by noting that "with a swing of only 10 percent of the entire convention, the predicted nomination (of Carter) would change." Counting on that 1-in-10 shift of delegates, the Kennedy people discount the cold, hard numbers against them and think they can throw the convention into an uproar from which anything could emerge.

In the ensuing turmoil, sources told my associate Jack Mitchell, Ken-



Jack Anderson

edy's supporters hope they can prevent a first-ballot renomination of Carter and cause a temporarily deadlocked convention. According to the Kennedy game plan, delegates who are persuaded to abandon Carter on the first ballot will then move into the Kennedy camp.

The memo maintains that Carter has committed four public relations boobies in recent weeks that have seriously weakened his apparently unassailable convention position. These perceived errors may well be

THE BIBLE CAN YOU QUOTE IT?

By LAVINA ROSS FOWLER AND ELIZABETH ROSS WIERSEMA

1. The wild hyssop plant that we find first in the Bible, was in Egypt, where the Israelites used as a sprinkler at the first Passover, when escaping from slavery. It also grows wild in Palestine in crevices. In what purification ritual was it used? Leviticus 14:4-6.
 2. After Nathan had convinced King David of his wrong, what were some of his requests of God in Psalm 51?
 3. What are the wages of sin, according to Romans 6:23?
 4. In what way does First John urge that we show our devotion? 3:18.
 5. What is the story of Rhoda, who was a maid in Mary Mark's house? Acts 12:16.
- Four correct ... excellent, three ... good.

ART BUCHWALD Buying a pellet gun won't shorten grass

WASHINGTON — A 68-year-old man in Lawrence, Kans., was jailed recently after he refused to pay a fine and court costs for waving a pellet gun in the direction of two men mowing his lawn. The city of Lawrence has an ordinance that requires the mowing of grass once it gets more than 12 inches high.

Since the man refused to do it, the city sent out a crew to mow it, and then billed him for the labor. When the men came back to mow it again, the homeowner tried to chase them away with the pellet gun.

This story upset me very much, and I believe the reason it did is that I identify closely with the man who didn't want to cut his lawn. There are some ordinances that are good for the entire community, and there are others, such as this one, that seem to infringe on a person's freedom. What right does any city have to tell a person how high his grass should grow or to send people on his property to mow it?

I'll be very honest. I happen to like high grass. To me there is nothing more beautiful than to sit on the porch steps and watch thousands of tall blades of grass waving in the warm summer breeze. It can't grow too high as far as I'm concerned.



Art Buchwald

My wife, on the other hand, likes short grass. She believes everybody's lawn should look as smooth as a putting green on the Augusta National Golf Course. She also is afraid of her neighbors.

It seems almost every week she'll say something like, "I believe it's time someone cut the lawn."

"How do you know?"

"Because Seigel is cutting his," she says.

"Seigel is always mowing his lawn. I think he has a grass fetish."

"Sullivan is cutting his also."

"The only reason Sullivan is cutting his lawn is because Seigel started mowing his. I talked to Sullivan the other day, and he said he wished Seigel would take a rest for a few weeks and paint his kitchen instead."

"If we don't cut our lawn, everyone in the neighborhood will start talking about us."

"What can they possibly say?"

"They'll say we're troublemakers because we let our grass grow too tall."

"I don't see what the height of a person's lawn has to do with whether he is a good neighbor or not. People shouldn't be judged by the length of their grass."

"I hear Guggenheim's lawnmower going now."

"Sure, and do you know why? Because his wife saw Seigel and Sullivan cutting their lawns. I know for a fact that Guggenheim would rather play tennis today than mow his grass."

"How do you know that?"

"Because he had a game with Symington."

My wife looked out the window. "Then how come Symington is taking his lawn mower out of the garage?"

"Because Guggenheim canceled his game! Don't you see what's happening to all of us? We're becoming a nation of lawn mowers. We've lost the pioneer spirit that made this country great. Do you think Thomas Edison would have had time to invent the electric light bulb if his wife had kept going down to the cellar and telling him it was time to mow the lawn? We wouldn't have the telephone if Alexander Graham Bell had worried about his grass. Henry Ford couldn't have given a tinker's damn about his front yard."

"Do you want me to cut it, or are you going to do it?"

"You can't be serious. Who ever heard of a woman cutting grass? Physically, they're not built for it, and emotionally they can't take the pressure."

"Don't try to trick me with that women's liberation stuff. If you don't have any pride about our house, I do. But if I mow the lawn, you do the laundry."

"I'll cut it later when the weather cools off. I have an errand to do first."

"What are you going to do?"

"I think I'll go out and buy a pellet gun."

"What on earth for?"

"Just in case Seigel tries to cut my lawn."

The Country Parson by Frank Clark



"My parents had lots of energy-saving ideas — like opening the windows on a hot day."

BIBLE VERSE

And in the process of time it came to pass, that Cain brought of the fruits of the ground an offering unto the Lord. And Abel, he also brought of the firstlings of his flock and of the fat thereof. And the Lord had respect unto Abel and to his offering. Gen. 4:3,4.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Sunday, July 13, the 195th day of 1980. There are 171 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On July 13, 1960, the Democratic Party nominated Massachusetts Sen. John F. Kennedy for president at its convention in Los Angeles.

On this date: In 1787, Congress enacted an ordinance for the government of the Northwest Territory.

In 1863, rioting against the Civil War military draft broke out in New York. Nearly 1,000 people were killed in three days of disorder.

In 1974, the Senate Watergate Committee took its last official action, releasing a report that proposed sweeping changes in campaign law to prevent another scandal.

In 1977, New York City was paralyzed by a power blackout, and widespread looting erupted.

Ten years ago, the FBI described the Black Panther party as the most dangerous and violence-prone of the extremist groups in the United States.

Five years ago, a countdown began at Cape Canaveral, Fla., as Apollo astronauts prepared for a historic rendezvous with Soviet cosmonauts in space.

Last year, the Federal Aviation Administration allowed DC-10s back into the air, demanding design changes and frequent inspections to prevent another crash like the one in Chicago that took 273 lives.

NICK THIMMESCH

Right-wing pronouncements could undermine Reagan

WASHINGTON — The Republican Party, I guess, is something like that underdog baseball team, the Chicago Cubs. Every so often, both come close to winning a pennant (in politics, the Presidency and the House or Senate.) More often, however, they both wind up in the Second Division.

Much as I love those Chicago Cubs, they just don't win pennants. And much as I like to see good scraps between the two parties, the Republicans have rarely put it all together in our times.



Nick Thimmesch

political scientists claim that the Dewey Administration spent an inordinate amount of its first term recounting that campaign. Could the Reagan people come to such an interesting destiny?

Now the other syndrome which popped in front of my weary eyes is that affliction called political purism. Reagan always advertised his GOP Eleventh Commandment, Thou Shalt Not Speak Evil of Another Republican, but commandments were made to be broken and this one has been plenty. Still, Reagan has managed to maintain rather broad acceptance this political season, so I was unprepared for those scents of 1964 which have wafted my way recently.

Some blew in after Mt. Right-Wing erupted, covering poor old woodsman Howard Baker with its lethal lava, and killing any opportunity he had to become Reagan's partner this year. Baker was covered with a stream of denunciation. Indeed, at one point during this volcanic assault, I almost

believed that Howard Baker gave away the Panama Canal, spent the Republic into bankruptcy, and opened a string of abortion clinics.

If, after Tampico's celebrated son is nominated this week, the Reagan crowd begins stalking other Howard Bakers, and launching broadsides from the far right, indeed the holy fire might purify the campaign, but it could also frighten away that 78 percent of the voting public which doesn't call itself Republican.

After years of skewering knee-jerk liberals, I find myself ready to skewer another crowd of poltroons, the knee-jerk right-wingers. I guess that all knee-jerkers just don't like the marketplace of ideas, and evidently prefer ideological cartel.

If the knee-jerkers among the Reaganites prevail, why, there is a crafty country boy, now standing low and dismal in the polls who will use what force he has to crowd Reagan into a right-wing corner. That's one way that Jimmy Carter can get himself re-elected.

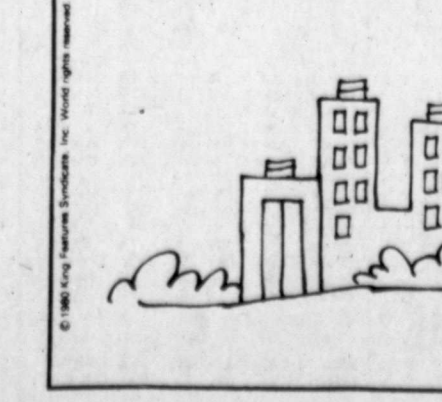
This country just doesn't elect far-outers of the Right or Left, as Barry Goldwater and George McGovern keep telling themselves in their sleep. Deep deep, many Reaganites would rather be Right than have him get elected President.

Presently, Carter looks like a goner because of accused inflation, climbing unemployment, and a gnawing notion that the very structure of our

economy may be cracking (steel and autos?) Still, the citizenry probably believes that stumber that he is, Carter can better handle the problems of war and peace and keeping the so-called common man happy. Any incumbent President is not to be undervalued in an election year. He carries a lot of life and death within his power box.

The Reagan people would spend their time better if they first thought about Tom Dewey, and then worked to build some sort of moderately conservative campaign for their man to conduct. Reagan will never win sounding like the tribunes who defamed Howard Baker in recent weeks, and Jimmy Carter, in the briar patch, can't wait until Reagan voices those Right-Wing threnodies.

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AUSTIN NOTEBOOK

Significant changes in court system among proposed amendments

By BILL KIDD Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Two proposals for significant changes in the criminal court system in Texas are included among the nine constitutional amendments upon which voters will be deciding this fall. One would give criminal jurisdiction to the existing 14 courts of civil appeals, and the second would grant the state a limited right of appeal in criminal cases. Both deserve serious consideration by any Texan concerned with the criminal justice system. The first proposal is a fairly straight-forward one, and is aimed at relieving some of the burden on the Court of Criminal Appeals. New cases handled by that court have increased from 1,057 in 1970 to 3,166 in 1979, and a significant backlog exists — despite increasing the number of justices in 1977 from five to nine, and allowing them to sit as three-judge panels for non-capital cases. Essentially, there have been three approaches suggested over the years as a means of reducing the time (now about 23 months) for the court to dispose of the appeals reaching it. One approach, creation of a unified judicial system by merging the civil and criminal appeals courts, was rejected by voters in 1975. Creation of intermediate appellate courts for criminal cases also has been proposed, but has found little support in the legislature due to the cost involved. The third solution is that proposed in the constitutional amendment: giving criminal jurisdiction to the courts of civil appeal (which, under an amendment approved in 1978, can be expanded from three to six justices — something the legislature has done in three of the courts.) That proposal has been endorsed by the Texas Judicial Council and various attorneys and judges, including Texas Supreme Court Chief Justice Joe Greenhill. Speaking to the Texas Bar convention in Dallas, Greenhill argued that "with the time for appeal being greatly shortened, the innocent would go free or get a new trial, and the guilty will begin the service of their time more promptly" — which "should be a major deterrent to crime." Support for the idea isn't unanimous, however; some see the proposal as slowing down, not speeding up, the appeals process, and also leading to confusion by differing interpretations by appeals courts. And opinion on the proposal at the Court of Criminal Appeals also appears to be divided, with at least one member opposed to the plan. But opposition on that proposal may be mild, compared with the potential hostility to the amendment giving the state a limited right of appeal in criminal cases — a suggestion which traditionally has raised the hackles of civil libertarians. Article V, Section 26, of the Texas Constitution says "The state shall have no right of appeal in criminal cases." The proposal facing voters would allow the state to appeal a trial judge's ruling on the constitutionality of a statute, and on motions to suppress evidence, or quashing, dismissing or setting aside indictments. The state still would have no right to appeal the acquittal of a defendant — which, it is argued, is what the constitutional ban was intended to prevent. The issue of the state appealing in criminal cases erupted recently within the Court of Criminal Appeals, in the case of Joseph Stanley Faulder, sentenced to death after a Gregg County jury found him guilty in the death of a 75-year-old Gladewater widow during an attempt to rob her home. Faulder's conviction was overturned by the court on grounds police officers continued questioning him after he had indicated he needed a "couple of days to get this straight in (my) mind" — which the court concluded amounted to a violation of his right to remain silent, (while noting that Faulder never had requested an attorney and had been advised earlier of his rights.) Gregg County Criminal District Attorney Odus Hill then petitioned the court to stay its reversal, to enable him to take the case to the U.S. Supreme Court for its review — which the Texas court agreed to do, 5-4. The dissenters argued that the action amounts to nothing more than allowing the state the right of appeal in a criminal case — by taking the case outside the state system and into the federal system. Under the proposed amendment, prosecutors still wouldn't have grounds for appeal within the state system — but the bitterness permeating some of the opinions issued by the court in the Faulder case indicate how high feelings can run in the matter. Unfortunately, the proposed amendment may offer less than a "clean shot" at the question of state appeals (which are allowed in all but three other states.) Rep. Ben Z. Grant, Marshall, chairman of the House Judiciary Committee and president of the Judicial Council, is among those who believe the proposal would result in defense attorneys being able to appeal rulings on motions — before a case could be tried. That complicates the issue even further — and is another reason Texans should look carefully at the two proposals which they'll be able to decide on Nov. 4.

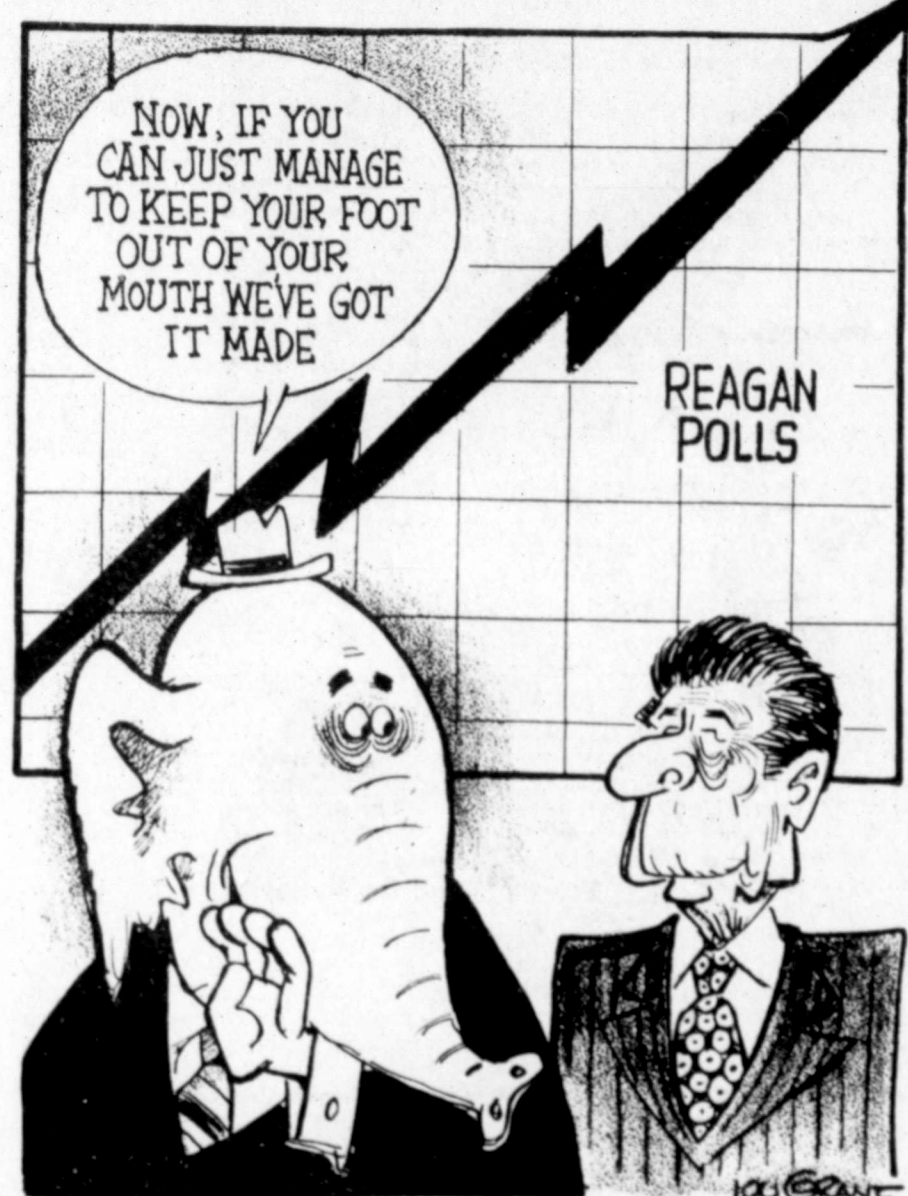
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

They came begging

To The Editor: This is in response to Mr. Shaner's letter published in your paper wherein he criticizes Congress for interfering with big business in the form of Penn Central, New York City and Chrysler. It appears to me he has his facts mixed up. Congress did not go to these three entities offering to help, these three entities came to Congress begging. The problems presented in each of these cases are those of management's inability to manage. If Chrysler's management had cared enough to go down to the assembly line and make certain it was creating a decent product and if said management had had enough brains in the higher echelon to foresee the trend toward small cars, it would not have encountered the difficulties it did and would not have been required to go running to Congress to bail it out. The automotive industry does not want to be regulated, but right now it is trying to get Congress to regulate its competition from foreign markets. Big government responds to big business. If business does not want to be regulated, then don't go to Congress when in trouble. If I, as an individual, had the breaks that big business has, maybe I could afford to live as comfortably as management does. I repeat a statement I previously made in this newspaper: "It is time

the voting and consuming public realizes that free enterprise and big business are not synonymous, but big business and big government are." Mary M. Kniffen Midland

Why the draft?

To The Editor: Is it necessary? Why the draft? Congress once again has gone against the wishes of the people and has appropriated 13.3 million of your tax dollars to do it. An argument used to pass this legislation was that it was only registration, not a draft. But the real purpose of a draft registration is to get us ready for war. It is much easier to control a nation when it is at war than when it is at peace. War brings instant control by the government. Our problems would no doubt be worsened by war. War just wouldn't solve any problems except for the international bankers and Israel. Now if the president and his administration really want to protect us why don't they do something about Cuba, why did they treasonously give away the Panama Canal? There are a great many more such acts which would be too numerous to mention. We should realize that there is a war going on right now. It is a war waged against the American people by some greedy politicians and by some greedy pressure groups. Pray God above for patriotic, knowledgeable, sensible and especially God-fearing leaders of our fair land. Vote such people in office and our nation will once again become the idol of the world. R. Neumann Midland

pointed in some things they saw and ate. They couldn't understand some of the cowboy-Western sayings, and didn't have the pleasure of eating a Texas size steak while traveling from Houston to San Antonio to Carlsbad Caverns. They did get to eat pinto beans and Mexican food. We explained to them what "Cotton Pickin'" meant, and that a tube sock had no heel shape, and they decided to take some of them back home with them as gifts for their friends. They couldn't understand why foreigners were treated friendlier in the Midwest. There were 110 tour vans from this one company that left New York this summer for L.A. Surely Midland can offer travelers a one day and night's entertainment. We have the Oil Museum and the Haley Museum. We could explain to them our Western Heritage. (And Yes, the Summer Mummies which you would have to explain to a foreigner!) If they could see some of Midland's castles and how we live, wouldn't that be good public relations? Oh, I wish we had the Hill house to show off, and NOT OUR HIGH TAXES! We met a policeman ("hobby") involved with the embassy takeover in London that was blown up and three others from within 10 miles of my husband's home in Runcorn, England. They couldn't get over our friendliness and helpful suggestions and are going to call on our friends and relations when they return to England. Can't we entice foreigners to travel to our city for sightseeing? Mrs. Brian (Pat) Conway Midland

shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any state on account of sex. 2. The Congress shall have the power to enforce, by appropriate legislation, the provisions of this article. 3. This amendment shall take effect two years after the date of ratification. THAT'S THE ENTIRE AMENDMENT — regardless of what radical and ridiculous statements have been made to the contrary. Should not the women of the United States be granted the same rights as all the other minorities? Betty Ireland Midland

MX alternatives

To The Editor: In response to the Federal government's announced consideration of possible placement of the MX missile system in West Texas and eastern New Mexico, I offer the following suggestions as more efficient, more effective, less population disrupting, and less costly alternative solutions to the site selection dilemma: 1. Install the MX system on a large tract of isolated land of little intrinsic value already owned by the government. The site that fulfills these requirements is Fort Irwin, California. It is an inactive U.S. Army Post approximately the size of the state of Rhode Island with terrain consisting mostly of parched flatland. As one of the Army's largest and most remote installations, it served as a staging area for some troops during World War II but was little utilized thereafter. Since 1972, it has been under the management of the California National Guard. Recently, the U.S. Army has been giving consideration to again assuming control of it as a training center. The nearest town is Barstow, California, 40 miles away. It is 120 miles from Los Angeles, 135 miles from Las Vegas, and 45 miles from Death Valley. 2. Install the MX system on the thousands of miles of recently or soon to be inactivated railroad trackage of our nation's several bankrupt or reduced mileage railroads. This system could complement the highway MX system proposed by Senator John Glenn but has the advantage of using roadbed not utilized by other vehicles. It has the further advantage of being widely dispersed throughout the country and being relatively cost effective when compared to the high cost and relative concentration of the presently approved MX system to be installed in Utah and Nevada. It is a viable alternative means for installing the remaining portion of the MX system rather than placing total reliance on the "race track" concept. It should be pointed out that railway and highway mobility are the methods of choice selected by the Soviet Union for their 5,000-mile range missiles targeted on the United States. As a military veteran of World War II, the Korean Conflict and the Vietnam Conflict, I am stimulated to constructively comment on this important and necessary strategic defense weapon system. It is needed, but it requires an appropriate site in order to optimize its ability to deter World War III. John A. Buesseler Lubbock

Can hardly wait

To The Editor: This morning a group of our senior citizens from the Midland Senior Center under the Parks and Recreation Department toured the old Circle Fire Station which is being remodeled to provide a Senior Center of which, at long last, Midland can be proud. It is scheduled for completion in October. We have been busy selecting colors and furniture, mostly tables (the long kind of folding ones used in churches), card tables, folding chairs and other needs in lesser quantities. We expect to have a piano, which is needed for the many singing groups who come to entertain us. There will be a men's lounge and pool room, but I am afraid the ladies will like it so much they will pay many visits to that area. Also, a library and lounge room. Included are a multi-purpose sewing and craft room, a ceramic and painting room with kiln, a woodworking shop where people handy with saws, hammers, nails, etc. can work on cabinets and other things of that nature. Adequate rest rooms and storage rooms. Now, to the old big room where the fire engines were housed — this main activity room is 30 feet 8 inches x 64 feet and looks huge, but, I bet we will fill it up. This has a small stage and is where the lunches will be served, the card and domino players will battle, and the exercise groups will meet. In back of this room they added a new kitchen which will be adequate to prepare for 150 diners. In an added area in front are the entry hall, the receptionist's room, the manager's room and a coat room. We can hardly wait! For eight years the First Christian Church has housed the Senior Citizens and we appreciate everything they have done for us since the days when our daily attendance average was five or six to now when we have an average of sixty-six people, still in the same area where we began all those years ago. We thank them from the bottom of our hearts and hope they will visit us often. Katy Shriver, President Midland Senior Center Membership Council

Warn youngsters

To The Editor: I am presently serving time in the Texas Dept. of Corrections, in Huntsville, Texas. I would like to express the point to society that crime don't pay. And I would like you to express it to the younger people that the use of drugs and alcohol will one day lead them right here where I am. I believe if we had more people in our community, dedicated to the younger people as Officer Steve Otto, Midland would be a far greater place to live. I firmly believe that in a city such as ours, we could set up programs for the younger people to know more about drug and alcohol abuse. If the point was firmly stressed, to those of the elementary age, our children will have had a better chance in succeeding the fight against drugs. Young people should be aware of the fact that involving themselves in drugs and alcohol is very damaging to the mind as well as the body. Midland is a growing community, and one day will be left in the hands of those that are just kids today. So I pray that Midland as a community should work together in straying those away from the poisonous use of drugs and alcohol. I am aware that we have such programs as Palmer Drug Abuse Center, Alcoholics Anonymous, Halfway House and such various programs. These programs are for those which have already had the tragic experiences. But shouldn't we be more concerned in putting programs together for those that have not come into contact? Anyone interested and care to share their thoughts and concern about the future of our children and city, please write to this address. I have various ideas I would be willing to discuss. Dennis Earl Hodge Sr. (300115) Wynne Unit B3-4-20 Huntsville, Texas 77340

POSITIVE THINKING Great Physician can extend help

By NORMAN VINCENT PEALE One day, I was sitting in a shoe shine parlor in a Western city, a place distinguished for its super-comfortable chairs, when someone sank into the seat beside me. It was a youngish-looking man who turned to me, saying with a somewhat pathetic smile: "I don't particularly need a shine, but I get so tired. I know they have easy chairs in this place, so I come in now and then to get a little rest at the price of a shine." He was such a fine appearing fellow that I said, "A man as young as you shouldn't get so tired." "Oh, I'm not so young," he answered. "I'm 53. And I do seem to get very tired. Maybe I don't know how to rest any more." We talked a bit more and finished up our shines about the same time. So we left together and stood outside a moment. "I'll give you a parting suggestion about resting, if you like," I told him. "I don't want you to think I'm a busybody or that I'm trying to preach to you, but I don't think that it's your

feet that get tired — perhaps, indeed most likely, it's your mind and your thoughts that make you tired. It may be that you need only to refresh your thoughts." "There are some words," I continued, "that you can memorize and say over to yourself a half-dozen times a day that will help you to live without fatigue: 'They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk and not faint; 'My presence shall go with thee, and I will give thee rest.'" "I know the first one," he told me, "but the second is new to me." I repeated it for him and he walked away. As I watched him go, it seemed to me that I could see him straighten up and stride with renewed energy. I never saw that man again and perhaps never shall see him. And he probably wonders who it was who gave him that curious prescription. But I was glad I could say something to help him just when he needed it, and in so doing, I was acting for the

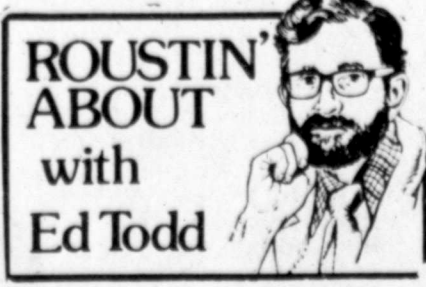
Great Physician, who can help us not to be tired and weary, or to live with fatigue. Between trains one morning in a certain town, I dropped in to see a friend of mine, a very active store operator. "How are you, Jim?" I asked. "Fine," he replied, then added, "I wouldn't admit it if I weren't." Then he explained that he believes that the character of one's thoughts actually colors his feelings. If a person habitually thinks in terms of strain, effort and tiredness, his mind will cause his body, and indeed his entire being, to accept this condition. So he practices thinking "energizing thoughts," as he describes them. He consciously affirms that his thoughts are connected with God who is the source of all energy. And this energy is constantly available to him so long as he "plugs" his thoughts into God's vast reservoir of power. Thus he thinks, talks and acts in terms of newness of life. And it works, for he is a most dynamic person. He relaxes too, for that helps him rebuild energy.

Accept good fortune of others

This is a world of fortune and misfortune. Either you feel fortunate, or you don't. You're either glad to be alive, or you wonder why. You figure fortune is just any ol' time away, or your lot in life is that of the unfortunate woman in Guy de Maupassant's "The Diamond Necklace." You either laugh and go on or sigh and cry. Or you do all of the above and say "What the heck!" and go about your business. Bat Masterson apparently did the latter and took what fate had to offer him...or what he could muster for himself. "There are many in this old world of ours who hold that things break about even for all of us," said the American frontiersman. "I have observed, for example, that we all get the same amount of ice. The rich get it in the summertime and the poor get it in the winter." There is the proverbial "rags-to-riches" dream which fades in and out of many lives but which but awakens unto reality in others. Despite fair weather, some poor souls somehow drift into storms of time and find that they are in kinship with the hapless couple in Frank Norris' "McTeague." That is a shame. Butty good-fellows; do not seek

smugness or consolation in the misfortunes of others. But don't pity them either. They need hope and power from within. "All of us," wrote Duc de La Rochefoucauld, "have sufficient fortune to bear the misfortune of others." Easily, you can do that in the comfort of your den, while you read through your latest copy of "Geo," the old "National Geographics" or "Life," passively view some documentary on television, hear about a human crisis over the radio, or read about another tragedy in the newspaper. The old cynic, Mark Twain, had a philosophical approach which most of mankind — with a bent toward the humorous — can appreciate: "By trying, we can easily learn to endure adversity — another man's." A brethren in cynicism, Ambrose

Bierce, made this observation: "Calamities are of two kinds: misfortune to ourselves, and good fortune for others." Now, many there are who rely on fate for their dose of fortune; many are disappointed. "I must complain," wrote Jonathan Swift, "the cards are ill shuffled till I have a good hand." The blessings of fortune are obvious, while the benefits of misfortune may be obscure. "Adversity reveals genius," said Latin poet Horace. "Prosperity conceals it." Francis Bacon had something equally enlightening to impart: "Prosperity doth best discover vice; but adversity doth best discover virtue." And Michel de Montaigne became the old sage of hope when he penned: "Experience has taught me this: That we undo ourselves by impatience. Misfortunes have their life and their limits, their sickness and their health." "Never find your delight in another's misfortune," advised said Publilius Syrus. And the most quotable William Shakespeare allowed: "Everyone can master a grief but he that has it." Now, here's the wish: May you treasure the good fortune of others just as you treasure fortune in your life.



Likes Wild River

To The Editor: My family and I have just spent an enjoyable evening at Wild River Canyon and I want the people of Midland to know just how nice it is. I have lived in Midland for 25 years and all I've ever heard is that there is nothing to do in Midland. Well, now there is! We should all be so thankful to the people who built Wild River Canyon. This is a family park, where you can go and spend an entire day or go after 8 p.m. and enjoy a nice cool evening of fun. I live close to the park and believe me, it looks a lot better than the dump grounds that were there before. So please Midland — go out and support this fine facility and let's show the people in charge of Wild River Canyon that we appreciate what they've done for us. Shirley Spaulding Midland

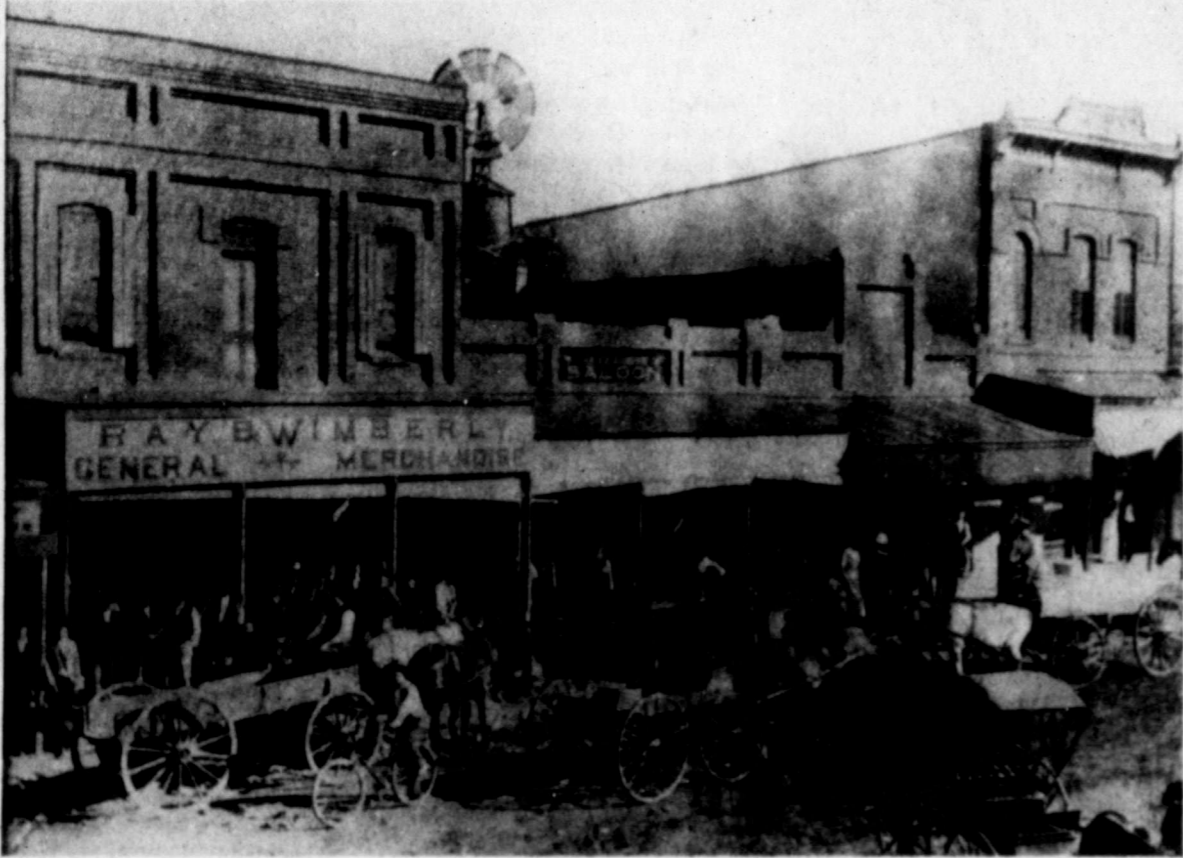
ERA text

To The Editor: I am constantly amazed at the number of people who speak with such authority regarding the Equal Rights Amendment and know absolutely nothing whatsoever about it. Would you please publish the complete text of the amendment for those who have not taken the time to be informed. "I. Equality of rights under the law

Enticing foreigners

To The Editor: Midland has missed the boat. This past month, we were lucky enough to meet about 40 European travelers, who travel in 13 passenger van tour guides from New York to L.A. for a total price including airfare of \$1,000 American money. At evening time they would pitch a tent at the campsites close to their evening's entertainment and plans for the next day. They even went to see a drive-in movie, but were disap-

90 Years of Great Banking.



Main street of Midland in 1890



Interior of the bank in 1939

On July 14, 1980, Midland's oldest continuous business will celebrate its 90th birthday.

The First National Bank of Midland was founded on that day in 1890 in the small cowtown that sprang forth from a mail car that was parked on a rail siding halfway between Fort Worth and El Paso. The siding was the result of the Texas and Pacific railroads' push westward...and Midland, or Midway as it was initially called, provided a convenient resting stop on the rail route.

Five years before the bank was organized, the commissioner's court of Midland County met for the first time after Midland County had been carved from Tom Green County, and an election was held to name public officials. Midland County became a reality, and \$3,000 was contributed toward the construction of a courthouse and jail.

By 1890 the area was beginning to need a bank to serve the growing population. A group of men--mostly ranchers-- pooled what resources they had and founded The First National Bank. It was among the first banks in the West Texas and New Mexico area.

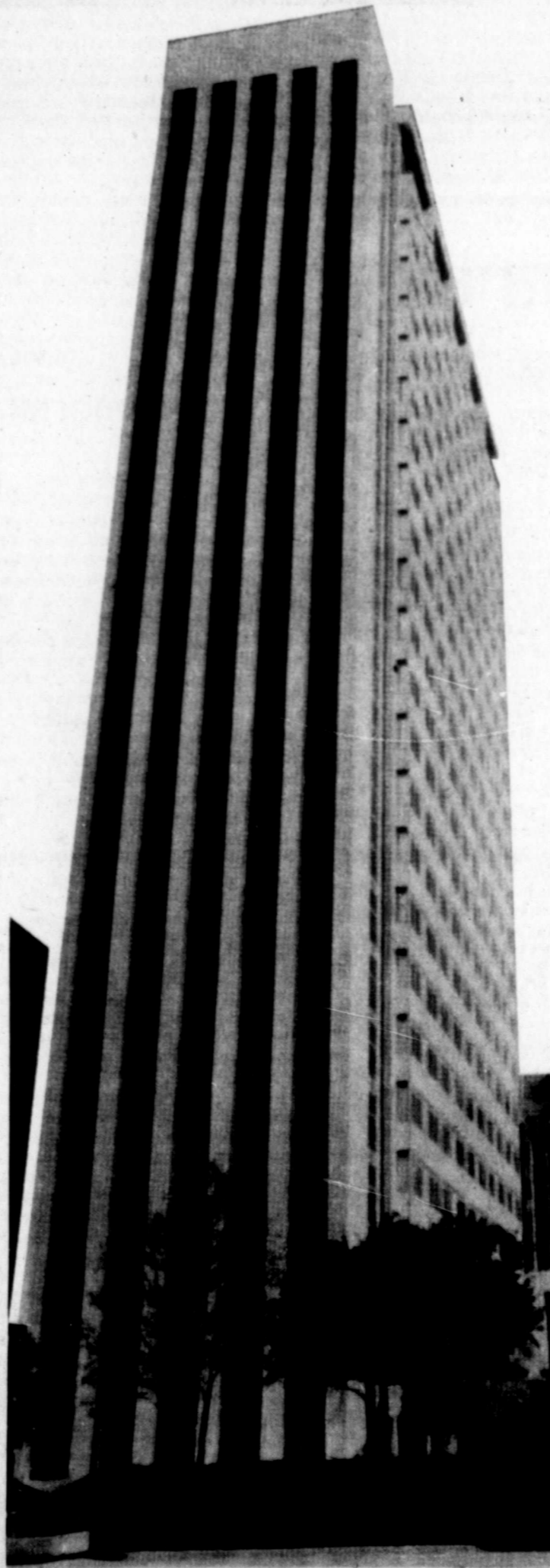
The bank's first cashier was W.E. Connell, a young, aggressive and experienced banker. As general manager, he had the responsibilities of getting the fledgling bank profitably off the ground. Working with Connell from the beginning was W.H. Cowden, who was named vice-president in the original charter. Later he served as president of First National and continued to serve through the first World War and afterward.

First National Bank financed the County's first public works program initiated by the commissioners on September 19, 1890, when the judge ordered three men and a team and wagon to fill Abilene Street to grade in front of J. J. Westmoreland's building. The cashier of the bank advanced \$25 to pay for the project, and the loan was repaid on October 6, 1890.

The bank was 11 years old when a petition was circulated to incorporate the town and form a city government. The vote was approved by 93-69.

After 1923--during the years of transition from a ranching economy to an oil economy--the bank was guided by Clarence Scharbauer, Sr., a successful rancher and civic leader who served as the president of the bank until 1942.

The bank saw the depression come and go; and by 1935 when First National was 45 years old, oil became a prominent factor in the economy when crews west of Midland struck oil near Goldsmith and later opened a field that was to produce 100 million barrels of oil within the next 15 years.



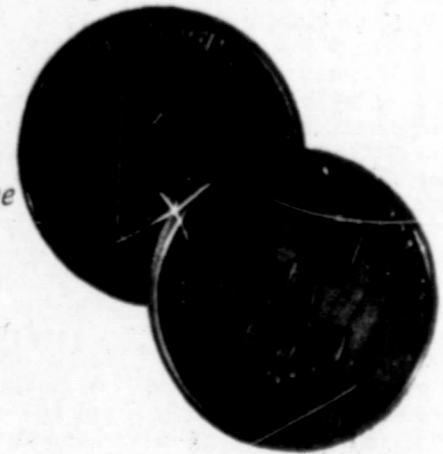
First National - 1980

By 1940 when First National had reached its 50th birthday, Midland was a growing city of 9,352 and was becoming interested in aviation. Sloan Field--which later became Midland Airport--was designed as a stop on the Army Airways System, and the city built four houses at the field for enlisted men who were stationed there to service military planes.

Following Scharbauer as president of the bank were M. C. Ulmer, Jno. P. Butler, the late C. J. Kelly and Wilbur A. Yeager, Jr. The current president is Charles D. Fraser, who assumed leadership of the bank in January, 1980.

As we celebrate 90 years of great banking, we thank you, Midland for making our celebration possible!

When you do business at First National tomorrow don't forget to ask for our specially cast commemorative coin.



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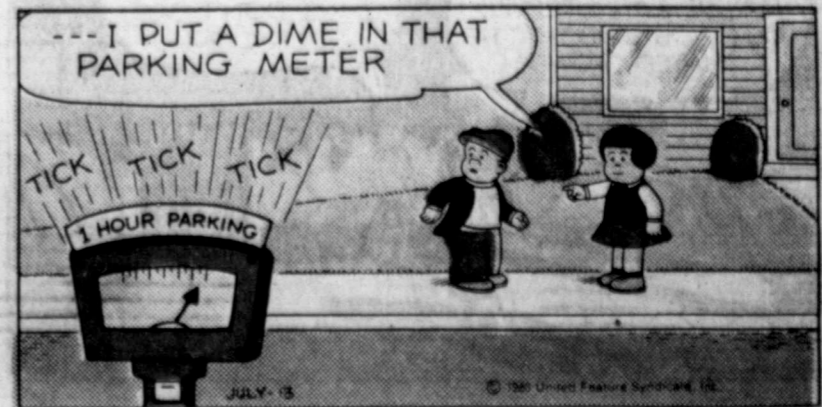
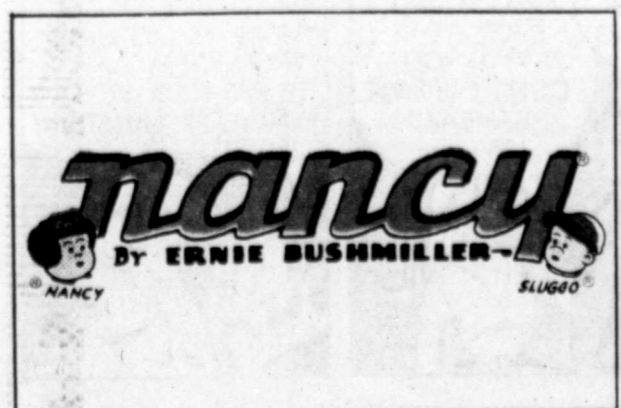
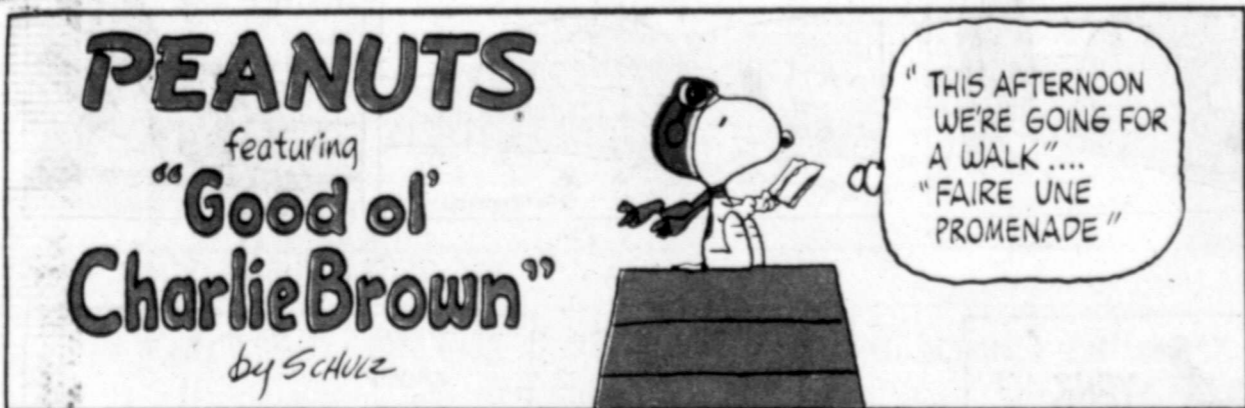
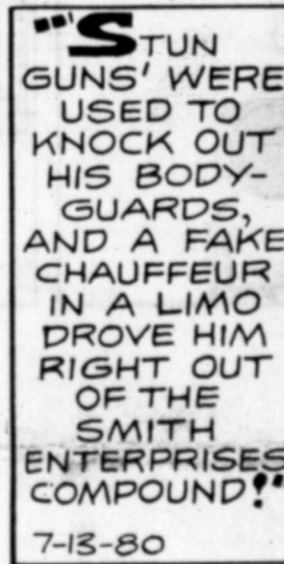
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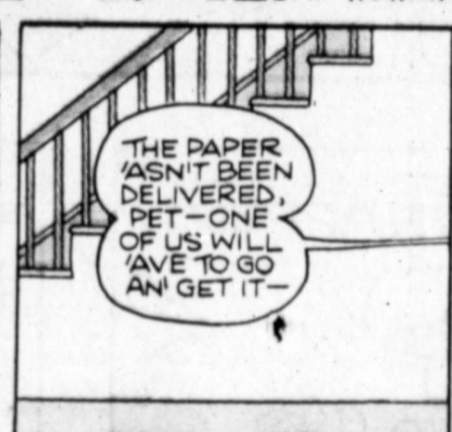
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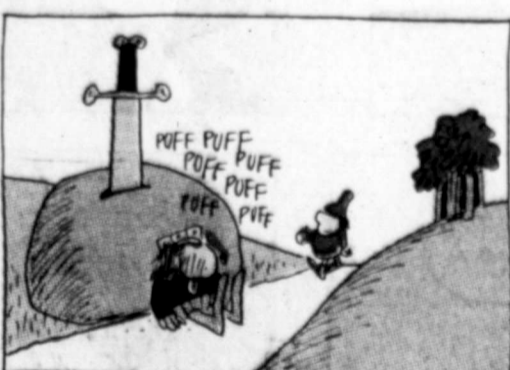
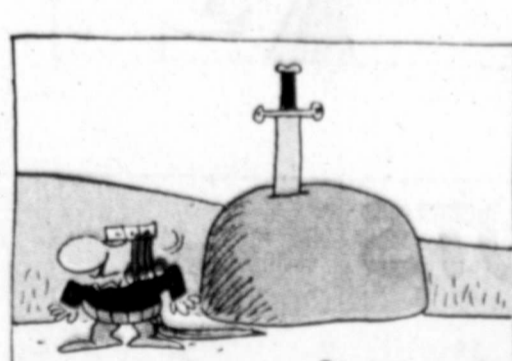
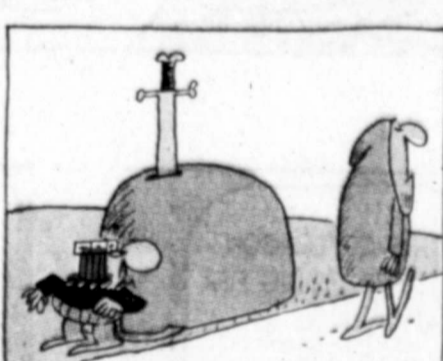
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by **Frank Ketcham**
The Dents of Rome



ANDY CAPP
by **Smythe**



THE WIZARD OF ID
BY **PARKER AND HART**



MARY WORTH





hints from Heloise

DEAR HELOISE:

Here's an idea for mothers with young children: Buy an inexpensive photo album with magnetic pages and cut out pictures for it from catalogs, junk mail, etc. Put them in the album, randomly or alphabetically, then staple the top and bottom of each page.

On a long trip, little fingers can turn the plastic pages easily and an older child can play games such as "where is" with a younger one.

Parents can use the book at home as there are so many different things to talk about to a child. Baby learns from it also.

Most of the albums have only 20 pages so if you are arranging the items alphabetically combine the least used letters, such as "X, Y, Z" etc., on one page.

This book is also good for waiting rooms (doctor's offices, etc.) and it doesn't get soiled easily.

Mrs. J. Hicks

You surely came up with a goodie this time, Mrs. Hicks.

And when those little ones tire of one set of pictures, new ones easily can be added in place of the old ones (which will make them happy)

without spending another red cent (which will make Mom and Dad happy).

Hugs, Heloise



PIN A BUTTON

DEAR HELOISE:

Yesterday while cleaning up in my sewing room, I found several buttons waiting to be sewn on the proper garments.

Not having time to sew them on just then, and not wanting to lose them again, I pinned each button with a large safety pin to its respective garment.

Later when time allows I can just sew them on without frantically hunting the lost buttons.

S.L.C.

COFFEE CUE

DEAR HELOISE:

I have found a little trick for those who like instant coffee...

Measure your coffee, sugar and powdered creamer according to taste into one jar and mix. Then, when you want a quick cup of coffee, just spoon this mixture into a cup and add hot water.

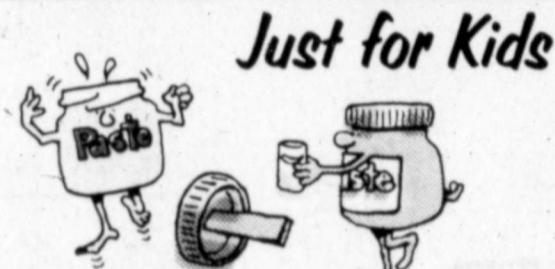
This works best, though, with brands of coffee which are fine and powdery. If you use one that is kind of coarse and crystal-like, give the jar a shake or two before using, to re-mix the ingredients.

Vicki Seichter

DEAR READER:

This is your column. If you'd like to share a hint, ask a question or make a suggestion, write me care of this newspaper.

Hugs, Heloise



Just for Kids

WATER TO THE RESCUE

DEAR HELOISE:

You know how frustrating it is when paste dries up. Mine did the other day when my cousins left the lid off the jar.

I simply put a little bit of water in the jar, swished it around and mixed it in with the paste until the water turned milky white, then just dumped the water out. It worked great!

Sarah Smith, Age 9



NECESSITY'S THE MOTHER.....

DEAR HELOISE:

I wanted to wrap a birthday present for my brother but we had no paper. Then, I thought of some adhesive-backed plastic Mom had left from lining the shelves in our room. It had rocket ships and space men all over it.

I covered the top of the box (there wasn't enough paper for the bottom part but it didn't show anyway) and it turned out super.

My brother liked it so much he's going to keep the box for his school supplies. He says it is very sturdy now.

My Mom liked it because she didn't have to stop and go to the store.

Gene

LETTER OF LAUGHTER

DEAR HELOISE:

When I was a little girl I disliked housework as much as I do now...

I would use any excuse to get out of cleaning my room but, when my mother had threatened her final threat, I knew it was get busy or suffer the consequences.

So I put my imagination to work and pretended that the fairy princess was coming and I was her maid and had to prepare the room for Her Majesty.

In no time at all my room would be neat and clean. I would be enjoying a make-believe tea party in my room with my guest.

I've long outgrown the fairy princess but, when the house is a disaster, the "lazies" have overtaken me, and I just can't get going, I borrow a page from that long ago era...

I pretend my mother-in-law — or, worse yet, my own mother — is coming for a visit! You would be surprised how that spurs me on!

L.C.

FOR THE BATH

DEAR HELOISE:

A canister set in the bathroom keeps dusting powder, cotton swabs, bath oil balls, etc., within easy reach. Brightens up the room as well.

Laura Brunner

LID LINE-UP

DEAR HELOISE:

I only have one shelf in my pots and pans cupboard, so the lids always ended up falling to the floor.

To remedy this problem and to make it easy for me to find the lids, I put a plastic dish drainer on the floor of the cupboard on top of an old plastic place mat.

Now, the lids all stand in order and I have no trouble finding one just the right size.

Laura Brunner



BRUSH UP

DEAR HELOISE:

Just found a use for old nail polish brushes.

They are just perfect for gluing small articles such as those used in arts and crafts. Really keeps things neat!

"Ber"

GLOVELY IDEA

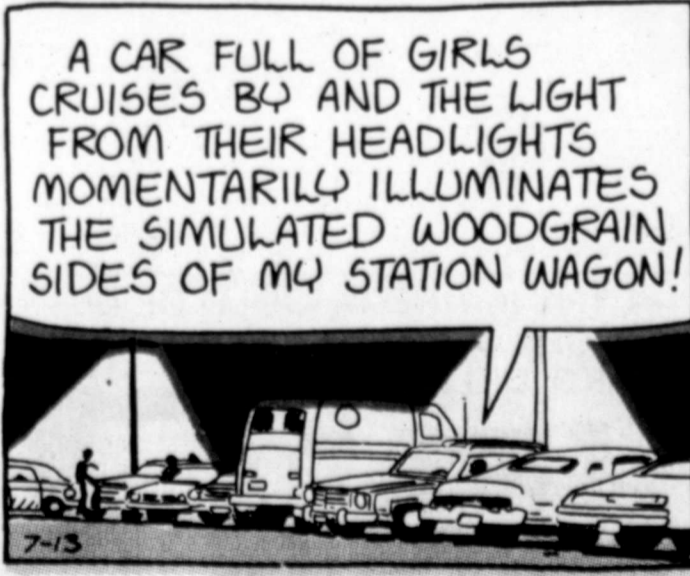
DEAR HELOISE:

When I found a large spider in my gardening gloves, which I keep in the tool shed, I realized something had to be done. So now I keep the gloves in a jar with a tight lid.

No more spiders, no more insects, no more shocks.

Beatrice

FUNKY WINKERBEAN



by Tom Batiuk



CHIPS

SUMMER, DAME EDITH AND TROLLEZ ARE FLYING WITH THE PILOT ABOARD THE HELICOPTER.... STEVE AND A BRITISH INTELLIGENCE MAN IN THE LIGHT AIRCRAFT. THE CHIPS ARE DOWN!

— THE WHEEL IS SPINNING...



THEY'LL LOOK FOR PURSUIT FROM THE REAR AND ABOVE!

READY, ROBBIE?

QUITE, DADDY-O! THEY SAY IT WAS LIKE THIS IN WORLD WAR ONE!



NO RADIO CONTACT?

MONITORED BY SOME HAM? THEY SEE US! THE RECOGNITION SIGNAL IS THE SHEET ON THE LANDING AREA!



Слушай!!

WHAT IS THE LIGHT AIRCRAFT JUST BELOW THE HELICOPTER?!!



NOW!



PULL IT UP!



IT COMES AGAIN!

HELICOPTER! GO AWAY! IT IS NOT WORTH IT!



IVAN, I COULDN'T HAVE PUT IT BETTER MYSELF!

STEVE! THEY'VE BROKEN OUT MACH---

The BETTER HALF

BY VINSON

Featuring HARRIET and STANLEY PARKER



"Cheer up, Stanley, the barbecue was a success... you ran out of food because you didn't think the firemen would be that hungry."



"Your interrogation techniques smack of the Spanish Inquisition. Now I know how far back you REALLY go!"



"Made it out of scraps, eh? With a penny-pincher like you riding it, will it be a cheap skateboard or a CHEAPSKATE board?"



"Oh, yes Mrs. Parker, Stanley is my right-hand man. Fortunately, I'm left-handed."



"I haven't seen so many wrinkles since some-time before the invention of permanent press."

JUDGE PARKER

by Harold Ledoux

COULDN'T I TAKE MELANIE HOME TONIGHT, TALK IT OVER WITH BILL AND CALL YOU IN THE MORNING, DOCTOR?

I THINK SHE SHOULD BE SEEN BY A CHILD PSYCHIATRIST TONIGHT, MRS. DELACORD!

SHE'S A DISTURBED YOUNGSTER! SHE'S FRIGHTENED, ALMOST AUTISTIC!

I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO SAY...

BETH, I THINK YOU SHOULD DO WHAT THE DOCTOR SUGGESTS!

BUT BILL MIGHT GET UPSET...

THERE'S NO REASON FOR HIS GETTING UPSET! IT'S A PROBLEM THAT I CAN'T HANDLE!

MRS. DELACORD, YOUR HUSBAND IS ON THE PHONE! YOU CAN TAKE IT AT THE NURSES' STATION!

THEN HE MUST BE HOME AND SAW MY NOTE!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING AT THE HOSPITAL WITH MELANIE?! GET BACK OUT HERE IMMEDIATELY!

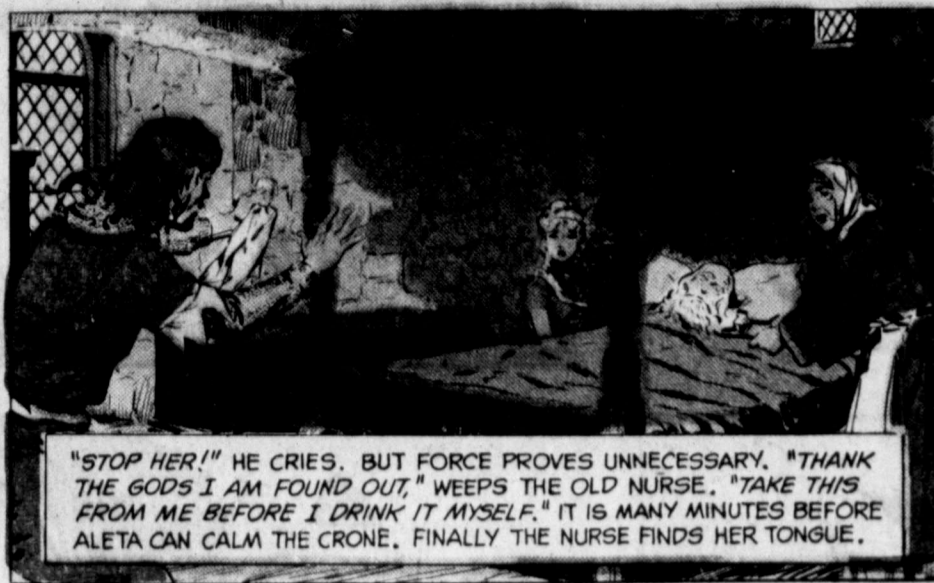
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Prince Valiant

CREATED BY HAL FOSTER

Our Story:
GAWAIN GETS GALAN'S MESSAGE FROM A DOG'S MOUTH. HE BURSTS INTO ARTHUR'S CHAMBER.



"STOP HER!" HE CRIES. BUT FORCE PROVES UNNECESSARY. "THANK THE GODS I AM FOUND OUT," WEEPS THE OLD NURSE. "TAKE THIS FROM ME BEFORE I DRINK IT MYSELF." IT IS MANY MINUTES BEFORE ALETA CAN CALM THE CRONE. FINALLY THE NURSE FINDS HER TONGUE.

"MANY YEARS AGO," SHE BEGINS, "MY ONLY SON, ODO, RESOLVED TO TRY HIS LUCK IN THE LISTS. HE TURNED A DEAF EAR TO MY PLEAS. THE POOR BOY: HIS FIRST OPPONENT WAS SIR MORDRED.



"I BEGGED THE MAN TO HAVE PITY. HE MERE- LY LAUGHED. ON THE FIRST PASS, MORDRED'S LANCE CAUGHT ODO ON THE HELMET AT FULL TILT. SINCE THAT DAY HE HAS BEEN A SIMPLETON.



"A MONTH AGO, SIR MORDRED FOUND ODO STEALING A CHICKEN. 'YOU WILL DO ME A SERVICE,' HE THREATENED, 'OR YOUR SON WILL HANG.'



"EVERY NIGHT AS I BROUGHT THE KING HIS TONIC, MORDRED LURKED IN THE PASSAGEWAY. I ASKED NO QUESTIONS."



"THE HARM YOU HAVE DONE," ALETA WHISPERS SOOTHINGLY, "YOU HAVE JUST UNDONE. GAWAIN, WE MUST TALK."

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NEXT WEEK: A Healthy Appetite

REX MORGAN, M. D.

by Dal Curtis



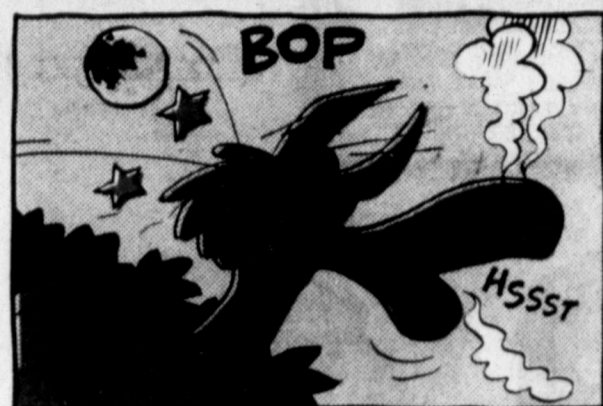
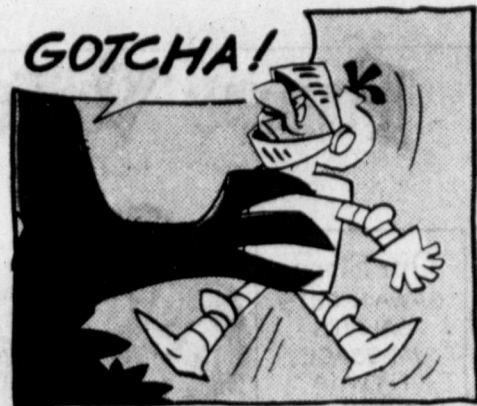
STEVE ROPER and MIKE NOMAD

by Saunders & Overgard



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SHORT RIBS



DIRTY WORLD

DELEGATES ARE ARRIVING HERE IN DETROIT, FOR THE... **WELCOME**

PSSST! HEY, BUDDY! WANNA KNOW A SECRET?

EH, SURE!

I JUST CAME BACK FROM ANOTHER GALAXY.

ALSO, — I'M UNCOMMITTED!

John Berry 7-13
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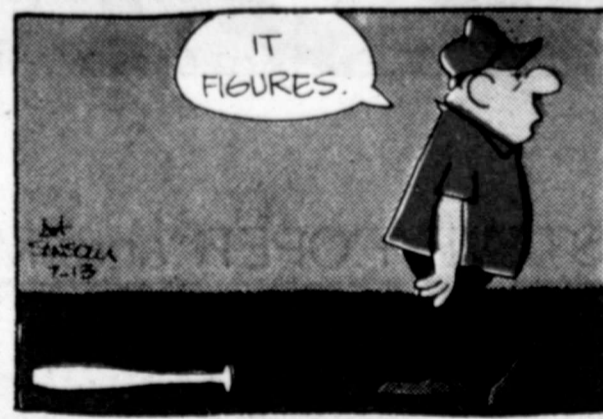
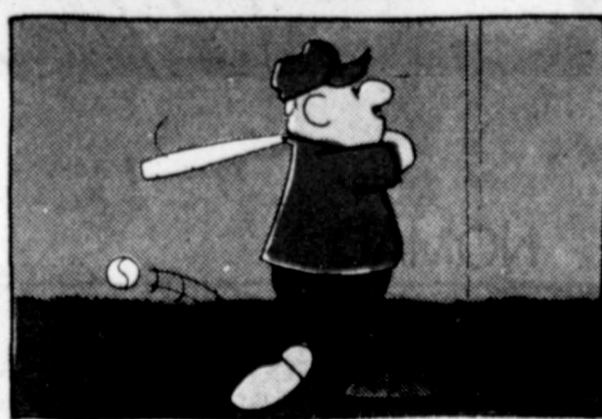
...IT LOOKS AS THOUGH I'M GOING TO BE COMMITTED, AGAIN.

WELL THAT'S ABOUT IT FROM THE MOTOR CITY...

PLEASANT VIEW SANATORIUM

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THE BORN LOSER



The FAMILY CIRCUS

