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The Place Is A Prison

The fence may be almost invisible, but still it's there at the Big Spring federal minimum security prison. Staff writer Lana Cunningham and photographer Edward McCain take at look at the prison in Sunday's Reporter-Tele-

Farewell, Fire Truck

It's time to bid farewell to a fire truck as the city of Midland prepares to put its No. 2 engine, a 1928 500-gallon pumper, up for auc-tion. Read about the pending sale Sunday in The Midland Reporter-Telegram.

A Sound Institution

When Webb Air Force Base in Big Spring died two years ago, its hospital gave birth to the SouthWest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf. Discover how this unique institution will affect the future of deaf students in Sunday's Reporter-Telegram.

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Police Chief Wayne Gideon, right fore-ground, chuckles over pleas of the Crime Prevention Commission locked behind bars in City Jail in preparation for Crime Prevention

Week Sept. 8-13. Members of the commission are, from left, Susan Seltzer, Guy McCrary,

events include local speakers and efforts to encourage greater citizen participation to promote crime prevention and protection.

Joan Southerland, Kim Modisett, Chuck Redger and Sgt. Lalo Camarillo. Week's (Staff Photo by Bruce Partain) lexas GOP begins convention

Bush to join effort to 'crush' Carter

By GARTH JONES

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) -Texas Republicans begin a state convention today dedicated to the downfall of President Jimmy Carter on

Joining them tonight and Saturday in efforts to keep Texas' key 26 electoral votes from going to Carter a second time will be George Bush, the vice presidential nominee and adopted Texan.

Presidential nominee Ronald Reagan will be in San Antonio 10 days

from now, part of a major campaign drive through South Texas.

State GOP Chairman Chet Upham will rap the convention to order in midafternoon, standing in for Rep. Tom Loeffler, R-Texas, whose congressional duties kept him overtime

Keynote speaker is Gov. Bill Clements, Texas' first Republican governor this century who says Carter's defeat is the prime aim of his admin-

Following Clements to the speakers stand will be former Texas Gov. John

B. Connally, who lost his presidential nomination bid to Reagan and Bush. He and Clements habe been teaming in an intensive grass roots campaign throughout Texas' non-urban areas.

"Texas has been the eye of the storm in every presidential election this century and it is the battleground against this time," Upham told the State Republican Executive Committee Thursday afternoon in a pre-con-

vention meeting. "We are going to have more operations going in Texas and more volunteers working than ever before."

Upham promised. "We have a structure in place that is better than it has ever been before in Texas," Ernest Angelo, Midland, state campaign director for Reagan-Bush.

In its Thursday meeting, the SREC did its part by opening party ranks to Cubans, Puerto Ricans and other Hispanic peoples who want to join the battle for Reagan-Bush.

Without dissent, the 62-member governing body voted to designate the National Hispanic Assembly of Texas as an ad hoc committee to work for Reagan-Bush in the general election.

Unemployment figures down during August

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's unemployment rate edged down to 7.6 percent in August, signaling a slowing of the recession, but wholesale food prices surged upward for a second straight month to forewarn sharply higher supermarket costs, the government reported today.

In companion reports, the Labor Department said significant improvements in manufacturing for the first time this year helped lower the jobless rate from July's 7.8 percent rate.

Department analysts interpreted the unemployment dip as a positive sign that economic activity is improving following a sharp drop in output earlier this year. Unemployment has remained fairly stationary since May.

At the same time, however, the department said wholesale, or producer, food

prices at the finished-goods level spurted 4.4 percent last month, the steepest increase in seven years. That jump followed a 3.8 percent rise in July. Government analysts attributed the large increase to the unusually hot and dry weather that has devastated crops and livestock throughout much of the

Overall, wholesale prices jumped 1.5 percent in August, following a 1.7 percent increase in July. Last month's increase, if compounded over 12 months, would equal an annual rate of 20.2 percent. That compares with an actual increase of 14.6 percent increase in wholesale prices for the past year.

Department analysts said the higher food prices would be passed on to

consumers at the retail level quite soon. And further increases may be coming later this year, the department said, because wholesale food prices at an intermediate level of production jumped 9.7 percent in August, the largest rise in nearly six years. That increase will take

longer to work its way up to the consumer level.

If there were a good sign in the producer price report, it is that prices for non-food items continued to moderate, suggesting an easing of inflation outside

of the food sector. Producer prices for non-food goods rose 0.7 percent in August, compared with

a 1.1 percent increase in July.

The Labor Department refers to its wholesale prices report as the Producer Price Index for finished goods, which surveys items ready for sale at retail, such as an assembled car. The department also measures prices for goods at an intermediate stage, such as rolled steel, and at a crude stage, such as iron

The Producer Price Index stood at 249.0 in August, meaning that it cost \$249 last month for a basket of goods and services that cost \$100 in the 1967 base

The number of unemployed people in the country dropped by nearly 200,000 in August to 8 million, while non-farm employment as reported by businesses rose by 200,000, the first increase since February.

The jobless rate among workers in manufacturing industries, which were hit

hardest by the economic slump, fell a full percentage point to 9.3 percent after rising steadily throughout the year.

In another sign of economic improvement, the government said the average work week in the manufacturing sector rose by 30 minutes, the first increase since January. "As best as we can tell, this is some kind of an indication that things seem to be looking up," said Deborah Klein, a Labor Department

Janet L. Norwood, commissioner of the the department's Bureau of Labor Statistics, said in testimony prepared for the Joint Economic Committee of Congress today that "the labor market deterioration which occurred early this year has, at least temporarily, abated."

"Today's figures confirm the improvement in labor market indicators which I reported to you on Aug. 1," Mrs. Norwood said. She noted that the sharp rise in wholesale food prices "suggests that retail prices will be higher in the months ahead," but she said she was encouraged by the "dampened price increases" for non-food items at every stage of production.

Carter courts Jewish community

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Carter has told America's Jews that the seeds of trust sown by his administration upon the deserts of the Mideast already have flowered into the only peace ever known by Israel, and We will stay the course, no matter how difficult.

"I cannot assure you we will always agree with every position taken by the government of Israel," the president said Thursday night in an address to B'nai B'rith. "But whatever differences arise, they will never affect our commitment to a secure Israel."

Carter was received warmly but without jubilation by the Jewish service organization, as he defended policies which Ronald Reagan and John B. Anderson had attacked before the

Reagan, the Republican candidate, had said a night earlier that Carter put Israel in danger with weak and confusing policies. Anderson, who appeared just hours before the president, said Carter was using the Mideast for political purposes.

Reagan, campaigning in the South on Thursday, also accused the Carter administration of playing fast and loose with national security for politi-

In Jacksonville, Fla., Reagan said the president's political operatives had engineered leaks about the "Stealth" project to thwart enemy radar, thereby breaching one of the biggest military secrets "since the Manhattan Project.'

Anderson, meanwhile, received financial news which could boost his bid to become a major contender this fall. The Federal Election Commission ruled 5 to 1 that the independent challenger is entitled, retroactively, to a share of public funds if he gets at least 5 percent of the vote Nov. 4. Presumably, that at least will help him borrow between now and then.

The president told the B'nai B'rith convention Jerusalem should remain undivided with free access to the holy places for all.

"I was there searching for peace in the city of peace. My prayers were answered in the Egyptian-Israeli peace treaty," he said. "We will make certain that the future of Jerusalem can only be determined through agreement - with the full concurrence of Israel."

Israel's insistence that Jerusalem is its permanent capital caused the Israeli-Egyptian peace talks to founder. The agreement to resume them was reached only Wednesday.

"Once again we have found a way to move towards peace," Carter said. "The talks will resume. And I will personally join in the search for peace - if necessary in a summit meeting, which Prime Minister (Menachem) Begin and I discussed this morn-

In his speech to B'nai B'rith a day earlier, Reagan had said Carter refuses to brand the Palestine Liberation Organization a terrorist group. Without alluding to the charge, the presi-

dent said: "We oppose an independent Palestinian state - and unless and until the PLO recognizes Israel's right to exist and accepts (United Nations) Resolution 242, we will neither recognize nor negotiate with the Palestine Liberation Organization. As I have repeatedly stated, it is long past time for an end to terrorism."

U.N. Resolution 242 guarantees Israeli security, but at the same time calls for Israel's withdrawal from occupied territory.

At one point, Carter departed from his text to declare that "We have never threatened to slow down or cut off aid to Israel and I can assure you that we never will.

Permit pushes construction rate above 'magic' mark

Mack Sellers of Castle Construction walked into City Hall Thursday afternoon to take care of some business matters. When he left, the Inspec-

tions and Permit Department was in an uproar. By taking out a permit about 1 p.m. to build a \$66,000 house at 2900 Wydewood, Sellers put the total amount of construction in Midland this year over that magic figure of \$100 million. It was only two weeks ago that Midland broke last year's record of \$94 million.

Sellers' permit pushed the total to \$100,017,635. There are almost four months left in the year and considering the rapid rise in building permits this year, few people are willing to lay bets on where the final figure will stop.

This should boost Midland's economic indicators higher than they

have ever been, despite the recession in the rest of the nation. Local economists have cited a rise in housing construction because of an increasing number of persons moving to Midland. Midland Park Mall

has contributed its share to the construction figure this year. And the numerous high-rise and smaller office buildings going up

around the city have boosted the figure to its \$100 million mark. In fact, noted one person in the Permits Department, one high-rise office building has not been issued a permit on its main structure — only on the foundation. This should help put the year's total far above the dreams anyone could have had at the opening of this year.

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Partly cloudy through Saturday with a high in the mid-90s. Details on Page 2A.

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Date for new Middle East summit reported By The Associated Press

Authoritative Egyptian sources say President Carter will bring President Anwar Sadat and Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin together in Washington for a summit meeting beginning Nov. 20, but there was no confirmation from the White House.

The sources, who declined to be identified, said the United States proposed they meet 16 days after the U.S. presidential election for the top-level attempt to conclude the deadlocked negotiations on a plan for autonomy for the 1.2 million Palestinians in territories Israel captured in the 1967 war. Begin and Sadat agreed to the date, the sources said.

Begin is planning a separate visit to Carter the week after the election during a private visit he is to make to the United States. A presidential spokesman said Carter learned of the trip during a telephone conversation with the Israeli leader Thursday and invited him to the White House.

Carter told a meeting of labor leaders in Washington that Begin telephoned to congratulate him on the success of his Mideast envoy, Sol Linowitz, in getting Egypt's agreement to resume the autonomy nego-tiations with Israel and the United States.

In a surprise announcement in

Alexandria Wednesday, Linowitz said Israel and Egypt agreed to resume the negotiations within a few weeks and to hold a summit meeting with Carter after the U.S. election.

Sadat suspended the autonomy talks last month and proposed a sum mit after the Israeli Parliament adopted a controversial law declaring unified Jerusalem the eternal capital of the Jewish state. Sadat complained that the law blocked his plans for Israeli-Egyptian negotiations even-tually on the future of predominantly Arab East Jerusalem, which Israel annexed after capturing it from Jordan in the 1967 Arab-Israeli war.

Butros Ghali, Egypt's minister of

state for foreign affairs, said after Linowitz's announcement that the talks prior to the summit meeting would be "preparatory talks" only and not a "resumption of negotiations" on the autonomy plan. He said substantive negotiations cannot resume until Israel modifies its stand on East Jerusalem and freezes the expansion of Jewish settlements on occupied Arab territories. state for foreign affairs, said after cupied Arab territories.

But Linowitz, after meeting with Ghali Thursday, insisted the talks would deal with autonomy issues, and State Department spokesman John Trattner said in Washington they "will not be talks about talks. They

are substantive."

Depression

in Gulf may

get stronger

waters, forecasters say.

Thursday.

Galveston, Texas.

were 35 mph.

MIAMI (AP) — A tropical depress-ion in the Gulf of Mexico that churned

toward the Louisiana coast may

strengthen as it moves over the warm

Meanwhile, forecasters were keeping close watch on a tropical depress-ion that formed off the African coast

At 6 a.m. EDT, the center of the

Gulf depression was located less than 100 miles south of the Louisiana coast

and nearly 200 miles southeast of

It was moving to the west about 10

mph and is expected to continue on

that path for the next 24 hours, offi-

cials of the National Hurricane Cen-

ter here said. Highest sustained winds

The disturbance could become a

tropical storm, forecaster Gil Clark

said, if it continues along its current

westward path across the warm Gulf

The Hurricane Center has warned

small craft from Biloxi, Mississippi to

Port Arthur, Texas to ramin in port.

A second depression, with maxi-mum winds of 35 mph, was located

just west of the Cape Verde Islands

and was moving westward at 15

of the Cape Verdes depression. "But

it couldn't be any farther away from

Some of the most vicious storms of

the Atlantic hurricane season, which

peaks in late August and early Sep-

tember, have formed off the Cape

Verdes. A depression becomes a tropical storm when its sustained winds

reach 39 mph. A hurricane has winds

Meanwhile, a depression about 200

miles north-northeast of Puerto Rico

had weakened by Thursday evening

into a disorganized area of cloudiness

and showers, forecaster Joe Pelissier

said. The Hurricane Center had said

earlier this week that depression ap-

peared likely to attain tropical storm

status, but its maximum winds

Entrapment will

reached only about 35 mph.

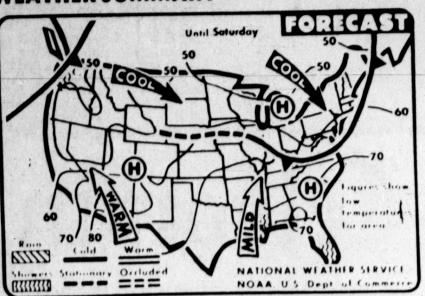
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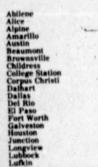
'It has the potential to develop into a (tropical) storm — it's got the whole Atlantic ahead of it," Lawrence said



The National Weather Service forecasts showers for parts of the Pacific Northwest and for southern Florida. A tropical low that has developed in the north central Gulf of Mexico is expected to also cause showers in coastal Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi.

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enjoy summer weather awhile

Skies should be partly cloudy this

weekend with the mercury climbing

into the middle 90s, according to the

National Weather Service at Midland

Regional Airport, Overnight low Sat-

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) - The

murder rate in Seattle has jumped 65

percent over last year, giving it the

biggest per capita increase in homi-

cides among the nation's 30 largest

cities, according to a survey of police

departments by the Kansas City

The Times study said Seattle has

had 43 homicides since the beginning

of the year. The city is the nation's

25th largest, with a population of 490,-

Also among the cities with the fas-

test growing homicide rates this year

were Honolulu, up 58 percent with 47

homicides to date; Memphis, 56 per-

cent with 120; Indianapolis, up 47

percent with 86; Denver, up 40 per-

cent with 72; San Jose, Calif., up 38

percent with 43; Kansas City, up 33

percent with 101; Los Angeles, up 27

percent with 643; Phoenix, up 26 per-

cent with 74 and Detroit up 23 percent

The newspaper said Detroit and St.

Louis were the nation's traditional

murder capitals, but St. Louis had 164

homicides to date, down 11 percent

In Detroit, the city ranked 10th by the newspaper, police reported slight-

ly different figuresm with homicides

soaring 25 percent since Jan. 1, main-

y because of an increase in domestic

violence stemming from high unem-

ployment and increased alcohol and

The city has recorded 360 homicides

in 1980 compared with 289 through the

same period a year ago. Police said Thursday that 37 of the additional 71

homicides were domestic squabbles that ended in death.

"We're experiencing quite a few

more shooting incidents of a non-fatal nature," said Detroit homicide In-

spector Robert Hislop. "And when

you've got an increase in shooting

incidents generally, you're going to

While some police officials said homicide rates have increased during

times of prosperity, others agreed

that the current economic recession is largely responsible for the increase in

eventually record more homicides."

with 389 homicides.

from last year.

drug use.

urday should be in the low 70s.

Clayton plan to ask prospective jurors

cepting a bribe. Austin attorneys Roy Minton and Charles Burton filed a list of proposed

that government inducement to commit an offense may include persuasion, fraudulent representations and pleas based on need, sympathy or friendship?" one proposed question

ask jurors if they "believe that elected public officials ought to be held to much stricter legal standards than ordinary people.

special favors for themselves." And if jurors "believe that whether they like it or not, politicians have to accept big contributions if they are to have a chance to get elected.' Clayton and Austin attorneys Ran-

dall B. Wood and Donald W. Ray were indicted June 12 of federal extortion, racketeering, fraud and conspiracy

cepted a \$5,000 bribe from Deer Park Labor leader L.G. Moore to help secure a multimillion-dollar state employees health insurance contract.

fered Clayton an additional \$600,000.

ing the money, but said it was a "political contribution" that he intended to return.

reopen the state contract for bids.

Moore also was indicted on extoracy charges on June 12.

Midland woman

volver.

held in shooting

Midkiff Road, reported the theft of a bank bag and its contents to police Thursday. The bag and its contents

were valued at \$783.89. The theft reportedly occurred sometime between 10: 15 p.m. Aug. 28 and 10 a.m. Tuesday.

A two-car collision Thursday after-

noon at 4:28 resulted in minor injuries to two Midland men. According to reports, John A.

Steele, 720 Boyd Ave., was northbound on Colorado Avenue. James Torres, 1321 E. Cuthbert Ave., was southbound on Colorado. The two vehicles collided at the intersection of Colorado and Missouri avenues.

Both drivers were injured, but Steele refused treatment. Torres was taken to Midland Memorial emergency room, where he was treated and

A Greenwood High School student was listed in stable condition in the critical care unit of Midland Memorial Hospital this morning. Donald

Smith, 17, received a fractured skull when he fell from atop a car in the Greenwood High School parking lot at 3:35 p.m. Thursday.

A Department of Public Safety spokesman said Smith was riding on the hood of a car driven by Joe Don Lilly of Midland. The car turned from a private drive on to the high school's parking lot, and Smith fell, striking

The accident was investigated by Highway Patrol Trooper Woody Jackson.

Tony Ruiz, 2103 N. Benton St., was being treated this morning in the emergency room at Midland Memorial following a motorcycle-pickup accident at Mineola Street and Kansas Avenue. The two vehicles collided about 8:15 a.m. today. Hernandez suffered a possible broken leg and abrasions. His condition was un-

the Dellwood Shopping Mall. Here's the payoff: the funds from the sale will pay their expenses to the Nazarene International Retreat of Golden Agers at Glorieta, N.M., in mid-September. The older women do have some

Eva Pearl Moore, 72; Icie Davis, 76; Annie Allen,

74; Barbara Rice, 28; George Hughes, 75; Betty

Cole, 89; Sarah Cooper, 88, and Eula Lea, 81. (Staff

Photo by Bruce Partain)

Ladies sewing for SAM

She reflected on her past.

much fun in the same length of time that I have," she assured her listener and herself.

'My husband (Thomas Franklin

Cooper) was more of a cowboy than a farmer," she said. "Horses was what

he fooled with. Of course, he farmed

some, but he liked the other the

best. He was one of them kind who always had a 'ready word.' "

T.F. Cooper has been "gone" about

Mrs. Cooper's dear friend, Mrs.

"You know," she said, "that Ar-

"Noah looked out of the 'ark and

What the women were doing at

Mrs. Allen's home in west-central

Midland was for a good deed unto

themselves and others. Their quilt-

Cole, was quick to respond with a

witty "ready word."

Didn't know that.

saw,' " she quipped.

helpmates in their cause. One is George Hughes, a 75-year-old retired salesman who is the gals' "professional driver." Another is a bona fide youngster, Barbara Rice, 28. She has been helping some SAM women out. One of her chores was in posting signs about the sale over much of the city. But for the moment, she was stranded - without a car to get kansas is the only state mentioned in

"We ain't got no way to get around," she said. "We'll go walking," suggested Mrs.

Cole. "Baloney," reponded the youngster. "These feet weren't made for

walking. Mrs. Cole, like the other pleasantlyaging SAM members, is delighted to be walking around, particularly at

"There ain't sobody going to catch me," she said. "They broke the mold when they made me." "Thank goodness," jested Ms.

And the quilting continued.

The weather elsewhere

Texas area forecasts

The high Thursday of 92 was slight-

set on that date in 1937. And today's

overnight low of 66 was 10 degrees

above the record low of 56 set in

No chance of rain is in the forecast,

Area weather was the same as Mid-

The unemployment rate in Detriot,

the center of the troubled auto indus-

try, is about 18 percent, compared

with Michigan's 14.1 percent jobless

rate. The national rate is 7.8 per-

"Historically, the evidence is in-

consistent about the relationship be-

tween crime in general and economic

conditions," said Deputy Police Chief

James Bannon. "What isn't inconsis-

tent, however, is the fact that domes-

tic violence situations go right off the

charts. Our domestic violence runs

have increased to a very large degree

and we expect them to continue to go

Bannon also said domestic violence

increases when money becomes tight

and tensions increase as people are

kept from normal recreational activi-

ties and are saddled with excessive

Police also pointed to alcohol and drug use as leading to Detroit's in-

"I've been up here quite a while,

Hislop said. "And alcohol's always

played a big part in a big majority of

A 20-year-old Midland man was

treated at Midland Memorial Hospi-

tal for a gunshot wound to his lower

left leg and released early this morn-

ing following a shooting early this morning. Midland police have a

woman in custody in connection with

About 2:20 a.m. today, a patrolling

officer heard what sounded like gun-

shots coming from Red's Drive-in,

1807 E. Front St. The officer stopped

in front of Red's, and witnesses said a

woman was inside shooting. A

woman then ran screaming out of

the restaurant. She was taken into

Officers entered the restaurant and

found a man standing by the bar with

a bullet wound in his leg. Ruben Rios

Lopez, 611 N. Mineola St., was taken

to Midland Memorial by ambulance.

Officers believe another man also

was shot but that he ran outside and

Witnesses told police that the

creased homicide rate in 1980.

unoccupied time.

the shooting.

custody.

left the premises.

land's: hot and dry with partly cloudy

leaving Midland's rainfall to date

arently Mother ly cooler than the record reading of 99

standing at 6 inches.

home violence.

Seattle has murder lead

nevs for Texas House Speaker Bill

in the upcoming Brilab trial if they believe entrapment is a valid defense for a public official accused of ac-

HOUSTON (AP) - Defense attor-

questions Thursday they say they want U.S. District Judge Robert O'Conor to ask when jury selection begins next week. 'Do you agree with the proposition

The attorneys also want O'Conor to

Other proposed questions asked if jurors "believe that most people who give big political contributions expect

The Indictment alleges Clayton ac-

Prosecutors allege Moore also of-

Clayton has acknowledged accept-

Moore and FBI informant Joseph Hauser, posing as an insurance man, urged Clayton to use his influence to

tion, racketeering, fraud and conspir-

woman just entered the restaurant

and began shooting. Police have reco-

vered the weapon, a .22-caliber re-

A 25-year-old Midland man was in

City Jail this morning on charges of

possession of dangerous drugs and on

a warrant for aggravated robbery in

connection with the robbery of a

The station, at 1709 Rankin High-

way, was robbed at knifepoint about 4

a.m. Tuesday. The robber got away

with all the money in the cash regis-

According to police, a man was

stopped by officers at Jackson Street

and Golf Course Road Thursday at

2:13 p.m. When officers checked the

man, they found what they believed to be dangerous drugs. The man was

placed in City Jail. Officers later

discovered the warrant for the man's

arrest in connection with the rob-

Spencer's Gifts, No. B-12 4511 N

Kent Station Tuesday.

themselves and others. Their quilting, piecing, crocheting and home sewing-room chores — on Tuesdays throughout the year — are to make knick-knacks and quilts for sale to raise money for SAM — Senior Adult Ministry of the Nazarene Church. Lea, 81; Icie Davis, 76, and Eva Pearl Moore, 72. Mrs. Cooper was slowly stirring The SAM women's handiwork is being sold piecemeal today and Saturday at

"There ain't no one who has had as

The good old days of stitching and quilting

and neighborliness come to the fore when these

folks gather about the quilting frame. Working on

the quilt-in-the-making are, from left clockwise.

By ED TODD

Just because they're "old" by some

standards doesn't mean that they're

ready to call it quits and to meet their

Sarah Cooper is 88 and still count-

Betty Cole is 89 and looking to-

The others - widows all - in the

"She ain't going to catch us (in

years)," Mrs. Cooper said of one of

her cohorts. "She ain't going to catch

She and Mrs. Cole were standing

around, while Annie Allen - one of

the younger ones at almost 75 - was

In the den, which was decked out with an old "Magic Circle" wash board and Old Whittemore cotton

corders and other rustic and coun-

try items, some of the "younger

women" were busily quilting: Eula

sewing group are much younger.

ward next April 2, when she'll be into

her ninth decade on Earth.

Maker.

By no means.

bustling around.

Polish unions promised bigger roles WARSAW, Poland (AP) — Poland's five-day work weeks starting next ernment promises of social and political reforms.

new premier, in his first major public statement since the end of crippling strikes, promised today to "increase the role of the trade unions" as a partner with the communist govern-

Appearing before a special session of parliament, Premier Jozef Pinkowski pledged that his government would raise wages, freeze meat prices and increase consumer goods in hopes of improving living standards.

His remarks came during a twohour speech before the Sejm, or parliament, in which he outlined the government's plans for implementing the controversial settlements negotiated with striking workers in the Baltic region and the Silesian coalfields. The last of the strikers returned to work today.

The government information agency Interpress said Communist Party leader Edward Gierek did not attend the session. No explanation was given for his absence.

Pinkowski said that "for the sake of social and national good" the governent would implement agreements made with striking workers ending weeks of labor unrest.

'We expect from the crews of those factories and works (which struck) that they will also keep their promises, particularly, making up produc-

tion losses," Pinkowski said. His speech was reported by the official PAP news agency. Pinkowski said meat prices -

whose doubling last July triggered the labor crisis - would be frozen until next fall, effective immediately There was no indication at what level the prices would be frozen.

He said Poland would introduce

salaries would be raised by \$13.50 to

\$80 by next January.

He also promised that supplies for the domestic market, suffering from shortages of all kinds, would be increased by \$1 billion and the revised 1981 economic plan would be present-

ed at the beginning of December. "The current session of the Sejm takes place in an atmosphere of relaxation," the premier said, two days after the settlement of a six-day walkout by coal miners in the southern region of Silesia.

Shipyard workers on the Baltic coast ended ther strike last Sunday, signing a 21-point pact with the government after staying off the job for 17 days. The strikers were promised the right to form trade unions independent of government control, a right unprecedented in a Soviet-bloc nation

More than 200,000 miners and workers in related industries who struck last week went back to work Thursday after they were assured the right to form independent trade unions granted the strikers in northern and central Poland plus work-free weekends, pay boosts pegged to the cost of living, higher family allowances and improved safety regulations.

Sources in the south reported that 15,000 strikers in three Silesian mines returned to work today after signing a pact with the government over local grievances. The sources gave no details of the agreement, which was also reported on Warsaw radio.

The miners were the last to settle in the nationwide wave of strikes that began Aug. 14 in the Baltic port of Gdansk and won for the workers gov-

The right to form unions indepen-dent of the official unions dominated by the Communist Party was the chief concession won, and leaders of the strikes that shook the country for three weeks were making plans to form new associations around their strike committees. One such new union was reported to have held an "information meeting" in Wroclaw, 180 miles southwest of Warsaw.

Despite angry charges from Moscow of foreign interference in the Polish crisis, the AFL-CIO at a meeting in Washington Thursday voted to set up a fund to help the Polish workers "in getting their new independent trade unions off to a good start." The general board of the American labor giant launched the fund with a \$25,000 contribution and urged other unions to pitch in.

Tass, the Soviet news agency, on Thursday condemned assistance to Polish workers by Western trade unions, calling it meddling. The comment apparently was prompted by an earlier report that the International Federation of Metal Workers in Geneva, Switzerland, had collected \$121,-000 for the Polish workers. Western governments, meanwhile,

were considering increasing aid to Poland to help it cope with increased economic burdens resulting from the strikes and the economic benefits promised the strikers. Polish and U.S. Treasury Depart-

ment officials met in Washington to review, among other things, agricultural credits to Warsaw.

President Carter sent letters last week to the leaders of Britain, West Germany and France, asking that they consider ways of helping Poland economically. The Polish government announced Wednesday that the Soviet Union was giving it a new credit to pay for increased imports from the

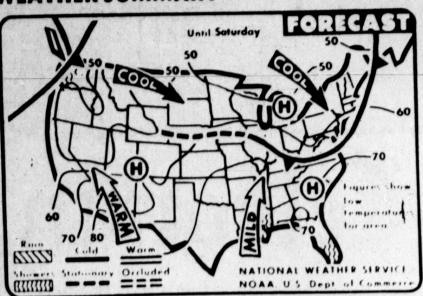
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Hoffman returns with one-liners

NEW YORK (AP) - Abbie Hoffman, once the clown prince of the Yippies, emerged from an open but fugitive existence with one-liners, a commitment to "coalition politics" and a plea for Americans to "stick to your principles.

The former anti-war radical said he was "excited, exhausted and enthusiastically optimistic. ... I am not coming back cynical, disillusioned," he

Hoffman turned himself in Thursday to the state's special narcotics prosecutor after six years as a fugitive wanted on cocaine charges and bail jumping. Judge Milton Williams freed him without bail.

For the past four years, he had lived in upstate New York as Barry Freed, a free-lance writer and St. Lawrence River environmental activist who once took his cause before a U.S. Senate subcommittee.

Hoffman, a Chicago Seven defendant and founder of the Youth International Party, or Yippies, whose antics made him one of the bestknown protesters of the 1960s, dismissed suggestions that his reappearance was a publicity stunt to promote his new book, "Soon to be a Major Motion Picture.

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Hoffman, 43, said he was simply tired of running.

'I was scared every day. I was a hunted animal. I never looked a policeman in the eye," he said.

Other reasons for his surrender, he said, were that his son America, also known as Allen, had visited him this summer and was back in school, that his lawyer was free to take his case and that attitudes had changed toward cocaine since his arrest

He had jumped bail in 1974 rather than face trial and possible life imprisonment on charges of selling cocaine to undercover officers.

Hoffman spent most of his fugitive years as Freed in Fineview, N.Y., a tiny community in the Thousand Islands area of the St. Lawrence River.



Former Yippie leader Abbie Hoffman has changed his look somewhat from the 1968 file photo, left, to present day 1980, right. Hoffman, who has been in hiding for six years, surrendered to the state narcotics prosecutor Thursday in New York. (AP Laserpho-

He was publicity director of the "Save the River Committee" there, lived in a white frame cottage and grew to-

fundamental change in his political beliefs, he said: "Once a Yippie, al-

Without renouncing the raucous tactics of the 1960s, which he said

Those activities didn't represent a

Quakes rock volcano area VANCOUVER, Wash. (AP) - A swarm of small earthquakes that shook an area near Mount St. Helens was not necessarily caused by the volcano, officials said today.

Five quakes occurred in a nine-minute period starting at 8:45 p.m. Thursday, said A.B. Adams, a spokesman for the University of Washington Geophysics Department. They were centered about two miles deep in the Elk Lake area about eight miles northwest of the volcano.

'They were definitely not volcanic - at least at this time that's what we're saying," Adams said. One earthquake measured 2.5 on the Richter scale — the largest quake

since July 23 - said Adams. There was another small earthquake in the same area this morning,

six minutes after midnight, he said. He said the quakes "probably" were not related to a deformation detected on the volcano Thursday. Scientists measured an almost imperceptible movement, about 2 centimeters a day, which could spell an

were times to turn people against each other, Hoffman said the '80s were times for "coalition politics" to bring people together.

"Abbie Hoffman would not have disagreed or done anything different than Barry Freed did," he said. "And Barry Freed would not have disagreed with or done anything different than Abbie Hoffman did.

During his double life, Hoffman said he learned that people should "stick to your principles.

"There were too many people of the '60s turned sour in the '70s turned rich in the '80s ... I am well aware that I am entering an age of cynicism. I want to change that.'

In an upcoming magazine article, Hoffman said he hated the "schizophrenia" of his double life. "I have visions of my tombstone with several names on it," he wrote in the October issue of Quest-80. He had several close calls, and once was arrested when he failed to pay a hotel bill.

He also missed the funeral of his father, who died three weeks after he went underground. "We never really made our peace, although we had tried. He was a conservative, Republican kind of businessman who worshipped the country.

The judicial proceeding Thursday was technically a return of the warrant issued for Hoffman and not an arraignment on any particular charge. His innocent plea to the 1973 cocaine charge stands and a formal bail-jumping complaint was not pre-

With Hoffman were his brother, Jack, sister, Phyllis, and Johanna Lawrenson, the woman he has lived with for the past 41/2 years and jokingly called his "running mate."

She is the daughter of Helen Lawrenson, who wrote the Esquire magazine article "Latins Are Lousy

Asked to pose with her, Hoffman quipped, "She's taller than me, and it was very convenient because I could



Page Phillips, left, Miss Alabama, and her dummy "Dinkle" give photographer a wink as Donna Pope, Miss Mississippi, looks on backstage at the Miss America Pageant in Atlantic City late Thursday. Miss Phillips won the second night talent and Miss Pope swimsuit. Wednesday night Miss New York, Cheryl Flanagan, won the talent and Miss Minnesota, Debra Goodwin won the swimsuit. (AP Laserphoto)

Pan Am faces strike in Italy

ROME (AP) - Pan American World Airways' employees in Italy have called a strike for Monday to protest threatened dismissals as a result of the airline's plan to suspend its flights between New York and Rome beginning Oct. 26.

Pan Am, flying the route which goes on to Istanbul for 33 years, said the suspension is inevitable because

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of rising fuel costs, lack of traffic and the general financial condition of the

"The suspension is indefinite but temporary," said Fred Kels, the airline's manager for Italy. "We're not giving up the rights to the route." Pan AM's 90 employees in Rome, have rejected the company's find-

Oswald's brother tries to block exhumation

FORT WORTH, Texas lieves it was an imposter (AP) - The brother of Lee Harvey Oswald will was, in turn, slain by ask a Texas judge today Jack Ruby. to block efforts to dig up the body in the grave of President John F. Ken-

nedy's assassin. Robert Oswald in a Wright for an injunction buried. against a British au-

FLORENCE, S.C.

(AP) — A federal grand

jury has indicted seven

people on charges of

vote-buying and obstruc-

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tion with alleged irregu-

larities in Dillon Coun-

ty's Democratic primary

The grand jury re-

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Lydon said bench war-

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today for those indicted.

Lydon said the three-

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the applications for over

1,300 absentee ballots.

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in announcing the 58- of Lakeview; Mazel Ar-

A small group of State chant were also charged Law Enforcement Divi- with obstruction of jus-

who shot Kennedy and

Wright already has imposed a temporary restraining order against Eddowes and Rose Hill Cemetery, where the hearing today will ask man believed to be Lee District Judge James E. Harvey Oswald was

thor's effort to exhume exhumation order from the body. The author, Dallas County Judge Michael Eddowes, be- Garry Weber and got

sion agents and feder-

al officers has been

working in Dillon since

mid-June when allega-

tions surfaced that

voters were being paid to

fill out absentee ballots

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The author contends Soviet agent Alex James Hidell assumed Oswald's identity after Oswald went to the Soviet Union in 1958 and that it was the Eddowes obtained an agent who assassinated Kennedy in Dallas on

amination of the body would show several physical discrepancies. But the man who

agreed to examine the

Oswald filed his lawsuit. Charles Petty, has been warned by county commissioners not to become involved in the exhuma-Use of county property

for such a venture would have "adverse effects," Commissioner Jim Jack-Seven indicted for vote-buying

"We told him if there about whom was buried there, it should be done," Jackson said. "But if it was a private matter between him and the family and not a matter of

Petty, also a defendant in the suit, said he told the commissioners he does not doubt Oswald is buried in the grave, but body, Dallas County added that if the body is Medical Examiner exhumed, it should be done by a qualified pathologist in a wellequipped setting.

> Wright has granted Petty's motion to move his part of the case to Dallas County, where he

> The judge said his ruling on the exhumation would not affect Petty's hearing, since Petty on agreed to examine the body and was not involved in the actual exhumation. Wright said he did not know when Petty's portion of the lawsuit would put on the docket in Dallas.

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Fannie Petsch, 83, died Tuesday in a Midland nursing home. She had been in failing health for several months.

Services were at 9 a.m. Thursday in the Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home chapel with burial in the Christoval Cemetery at Christoval under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Gerald Puckett and W.C. Mitchell Jr., both of Fort Stockton, George Van Husen, Marvin Mills, Joe Lutz, Gordan Stone.

Honorary pallbearers were A.D. Jackson, Tom Salmon, W.H. Durrett, Dutton Williamson and M.G. Bickson.

John Stuard

STANTON — Services for John O. Stuard, 58, a farmer in the Greenwood community, will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First United Methodist Church of Stanton with the Rev. Davis Edens, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Hillside Memorial Gardens in Snyder, directed by Gilbreath Funeral Home of Stanton.

al Home of Stanton.

Stuard died Thursday at his home following a brief illness.

He was born Dec. 2, 1921, in Snyder, was a World War II veteran, was married to Christine Rollins on Sept. 15, 1943, at Hermleigh and moved to the Greenwood community 22 years ago. He had served on the Greenwood Independent School District's board of trustees for seven years.

He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Stanton. Survivors include the wife; a son, Jerry Don Stuard of Woodward, Okla.; a daughter, Mary Carol McDonald of Mathis; a sister, Ruby Mullins of Pampa; a brother, Dale Stuard of Snyder; his mother, Mrs. O.L. (Gladys) Stuard of Snyder, and four grandchildren.

Mrs. Mogford

Elizabeth Mogford, 76, of Midland died Tuesday in a Midland hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services were to be at 4 p.m. today in the Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Wayne Snyder, pastor of Christian Life Center, officiating. Burial was to be in Fairview Cemetery.

Pallbearers were to be Bill Mayne, Erie Schneider, L.L. Sizemore, Bob James, Bill Wilkerson Sr. and Jack Stone.

C.F. Chambers

Services for Charles F. "Hank"
Chambers, 56, of rural Midland were
at 11 a.m. Thursday in the Bellview
Baptist Church with the Rev. G.A.
Magee, minister, officiating. Burial
was in Resthaven Memorial Park
directed by Newnie W. Ellis Funeral
Home.

Chambers died unexpectedly at his home Tuesday.

Pallbearers were American Legion members Tom Godfrey, Carol-Parker, Charlie Andrews, Rod Foster Lester Scott and A. J. McCright

Diplomats study reports of Cubans in Afghanistan

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — Diplomats in Kabul, the capital of Afghanistan, are studying reports, so far unconfirmed, that Cuban army units have arrived in that country to fight in support of the Soviet-installed regime, Western diplomatic sources here said today.

Afghan contacts have told one Western embassy that a joint 200-man Cuban, Soviet and Afghan military escort was ambushed by rebel tribesmen Aug. 26 while guarding a provincial governor.

This and similar Kabul reports in recent days could not be confirmed independently and the diplomatic sources stressed that there was no evidence of Cuban military interven-

Meanwhile, the regime of President Babrak Karmal has continued enlisting Communist Party youth group members directly into the army, according to the official media. The Soviet Union sent in an estimated 80,000 troops last December to help oust President Hafizullah Amin and replace him with Karmal. Intelligence sources say most of the Soviet troops remain in Afghanistan.

Diplomats, reporting they have seen civilian cadres driving armored personnel carriers in and around Kabul, said regular Afghan army troops were being replaced by the "volunteers."

Last week's ambush was given by some sources as the reason behind a major Soviet armored drive against a rebel stronghold in the Panjshir Valley, about 50 miles north of Kabul, which long has threatened the Salang Highway, an important supply route.

The informants, who declined to be identified, said fighting had occurred recently in four parts of Afghanistan—near the provincial capitals of Hrat and Ka Dahar, along a highway link-

ing the eastern city of Jalalabad and in the Panishir Valley.

One report quoted a reliable Afghan contact as saying he saw a large number of Soviet troops at Gulbahar, about 40 miles north of Kabul, preparing for action in the Panjshir Valley. Traveling by bus, he said he spotted the bodies of 10 Afghan soldiers near where an 80-vehicle fuel truck convoy was standing.

Earlier, Western diplomatic sources said about 200 light armored vehicles of the Soviet Union's 360th Armored Division, based on Kabul's eastern outskirts, advanced into the Panjshir Valley on Aug. 27 with air support.

The Panjshiri rebels became a formidable force last March when many Afghan troops in one garrison defected to their side, bringing over antitank weapons and other supplies, reliable Afghan sources said.

At least three other Soviet advances have failed to dislodge them, according to reports coming out of Kabul.

Although there was no indication it is connected to the latest Soviet push, diplomatic sources reported night and day landings at Kabul airport of large Soviet transport planes since Monday.

On Tuesday, they said, Soviet warplanes carried out an air strike on a suspected rebel concentration in the Sanzari Valley, west of Kandahar. There was no word on casualties.

Reliable local contacts were quoted as saying that the Soviets have resumed dropping booby-trapped toys, ballpoint pens, cigarette lighters and flashlights, which explode when handled. The objects reportedly have injured an undisclosed number of children in Wardak province, near Kabul.

Earlier this summer, similar devices were found in Paktia province, near the Pakistani border.

40 killed, many wounded in three-day fight with Kurds

By The Associated Press

At least 40 foes of Iran's revolutionary regime were killed and "a number" of others wounded in a three-day battle in rebellious Kurdistan, Tehran Radio reported.

The government broadcast said one

government soldier was killed and two others wounded in the three-day battle, which it said took place in an area between the Kurdish towns of Merivan and Sanandaj in northwest Iran.

The joint staff of the army and the

The joint staff of the army and the revolutionary guard corps in Sanandaj, 250 miles west of Tehran, was quoted as saying the "counter-revolutionaries" were opposed by a combined force of army troops, revolutionary guards and pro-government Kurdish tribal warriors.

Since the 1979 revolution that overthrew the shah, the Kurds in northwest Iran have been fighting a guerrilla campaign for the autonomy they were never strong enough to win from the monarchy.

In January, the revolutionary government gave the Kurds a "final ultimatum" to end their revolt or be punished. Since then, hundreds of Kurds have been reported killed in fighting with the army and the revolutionary guards.

Meanwhile, in Geneva, Switzerland, a United Nations human rights panel was expected to approve a resolution today appealing for the release of the 52 American hostages who on Thursday began their 11th month in captivity.

The U.N. group was the 26-nation Subcommission on the Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities, and 13 of the members joined in sponsoring the resolution submitted by the U.S. delegate, international law specialist John Carey.

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Nichols couple gets probated sentence

By ED TODD Staff Writer

J.L. "Jack" Nichols, 28, jailed for more than three months since he and his wife were arrested after forcing lawmen out of their house and off their property, was set free Thursday afternoon under court order and under a conviction.

Nichols and his spouse, Beverly Ann, 32, each were placed on probation for three years by 238th State District Court Judge Vann Culp after both were found guilty of aggravated assault by threat with a deadly weapon.

But their convictions came under different circumstances.

Nichols, a former U.S. Postal Service mail carrier and ex-U.S. Marine, was founded guilty by a jury on Aug. 21 of assaulting Midland police undercover narcotics officer Mike Mann with a 12-gauge sawed-off shotgun on the late afternoon of May 27. The jury assessed his punishment at three years in prison and then recommended that the sentence be suspended and that the defendant be placed on probation for three years.

His wife pleaded "nolo contendere" — no contest
— to the charge that she assaulted Midland County
DeputyConstable Tom McGinnis with a .38-caliber
pistol.

Civiletti summoned to explain discussion of Billy-Libyan affair

WASHINGTON (AP) — A special Senate subcommittee summoned Attorney General Benjamin R. Civiletti today to explain his discussion of the Billy Carter-Libyan affair with the president just six days after aides say Civiletti told them to delay action in the case.

Civiletti is the highest administration official to testify so far.
"The critical question which these facts present is

"The critical question which these facts present is whether the attorney general had committed the Justice Department not to prosecute in the event that Billy Carter registered" as a Libyan agent, said Sen. Birch Bayh, D-Ind., the subcommittee's chairman.

Two Justice Department officials testified Thursday that Civiletti told them June 11, after a breakthrough in their investigation, "Let's wait 10 days or so and see what happens" before deciding whether to take criminal or civil action against Billy Carter forfailing to register as a Libyan agent.

On June 17, Civiletti told President Carter "there would be no punishment" for his brother if he registered voluntarily. While Civiletti has acknowledged telling Carter his younger brother was "foolish" for failing to register, he says he did not discuss the department's investigation of Billy Carter with the president.

All the Justice Department officials swore under oath that neither Civiletti nor the president influenced their decision to take civil rather than criminal action to force Billy Carter to register. No criminal charges have been brought for violation of the Foreign Agents Registration Act since 1963.

Joel Lisker, chief of the Justice Department's foreign agent registration unit, said the order to wait came after he met with Civiletti to report-that Billy Carter had acknowledged receiving \$220,000 from Libya.

Halfway house sponsored 12 homosexual refugees

DALLAS (AP) — Two owners of a halfway house for homosexual runaways here say they sponsored at least 12 homosexual Cubans from the Fort Chaffee, Ark., refugee camp, the Dallas Morning News reported.

Scott Helber and Melvin Mitchell told the newspaper the Cubans were flown to Dallas individually or in small groups during June, and stayed with them until they could be turned over to other homosexual sponsors.

The sponsors paid Helber \$50 for each Cuban to pay for expenses related to the sponsorship program, such as food and clothing, he said.

"It was a disaster," one sponsor was quoted as saying by the newspaper. "Can you imagine spending two months in a refugee camp and then being shipped off to a place like this? What a great impression of America. Fort Chaffee sent these people to anyone who would take them."

Mann, accompanied by McGinnis, was attempting to serve a search warrant at the Nichols' rural home in a suburb south of Midland to look for marijuana and any other contraband, when both lawmen entered the rear of the Nichols house and with drawn handguns. Nichols confronted the lawmen in his house with the shotgun and forced them to back off

Moments before that, trial testimony indicated, the bearded, casually dressed Mann had knocked on the Nichols' front door. Mrs. Nichols responded. And Mann, dressed in his usual undercover clothes, displayed the search warrant, his police badge and identification and represented himself as a police officer.

Meanwhile, Nichols was at the back door talking to the deputy constable.

Then, the wife, via one of the couple's two young children, summoned her husband to the front door. Thereupon, Nichols abruptly slammed the door on McGinnis, and then went to the front door, where he slammed the door on Mann.

Mann then met McGinnis at the back of the house. Both lawmen entered the house from the rear. Their guns were drawn.

Once inside, the peace officers said they were encountered by Nichols, who was wielding the shotgun and threatened to kill them. He twice ordered the peace officers to drop their handguns. They did not, but Nichols also did not fire.

Instead, McGinnis reholstered his pistol; Mann state's case in the sentence defendants were Jimmie D. ordered Mann to drop the search warrant and to get fense counsel, and Bill Ward.

Mann, accompanied by McGinnis, was attempting out of his house; he did. The lawmen backed off and retreated.

Their leave was hastened when Mrs. Nichols alleged to the second of the lawmen backed off and retreated.

Their leave was hastened when Mrs. Nichols allegedly stormed out of her house with the revolver and Nichols was in pursuit of the lawmen with the

That night, the couple was arrested after lawmen converged on the Nichols house. She was released about three weeks later under a property bond.

After Judge Culp sentenced Nichols and his wife on Thursday, he dismissed other indictments against the couple upon the recommendation of District Attorney Vern Martin. Nichols also had been indicted for assaulting McGinnis with the sawed-off shotgun and for possession of the firearm. Mrs. Nichols also was indicted for assaulting Mann with the pistol.

Maximum penalty for aggravated assault by threat with a deadly weapon ranges from two to 10 years in prison and the option of a \$5,000 fine. Penalty for possession of the sawed-off shotgun—also a federal offense—ranges from two to 20 years in prison and the option of a \$10,000 fine.

Judge Culp admonished the couple to obey the laws or else face the consequences: loss of their freedom and imprisonment. They were ordered to pay court costs — \$83.30 for him and \$87.30 for her — and to pay their attorneys' fees of \$4,500 over the three-year period.

Assistant District Attorney Jim Rex handled the state's case in the sentencing. Representing the defendants were Jimmie D. Oglesby, the lead defense counsel, and Bill Ward.

Two charged so far in trophy theft

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Charges have been filed against two of the five men arrested in the theft of golfer Ben Hogan's trophies and medals from a country club here, and police still were hunting for a sixth suspect today.

Ky Arthur Andersen, 18, son of Tarrant County Commissioner Dick Andersen, was charged with one count of burglary of a building, police Lt. Stanley Pruitt said Thursday. Mark Steven Fielder, 19, also of Fort Worth, was charged with theft over \$10,000, he said.

Charges still were pending against three others, suspected of being "fences" for the priceless items, who were arrested earlier this week. Officers said they recovered about 95 percent of

nearly 30 medals, trophies, watches and rings taken from the Colonial Country Club last week. Hogan, a Fort Worth business executive, won most

of the items after recovering from a serious automobile accident in 1949.

Andersen, Fielder and another suspect were arrested Tuesday after they tried to sall the items to

rested Tuesday after they tried to sell the items to undercover officers for \$35,000, police said. A fourth person involved in the attempted sale fled on foot and remains at large.

Andersen was assessed a five-year probated sen-

tence in 1979 after a bulldozer rammed through the Arlington Heights High School fieldhouse, causing \$10,000 damage. He also was ordered to pay more than \$6,000 in restitution.

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Los Angeles celebrates Bicentennial birthday

By YARDENA ARAR

LOS ANGELES (AP) — With mariachi music, speeches and a mass singing of "Happy Birthday," the city of Los Angeles launched a two-year Bicentennial celebration with the news that it may have supplanted Chicago as the nation's second-largest city.

Kick-off ceremonies Thursday on Olvera Street — where the city was founded Sept. 4, 1781 — also featured a religious ceremony and presentation of gifts by the city's 15 councilmen for preservation in a large Lucite time capsule shaped like a lollipop.

As Southern California's famed sunshine triumphed over its equally renowned smog, speakers ranging from Eddie Albert to Vice President Walter Mondale reflected on the city's progress in the 200 years since 44 settlers gathered on the banks of the now-vanished Porciuncula

They called their new village El Pueblo de Nuestra Senora La Reina De Los Angeles de Porciuncula — "The City of Our Lady, the Queen of the Angels of Porciuncula.'

Its name has since been pared down, but "we're now almost 3 million people - by the census count, the second largest city in the country,'

said Mayor Tom Bradley. "Preliminary figures for Los Angeles - and these are really preliminary — were 2,878,039, and they (census officials) expect by the time they finish counting to be over 2,900,000," said Jules Mersel, head statistician for the Los Angeles Community Analysis Bureau. "Chicago has lost population on that first count, so right now in the current counts we're No.

No. 1 is New York, with over 7 million. Chicago officials dispute Los Angeles' claim and speakers at the ceremony attended by several thousand dwelt instead on the diversity of Los

"I have ceased to be amazed by Los Angeles," Mondale said. "What can you say about a city where a sidewalk stand sells kosher burritos? "I can only say, 'L.A.'s the place," he added, echoing the Bicentennial

Los Angeles' Spanish and Mexican heritage was highlighted at the ceremonies, which began with the arrival of a mule-drawn flower cart, a mariachi band and children dressed in fancy traditional Spanish garb. Guests of honor on the gaily decorated outdoor stage included Dona Margarita Lopez Portillo, sister of Mexico's president, and Spain's ambassador to the U.S., Jose Llado.

FCC flooded by postcards protesting nonexistent show

By NORMAN BLACK

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Federal Communications Commission is being deluged with pre-printed postcards from around the country pro-testing a network television show that doesn't exist.

Within the last two weeks, the commission has received more than 7,000 postcards condemning purported plans by ABC to air "Adam & Yves," a comedy show whose leading characters would include homosexuals.

The postcards are identical, with a picture on one side of two children in front of a TV set under the headline: "ABC Presents: Perverted Filth. Don't Let This Happen." The other side of the card includes a one-paragraph protest message and then

space for signatures. FCC officials say they are at a loss to explain what prompted the deluge of mail or even who mounted the campaign.

ABC officials say they considered an "Adam & Yves" program two years ago but dropped it from active development and have no plans for production.

"It's never been on the schedule," said one ABC official, who asked not to be identified. "The whole thing is

moot and we have no idea what's prompting these cards."

The postcards, all addressed to FCC Chairman Charles D. Ferris, carry a message which reads: "I hereby condemn ABC's proposal to air the homosexual comedy series, 'Adam & Yves,' or any similar program, and notify you that I've sent a protest to ABC for placement in their public

Charles L. Gray of the FCC's broadcast bureau said the commission would like to find out what organization is generating the mail so that a response can be sent. The commission does not have the resources to respond to every postcard, he added.

The FCC, however, has been answering people who write their own letters instead of using the postcard. In that response, the FCC points out that it is prohibited by law from "censoring broadcast material and from interfering with freedom of expres-

sion by broadcasting." Officials with several well-established organizations, including the Moral Majority, the National Christian Action Coalition, the National Association of Evangelicals and the National Religious Broadcasters, all said they were unaware of the mail

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SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP) - Two young women scarred in a chemistry class experiment won \$825,000 in damages against the Rand McNally publishing company when a jury found that textbook instructions the two followed failed to provide

adequate warnings. Sources at U.S. District Court said it apparently was the first time a textbook company had been found negli-

The women had filed a \$16 million civil suit against Rand McNally Co. and chemical suppli-

Teenagers riot in Swiss capital

ZURICH, Switzerland (AP) — Teenagers pro-testing the city's closing of a youth center threw fire bombs, demolished shop windows, smashed up sidewalk cafe furniture and erected barricades early today in what eyewitnesses called the worst night of rioting ever in this Swiss financial capi-

Zurich's elegant Bahnhofstrasse, lined with jewelry shops and banks, was a prime target of violence and damage was estimated in the hundreds of thousands of dollars, a Swiss radio

station reported.
It said there was "unimaginable violence" and described the riot as a 'night of destruction.'

Less than 20 people were arrested, according to early reports. Police said an official report would be made later in

the day. No other details were immediately available.

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Teacher strike delays start of classes

By The Associated Press

Philadelphia youngsters got an extra day of vacation today when school officials, hoping to settle a contract dispute with teachers, delayed the start of classes until Mon-

Meanwhile, students in Rochester, N.Y., were attending only morning classes because of teacher strikes.

There were walkouts over pay disputes in more than 60 school districts in 9 states, canceling or curtailing classes for some 500,000 children, according to the National Education Association.

Closed-door, round-the-clock talks continued in Philadelphia, where summer vacation was to have ended today, as negotiatiors for the school board and 11,000 striking teachers sought to resolve a dispute over pay raises and the rehiring of 2,300 laid-off instructors.

Schools were rescheduled to open for 220,000 students on Monday, with bus transportation but no lunch if the strike still was in progress, said superintendent Michael Marcase.

Elsewhere in Pennsylvania, 67,000 pupils in 16 districts and one vocational school were idled in walkouts by 3,600 teachers.

Negotiations in Rochester, N.Y., were resuming later today.

Leaders of the 2,300-member Rochester Teachers' Association were ordered to appear Monday at a contempt of court hearing before state Supreme Court Justice David

About 2,000 teachers paraded around the school board's offices and were joined by 100 students, carrying a banner reading, "Students support a fair shake for our teachers." The striking teachers want a 22

percent pay increase in the next two years. The school board is offering 14 percent. Starting base salary was \$11,700 under the contract that expired Monday.

Educators and city officials in Newark, N.J., planned to meet today in an effort to settle a strike by 4,321 teach-

Despite the no-contract, no-work policy of the Newark Teachers Union, the city's 90 schools were opening for a second day today. More than 60,691

children are affected by the walkout, and attendance was light Thursday. The union is seeking a 10 percent salary increase plus a 15 percent cost of living increase. The board of edu-

cation is offering no increases. A strike by non-teaching employees in Columbus public schools entered its second day, but the school board planned no legal action as long as students and teachers were not pre-

vented from entering buildings. About two-thirds of the 2,500 mem bers of the Ohio Association of Public School Employees, which represents bus drivers, janitors and cafeteria workers, stayed off the job Thursday. The walkout has mainly affected busing. About 40,000 of the school system's 73,000 students are supposed to ride buses to class during the second year of court-ordered desegregation. Strikes by teachers in 10 Illinois school districts kept 26,692 students

away from classes today. In Michigan, 99,000 students were affected by walkouts in 23 school districts. The Michigan Education Association said 4,900 teachers were on

Four school districts in Washington state were struck by 1,600 teachers, and more than 30,000 students were affected.

About 15,700 Rhode Island youngsters were at home in Woonsocket and Cumberland, and in North Providence, where teachers honored a janitor's walkout.

A teacher's strike in Sierra Vista, Ariz., was in its third day, with 5,700 students affected.

Production workers strike major California wineries

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - Workers who process, bottle and package about half the nation's domestic wine struck two of California's largest wineries today in the industry's first union walkout, the union said.

The union struck E&J Gallo Co. and United Vintners at midnight Thursday, when a three-year contract with the 23 members of the Winery Employers Association expired, said Harry Priest of Local 45 of the Winery, Distillary & Allied Workers

Priest said Gallo in Modesto and United Vintners in Escalon were struck because "they are the largest and the most vulnerable." The strike also was expected to affect Gallo facilities in Fresno and Livingston and United Vintners facilities in Stockton, Clovis, Fresno, Reedley and

Union leaders said more than 1,500 employees would not report for work

There were no immediate plans to expand the strike to any of the other 21 association members, Priest said.

The strike, involving only produc tion workers, is the first against California wineries in the 35 years of labor relations between the union and the owners, labor and management officials said.

The union represents 3,500 workers who process, bottle and package wines, but does not represent grape

Arthur Mendolson of San Francisco, lawyer for the association, said the two wineries planned to remain open using management personnel.

Talks of a strike began Wednesday when negotiations under the guidance of federal mediators broke off. No further talks were scheduled.

Two major issues to be resolved between the union and the owners' association are wages and employee probationary periods.

The owners' last offer included a 13

percent pay increase the first year of a new contract with 7 percent increases in the second and third years of the pact, Mendolson said.

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HOLLYWOOD (AP) - he said. Producers of Monday's said their show will go on their awards. despite a threatened boy cott by some of the televison industry's biggest

stars. Ken Ehrlich, producer of the NBC-TV telecast of awards by the Academy of Television Arts and Sciences, said Thursday the ceremonies will be shown with or without the actors.

Meanwhile, talks between negotiators for two striking actors' unions and television and film producers were re-

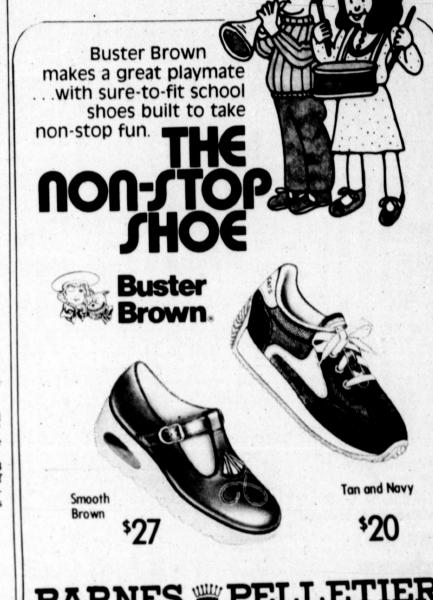
"Basically it will go along as it has been,' Ehrlich said. The show's theme, "The TV Family," has been altered somewhat because of the strike to emphasize the behind-the-scenes portions of the TV industry,

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Actors Guild and the American Federation of Television and Radio Artisist have taken no position on the show, more than 50 stars, including Ed Asner of "Lou Grant," Alan Alda of 'M-A-S-H" and Erik Estrada of "CHiPs," have said they will not appear on the show if the strike

is continuing. On Thursday, a federal mediator recessed talks until further notice, said Kim Fellner, spokeswoman for the Screen Actors Guild. Talks in the 46-day-old walkout, the longest on record, had been held for the past 15

Negotiators for the actors had offered to accept a 5.4 percent of the



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Stock market loses

NEW YORK (AP) - The stock market turned downward Thursday in a session marked by heavy activity and rumors - immediately denied that Ronald Reagan had suffered a heart attack.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials, up about 10 points early in the session, closed with a 4.35 loss at 948.81.

New York Stock Exchange volume reached 59.03 million shares, up from 52.37 million Wednesday, and the heaviest total since a 61.82 million-share day on Aug. 7.

Reagan campaign officials, queried by reporters, said they had verified that he was not ill. But the market still finished near its lows for the day.

Among gold mining issues, ASA Ltd. climbed 3% to 65½ as of the 4 p.m. close in New York; Homestake Mining 2% to 831/2; Dome Mines 31/2 to 120½, and Benguet ¾ to 14¼.
The daily tally on the NYSE showed

losers and gainers about evenly balanced at the close, in contrast to a 4-1 edge for gainers early in the session. The exchange's composite index of

all its listed common stocks dropped Standard & Poor's index of 400 industrials lost .88 to 142.30, and S&P's 500-stock composite index was down

.70 at 125.42. The American Stock Exchange market value index fell 1.24 to 331.90, and the NASDAQ composite index for the over-the-counter market closed at 185.05, up .52.

'Grandparents' gather

WASHINGTON (AP) - Rosalynn Carter met for coffee Thursday with a group of foster grandparents, all 75 years old or older, after a White House tour.

The group was in the nation's capital to celebrate the 15th anniversary of the foster grandparents program, which has 17,000 volunteers.

Livestock

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Weekly livestock review, cattle receipts this week 2,450 for the holiday-shortened period. Last week 3,985 and last year 1,994. Compared with last week slaughter cows fully steady. Slaughter bulls 1,00-2,00 higher in a limited test. Feeder steers and bulls and heifers posted sharp downturns Tuesday which were erased by sharply higher prices on Wednesday as both classes closed steady to 1,00 higher. Slaughter cows made up about 17 percent of the week's supply with balance mainly medium and large frame No. 1 & 2 325-700 lb. feeder heifers.

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Medium frame 1: 300-400 lbs. 78-75-92-50, late 83-00-92-50, few 250-300 lbs. 85-39-65 60, late 92-00 and above; 400-300 lbs. 73-59-80-25 with some lots 400-425 lbs. late 80-50-83-00; 500-600 lbs. 70-00-76-50.
Small frame 1: few 300-400 lbs. 75-25-82-50; few 400-500 lbs. 70-07-530.
Medium and large frame 2: 200-250 lbs. 92-50-99-00; 250-300 lbs. 86-09-250; 300-400 lbs. 72-25-86-50, mostly 17-30-84-00 late; 400-500 lbs. 65-25-78-50, late sales 70-00-78-50, 500-600 lbs. 63-20-70, mostly 64-50-70-00, 600-700 lbs. 60-25-67-25.

78.30, 300-600 lbs. 53.00-72.00, mostly 91.32-70.00, mostly 91.32-70.00, mostly 98.30. Feeder heifers. Medium frame 1: 300-400 lbs. 66.00-71.50, mostly 88.30 and above; 230-300 lbs. late 70.23-77.00; 400-500 lbs. 63.30-68.75, mostly 63.25-69.75, 500-600 lbs. 63.00-66.75. Small frame 1: 300-400 lbs. 67.00-69.50. Medium frame 2: .223-300 lbs. 67.50-73.00; 300-400 lbs. 65.00-69.00, 400-500 lbs. 62.25-66.75, 500-625 lbs. 60.23-64.50.

Others: medium frame 1 335-500 lb. repi b. 65.50-71.00; medium and large frame 1 & 2 400-556 bs. 65.50-71.00; medium and large frame 1 & 2 800-1000 b. replacement cows 49.00-53.50; few medium and small rame 1 & 2 850-1025 lb. Cow and calf pairs 450.00-560.00

er pair. Hogs: receipts this week 800, last week 1096 and last ear 1227. Compared with last week: barrows and gilt: Hogs: receipts this week 800, last week 1096 and last year 1227. Compared with last week: barrows and gilts: 4.50-5.00 lower. Sows 2.00-3.00 lower but neither class tested after Tuesday.

Barrows and gilts: US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 44.50-45.00; US 1-3 220-270 lbs. 43.00-44.50.

Sows: US 1-2 270-300 lbs. 40.00-42.00; 300-550 Lbs. 38.00-40.00

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Cattle: 50. Mainly a clean-up trade with insufficent volume any class on offer to test market.

Slaughter cows: few cutter and utility 45 25-47.00.

Slaughter bulls: few mostly yield grade 2 750-1185 lbs.

Feeder heifers: Feeder heifers: Medium frame 1: Few 450-475 lbs. 66.25-67.50. Medium and large frame 2: Few head 380-460 lbs. 62.25-67.25, few 525-580 lbs. 62.00-67.25.

52.25-67.25, few 525-580 lbs. 62.00-67.25.

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Weekly livestock summary. Cattle estimated receipts for shortened holiday week 1,350, compared with 6,300 last week, 950 last year. Compared with last week, slaughter cows 2.00-4.00 lower. Peeder steers and steer calves fully 2.00 lower. Feeder heifers and heifer calves 2.00-4.00 lower. Demand moderate; trading fairly active. Run includes around 25 slaughter cows and bulls, balance mostly feeder cattle under 500 lbs, with steers thinly tested.

Slaughter cows: utility 2-3, 40.00-43.50; cutter 37.00-41.50; few canner 37.00-39.00.

Slaughter bulls: yield grade 1-2, 1200-1800 lbs, 50.00-55.00, low boning 45.00-50.00.

Feeder steers:

Medium frame 1: 300-400 lbs, 78.00-84.00; 400-500 lbs, 77.00-81.50; 500-600 lbs, 74.00-78.00; few 600-700 lbs, 67.50-72.00.

Large frame 1: 300-400 lbs, 77.00-83.00; 400-500 lbs,

2.00.
Large frame 1: 300-400 lbs, 77.00-83.00; 400-500 lbs, 100-77.00.
Small frame 1: 300-400 lbs, 60.00-67.00.
Feeder heifers:
Medium frame 1: 200-300 lbs, 68.00-74.00: 300-400 lbs.

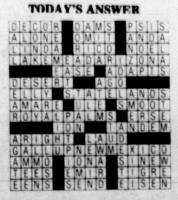
Feeder heifers: Medium frame 1: 200-300 lbs, 68.00-74.00; 300-400 lbs, 64.00-69.00 400-500 lbs, 64.00-67.00. Large frame 1: 300-400 lbs, 63.00-68.00; few 500-700 lbs, 53.50-58.50.

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Texas Panhandle and restern Oklahoma feedlot roundup. Confirmed: 14,800. AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Texas Panhandle and western Oklahoma feedlot roundup. Confirmed: 14,800.

Trade active in Panhandle area Thursday afternoon. Slaughter steers and helfers steady. Feedlot reported broad interest and inquiry from most buying sources. Several buyers still in feedyards at 3:30 p.m. Sales on 13,000 slaughter steers and 1,800 helfers. 42,100 head sold for the week to date. Note: all live cattle prices based on net weight fob the feedlot after 4 percent shrink. Slaughter steers: good and mostly choice 2-3, 70-85 percent choice, 1030-1250 lbs., 71,00-71.30, bulk 71.00; mixed good and choice 2-4 1050-1200 lbs., at 70,00-70.75; 2 loads mixed good and choice sold at 66.00.

Slaughter helfers, mixed good and choice 2-4, 875-950 lbs., 67,00-68.00; couple pens mixed good and choice 2-4, 950-1050 lbs., including helferettes at 65.00-66.50.

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Export Wheat 4.81-4.86, Domestic Milo 6.62-6.67, Yellow Corn 3.86-3.91, Oats 2.391/-2.421/2, Soybeans 8.111/4-8.161/2.



BUSINESS MIRROR

Washington not only source of money advice

AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) - Although it might seem so at times, the financial decisions of people aren't always governed by what Washington says or what well-known money men advise or what the stock market is doing.

Some of the most widespread advise being offered today, for example, is to balance your finances in order to ride out the latest recession, and millions seem to follow that advice. Consumer credit is down.

But to the publisher of the Financial Freedom Report, a publication "designed for the highly motivated individual who is seeking to establish his own financial freedom," borrowing is in vogue.

In a "bulletin" in the latest issue, publisher Mark O. Haroldsen, who founded

the magazine in Salt Lake City several years ago, advises "You should be borrowing money now from your local bank.' The suggestion is consistent with Haroldsen's philosophy of continued inflation, using other people's money and paying as little income tax as you can. Borrowed money, he says repeatedly, is yours tax-free. And during chronic

inflation, he points out, you repay in cheaper dollars.

How widely this advice is followed is hard to say, but Haroldsen and others like him have mailing lists in the thousands, which is evidence that the practices

of many people are contrary to conventional wisdom. Conventional wisdom also promotes the notion that there isn't much you can do to lower your income taxes other than to hope, pray and cajole Congress into granting a tax reduction. Many people don't believe that.

The evidence comes from the popularity of tax avoidance seminars, in which attendees are taught how to take every possible deduction and how to set up businesses in which assets can be quickly depreciated.

Tax avoidance seminars now seem to be sweeping the country. In Mill Valley, Calif., Bill Greene uses his front lawn to tell people how it's done. He says his privately printed book, "Welcome to The Tax Revolt," is selling well, even though most sales are by mail order.

Tax avoidance, of course, is not tax evasion, but it really isn't tax avoidance either. More accurately it is tax deferment because, at least in theory, the taxes eventually are going to come due and collectible.

However, that day can be postponed a long time. To illustrate, an income property can be depreciated, giving an annual tax deduction for 10, 20 or probably 30 years. Then, in theory, taxes are due.

However, if proceeds from that sale are immediately put in trust until

reinvested in a similar, costlier income-producing property, the tax man might allow deferal until the new property is fully depreciated. There's little new about the concept; the Treasury Department grants tax

deferrals to owners of U.S. Savings Bonds and to investors in various promotions, including cattle feeding and oil drilling. What is new perhaps is the popular packaging and promotion of avoidance. Even the elderly are doing their own thing. Have you heard of "desaving?"

Perhaps not, but you probably have heard of the reverse mortgage, and the two terms mean roughly the same thing.

The reverse mortgage, in which the elderly would mortgage their fully paid home, receiving monthly payments on an annuity basis related to their

expected lifespan, have the endorsement even of regulators. Still, they seem to be ensnarled in red tape and stalled by the current money difficulties that most savings banks are experiencing. But desaving, a less formal arrangement, may be catching on

Under desaying, the homeowner might make his or her own arrangements and keep the plan as simple as possible. One method, for example, is to merely borrow money with the house as collateral, and use it as needed

Isn't that using up capital? Of course, but with the owner's lifespan limited by natural forces, how long will that capital be needed? And isn't inflation likely to replace at least part of what is spent? One more: Has your neighbor told you about the latest stock he bought? It's

going on all over: People buy shares for under a dollar and hope they'll rise to \$2 or so, reasoning that the downside risk is minimal, the upside unlimited. Moral: For good or for bad, many people today seem to be doing their own financial thing, not waiting for someone to give them the official line but, out of necessity, experimenting and sometimes winning.

Woman's letter leads officials to tiny bodies hidden in trunk GALLITZIN, Pa. (AP) - Stella age and cause of death," said Goldb-

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acquaintance.

Williamson knew her secret would b discovered after she died, officials said. So she left behind a letter that led authorities to the remains of five babies wrapped in ancient newspapers and hidden in a trunk in the attic

"It's our assumption that these infants were killed the day of their birth or shortly thereafter," said Dr. Stanley Goldblatt, a pathologist. "The crime is 50 years old.

Miss Williamson, who never married and died Aug. 26 at age 76, told of the bodies in a two-page handwritten note that was found and opened by a lodger after her burial Friday, police said.

The wooden steamer chest was found Tuesday night in her attic and examined the next day. The bodies, deteriorated to bone, hair and some tissue, were wrapped in newspapers dating from 1923 to 1933, said Cambria County Coroner John Barron.

"She just wanted the air cleared She figured when she died they'd go through her stuff anyway," Barron said Wednesday. "She never said they were hers. We assume they were, but we have to wait and find

Goldblatt, who examined the chest with Barron, said the aid of an anthropologist and other specialists would be enlisted in examining the remains.

"The bodies will be under study for the next several days to verify the to a wheelchair since a leg was amputated about five years ago, frequented a Methodist church in the western Pennsylvania town of 2,500, according to Rose Watts, a long-time

Miss Williamson, who was confined

Hospital in nearby Johnstown.

Williamson's personal effects.

Barron would not release or quote

the letter, given to him before the

attic was searched. He said the letter

also mentioned dispositon of Miss

Barron said. "But we have to make

sure the obvious is the obvious. We

have to make sure it's not a co-

The boarder, a friend of the family who was not identified, was unaware

of the bodies before opening the let-

ter, Barron said. "He had nothing to

do with it," the coroner added.

"Everybody involved is deceased,"

But Mrs. Watts said she didn't know Miss Williamson well. 'There are certain people when you talk to them a wall comes up,' she said. Neighbors said Miss Williamson

and the boarder were both quiet. "They were very private people. They didn't visit the neighbors or anything," said Marian Michelangelo. "I had never been inside the house. "I lived beside her for years,"

added Genevieve Michelangelo. "She'd say hello and goodbye, but it was just over the fence.'

Gorman dies at 87

trick Gorman, head of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America for more than 50 years, is dead at age At the time of his death

CHICAGO (AP) - Pa-

Wednesday, Gorman was chairman emeritus of the board of the United Food and Commercial Workers union, the largest affiliate of the AFL-CIO, formed by a 1979 merger of the Meat Cutters and the Retail Clerks International Born in Louisville, Ky.

in 1892, Gorman joined the Meat Cutters in 1911. By 1920, he was elected first general vice president of the union and its president in 1923 - then the youngest president of any international organization in the American labor movement.



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Travis Petty of Houston, chairman of the board of The El Paso Company, heads the reception line Wednesday in the Petroleum Club of Midland. Petty and other officials of his company and its subsidiaries were honored at the reception hosted by the Midland Wildcat Committee. To Petty's left in the reception line are Mike Bracy, T. W. Bittick and M. A. Ehrlich. (Staff Photo by Bruce Par-

Midland wildcat committee honors El Paso officials

The Midland Wildcat Committee honored officials of the The Paso Company and its subsidiaries, El Paso Exploration Co. and El Paso latural Gas Co., at a reception Wednesday in the Petroleum Club of Midland.

Heading the list of El Paso dignitaries was Tracy Petty of Houston, chairman of the board of The El Paso

Other top officials on hand were Richard S. Morris, executive vice president and general counsel of the company; T. W. Bittick, executive vice president - Land of El Paso Exploration; C. T. Hollenshed, vice president - Geology, of El Paso Ex-

And, L. G. Truby, vice president -

Production of El Paso Exploration; M. A. Ehrlich, senior vice president, El Paso Natural Gas, and R. E. Johnson, director - Gas Purchases, for El Paso Natural Gas. El Paso Natural Gas Co. is head-

quartered in Midland and the office here directs operations in a vast area utilizing approximately 1,200 person-

Petty said the Midland Division office of El Paso Exploration controls exploration and development activities in the Permian Basin, including southeast New Mexico, South Texas, and onshore Gulf Coast.

T. W. Bittick, executive vice president - Land of El Paso Exploration, said the staff in Midland included approximately 40 professionals, "and

with the other persons who do the clerical and secretarial work we have approximately 60 people in Mid-Petty said that within the next few

months El Paso Exploration would embark on an intensive exploration program, particularly in southeast New Mexico and South Texas.

The El Paso Company was involved in Sohio's plans to ship Alaska oil from California to Texas. Petty said it is very doubtful if such a means of transporting the oil will ever become

"The oil now is being moved way it will continue to be handled,'

through the Panama Canal at great expense, and it looks as if that is the Petty said.

discoveries reported NM wildcats,

Basin operators staked locations for four wildcats and announced potentials on two discoveries in New Mexico counties.

Midland operator John L. Cox will drill No. 1 Proctor, a 12,000-foot wildcat test in Lea County, N.M. Drillsite is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 7-11s-32e, three

miles southwest of Caprock. It is two miles northwest of an 11,275-foot dry hole, and three miles northeast of Morrow gas production in Apache Springs field.

Ground elevation is 4,472 feet.

EDDY EXPLORERS

Yates Petroleum Corp., operating from Artesia, N.M., has announced location for two wildcats in Eddy County, both three miles southwest of Morrow gas production in Crooked Creek field.

No. 1 Serpentine Bend-Federal "OG" is 1,780 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 25-24s-23e, 11 miles west of White

Contract depth is 10,500 feet.

No. 1, Serpentine Bend-Federal "OH" is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 30-24s-24e, 11 miles west of White City. Contract depth is 10,900 feet.

CHAVES WILDCAT

Harper Oil Co. of Oklahoma City, Okla., will drill an 8,200-foot wildcat in Chaves County.

No. 1 Newlin is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 24-6s-29e, three miles northeast of Boaz.

It is nine miles north of the Lightcap (Devonian) field, and approximately 10 miles east of 6,460-foot Siluro-Devonian gas production in the Hays-

LEA STRIKE

Bass Enterprises Production Co., operating from Midland, has potentialed a Canyon oil discovery in Lea County, N.M.

On 24-hour potential test, No. 1 North Townsend Unit, formerly No. 1-36 Bass-State, finaled to flow 527 barrels of 40-gravity oil and 48 barrels

of water on a one-inch choke. Production was through perforations from 10,932 to 11, 139 feet, which had been acidized with 6,000 gallons.

The gas-oil ratio is 2,846-1. Total depth was reached at 12,307 feet, where 5.5-inch casing was set, and the well was plugged back to 12,250 feet.

The location is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 36-15s-34e, eight miles northwest of Lovington.

The following tops were picked on ground elevation of 4,048 feet: Yates, 2,960 feet; Queen, 3,777 feet; Glorieta, 6,090 feet; Tubb, 7,295 feet; Abo, 8,050 feet; Wolfcamp, 9,574 feet; Cisco, 10.-555 feet; Canyon, 10,885 feet; Strawn, 11,480 feet; Atoka, 11,773 feet; Morrow, 11,892 feet.

Coquina Oil Corp. of Midland has potentialed a producer in the Airstrip (Bone Spring) field of Lea County.

No. 1-747 State finaled to flow 291 barrels of 36-gravity oil and 9 barrels of water on 24-hour potential test, through a 24/64-inch choke.

Production was through uppe Bone Spring perf rations from 9,386 t 9,453 feet, which had been acidized with 7,500 gallons.

The well drilled to 10,800 feet, 5.5inch casing was set at 9,608 feet, and it was plugged back to 9,526 feet.

Production site is 330 feet from north and east lines of section 35-18s-34e, five miles southwest of Buck-

CHAVES DISCOVERY

Mesa Petroleum Co. of Midland has announced potential on an Abo gas discovery in Chaves County, N.M.

No. 1 Bestwall finaled for a calculated absolute open flow of 34,000 cubic feet of dry gas per day, through perforations from 3,846 to 3,864 feet, after being acidized with 1,000 gallons and fractured with 25,600 gallons.

The well drilled to 4,400 feet, where 4.5-inch casing was set, and was plugged back to 4,007 feet.

The following tops were picked on ground elevation of 3,547 feet: Glorieta. 1,436 feet; Tubb, 2,874 feet; Abo.

3,604 feet; and Wolfcamp, 4,274 feet. Operator has not suggested a field designation.

Wellsite is 1,980 feet form south and 660 feet from east lines of section -29-9s-25e, 16 miles southwest of

The Cato (San Andres) field of Chaves County, N.M., gained another producer with completion of Harvey Yates Co., Roswell, N.M., No. 2 North

Operator reported the well finaled to pump 4 barrels of 23.6-gravity oil and 1 barrel of water on 24-hour potential test, through perforations from 3,326 to 3,350 feet, which had been acidized with 1,000 gallons.

The gas-oil ratio was too small to Bottomed at 3,380 feet, where 5.5inch casing was set, and plugged back to 3,355 feet, the well is 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 4-8s-30e, 10 mies southeast of Elkins.

Elevation is 4,059 feet, ground LEA FIELD TEST

U. S. Operating Inc. of Midland No. 1 U.S.-Superior-State is to be drilled as a 15,300-foot project in the Antelope Ridge (Morrow gas) pool of Lea County, 15 miles northwest of Jal.

The drillsite is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 16-24s-34e.

WTGS slates Tuesday meet

The West Texas Geological Society will hold a luncheon meeting Tuesday in the Midland Hilton.

The event will begin at 11:30 a.m. The speaker will be Dr. Glen K. Merrill, professor of geology at the College of Charleston in South Caro-

His topic will be "1980 WTGS Field Trip to The Llano Region of Central

Reservations should be made with the WTGS office in Midland by 5 p.m.

explorer in Loving County

Rendova Oil Co. of Midland spotted location for a deep prospector in Lov-ing County, 16 miles northeast of

Scheduled to 22,000 feet, the wildcat will be dug as No. 1 State.

Drillsite is 2,401 feet from north and 467 feet from west lines of seftion 25, block C-26, psl survey.

It is one mile southeast of the opener and lone producer in the Central Pinal Dome (Atoka gas) field which produces at 16,098 feet.

PECOS PROSPECTOR

Cox Tong Rental Inc., announced plans to re-enter a former dual Ellenburger and Devonian gas producer in the Petco field of Pecos County and

cleanout to 4,000 feet. The old total depth is 15,250 feet.

The project will be re-entered as No. 1 Neal Estate. It is 1,520 feet from north and 1,320 feet from east lines of section 22, block 142, T&StL survey and 17 miles south of Grandfalls.

The drillsite is 1.5 miles northwest of the MPF (Yates and Capitan Reef) field and 1.5 miles southeast of the Roxie (Yates oil) pool.

WARD TESTER

Forest Oil Corp. announced plans to re-enter a Fusselman well in the Vermejo field of Ward County and plug back to 18,740 feet for tests as a

The project is the operator's No. 1 Brown Unit, 6,781 feet from notheast and 1,270 feet from southeast lines of section 68, block 33, H&TC survey and five miles southeast of Mentone. The old total depth is 19,064 feet.

GARZA WILDCATS

Texas Vanguard Oil Co. of Houston announced locations for four wildcats in Garza County. Each will be drilled to 3,500 feet. No. 1-21 McLendon is 1,980 feet from

south and 660 feet from west lines of section 21, block 8, H&GN survey and 12 miles northeast of Post. Ground elevation is 2,329 feet.

No. 2-21 McLendon is 660 feet from south and west lines of section 21, block 8, H&GN survey and 12 miles northeast of Post. Elevation is 2,335

No. 1-22 McLendon will be dug 12 miles northeast of Post and 1,980 feet from north and west lines of section

22, block 8, H&GN survey. Elevation is 2,404 feet. Texas Vanguard Oil No. 2-2 McLendon was spotted 660 feet from north

and west lines of section 22, block 8,

H&GN survey and 12 miles northeast

of Post. Elevation is 2,354 feet. SCHLEICHER TRY

Fisher-Webb Inc. of Abilene No. 1 H. Emmons is a new 7,300-foot wildcat 10 miles west of Eldorado in Schleicher County.

Location is 1,980 feet from south and 7m000 feet from east lines of Concho County School Land survey No. 8, abstract 46.

The site is 11/4 miles southwest of the lone well in the Page, West (Wolfcamp gas) field and 1% miles north of the Henry Speck (Canyon gas) field. It also is 11/2 miles northeast of an 8 005-foot failure.

REAGAN EXPLORER McCormick Operating Co. of Hous-

ton No. 1 University Land will be drilled as a 10,700-foot wildcat in Reagan County, 10 miles west of Big

Operator spotted the project 2,200 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 10, block 8, University Lands survey. Ground elevation is 2,825 feet.

The location is 21/4 miles west of the depleted Best (Dean) field and 1% miles southeast of the only well in the Big Lake, Southwest (Bend) pool.

CONCHO WILDCAT William B. Wilson & Sons, Inc., of

Midland staked No. 2 Slaughter as a 2,700-foot wildcat in Concho County, three miles north of Millersview. Location is 467 feet from north and

No. 1962, and elevation at the drillsite is 1,689 feet. The site is 1/2 mile northwest of Tannehill gas production and 7/8 mile

east lines of John W. Mathee survey

southwest of Harkey gas production in the Hartgrove field. The project will test as a wildcat at

RUNNELS PROJECTS Try Tex Crude of Ballinger spotted

a 2,500-foot oil wildcat in Runnels County, seven miles northeast of Ballinger. It is No. 1 Clifford Frey, 1,374 feet

from south and 467 feet from west lines of section 38, Domingo Diaz survey No. 532. Ground elevation is 1,782 feet.

Avips Petroleum Inc. of Abilene will re-enter and deepen to 4,700 feet the former Southland Petroleum Co. No. 1 Walter Jacob, a 3,900-foot dry hole in Runnels County, one mile southeast of Crews.

Avips will operate the project as No. 1 Walter Jacob. It is 840 feet from north and 467 feet from east lines of J. E. Hooten survey No. 94.

Boney & Zetzman of Abilene No. 1 Fannie W. Albert is to be drilled as a 7,100-foot Ellenburger wildcat 10 miles southwest of Rotan in Fisher

Rendova slates 22,000-foot

Location is 1,905 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 63, block 2, H&TC survey and 1/2 mile west of a 4,100-foot dry hole and 1 3/8 miles southwest of Ellenburger production in the Pescador field.

enter a 6,325-foot failure in Nolan County and clean out to 6,100 feet for

It is the former Rowan & Hope No. 1 Boyd, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 42, block 20, T&P survey. It will be operated by Hanson

Neill,South (Odom lime) field which produces at 5,696 feet.

CROCKETT CORRECTION

miles west of Ozona. It will be drilled as No. 2-43 Perner and not as No. 2-24 Perner as reported in error.

The prospector is 990 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 43, block 2, I&GN survey. It is 1/2 mile south of International

Ingham multipay field.

Amoco Production Co. announced locations for two projects in the Fasken, South (Atoka) field area of Ector

drilled 7/8 mile southwest of Atoka production and 660 feet from south and west lines of section 35, block 41, T-1-N, G&MMB&A survey and eight miles northeast of Odessa.

block 41, T-1-N, G&MMB&A survey It is 5/8 mile northwest of Atoka

PDC Gas Co. No. 1 Brandenburg "B" has been reclassified from Ellenburger gas production in the Payton pool of Ward County to Ellenburger

As an oiler, it made 43 barrels of 42-gravity oil and 81 barrels of water on 24-hour potential test through a 1/2-inch choke. Completion was natueal and the gas-oil ratio is 8,976-1. Completion was through perfora-tions from 10,016 to 10,032 feet.

Total depth is 10,150 feet and 7-inch

casing is set at 10,090 feet. Wellsite is 660 feet from northwest and southwest lines of section 4, block 32, H&TC survey and three miles south of Grandfalls.

GAINES OFFSETS Joy Petroleum Corp. of Midland will drill a southwest offset to the reopener and lone producer in the Champmon, North (Strawn) field of Gaines County, 14 miles east of Se-

The project, No. 2 Sandy "L" will be drilled 1,900 feet from south and 1,050 feet from west lines of section 1, block

C-43, psl survey. Contract depth is 11,500 feet.

W&W Oil Co. of Andrews spotted a 4,900-foot project one location west of production in the six-well Carm-Ann (San Andres) field of Gaines County. It is nine miles south of Seminole

and will be drilled as No. 1 W. G. Location is 1,070 feet from north and 2,220 feet from west lines of section 19, block A-22, psl survey.

KENT FIELD TRY

West Texas Oil & Gas Corp. of Midland No. 1 Wallace Ranch is a new project in the Jayton, West (Strawn) pool of Kent County, five miles northeast of Clairemont.

The drillsite is 1,700 feet west of the closest Strawn production and 660 feet from south and east lines of section 5, W. P. Wilson survey, abstract 506. Contract depth is 6,700 feet.

KENT POLLAN AREA

Par Producing Co. of Snyder staked location for a 7/8-mile northeast stepout to production in the Pollan (Ellenburger) field of Kent County, two miles west o Polar.

The 7,850-foot project is 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 45, block 5, H&GN survey.

The project will be oprated as the No. 1 Leona Ford.

CULBERSON COUNTY

Exxon Corp. No. 1 Delaware River Corp. "B"; drilling 675 feet.

GAINES COUNTY
Maralo Inc. No. 1-7 Maralo-Estate;
td 3,612 feet, still testing; pumping no
gauges, through unreported perforations.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY BTA No. 4-B 7613 JV-P Cox; still a location.

Kenai Oii & Gas No. 1 Ratliff;
drilling 8,266 feet in shale and sand.

Grace Petroleum No. 1 West Tonto-Federal; drilling 8,299 feet in lime.

LOVING COUNTY Getty No. 1-25-76 Tom Linebery; drilling 20,763 feet. Getty No. 1 Tom Linebery Strip; drilling 15,814 feet.

LYNN COUNTY Exxon Corp. No. 1 Joe Potter, td 4,420 feet; preparing to run 8% inch

MITCHELL COUNTY
Marshall & Winston No. 2 McCabe;
td 7,177 feet; still shut-in waiting on PECOS COUNTY

gallons.

Exxon No. 5 Longfellow; td 8,889 feet; still shut-in.

Exxon No. 1 McComb; drilling 16,-

row); drilling 2,915 test is said anhydrite.

Jake L. Hamon No. 1 Childers:
Osudo, North (Morrow); td 11,200 feet, running 7-inch casing.

Great Western Drilling Co. No. 1
Kaiser Communitized: Atoka, East (Morrow gas); drilling 4,550 feet in sand, lime and dolomite.

Marathon No. 34 McDonald-State:
Undesignated; still a location.

BTA No. 1 Ridge: Antelope Ridge: feet.
Getty No. 1 Ratcliff; td 18,704 feet; testing, no gauges, through unreported perforations.
Gulf No. 1 Maddox; drilling 11,985 feet in shale and sand.
NAPECO No. 1 Centurion; drilling 21,387 feet. 21,357 feet. Maddox Energy No. 1 Frost Na-tional Bank-State; td 20,450 feet; tak-

REEVES COUNTY

STONEWALL COUNTY
Gulf No. 1 Brookerson; td 6,027 feet
in lime and dolomite; ran logs; shut-in
for evaluation of logs.
Marshall & Winstonn No. 3 Pittcock; td 3,024 feet; shut-in; perforated
Tannehill 2,943-2,925 feet; swabbed 2
hours, recovered 5 barrels of oil and
30 barrels of water.

LYNN COUNTY Western Reserves Oil Co. No. 1 Johnaire: PHD; td 4,427, waiting on

PECOS COUNTY
D.A. Metts No. 1 Roxie Neal:
Gomes (Ellenburger); drilling 18,542
feet in lime and shale.
Tipperary Oil & Gas No. 1 Holbert:
Rojo Caballos (Devonian); drilling 16,361 feet in shale.

REAGAN COUNTY
Sage Energy Co. No. 1-15 CitiesState: Barnhart, South (Ellenburger
oil); drilling 5,494 feet in shale and

WARD COUNTY

WARD COUNTY

Exxon No. 1 Sabine Gas Unit: Quibar (Fusselman); drilling 17,718 feet.

Union Oil Co. of California No. 1-1819 University "A:" Wink, South
(Wolfcamp); td 11,486, waiting on
completion unit.

WINKLER COUNTY
Getty No. 1-40-21 University: Little
Joe (Ellenburger); drilling 14,177
feet.
Getty No. 1-33-21 University: Little
Joe (Ellenburger); drilling 4,345 feet.

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Hansom Corp. of Midland will retests as a wildcat.

as No. 1 Boyd. The test site is 3/4 mile east of the

International Oil & Gas Corp. recently staked a 9,800-foot wildcat 24

Oil & Gas No. 1-43 Perner, an active wildcat and one mile southeast of the

ECTOR PROJECTS

Each of the projects will be drilled to 12,000 feet. No. 3 David Fasken"BG" will be

Amoco No. 4 David Fasken "BG" will be drilled 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 35, and eight miles northeast of Odessa.

Exxon Corp. No. 1 Henderson Trust; td 9.834 feet; still shut-in wait-ing on pipeline. WINKLER COUNTY

EDDY COUNTY Getty No. 1-24 Getty-Federal; td Getty No. 1-24 Getty-Federal; to 14,411 feet; circulating. Gulf No. 1 Rustler Bluffs; td 13,800 feet; pb 11,185 feet; shut-in. Jake L. Hamon No. 1-33 Federal; drilling 7,834 feet in lime and dolo-

MWJ No. 1 State "GWA"; moving and rigging up.

AINES COUNTY
Maraio Inc. No. 1-7 Maraio-Estate; d. 3,612 feet; still testing; pumping no

LEA COUNTY Getty No. 1-6 Getty-State; td 14,140 feet; moving in and rigging up pulling

MARTIN COUNTY MGF No. 1 Henson; still a location. MGF No. 2 Henson; still a loca-

PECUS COUNTY
BTA Oil Producers No. 1 8004 JV-P
Grande: dt 17,750; testing, no gauges,
through perforations at 20,897-20,517
feet, which were acidized with 45,000

Exxon No. 1 Middle Fork; drilling 7,855 feet in a side track hole. Exxon No. 1 Mitchell; drilling 8,045

REEVES COUNTY
BTA Oil Producers No. 1 Arno; td
634 feet; waiting on cement; set 20inch pipe at 622 feet.
Union Texas No. 1 UTP-NRM
Chapparral; drilling 15,680 feet in lime
and shale.

TOM GREEN COUNTY
R.F. Madera No. 1 Mertz Brothers,
still a location.

WILDCATS

ANDREWS COUNTY
Guif No. 5. State "FY"; td 9,291
feet; still testing; pumped no oil, 198
barrels of water in 24 hours, through
perforations at 4,837-4,922 feet.

CHAVES COUNTY
NRM Petroleum No. 1-8 Federal;
td 8,192 feet; no report.

CROCKETT COUNTY
Exxon Corp. No. 1 Henderson
Trust; td 9,834 feet; still shut-in waitfeet.

WARD COUNTY
BTA Oil Producers No. 1 8001 JV.P
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FIELD TESTS

purping unit.

Exxon No. 2-1 Milepost-Federal:
Undesignated Morrow; td 11,400 feet,
preparing to drill out cement at 10,720 feet.

feet.
Marathon No. 2 Federal Gas Communitized "IBD: Indian Basin (upper Pennsylvanian); td 7,500 feet, still testing, flowed 4 barrels of water and gas at the rate of 520,000 cubic feet per day on 12/64-inch choke, through upper Pennsylvanian perforations feom 7,182-7,214 feet, flowing tubing pressure 985 pounds.

KING COUNTY
BTA No. 2 King: Prudence (Atoka gas); still a location.

Kenai Oil & Gas Inc. No. 1 McNeil: Nadine (Abo), td 7,900 feet, perforat-ed from 7,227-7,425 feet, acidized with

400 gallons, preparing to test.

Jake L. Hamon No. 1 Hamon-Samedan-Petty: Osudo, North (Morrow); drilling 2,915 feet in salt and
aphydrite.

LEA COUNTY

Exxon No. 502 Haley Unit; drilling 17,100 feet. YOAKUM COUNTY Mailard Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 Ellis; td 12,397 feet; swabbing, no gauges, from open hole 5,214-5,240 feet, after acid treatment of 2,300 gallons.

STONEWALL COUNTY
"Grand Banks Energy No. 1 Herman Letz: Carothers (Bend conglomer ate); 1d 6,080 feet, plugged and aban

UPTON COUNTY
Marathon No. 2 J.D. Robertson
"C:" Susan Peak multipay; old 4,568
feet, preparing to set pump.
Gulf No. 16 McElroy Ranch Co.
"G;" td 11,514 feet, fishing. location.
BTA No. 1 Napper: Welch, South-east (Spraberry); still a location.
MGF Oil Corp. No. 1 Kibler: Wells, South (Spraberry); still a location. ECTOR COUNTY
Marathon No. 2 J.D. Slator: TXL,
North (Waddell); old 9,735 feet, testing on pump through Waddell perforations from 9,216-9,274 feet, no gauges.

EDDY COUNTY Gulf No. 4 Marquardt-Federal: Undesignated Wolfcamp; drilling 1,-785 feet in anhydrite and salt. Gulf No. 1 Eddy-State "C:" Unde-signated Bone Spring; td 12,690 feet, pbtd 9,990 feet, shut-in, walting on pumping unit.

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the agency wants further studies done.

The agency also is changing its standards to permit the sale of decaffeinated cola drinks.

stances reach the unborn child through the placenta that links mother and

fetus. The agency's actions do not include warnings to others who drink caffeine beverages. Americans consume an aver-

The FDA action comes in the wake of studies that show caffeine causes birth defects in rats. But, FDA spokesman Wayne Pines said Wednesday, the evidence is inconclusive whether the drug also causes human birth defects and

'There is no reason for people to be frightened. The scientific evidence is not conclusive," said Pines. "We feel it is incumbent on us nevertheless to report to the public where we stand. We feel that because caffeine is active as a drug, pregnant women should avoid caffeine-containing foods and drinks or use them sparingly."

DR. NEIL SOLOMON

Chewing tobacco carries own dangers

Dear Dr. Solomon: I feel as if I've gone from the frying pan into the fire. I finally convinced my 18-year-old son that smoking is stupid; now he has started experimenting with chewing tobacco. He explains that chewing the stuff will not cause lung cancer, and that many professional athletes indulge in the practice. Frankly, I wish he wouldn't chew tobacco for esthetic reasons; but is it really as harmless as he suggests? -Mr. A.G.M.

Dear Mr. M.: Chewing tobacco may not cause lung cancer, but it does produce harmful changes in the tissues of the mouth that can lead to a condition caled oral leukoplakia (also known as smoker's tongue or smoker's patches). This is a disease characterized by white, thickened patches on the inner lining of the cheeks, gums and tongue.

According to Dr. Arden G. Christen of the School

of Aerospace Medicine, Brooks Air Force Base, Texas, from three to six percent of cases of leukoplakia becomes malignant. In addition, the chewing of tobacco can result in receding gums, tooth abra- problem. sion and destruction of bone that surrounds the

Dear Dr. Solomon: I have been told that my 7-year-old son has a learning disability, particularly in relation to his ability to read; however, no one says what can be done about it. I took him for an eye examination recently and was informed his vision in normal. Would you have any other suggestions? - Mrs. H.W.

Dear Mrs. W.: If your son suffers from dyslexia - a condition in which letters, words or numbers are perceived as being reversed - eye-

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glasses would serve no purpose except to correct tor. If you have a medical question, write to defective vision. The teaching of learning-disabled Neil Solomon, M.D., 1726 Reisterstown Road, Balor dyslexic children is a problem for educators, and remedial assistance should be obtained for the child at as early and age as possible. I suggest you speak with your son's teacher, principal or school social worker if there is one, to make arrangements for such assistance.

Dear Dr. Solomon: After two children, my husband and I have decided that our family is complete. With the exception of sterilization, which method of birth control is the best guarantee against further pregnancies? - Mrs. A.J.

Dear Mrs. J.: No method of birth control provides a total guarantee against pregnancy. For example, a diaphragm that has not been fitted properly, or an intrauterine device that has been expelled without your knowledge, may lead to an unwanted pregnancy. Other methods of contraception, such as the Pill, may be contraindicated because of some medical

In view of these potential difficulties, the best method of contraception for any couple - one that takes into consideration personal preference, religious beliefs, psychological attitude and medical history - is best determined through consultation with their physician.

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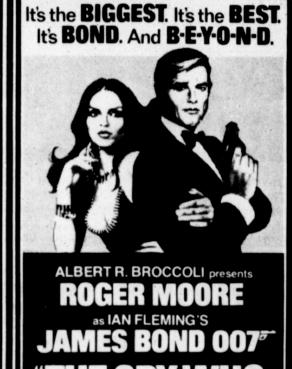
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