### COMING SUNDAY

METRO EDITION

### Flight at Altitude Zero

After 30 years in the Air Force, Smokey Rolland can still slip behind the controls of a DC-3 and go anywhere he wants — including a Midland truckstop or the alley behind your house. See the story in this week's West Texas

### Three R's and a C?

Reading, writing, arithmetic — and computer? Sam Houston Elementary fifth graders recently were given their first expo-sure to the ever-growing computer world. Read about this experience in Sunday's Reporter-Telegram.

### Capping the Campaig

Candidates are gearing up for the last week of campaigning before the election Nov. 4. A series of articles eyeing local candidates begins Sunday in The Reporter-Telegram. Also appearing will be the voters guide sponsored by the League of Women Voters.

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Tears flow from the face of Miss Liberty on a billboard erected over the Massachusetts Turnpike extension in Boston Thursday by a local billboard company. Employees of the firm designed and painted the sign and pledged to change use number indicating days in captivity daily until the hostages, now held in Iran 356 days, are released. (AP

### Iraq claims capture of Iranian port city

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) - Iraq said its tanks and troops captured the vital Iranian port of Khorramshahr and overran "every yard" of the city today in their greatest victory of the 33-day-old Persian Gulf war.

'The Iranian flag was lowered from over the government house in Mohammara (Arabic name of Khorramshahr) and the Iraqi flag was hoisted over the building to declare the return of the city to Arab rule forever," said an Iraqi military communique broadcast by Baghdad

The battle for Khorramshahr has been one of the toughest of the war between the Arab nation of Iraq and its foe, Persian Iran.

There was no immediate confirmation from Iran that the city had fallen, but according to earlier reports the governor of Abadan said Iraqi forces were trying to penetrate Khorramshahr from the east to help hard-driving troops in control of the city's northern sector overrun the entire

Iraq made frequent claims in the past that Khorramshahr, Iran's main commercial port on the embattled Shatt el-Arab waterway, had fallen and each time Iran denied the claim.

The Iraqi communique said Iraq's Defense Minister Gen. Adnan Khairalla telephoned the news of Khorramshahr's capture at midday to Iraqi President Saddam Hussein at the operation's room of the Iraqi army, according to the broadcast.

"Our troops and tanks have captured the city's main bridge on the Karun river and all the residential buildings overlooking it," the communique said.'

The Iranian command said earlier that at daybreak hand-to-hand combat flared into a seventh straight day in the streets of Khorramshahr, which Iran's Supreme Defense Council recently renamed Khuninshahr, or City of Blood, in tribute to its "selfsacrificing Moslem defenders."

Hundreds of diehard Islamic revo-

lutionary guards of Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini's regime have been killed in the seven days of house-tohouse fighting that preceded the city's final fall, according to the Iraqi communique.

"Their bodies are left in the streets and in the houses where the fighting flared," said a telegram to Hussein from the Iraqi commanding general of the invasion.

Nearly all of Khorramshahr's estimated 150,000 inhabitants were reported to have deserted the city before the Iraqis captured its harbor and northern sector at the end of the first week of the war. The northern sector is the smaller part of the city, separated from the rest by the Karun

It was then that Iraq made the first, premature, declaration of Khorramshahr's fall on Sept. 25. The Iragis then bogged down on the main river bridge that connects the northern with the rest of Khorramshahr.

### Resignation raises new questions

#### By THOMAS KENT

MOSCOW (AP) - The resignation of ailing Premier Alexei N. Kosygin is expected to have little immediate impact on Soviet policy, but observers here believe it offers important hints about future personnel changes in the aging Kremlin hierarchy.

Western analysts say the appointment of Deputy Premier Nikolai A. Tikhonov as successor to the 76-yearold Kosygin strengthens the hand of President Leonid I. Brezhnev, Tik-honov's long-time close friend and associate. But they say the new premier's advanced age, 75, indicates he may only be an interim replace-

Brezhnev, 73, announced the shakeup Wednesday in a speech to the Supreme Soviet, the national Parlia-

His speech included no praise for Kosygin, but Western analysts said Kosygin apparently left the No. 2 Kremlin post while in good political few top Soviet leaders to resign of his own will.

. The official reason given for Kosygin's resignation was ill health - he reportedly suffered at least two heart attacks in recent years. Reports of

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failing health have often been used by Soviet leaders to dwsguise forced ousters, but Soviet and Western analysts here believe Kosygin's desire to step down was genuine.

"He has been trying to resign for some time," said a Soviet source who knows Kosygin's family. "He just wanted to rest, to fish. But other Soviet leaders have been reluctant. Perhaps they've been wondering how to replace him."

Western experts believe the resignation of Kosygin - who handled economic affairs and the day-to-day running of the government - may

standing. If so, he joined former Pres- have set an important precedent for view that Communist Party policy ident Anastas Mikoyan as one of the other members of the aging national takes precedence over the men who leadership to step down eventually. rather than die wn office.

Many past Soviet leaders have clung to their jobs as long as their lives or their political support lasted. But despite a comment in 1976 by

one member of the ruling Politburo that 70 is only "middle age," Soviet leaders are suffering increasingly from health problems and others may also seek an honorable way out of

Brezhnev himself has frequently been ill in recent years but lately he has appeared in better health.

Defense Minister Dmitri F. Ustinov, 71; KGB Security police chief Yuri V. Andropov, 66; ideologist Mikhail A. Suslov 77 and other members of the ruling 15-member Politburo have all disappeared from public view for long periods and missed major events.

Kosygin's departure was handled with dignity and downplayed in the official news media, a sign of how execute it.

The departure of Kosygin came just two days after the election of 49-yearold Mikhail Gorbachev to full membership in the Politburo, and some analysts believe the two events could be closely linked.

Gorbachev is one of the youngest people inducted into the ruling hierarchy since the days of Stalin, and some Kremlin watchers see his election as the spearhead of an effort to bring younger men to top leadership positions. The current average age of Politburo members is 69.

similar departures might be handle in the future.

The coverage reflected the official However, Western analysts note that Gorbachev appears to have been given responsibility for the agricultural sector, traditionally a political hot potato because of its history of poor production.

### After 356 days: Iran, why now?

An AP News Analysis By BARRY SCHWEID

WASHINGTON (AP) - After 356 days, why now? Iran's desperate scramble for arms to fight its month-long war with Iraq and a desire for a more sympathetic hearing in the international community may be major factors behind the decision in Tehran to take up the plight of the American hostages this weekend.

But is the timing, in the waning days of the U.S. presidential campaign, merely a coincidence?

If their 356-day ordeal is indeed nearing an end, it might well help President Carter win re-election, although the Iranians deny that inten-

Quoting Prime Minister Mohammad Ali Rajai that the decision had "nothing to do with November or the American election," State Department spokesman John H. Trattner said Thursday "that's the most eloquent statement I can give you at this time."

And, he added, "I believe it." Why, then, are the Iranians finally moving on the hostages after almost a year of repeated delays?

According to one U.S. analyst, military forces in Iran may have persuaded the radicals that Iran's need for equipment in the conflict with Iraq should take priority over other considerations.

Whatever value holding the hostages had as an anti-American gesture, reopening trade with the United States is now more vital, this theory And, according to the official, who asked not to be identified, Iran

might feel it can strike a better bargain with the administration before the election than afterward - no matter who wins. Former Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger said Thursday he

expects the hostages to be released "in the relatively near future" because they have served the purposes which their captors had in

In a meeting here with reporters, Kissinger would not predict whether the hostages would be freed before the election. But emphasized his belief that the release, if it occurs, will be due to

Iran's internal needs rather than Carter administration diplomacy.

He said two of the initial objectives in seizing the U.S. Embassy at Tehran had been achieved - enhancing the position of the radical captors and demonstrating the weakness of the United States within

According to Kissinger, who has been advising and appearing with Re-

publican presidential candidate Ronald Reagan, these objectives were met months ago but there was no consensus among Iranian forces to release the Americans until recently.

### GOP leaders host Reagan rally in Midland

Party.

#### By SUE FAHLGREN Staff Writer

Sen. Bill Armstrong of Colorado and State Republican Party Chairman Chester Upham of Mineral Wells hosted a Republican rally in Midland Thursday as part of the final twoweek swing through Texas to gain support for the Reagan-Bush ticket. "We're looking for support on all

parts of the ticket," Upham said." Upham, co-owner of Upham Oil and Gas Co. and managing co-owner of Upham Development Co. in Mineral Wells, said a current Republican party poll "shows the Reagan-Bush ticket has a solid eight-point lead." Upham said 47 percent of those polled support the Reagan-Bush ticket. while 39 percent are for Carter-Mondale and 6 percent are for Anderson-Lucey.

In addition, Upham said, some phone bank volunteers in Texas had "already located two times as many registered voters as during the Clements campaign" two years ago when Bill Clements ran for governor. The volunteers are phoning residents from two sets of phone banks in Texas to get them to support the Republican candidates

"We're finding that people are becoming more comfortable with the Republican Party," Upham said,

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mentioning switch-party voters, while they are becoming very, very uncomfortable with the Democratic

Armstrong, a junior senator from Colorado, said one reason for the stop in Midland is that the city represents "what America stands for."

"I'm more glad to be back in Midland than you know," Armstrong told media representatives during a news conference Thursday. "There's a sense of tremendous dedication to the free enterprise system here. The values in Midland are the values of most Americans.'

Armstrong continued, "Seeing what

couragement to fight for the American people," and get Ronald Reagan elected.

Armstrong said he feels that as the campaign nears election day, issues would turn away from the current rhetoric and lean more toward "the state of the economy.'

"Jimmy Carter himself made the economy an issue in the 1976 election," Armstrong said as he pointed out taxes and inflation have increased since Carter took office.

"No where else in the world is this more evident than in Midland, Texas, which has had so much to do with the

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### Inflation back in 'double digits' WASHINGTON (AP) — Inflation jumped back into double digits in

September as consumer prices, led by rising food costs, jumped a full 1 percent, the government said today in its last inflation report before Election Day.

Last month's rise translates into a 12.7 percent compound annual inflation rate, compared with the 13.3 percent rise in 1979. From January through September, consumer prices have risen 12.1 percent.

The inflation issue has become a central theme of the presidential campaign, with Republican nominee Ronald Reagan sharply attacking President Carter's handling of the economy. At one point, he accused the administration of manipulating economic statistics for political purposes, a charge officials strongly den-

September's consumer price figures proved worse than August's 0.7 percent increase and the zero movement registered in July. Inflation was at an even 1 percent in June.

The report showed retail food prices once again rising sharply, while hous-ing costs began to accelerate following this summer's decline. Gasoline prices, however, fell for the fifth consecutive month.

September's inflation performance as measured by the Labor Department's Consumer Price Index was far more favorable than the pace last winter when consumer prices were racing at more than an 18 percent annual rate.

However, the 1 percent increase was worse than many economists predicted. Moreover, food prices are expected to accelerate in coming months, say economists, including Carter's chief inflation adviser. Alfred Kahn.

The Labor Department also reported that average weekly earnings after

deductions for Social Security and federal income taxes decreased 0.4 percent from August after seasonal adjustments. Over the year, spendable earnings declined 6.7 percent after inflation was taken into ac-

Patrick Jackman, a Labor Department economist, said the difference between September's 1 percent jump and August's 0.7 percent rise was due largely to a slowing in the decline of mortgage interest costs. He said sharply higher costs of pork

and beef also played a significant role in last month's price acceleration. The September inflation report, ad-

justed for seasonal variations, showed: - All food and beverage prices

jumping 1.6 percent after increasing 1.7 percent in August. Meats, poultry, fish and eggs alone accounted for three-fifths of the increase. Beef, pork and poultry prices shot up for the

third consecutive month, reflecting the summer's severe drought in many

- Eating out at a restaurant cost 0.9 percent more ir September than in August, while purchasing an alcoholic beverage was 0.5 percent more ex-

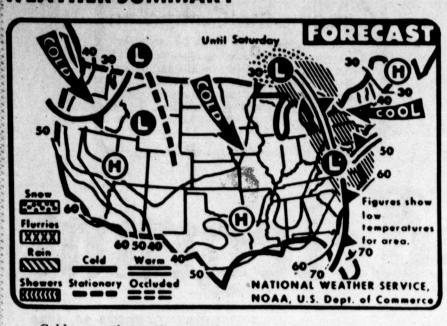
- Housing costs rose 0.7 percent compared with a slim 0.1 percent increase in August. Mortgage interest rates continued to decline, but by substantially less than during the summer. Home prices, meanwhile, jumped 1.3 percent.

- Gasoline prices fell 0.5 percent, about the same as in August. Public transportation costs were up 3.6 percent; new car prices, 1 percent; and used car prices, a sharp 5.6 percent.

— Apparel and its upkeep rose 1.3

percent following substantially smaller increases in the preceding three months.

### **VEATHER SUMMARY**



Colder weather will spread over most of the country. Mild temperatures are forecast across the southern tier of states. Sunny skies are forecast for the West. Rain is forecast from the Great Lakes to North Carolina. (AP Laserphoto Map)

The weather elsewhere

#### Midland statistics

#### WEATHER FORECAST

READINGS: Yesterday's High	
Overnight Low	
Sunset today	7: 07p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	
Precipitation:	
Precipitation: Last 24 hours	0 inches
This month to date	
1960 to date	15.8 inches
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7 a.m50	7 p.m 60
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Austin	81 55 .00
Beaumont	81 58 .00
Brownsville	85 70 .14
Childress	66 37 .00
College Station	79 51 .44
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Dalhart	85 70 .14 66 37 .00 79 51 .44 82 63 .00 54 24 .00
Dallas	81 46 .00
Del Rio	85 56 .00
El Paso	75 44 .00
Fort Worth	80 46 .00
Galveston	79 67 .00
Houston	84 66 .00
Junction	80 46 .00
Longview	80 53 .00
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McAllen	73 MM .00 88 70 .00
Midland	67 33 .00
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### **Border states forecasts**

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Clear with a slight warming trend hrough Saturday. Highs upper 30s north to near 80 outhwest. Lows near 30 north to upper 40s southwest. Highs Saturday 60s north and mountains to mid 80s

North Texas: Clear and cooler today, warmer cen's rai and west Saturday. Highs 61 northwest to 71 south-east. Lows 35 northwest to 42 southeast. Highs Saturday

South Texas: Mostly clear, windy and cooler north and west, partly cloudy and turning cooler with scattered thunderstorms extreme southeast and south. Fair tonight and Saturday. Highs low 70s northwest to mid 80s south. Lows upper 30s northwest toupper 30s south. Highs Saturday 70s.

Port O'Connor to Brownsville: Small craft advisory in effect. Easterly winds 5 to 10 knots, shifting to northerly 20 to 25 knots, continuing tonight. Northeast winds 10 to 15 Saturday. Winds and seas higher in a few showers and thunderstood and the season of the s

### Five charged with gaming

Five Midland men were arrested by police here Thursday evening and charged in Municipal Court with gaming.

Officers said they received information about 8:35 p.m. Thursday of gambling at King's Sandwich Shop, 301 N. Lee St. When the officers entered the building, they said they witnessed five men sitting around a table in the back room. On the table were cards and money, reports indicated.

Clifford Conner, Harvey McClendon, George Howard Conner Jr., Frank Turner and Billy Joe Alexander were arrested on charges of

Officers also reported confiscating a cigar box, six \$1 bills, \$9.50 in quarters, a small locked metal box, a deck of playing cards and an unopened deck of playing cards.

Police also were investigating two thefts in which musical instruments were taken from local school facili-

Mrs. Jesse Lopez of 1605 S. Belmont St. reported the theft of a flute valued at \$600 from the Midland High School band hall. She said the flute was taken between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. Wednes-

Peggy Zugg of Route 2, Box 151 reported the theft of a flute valued at \$250 from Room 107 of Midland Freshman School Tuesday. The theft reportedly occurred between 1:30 and 2:30 p.m. that day. A 34-year-old Midland woman is in

satisfactory condition in Midland Memorial Hospital suffering from in-

### Police Roundup

juries she received Thursday morning when the car she was driving was involved in a collision with a pickup. Alice W. Kopacsi of 4004 Compton suffered broken ribs in the collision at

9:17 a.m. At the time of the accident, Mrs. Kopacsi's vehicle was southbound on Holiday Hill Road and the pickup driven by Vick A. Burk, 25, of 4618 Brookdale Drive was eastbound on

Andrews Highway. Burk was treated and released from the hospital's emergency room.

### Accused describes fight with victim

McKINNEY, Texas (AP) — A visibly shaken Candace Montgomery told a hypnotized courtroom she wrestled a three-foot ax away from a homicidal Betty Gore and then "I hit her and I hit her and I hit her and I hit her."

In a brutally detailed account of the Friday, June 13 slaying, the 30-yearold housewife and mother of two contended she hacked her friend to death only in self defense.

The petite defendant buried her head in her hands often during graphic testimony from a pathologist and a forensic scientist who both said the victim's body received many more blows than were necessary to kill

Dallas County Medical Examiner Dr. Vincent DiMaio said Mrs. Gore had been struck 41 times - 28 times in the head - and "died as a result of massive head injuries inflicted by chop wounds.

He said there were several "gaping wounds" to the head, including "one you could look right into the brain tissue." He also said Mrs. Gore's right eye had collapsed into what was once a sinus cavity and her left arm was broken.

One of three major blows to the head could have knocked out Mrs.

### GOP record on welfare bad: Harris

WASHINGTON (AP) - Health and Human Services Secretary Patricia Roberts Harris says the last two Republican administrations had no "magic" for administering federal welfare programs and she doubts Ronald Reagan has any, either.

Error rates in three welfare programs were higher when the Republicans last occupied the White House than now, Mrs. Harris said Thurs-

"There's no magic in administering programs. Let me put the cold water of facts out, even though it may not make good copy," she said. She declared that the error rates

have dropped during the Carter administration, but she still tripped up on her statistics. There was "a spectacular de-

crease," she claimed, in the Aid to Families with Dependent Children error rate, from 23.3 percent in 1976 to 9.5 percent in 1979, and the Supplemental Security Income rate plummeted from 15.7 to 4.9 percent.

But when a reporter questioned the figures later, aides admitted Mrs. Harris had them askew at her news conference.

said spokesman Bill Wise. The 23.3 percent rate was the num-

ber of AFDC cases with errors of any magnitude in 1976. The equivalent 1979 figure was 20.4 percent. Some 8.5 percent of the AFDC dol-

lars were overpaid in 1976 and 7.6 percent in 1979.

Likewise, the 15.7 percent SSI figure was the case error rate. Last year, it was 12 percent. Actual overpayments were 6.9 percent in 1976 and 4.9 percent in 1979

Mrs. Harris correctly cited a drop in the Medicaid error rate from 8.6 percent in 1976 to 4.9 percent in 1979. She claimed her department had exceeded its goal of saving \$1.3 billion in fiscal 1979 through tighter management and a crackdown on waste. Most results from fiscal 1980, which ended Sept. 30, are still out, but she said at

least \$502 million was saved toward a

\$1.4 billion goal. Reagan has promised to pare federal spending 2 percent across the board in his first year and at least 7 percent and possibly 10 percent over five years by weeding out unspecified

'waste and extravagance.' "I don't believe there's any magic. Certainly nobody knew of the magic from 1969 until 1976. Now maybe all of a sudden they know," Mrs. Harris said. "It is not fair for them not to

specify what they would do." She said she agonized over whether to call the news conference for fear it would be viewed as a political ploy. But she said she decided to do what she thought was right, quoting the motto of the Order of the Garter, "Honi Soit Qui Mal Y Pense," which she translated as "Shame to Those

Who Evil See." She also disavowed as "highly questionable" a report by the inspector general of the old Department of Health, Education and Welfare that estimated that fraud, waste and abuse ate up roughly \$6 billion, or 5 percent, of HEW programs costing \$136.1 billion in fiscal 1977.

Gore, the pathologist told jurors, and it appeared that "more force than necessary was used."

Dr. Irving Stone, chief of the physical evidence section of the Institute of Forensic Sciences in Dallas, said Mrs. Gore's killer "inflicted ... far more damage or injury than is needed to take the life of that person.'

The prosecution rested it's case Thursday afternoon and Mrs. Montgomery opened defense testimony with this account of the slaying:

She said she went to the Gore home after teaching a Bible class at First United Methodist Church of Lucas where the Gores and Montgomerys met about three years ago.

The auburn-haired defendant said she wanted to pick up a bathing suit for the Gores' 7-year-old daughter, Alisa, who was staying with 8-yearold Jennifer Montgomery. During a conversation, she said, Mrs. Gore asked her if she was having an affair with Allen Gore.

Gore, 33, previously testified he and Mrs. Montgomery carried on an 11month affair that ended about nine months before the slaying.

Mrs. Montgomery said she admitted the affair, but said it was over "a very long time ago."

She said Mrs. Gore left the room and returned with an ax, saying "I don't want you to ever see him again. You can't have him.'

Mrs. Montgomery said the two women talked some more, but Mrs. Gore "looked so hurt and so distressed, I reached out and put my hands on her arm and said 'Betty, I'm so sorry' and she pushed me in the laundry room."

Then, the defendant said, Mrs. Gore picked up the ax and said: "I've got to kill you."

Mrs. Montgomery said Mrs. Gore hit her in the head with the ax, although she did not reveal the wound to DiMaio when he saw her 13 days later.

Mrs. Gore swung again, the defen-

dant said, and the ax bounced off the green and gold linoleum floor, cutting Mrs. Montgomery's toe. DiMaio said he did find that cut during his exami-The women struggled wildly for the

ax and Mrs. Montgomery said she pleaded "Let me go, Betty. Let me go" before grabbing the ax away.
"I was fighting to control her ... I hit

her somewhere around the back or the side of her head. It was like I was standing back watching me do it." She said they fell to the floor during

the fight and she tried to get out a door, but the knob was slippery with blood and would not turn.

They fought again, she said, and she grabbed the ax " ... and I hit her

"I remember being so angry at her because she was messing up my life and I remember being so afraid she would get back up again," she said, her voice cracking.



Texas Republican Party Chairman Chester Upham, left, and Republican Colorado Sen. Bill Armstrong criticize President Carter during a news conference Thursday in Midland Center. The two stopped in Midlnd to drum up last-minute support for the Reagan-Bush ticket and for Republican candidates in all races. (Staff Photo by Edward McCain)

### Republican leaders host Reagan-Bush rally here

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energy industry" Armstrong said. Armstrong said he felt Carter was giving up his best asset. "One thing that Jimmy Carter has had going for him is that at the bottom line people believed he was a decent and good person." He said Carter was "hurting his best asset" by making such "tasteless statements (like) he made here in Texas.'

When Carter visited East Texas Wednesday, he was quoted as saying high-topped Texas boots could be used for wading through the "horse manure" that Republican candidates had "a habit of speading ... around right before elections. 'People just naturally rebel at such

strong statements," Armstrong said, also pointing to Carter's implications that Reagan was a "warmonger."

In addition, Armstrong, who called the Windfall Profits Tax "one of the worst pieces of legislation enacted in the last few years," called for "permanent relief to the small royalty owners" from the tax.

"I'm for a pro-energy measure rather than a pro-tax issue," he

Upham agreed with Armstrong, calling Carter's recent consent of an additional \$1,000 for small royalty owners a "lousy fix of a lousy bill by a lousy president.'

Armstrong said he felt money could be found for permanent tax relief for small royalty owners if Congress would cut back on "lower priority items." He said the federal budget could also be balanced in three years - as Gov. Reagan has said - if Congress makes the cutbacks.

Armstrong cited a 10 percent cutback on congressional spending, reductions in the Department of Energy, a \$2 billion decrease in the federally subsidized food stamp program, a cutback on federally subsidized housing and a \$2 million slice out of the Conrail railroad program.

The Colorado senator said "15 to 20 percent" of federal subsidy monies go to the "voluntary poor" like college students who refuse to work and spend time in resort areas in Colorado and in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. In addition, Armstrong said,

"There's plenty of room in the budget for increased defense spending if we just hold the line on these unnecessary expenses."

### Polls have become political necessity

#### By TIMOTHY HARPER **Associated Press Writer**

A political novelty 20 years ago, polls have become a political necessity in the 1980 electoral season.

At least 35 states have had statewide polls for president, governor or U.S. Senate this year, and San Francisco pollster Mervin Field estimates that polls have been conducted in 90 to 95 percent of the nation's 435 congressional races. 'There's been a tremendous expan-

sion in polling," said Chris Zuken, a pollster at Rutgers University's Eagleton Institute. "Journalists especially are using public opinion polls. You never would have seen that 20 years He said that up until the 1960s, most

of the handful of political polls were done for presidential candidates; now, even a potential mayoral contender may commission a citywide poll before deciding whether to run.

In addition, he said, many new polls have been started in the last two years by universities, which use the data for political analyses, and by news organizations, which characterize polling as a newsworthy public service.

"I guess the media is fascinated by it," Field said. "We're a nation of scorekeepers. A race aspect gets people involved, and if you have a race aspect you want to keep score.' The pollsters disagree, however, on

whether that's good or bad. Field, for instance, said polls analyzing how voters feel about various their rhetoric. Zuken, on the other hand, said polls

issues can force candidates to focus

can bury the issues in the "horserace," and said the news media could better spend its money - estimated by other pollsters at anywhere from \$2,500 to 20,000 for each state polling — to hire more reporters. "I think the pendulum has swung

too far," Zuken said. "There's far too much emphasis on polls."

The University of Kentucky's Michael Baer, who is organizing a group of 15-20 university pollsters, scoffed at the notion of a "bandwagon" or "underdog" effect.

"I don't think there's any concrete evidence showing that polls will affect what voters will do," he said. Zuken agreed, noting that Election

Day studies show early returns from the East Coast have little effect on voters who go to the polls later on the West Coast. However, he said, polls can be misleading, especially in primary cam-

paigns with many candidates and many voters who have not decided how or even whether they will vote. The Des Moines Register's widely respected Iowa Poll, the first and only one of its kind when formed in 1943,

may be influential but does not dictate political winners and losers, director Glenn Roberts said. 'There's probably some impact, but we're sort of part of the woodwork

now," he said. "We're sort of an institution now." But many of the Iowa Poll's youn-

ger siblings are hardly so institutionalized or so respected.

For instance, the reliability of Texas Monthly's poll was questioned for showing Ronald Reagan far ahead of President Carter in July, Carter with a solid lead in September and the two candidates dead even in Octo-

"Some candidates who have shown up poorly have been quite vocal in their criticism," said Jim Pitcock, the news director at KATV in Little Rock, Ark., which began its regular statewide poll in 1978.

### Ski fitness course offered

Fitness for Skiers will be offered at the Midland Central YMCA beginning Nov. 4, with registration next week. The course, which meets Tuesdays

and Thursdaya 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., lasts for six weeks, ending Dec. 18. Program fee is \$15 for members and \$30 for non-members. Fitness for Skiers is for beginners and expert skiers alike. Participants

cal fitness before the ski season starts to enable the individuals to participate successfully, safely and enjoyably in skiing. Jeff Jackson, instructor, said the course will help development of endurance, strength, flexibility and coordination during the six-week ses-

will strive to develop sufficient physi-

For further information, call the Y at 682-2551 or come by 800 N. Big Spring St.

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### Klan paramilitary units pose threat, says ADL

DALLAS (AP) - Guerrilla warfare training by paramilitary units associated with the Ku Klux Klan could lead to an outbreak of terrorism if ignored by the federal government, according to a report by the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith.

"A clear danger of new Klan violence is more serious than ever before," said Nathan Perlmutter, director of the ADL.

The ADL contended, in a study

commissioned by the U.S. Civil

Rights Commission, that the paramilitary units were training at clandestine camps in five states. ADL officials said they sent a copy of the report to U.S. Attorney General Benjamin Civiletti, and urged him to

provide regular FBI surveillence of

the klan "to protect American citizens from further terrorism and violence.

FBI surveillence of the Klan was curtailed in 1976 by guidelines that require evidence of actual or imminent violence before investigating the actions of domestic groups.

Perlmutter, in a statement released to the press Thursday afternoon, described members of the paramilitary units as "armed racists and pathological haters of blacks, Jews and other minority groups.' Texas, Alabama, Connecticut, Illi-

nois and North Carolina were named

in the report as locations for hidden

training camps. California was listed

as the site of a Klan distribution

center for instructional manuals on

weapons and guerrilla warfare.

The "Texas Emergency Reserve," an arm of the klan, conducts tactical exercises two weekends of each month in rural East Texas, the ADL said in its report.

ADL officials said about 200 to 500 Klansmen are members of the TER and many are veterans or in the Army at Fort Hood, Texas. The report said one of the Klan

leaders in Texas brags that their military instruction is more rigorous than training at Fort Hood. The Klan paramilitary training operation in Alabama is conducted by the Invisible Empire, Knights of the

KKK, the report said. The group gained national attention in May 1979. when around 100 Klansmen clashed with members of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference in Decatur, Ala., and four people were shot.

According to the report, some Klansmen conduct target practice with M-16 rifles, study guerilla warfare tactics and practice search-anddestroy missions at a camp near Cullman, Ala., that has been dubbed "My

A Klan leader said the Cullman training ground is one of several campsites in the state which are changed every three months, the report said. The leader said similar units are located in Mississippi, Georgia, Tennessee and two unidentified northern states.

The Connecticut branch of the "In-

visible Empire" has announced it has opened several "guerrilla camps" in that state. But it said the camps are 'strictly defensive" operations, the ADL said in the report. In Louisville, Ill., a national organi-

Defense League conducts "survival lessons" on a 55-acre estate. The ADL study said the CPDL shares a similar ideology with the Klan, that white Christian Americans should arm themselves in prepara-

tion for a cataclysmic racial war. At a Johnstown County, N.C., training camp for klansmen and the neo-Nazi National Socialist Party of America men and women, dressed in fatigues and carrying semi-automatic weapons practice guerilla warfare.

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### DEATHS

### John B. Bilbrey

LOCKNEY - Services for John Burris Bilbrey, 78, of Lockney, fa-ther of Wilma Robertson of Midland, will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in First Baptist Church in Lockney with the Rev. John Jenkins, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Lockney Cemetery directed by Moore-Rose Funeral

Bilbrey died Thursday morning in a Floydada hospital following a lengthy

He was a native of White County, Tenn.Bilbrey married Lena Leota Kyle in 1923 in Victory, Okla. They came to Floyd County 34 years ago from Hollis, Okla. He was a retired car salesman.

Other survivors include a son, three brothers, a sister, six grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

### 'Andy' Andrews

E.E. "Andy" Andrews, 55, of 106 N. Bentwood Drive, died Monday in a Midland hospital after an illness.

Services were at 3 p.m. Thursday in First Baptist Church with Dr. Daniel Vestal, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Masonic graveside services were to be at 4 p.m today in the Masonic Cemetery of Gonzales. Services are under the direction of Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home in Midland and Seydler-Hill Funeral Home of Gonzales.

Pallbearers were Dwayne Tucker of Odessa and Lester Seth, Jack Everett, Bob Wise, Bill Burchard, David Williams, Lee "Pete" Brown and Harry Libby, all of Midland.

Honorary pallbearers were Edgar Walker of Montezuma, Ga., Aaron Lasater of Austin, James Schellhase of Gonzales and Frank Mullings and Jerry Mobley, both of Midland.

### Calls to help solve child killings flood task force

ATLANTA (AP) — Mayor Maynard Jackson's prediction last week that a \$100,000 reward would "shake the tree" apparently proved true as police fielded a flood of calls offering help in solving the killings of 10 black children since July 1979.

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"It's been a madhouse around here today," said Roger Harris, one of several police public affairs officers helping handle calls Thursday for the special task force investigating the killings

Harris said, however, there were "no new developments" in the investigation, which has left police baffled. Four other children are missing.

Meanwhile, police accompanied self-professed psychic Dorothy Allison of Nutley, N.J., until late into the night on visits to crime sites and to victims' families.

She had said on a television program she hoped "to have some answers" by Thursday evening, but she could not be reached for comment during the night.

Meanwhile, in Washington, President Carter told a group of black ministers he had asked U.S. Attorney General Benjamin Civiletti to investigate the Atlanta killings and the slayings of six black men in Buffalo,

"I've been deeply disturbed lately at the attacks that have been made by depraved human beings on black citizens in our country," the president said. "Those sorts of persons and the Ku Klux Klan have got to be caught, brought to justice, proved that they violated the law, and put in the jail where they belong."

Atlanta authorities speculated the mayor's promotion of the \$100,000 reward being offered in the cases might have contributed to the volume of calls from the public. Jackson was photographed Wednesday standing behind a pile of small bills comprising

"Anything they see concerning kids, they call it in to us," one officer said of the torrent of phone calls, which has forced investigators to employ a computer to keep track of their

Some callers reported new child abductions, but so far "none have been determined to be valid," Public Safety Commissioner Lee Brown

Mrs. Allison's expenses in Atlanta are being paid by the city, but she is not charging for her services. She claims to have helped police solve 13 slayings and find more than 50 missing persons.

Detective Al Darden of the Baltimore County, Md. police, said Mrs. Allison would return to New Jersey on Sunday but that she was working almost around the clock to gather information about the crimes before

The detective accompanying the 55year-old housewife said, however, that her assistance to police would not end then. "She does not quit until the perpetrator is caught."

### No serious injuries reported in collision of plane, pickup

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — A singleengine plane piloted by a member of the musical group the Commodores collided with a pickup truck and burst into flames while attempting to make an emergency landing on a freeway here, officials say.

No serious injuries were reported after the incident Thursday night. Milan Williams, 32, of Tuskegee, Ala., a keyboard man for the group, and press agent and passenger Lester Mornay suffered "bumps and bruises," a fire department spokesman said.

The driver of the truck, identified as Robert Mitchell, 52, of Tempe. sustained minor injuries, officials

Williams said the Bellanca Viking was enroute from Provo, Utah, to

Phoenix for a concert tonight when he began having engine trouble on final

An air traffic controller suggested the freeway landing if the plane could not make all the way, said Steve Jensen, a fire department spokesman. The crash occured about three miles west of the airport.

"They just had enough time to get out before it caught on fire," said Allan Schmidt, a Department of Public Safety spokesman.

"If you look at that plane, it's really amazing that they lived through it," said Fire Department Capt. Ed Cunningham.

The cause of the engine trouble was

### Plane crash kills four

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga. (AP) - A twin-engine private airplane enroute from Atlanta to Savannah smashed into a field in west Baldwin County, killing all four people aboard, authorities say.

**Baldwin County Chief** Deputy Gene Ellis said the victims were believed to be from the Atlanta area, but they had not been identified late Thursday.

A reporter at the scene said he saw the bodies of two women, a man and a

The Cessna 310 left Peachtree-DeKalb Airport at 6:15 p.m. Thursday and disappeared from Macon radar screens at about 6:54

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### Funeral set for victims of explosion

ORTUELLA, Spain (AP) — This poverty-stricken Spanish mining town was draped in mourning black under a driving rain today for the funeral of 49 of its children, killed when a powerful gas explosion leveled their grammar school.

The governor of Vizcaya Province issued what he said was the final toll: 49 children aged between 6 and 8, and two adults. Initial reports said as many as 64 people were killed, but officials said some were counted

One of the adults was a teacher and the other a plumber, who investigators said could have unwittingly caused the explosion. They said there were indications that a soldering iron the plumber was using near the school's gas-fired heating boiler may have set off the gas explosion.

Because of the rain officials said the coffins will be laid out in a factory instead of the town square, where the ceremony originally was scheduled to be held. Officials predicted a crowd of about 40,000 will attend the burial in the town's only cemetery this after-

About 30 children remained hospitalized, at least six of them in critical condition, following the explosion Thursday.

"We were studying or drawing when a terrific blast shook the building," said eight-year-old Javier Abad, one of the survivors. "Walls opened and fell on us and the floor caved in around me. I saw some of my best friends disappear.'

Witnesses said some of the children were hurled through windows in the four-story building by the powerful explosion.

"I saw some children falling down to the ground from the high floors,' said one witness. "It was so terrible I really lack words to explain what my eyes saw.'

The devasting blast, heard as far as 10 miles away, brought parents run-ning to the "Marcelino Ugalde" school. Witnesses said some relatives jumped onto the mound of smoking rubble in a frantic effort to find their children and had to be restrained by rescue workers.

Some parents were reported to have lost up to three children in the explo-

"I never suffered so much in my life," said offe rescue worker. "Two of my children were in the school at the time but luckily they were in one of the units not affected by the explo-

Some parents managed to save in-

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jured children but others saw their children die in their arms as they rushed through the town of 9,500 shouting for help, witnesses said.

The pre-noon blast shattered the elementary school, one of three school buildings in the complex. The other two units of the state-run school suffered minor damage, but the estimated 300 students in them escaped unhurt, officials said.

The grammar school looked like it "had been swallowed by an earthquake," one woman said.

NEW CASTLE, Del. (AP) — A faulty valve which leaked a cloud of explosive gases was to blame for the blast at an Amoco Chemical Corp. plant that killed five people and in-

ing on the valve or a connecting pipeline when the leak occurred, he said,

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Cars parked by the school were damaged by flying debris and some passersby were injured, officials

It was the third tragedy involving Spanish children in less than two

On Christmas eve, 1978 a school bus and a locomotive crashed at a rail crossing in Salamanca province, killing 28 children and an adult. Four. months later, 52 children died when a school bus plunged into a river in Zamora province.

### Plant blast kills five workers

jured at least 20 others, the state fire marshal says.

The explosion occurred Tuesday when a mixture of propylene, bexane and propane leaked through the valve, State Fire Marshal J. Benjamin Roy Jr. said Thursday.

Two maintenance men were work-

and the gaseous cloud engulfed them and ignited before they could es-

Union officials and state and federal investigators were trying to determine if the gas should have been blocked off from the line before the

maintenance work began. One of the two workers died in the blast, while the other was hospitalized in serious condition. Two other injured workers are in critical condi-

The explosion sent flames hundreds of feet into the air,

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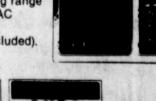
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### Smoking causes most lung cancer

Dear Dr. Solomon: I've been an on-again, off-again smoker for the past few years. With all the publicity I've read and heard about the dangers of smoking, I don't recall seeing any statistics about what would be accomplished if a person stopped. Cigarettes aren't the only cause of lung cancer, are they? — Len

Dear Len: More than 80 percent of all lung cancer, as well as 50 percent of all bladder cancer, could be prevented if people simply stopped smoking. The importance of these statistics is underlined by the fact that four percent of all deaths in the United States, and 25 percent of all deaths from cancer in 1977, were attributable to lung cancer. That means that 80 percent of 72,000 men and 23,000 women died because they smoked cigarettes. Keep that in mind next time you're debating whether to go on-again or off-again.

Dear Dr. Solomon: My husband is a diabetic. Some time ago he had trouble with an infection on his foot, but fortunately it has since cleared up. However, I'm always a little concerned that the condition may recur. Can you tell me what to look for so that we can be aware of possible trouble at an early stage? - Sylvia

Dear Sylvia: According to Dr. Max Weisfeld, a Baltimore podiatrist, early signs of foot trouble in diabetic patients include changes in skin color, swelling or pain; skin blisters, cracking or rashes; corns, calluses, ingrown nails or slow-healing sores; and cramping, "pins and needles" and numbness. In addition to being alert to these signs of impending trou-ble, your husband should make it a point to see a physician or podiatrist for regular foot examinations.

Dear Dr. Solomon: I saw a television program dealing with the use of radiation treatments about 30 years ago. Apparently, these treatments were used for a variety of conditions, and may have had a harmful effect on the thyroid. I had X-ray treatments for acne as an adolescent, and I'm wondering what, if anything, I sould do. I feel well and can't remember the last time I was sick. Should I just forget about it. - Meg

Dear Meg: Although you probably have no need to be concerned, I would not simply "forget about it." Some people who had radiation treatments to the head and neck back in the 40s and 50s have developed nodules in the thyroid, and some of these may be malignant. The lump ordinarily is not noticeable, and can be detected only by physical examination or a thyroid

Persons between 20 and 45 years of age who had X-ray treatments during their childhood should arrange for an examination by their physician. Medical treatment or surgical removal of the nodules, if any are found, may be indicated. Although few people die as a result of this condition, they do have an increased risk of developing thyroid cancer.

The peace of mind you will achieve be seeing a doctor will be well worth the time and cost.

(If you have a medical question, write to Neil Solomon, M.D., 1726 Reisterstown Road, Baltimore, Md. 21208. Dr. Solomon cannot give personal replies but will answer as many questions as possible in his column.)

### Vehicle sales tax down

AUSTIN - State Comptroller Bob Bullock Monday said the automobile industry's woes brought about by sagging sales in the past year are reflected in the state's income from the motor vehicle sales tax.

Bullock said for the 12-month period that ended Sept. 1, 1980, the 4 percent motor vehicle tax levied on the sales of cars, trucks, motorcycles and mo-

### Shroud report due in January

ESPANOLA, N.M. (AP) - A scientific study of the authenticity of the Shroud of Turin should be complete within three months, according to bile homes amounted to \$439.4 mil-

He said this was \$3.7 million less than was collected in the previous

one-year period. Harris County was the number one contributor of motor vehicle sales tax during fiscal year 1980, collecting more than \$93.6 million, a slight increase from the \$93.1 million collected

in fiscal 1979. Dallas County collected \$59.3 million in 1980, down from \$61.5 million in

Midland County contributed \$4,164,-978.89 during 1980. Ector Cunty contributed \$6,266,028.14.

Motor vehicle sales taxes are collected by county tax assessor-collectors and the counties retain 5 per-

### Polecats hope to skunk candidates

CHICAGO (AP) - Three years ago, Bill Stanton and the state got into a stink over a skunk. Now the father of seven is taking a pro-polecat campaign to the state's schoolchildren.

As head of the "Polecat Party," Stanton is conducting a write-in campaign for the election of the skunk as Illinois' state animal. The voters are the state's 2.4 million schoolchildren and the election is to be held Nov. 4, the same day the general election for adults. A good turnout is assured.

"Those on the ballot can't hold a candle to the skunk," Stanton said Wednesday. He is rigging up a "skunkmobile" — an old station wagon with a public address system - to promote that view.

"Our platform stresses that a skunk's fur is used for coats, its oil is used in the production of perfume and skunks eat insects harmful to crops," he said. The animals listed on the ballot are the red fox, oppossum, whitetailed deer, fox squirrel, raccoon

and ground squirrel. The state has an official bird, the cardinal, and an official flower, the violet. It even has an official insect, the monarch butterfly. But no official ani-

To remedy that, and provide a chance for school-children to get a civics lesson, the state Legislature passed a bill authorizing the animal vote and listing animals it thought would make good candidates. The state boards of education and elections aren't

putting up much of a stink about the skunk. "We appreciate Mr. Stanton's interest in the skunk and there is a place on the ballot for a write-in candidate," said Ann Pictor, educational consultant for the state office of education. "But we are more interested in our school children learning the electoral process.'

Stanton, 48, who works in construction, is a longtime champion of the skunk.

Three years ago, one of the critters wandered into his garage on the far South Side of Chicago and refused to leave. The skunk was adopted by Stanon's seven children as a pet, and eventually moved into the house, where he lived for seven weeks.

They named him "Wishbone" because he enjoyed a piece of the family's Thanksgiving Day turkey. Wishbone - who was so gentle he never had to be deodorized - attracted wide attention as Stanton battled to keep it. A state conservation regulation bars skunks as household pets.

Stanton lost that campaign, but he saw to it that Wishbone found a good home in Prairie Park, a state wildlife sanctuary near Peoria.

Stanton, who has been beaten in two attempts to gain election as a city alderman, is working hard on his new drive.

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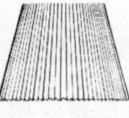
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...Dr. Austin Stockton, extension horticulturist, will present a program on "Bed Preparation" at a seminar from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Tuesday in Hogan Park's Activities Building (the old pro shop).

The seminar is sponsored by the Midland Garden Clubs, Inc. and Midland County Extension Agent Charlie Green..

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.THE "GLOVES AND GOURMET" special interest group sonsored by the Midland Girl Scouts will meet at 3 p.m. Sunday at Bushwacker's Beauty

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... THE YOUTH OF HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH is having their annual rummage sale from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday at 1412 Illionois. Anyone having rummage to donate should call 683-4207...

...MARY B. DUNN has recently returned from the seventh annual North American Conference on Adoptable Children in Houston.

Mary represented the local chapter of Permian Basin Council on Adoptable Children, COAC is an organization concerned about the need for permanence in the lives of the thousands of

children "waiting." Next meeting of the Permian Basin Council for Adoptable Children will be Friday at 7:30 p.m. For further information, call 694-9902...

AMERICAN ASSOCITION OF RETIRED PERSONS with the Permian Basin Area Agency on Aging and the National Retired Teachers Association are sponsoring an Area Comunity Forum on Aging to be held Sat-

urday in Odessa The event will be at the Ector County Senior Center, 13th St. and Adams St.

The Forum is being held in connection with the White House Conference on Aging, 1981.

Keynote speaker will be Representative Jay Gibson. There will be both morning and afternoon group discussions open to the public, and all persons concerned with the problems of older Americans are invited to attend and participate.

A light lunch will also be served at noon for a small donation. Anyone wishing further information about the Forum or the White House Conference may call Edward Jones at 362-1775 or the Senior Center at 337-

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Jo Ann Freeman models one of the outfits to be shown at the Midland Mothers of Twins Club benefit fashion show noon Saturday at Holiday Inn Country Villa. Fashions will be shown from Lou's and Calico Barn, both located at San Miguel Square. Adult models will be Diane Dean, Kathy Stanley, Paula Boyd and Ms. Freeman. Children models will be Katy Bufler, Kari Brewer, Marla Brewer and Chris Freeman. (Staff Photo)

Dorothy Foster was named Woman of the Year by the Uptown Chapter of

Business and Professional Women's

Club Wednesday. The award is annually given to a business woman who

has distinguished herself in career

The award was given inconjunction

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the Texas Employment Commission

for 25 years and currently serves as

departmental supervisor. She is a

A member of B&PW since 1955, Ms.

Foster has served as officer for all

offices and is presently recording secretary and a director. She is past

president of the Wildcat Investment

Club, is a member of the Human

Resources Advisory Committee of the

Permian Basin Regional Planning

Commission and is active in the adult

education program as an instructor-

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Foster named Woman of the Year

### **DEAR ABBY** These wedding bells will toll, not ring

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: I am a middleaged married woman with children. I belong to an organization that provides fellowship and fun.

I mistook one gentleman's friendliness for affection and became more than a little fond of him. By the way, he's married, has children and grandchildren. I never had or have any intention of becoming close to him, but for some stupid reason, which I am unable to explain, I wrote him a letter telling him about my feelings for him. As soon as I realized what a foolish thing I had done, I began to feel ashamed, embarrassed and terribly sick about the whole thing. There is no way I can avoid seeing this man. I will have to face him again-and soon.

How should I act? Please help me, Abby. I am desperate.-SIGN ME

DEAR STUPID: Try to act as natural as possible. Make no reference to the letter. If he mentions it, be honest and tell him that you regret having written it, feel stupid and embarrassed, and to please forget it. Then

DEAR ABBY: I used to be one of those married men whose wives would write to you complaining that their husbands would stop at bars after work and come home anywhere from one to three hours late for din-

No more. Here's how I was cured: I recently phoned my wife (from a bar) to tell her I was "detained at the office" and would be home in 20 minutes. (I was already 2 hours late.)

Before I could say a word, I heard my wife's voice in a calm and perfectly modulated tone say, "When and IF you decide to come home, you will find your dinner in the oven. I have left. Please do not try to find me because I have had it. And by the way, George, go to hell. This is a

I rushed home, frantic. The house was dark and my wife's car was function, and protein nowhere to be seen. When I went into synthesis

our bedroom, I found my wife in bed! "That was no recording. It was

The missing car? She had parked it

around the corner on a side street to prolong my agony. "But next time," she warned, "it might be for real."-

### Researchers say bran causes loss

of nutrients

WASHINGTON (AP) Foods loaded with bran interfere with the use of zinc and increase the body's loss of this vital nutrient, say researchers at Georgetown University Medical Cen-

> Researchers said recently that preliminary results of studies with volunteers eating highfiber diets indicate that bran-enriched foods alter the body's zinc metabolism.

> Dr. Robert I. Henkin, the principal investigator, said all dietary fiber is not the same and similar zinc losses were not found in volunteers eating food high in other types of fiber.

> None of the people in the bran group developed zinc-deficiency symptoms," Henkin said in an interview. "But if bran is consumed at the levels that we gave it, there is a risk that one could develop a deficien-

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### Researchers caution doctors

Research by Dr. M.

University of Illinois in-

Physicians should be Yusoff Dawood of the more cautious about telling patients that severe dicates that dysmenorrmenstrual cramps are heic women often have "all in your head," researchers say.

Doctors at a recent symposium on painful menstruation, or dysmenorrhea, say it often is based on definite physiological changes - and arthritis drugs may be useful in blocking the process which gives rise to the pain.

Doctors have traditionally prescribed tranquilizers or analgesics that merely mask the pain. But those who attended the symposium at the University of Illinois drugs helpful in preventing the chemical interactions which give rise to menstrual pain.

markedly decreased abnormally high levels of hormone-like proteins called prostaglandins. These substances. synthesized in the muscular layer of the uterine wall, are thought to be a major factor in the men-

strual cramps which afflict millions of women. Doctors are now experimenting with drugs known to block the production of prostaglandins by inhibiting the enzymes needed to make them. One such drug, called ibuprofen, has tra-

ditionally been used to

treat the inflammation

Chan, reported he gave cent of patients.

when they were treated with the drug. Most importantly, the patients reported significant relief from menstrual pain compared to when they took the placebo. Chan also observed

eight patients ibuprofen

alternated with a place-

bo. He found that the

levels of prostaglandins

that taking oral contraceptives appear to have a direct effect in lowering levels of the paincausing prostaglandins. Those levels in two pa-

tients were quite low while they were taking the contraceptives, but increased considerably when they ceased.

Chan estimated that prostaglandin inhibitors are effective for reliev-A Cornell University ing the pain of dysmenpharmacologist, W.Y. orrhea in 65 to 100 per-

### A pair of pliers is not enough

hard-to-get-to areas found on electronic gadgets with slip joint pliers when you wish you had a pair of long nose pliers? If you have, then you are a firm believer that one pair of pliers is not enough.

The Hand Tools Institute (HTI), a national association for manufacturers of hand tools, points out that there are many types, sizes and shapes of pliers, each designed and manufactured for a specific use. Some pliers are used for gripping, others for turning and bending and still others for cutting, each to be used within the intended manufactured limitations. Selecting the correct plier and knowing how to use it properly and safely is what counts for you. Some important points to remember are: - Slip joint pliers are for gripping, turning and

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### HINTS FROM HELOISE

### Do dairy products freeze?

DEAR HELOISE: Is it safe to freeze dairy products and

things made with dairy products? If so, how long can they be kept? — Jeanne

I've always done it with good results but, just to be positively posi-tive, I checked with my local Extension Service, and there are a few guidelines to follow.

Butter that's made from pasteurized cream can be stored for four to six months, but butter made from cream that's unpasteurized turns rancid or tastes "off" in two or three months. Margarine can be frozen too. Just make sure the butter or margarine is packaged in a moisture-vaporproof wrapping.

Cheeses should be frozen in small portions or even grated for quicker thawing. Portions of one pound or less are best. Don't leave cheese in the freezer longer than-six months, and thaw it out in the fridge.

Uncreamed cottage cheese may be frozen in its own container for one or two weeks, again thawing it in the container in the refrigerator.

Cream cheese can be frozen for up to four months if put in a moisture- and vapor-resistant paper or plastic bag. Thaw in the refrigera-

For best results in freezing whipped or unwhipped cream, add one third cup sugar to each quart of cream. If you're going to freeze it whipped, put little dol-lops of the whipped cream on a cookie sheet and freeze, then remove them and put into a carton or plastic bag. If it's unwhipped, package it in a rigid container leaving 1/2 inch headspace in the container. However, when it thaws, you won't be able to whip it up as

stiff as fresh cream. Keep ice cream no longer than three weeks - if you can keep the family out of it that

Milk can be safely frozen without losing any of its nutritional value. Just be sure to defrost it in the refrigerator or set the carton in ice water. Never defrost it at room temperature. Sometimes the milk tends to separate, so a shake or two may be necessary before using.

While I'm at it, let me put a little bee in your bonnet. Every county across these United States has a County Agricultural and Home Economics Extension Agency (they're listed in your phone book under the name of your coun-

lost his fingernail. They're just waiting to

answer any questions you might have concerning nutrition, food preparation, canning, health, sewing — the list goes on. seat provided for Give them a call the next Ruth Williams. time you have a household problem that needs a quick answer. They'd love to hear from you.

LETTER OF WARN-DEAR HELOISE:

After seeing so many small children sitting on the bottom rack of a sucart, I feel a warning should be issued. My young son was sit-

- Hugs, Heloise.

ting in just such a posi- column. - Jean Quine tion when he stuck his finger between the wheels and cart. It turned out to be a pretty painful experience as he

Panel convenes

on pap smear

BETHESDA, Md. - A panel convened recently by the National Institutes of Health recommended that after two consecutive annual Pap smears with negative findings, screenings should be "repeated at regular intervals of one to three years." As reported in "Medical Tribune", the panel did not agree on how often women of different ages or those considered high risk should be screened.

Prior to the NIH conference, the American Cancer Society had adopted the Canadian approach to screening: Once every three years rather than annually. In the U.S. it had been annually.

#### Young pregnancy

Every year in the United States a million girls between 15 and 19 become pregnant, and about 600,000 live births result. Annually, some 30,000 pregnancies occur in girls 10 to 14.

rence. So, moms, put loise that child in the safety seat provided for him. -

DEAR HELOISE: I want to tell you what a dear lady in our apartment building does with her discarded magazines. She places them in the laundry room for all of us to read.

She even clips out coupons and places them in a small box labeled, "Help yourself."

These thoughtful acts permarket shopping prompted me to think it was a good hint for all apartment dwellers, and deserves to be in your

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### Company flooded with bogus deliveries

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Workers at the Aetna Life and Casualty Co. office here don't have much use for motor oil in their line of work, but 2,000 cases of it were delivered recently.

Florists have been delivering unordered bouquets, pizza stores have sent unrequested pies and countless exterminators have rushed to the scene to kill non-existent bugs.

Janitors, carpet cleaners, air conditioning repairmen, caterers and tow-truck operators have all knocked on the office door, only to be told politely that their services weren't needed.

Police say the phony deliveries are apparently the work of one man, but they're not sure who he is or how to stop him if they find him.

Pete Lovelace, manager of the claims office, said Thursday he believes it's all the result of a spat between a woman who works with him and her estranged husband.

'Apparently, he is doing this in hopes we will fire his wife, and we aren't going to do that," Lovelace said. The deliveries are so frequent and the delivery people so angry that the

company has hired a guard to handle the complaints, he said. Lovelace said the deliveries began Oct. 14, a day after he refused to

allow a man who identified himself as Frank Gazzo to talk to his wife, Mary, an Aetna trainee "The guy had been driving us nuts for a week demanding to talk to

Mary, and our service representatives kept telling him she did not want

"Then he called our personnel director and demanded she put Mary on the phone. It was then that I talked to him," Lovelace said. "He told me if I wouldn't let him talk to her he would show me some-

thing I had never seen before," he added. Then came the flood of bogus deliveries.

'The first day wasn't so bad," Lovelace said. "All we got were deliveries from three different pizza places, a case of beer and five different florists, who delivered three bouquets each. "It really got bad on the 20th, though. On that day, seven carpet-

cleaning companies, one office-supply firm, two-pest control companies, two caterers, two janitorial outfits and a dry-cleaning company came." On Tuesday, 20 concerns arrived to make deliveries, and on Wednesday, the number jumped to 30.

"I really feel sorry for the vendors," Lovelace said. "It would be nice to get rid of the guard we had to rent because he is costing us \$80 a

Attempts to reach Gazzo were unsuccessful. Police Sgt. Dale Lauck said that when calls started coming from vendors, he and other officers checked criminal statutes and could find no law that was being violated.

### Consumer attitudes show improvement

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) - Third quarter consumer attitudes show significant improvement for the first time in three years, but consumer evaluations of the economy generally remain unfavorable, says a University of Michigan survey.

Richard Curtin, director of the Institute of Social Research's quarterly Survey of Consumer Attitudes, said Thursday that the level of attitudes and expectations "is still rather

Curtin said consumer attitudes must improve further before there will be sustained growth in consumer

The index of consumer sentiment, which attempts to quantify consumer attitudes and expectations toward the September 1980 survey. That was a 13.4 point increase over the record low of 54.4 set in the previous quarter, and up 3.9 points from the third quarter of

The index is calculated on a scale of 100, using February 1966 as a base.

The recovery in consumer sentiment "is not yet firmly established," Curtin said in a statement. He said consumer evaluations of the economy remain "on the balance unfavor-

"The rapid improvement ... was based on more favorable expectations for future improvement, rather than on more favorable assessments of the current situation." Curtin said "Evaluations of consumers' current financial situation and buying conditions were, on balance, still less favorable than year-earlier readings.'

The report found that attitudes toward purchasing cars, homes and durable goods improved significantly in the third quarter.

Some 48 percent of all families were favorably inclined toward buying large household durables such as refrigerators and other appliances, up from 39 percent in the third quarter. The report found 40 percent of the 2,000 people questioned nationwide were also favorably inclined toward automobile purchases, an increase of 6 percent from the previous quarter.

Attitudes toward home buying showed the largest jump at 39 percent, up 22 percent from the second quarter.

The report said lower interest rates and loosened credit lay behind the improved attitudes.

The report said 30 percent of all families expected to be better off financially in a year, the highest level in two years and a 4 percent improvement from the second quarter.

Only 46 percent of those questioned expected increased unemployment, compared with 66 percent in the second quarter, and expectations toward inflation were also improved, the re-

### Carter aide's testimony sought on Vesco's reported bribe offer

committee wants to question a White House aide who government. was approached in an alleged bribery scheme in behalf of fugitive financier Robert L. Vesco.

The subcommittee said it would subpoena Richard the alleged plan to bribe Carter administration officials in 1977 to quash extradition proceedings against Vesco.

Vesco is living in the Bahamas, having fled the country under indictment on stock fraud charges that are not connected to the current allega-

Sen. Dennis DeConcini, D-Ariz., the panel's chairman and Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, said they wanted to question Harden publicly but the administration wants him to testify privately.

Harden has said he cut short any efforts on behalf of Vesco when a friend, Spencer Lee, a lawyer from Albany, Ga., spoke to Harden about Vesco in Febru-A federal grand jury that investigated the charges

grand jury foreman said the Justice Department tried to cover up the case. At a hearing Thursday, the subcommittee examined another Vesco matter involving an alleged

DeConcini charged that James Day, a lawyer from Brookshire, Texas, was a middleman in the alleged plot. Day appeared before the panel for more Harden, the White House aide, if he refused to than two hours but invoked his constitutional rights ment. appear voluntarily today to tell what he knows about against self-incrimination and refused to answer any questions or even state his name.

DeConcini said the scheme involved an attempt to bribe Democratic National Chairman John C. White to use his influence to convince the Carter administration to release military transport planes to

The administration has refused to provide the planes because of Libyan support of terrorism. White has denied all wrongdoing and has said he

has no knowledge of any bribery plot. Another witness, James Feeney of New York, who has been a government informant, also refused to answer questions unless he is granted immunity from prosecution.

But Feeney's lawyer, Daniel J. Sears of Denver, accused the Justice Department of bad faith in for 19 months did not return indictments. But the dealing with his client.

Sears said department officials reportedly decided by early 1979 that Feeney could no longer be be-

But, Sears said, if that is the case "the government

### Arms smuggling trial beginning

NEWARK, N.J. (AP) - Defense lawyers request- Belleville, who worked for Hany Badaan as a shoe ed a mistrial in an arms smuggling case on grounds prosecutors implied the munitions were destined for snipers or terrorists, but a federal judge turned down the motion

Assistant U.S. Attorney Marianne Murphy said Thursday that many of the 79,000 rounds of ammunition that five defendants allegedly tried to export to Lebanon were jacketed hollowpoint bullets that expand on impact with a live target.

Defense lawyers, saying the descriptions of the bullets and of 10 firearms made it appear their clients were trying to supply snipers or terrorists, called for a mistrial.

U.S. District Judge H. Lee Sarokin denied the request, but agreed to clarify for the jury that the defendants did not have criminal records.

On trial are three brothers, Hany Badaan, 33, of Nutley, and Marwan Badaan, 35, and Amir Badaan, 36, both of Wayne, charged with conspiring to ship munitions without a license. Lawyers in the case said

the brothers are Lebanese Christians. The other defendants are Mohammed Ismail, 23, of store clerk, and Mary Ann Sedusky, 25, of Clifton, described by her lawyer as a friend of Hany Ba-

Federal authorities charged the weapons were bought from gun shops in Wayne and Jersey City and destined for shipment from Weehawken to Beirut, Lebanon. Lebanon has been torn by civil war between Christian and Moslem groups.

Ismail's lawyer said the weapons were to go to a 'Christian area" of Lebanon and said his client played no part in the alleged conspiracy, except to loan his employer a driver's license.

Defense lawyers described Hany Badaan and Marwan Badaan as honest businessmen who truthfully signed papers at the gun shops to buy the weapons and openly inquired whether it was permissible to export them. They urged the jury to listen closely to covertly

clients did not try to hide their purchases. The lawyer for Amir Badaan said his client had no actual involvement and that he was charged only because his brothers were

WASHINGTON (AP) — A Senate Judiciary sub- multimillion-dollar scheme on behalf of the Libyan should justify why it continued to permit him to expend his own money and put his personal security in jeopardy" believing he was still acting for the

governmemnt A Justice Department spokesman refused to com-

Sears said Feeney became a government informant in hopes of lenient treatment in connection with unrelated stock fraud and other charges.

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### Girl will be allowed to try boys' basketball

CHICAGO (AP) - An 11-year-old girl will be allowed to try out for the boys' basketball team at her suburban junior high school even though the school has a girls' team.

U.S. District Judge Prentice H. Marshall ruled Thursday that Karen O'Connor has a fundamental right to develop her athletic skills by playing on the boys' team. Lawyers for the girl wanted to force administra-

tors at MacArthur Junior High School in suburban Mount Prospect to let her to play on the boys' According to the suit, school principal Philip Arenstein denied her request because she is eligible for

the girls' team. The suit said the 4-foot-11, 103-pound girl has played against boys in organized basketball leagues since she was seven and consistently ranked among

the top scorers on her teams. Her father Joseph O'Connor said she would try out for the team Monday. "She's ready," he said. 'There's no question about that."

Her lawyer Rosemarie Guadnolo had argued that the separate but equal doctrine upheld by the U.S. Supreme Court means that the girl should be given educational opportunities equal to her abilities.

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### Automaker layoffs drop

DETROIT (AP) - Long-term layoffs among U.S. automakers dropped below 200,000 this week for the first time since April, according to company reports.

Temporary layoffs designed to hold down inventories also will fall next week as the industry settles into a week-on, week-off pattern at some plants, the companies reported Thursday. Workers idle without a recall date

totaled 192,250 this week, down from 202,758 last week. Next week's shortterm furloughs were put at 3,750 against 11,700 this week. Meanwhile, the trade publication Ward's Automotive Reports said car

production this week was scheduled to rise 3.6 percent to 153,776 from last week's 148,399. One car and two truck assembly lines were closed this week with two

car lines scheduled for downtime next

workers on or scheduled for temporary layoff, said its indefinite furloughs were unchanged from last week at 102,000 and would stay there next week.

Ford Motor Co. reported indefinite layoffs down from 55,500 to 54,000, with 7,000 workers returning from a week off at Lorain, Ohio, and 950 going off for a week at the San Jose, Calif., car line.

Chrysler said.

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**SWEATERS** 

Chrysler Corp. said open-ended furloughs had fallen to 33,600 from 34,500. The No.3 producer will bring back 4,000 workers to the Warren, Mich., truck plant. Another 700 workers were temporarily home from component plants this week and probably an equal number will be out next week,

American Motors Corp. said it would close one car line at Kenosha, Wis., next week, idling 2,100. AMC's indefinite layoffs fell from 2,750 to 2,650. Volkswagen of America had no



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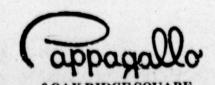


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Wildcat operations have been announced for Pecos, Dawson and Fisher counties, and an attempt will be made to reopen a field in Howard County

Sinclair Development Corp. of Midland spotted a sahllow wildcat six miles west of Bakersfield in Pecos

Scheduled to 2,000 feet, it is No. 1-1 University, 467 feet fromnoth and east lines of section 1, block 20, University Lands survey. It is a northeast twin to a 7,380-foot dry hole.

#### DAWSON EXPLORER

Aminoil USA, Inc., operating from Midland, spotted a 9,000-foot wildcat in Dawson County, 12.5 miles east of

It is No. 1-A Youngblood, 1,980 feet from south and 1,047 feet from east lines of section 19, block 33, T-5-N,

It is 1/2 mile west of an 8,525-foot failure and one mile northeast of Pennsylvanian producton in the Cline Farms area.

#### FISHER WILDCAT

Stroube Exploation Inc. of Abilene No. 3 Fields "A" is to be drilled as a 5,000-foot wildcat in Fisher County, six miles northwest of Noodle.

Location is 1,800 feet from north and 467 feet from west lines of section 1, block K, T&P survey and 13/4 miles east of the Newman (Swastika) field.

#### HOWARD ATTEMPT

McFarland & Scobey, Inc., of Midland will attempt to reopen the Coronet (2900 oil) pool of Howard County, three miles souteast of Vincent.

The reopening attempt will be made in No. 1 Sterling Cattle Co. The new sproject is 1,485 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 4, block 25, H&TC

Contract depth is 3,100 feet.

#### TERRY RE-ENTRY

The Superior Oil Co. will re-enter a Montoya well in the Tokio field of west Terry County and attempt to complete it as a Devonian producer.

The project, No. 1 O. A. Pippin, is 2,050 feet from south and 500 feet from east lines of section 33, block K, psl survey and one mile northeast of Tokio. It is one location southwest of the Devonian discovery

which was complted at 12,871 feet.

William Moss of Dallas No. 5 E. O.

Reed "B" has been completed in the

MPF (Yates) field of Pecos County,

The operator reported a 24-hour

flowing potential of 75 barrels of 26-

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Wellsite is 467 feet from south and

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Gulf Oil Corp. No. 110F. J. Lea and

others is a new well in the Lea (Tubb)

field of Crane County, 10.5 miles west

L. W. Funkhouser

L. W. Funkhouser, director and vice

president — Exploration and Produc-

tion for Standard Oil Co. of California,

will be the speaker for the Tuesday

meeting of the West Texas Geological

The meeting, scheduled for 11:30

a.m., will be held in the Midland

Funkhouser's topic will be "Deep

Tuscaloosa Gas Trend of South Loui-

The speaker earned his geology de-

gree at Oberline College and his mas-

ter's degree from Stanford Universi-

He joined Standard as a geologist in

1948 in the Gulf Coast area. He be-

came division exploration superinten-

dent for The California Co., and vice

president - Exploration of Standard

Oil Co. of Texas. In 1966, he was

appointed vice dpresident - Explora-

tion for Standard Oil Co. of California,

Funkhouser assumed the corporate

position of vice president - Explora-

tion in 1968 and was elected a direc-

tor in 1973. He is a memeber of the

American Association of Petroleum

Geologists and the Society of Ex-

Reservations should be made for

the meeting by contacting the West

Texas Geological Society office in

Western Operations, Inc.

ploration Geophysicists.

Midlandy by 5 p.m. Friday.

**Funkhouser** 

on program

Society.

Hilton.

siana.

14 miles north of Fort Stockton.

with a gas-oil ratio of 1,500-1.

plugged back to 3,069 feet.

block 142, T&StL survey.

CRANE PRODUCER

of Crane.

ground elevation of 2,694 feet.

John L. Cox of Midlnd spotted No. 1 Halamicek "B" as an 8,000-foot project to test for Spraberry production 5/8 mile southeast of the four-well McGill (Spraberry) field of Upton County.

The project was staked 15 miles northwest of Rankin and 660 feet from north and 1980 feet from east lines of section 50, block C, CCSD&RGNG survey.

Alford Petroleum Corp., The Woodlands, will dig No. Winterbotham "J" as a 11/2-mile north outpost to Canyon D production in the Irion County portion of the Dove Creek multipay field.

The site is eight miles south of Mertzon and 3,200 feet from the most easterly south line and 1,500 feet from the most easterly east line of section 1 CEPI&M survey. Contract depth is 6,950 feet and the ground elevation is 2,183.4 feet.

#### STERLING PROJECT

Wagner & Brown of Midland No. 4-1 Flint "B" is to be drilled 5/8 mile southwest of oil production in the Conger (Pennsylvanian) field of Sterling County, 20 miles southwest of Sterling City.

Scheduled to 8,600 feet, it is 1,328 feet from north and 100 feet from west lines of section 1, GC&SF survey.

#### STONEWALL AREA

Argee Oil Co. of Midland announced location for a 3,000-foot project to test for Tannehill production one location southwest of one of the eight wells in the Willfond Creek (Tannehill) field.

Scheduled as No. 1 Babtist Foundation, it is 14 miles northeast of Aspermont and 3,107 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 1, block C, HT&B survey.

#### MITCHELL PROJECTS

Max Walden Production of Post spotted locations for four 3,300-foot projects in the six-well Dockery (Clear Fork) field of Mitchell County, three miles south of

No. 1 Barber "A" is 2,195 feet from north and 845 feet from west lines of section 18, block 28, T-1-S, T&P

No. 2 Barber "A" is 864 feet from north and 467 feet from west lines of section 18, block 28, T-1-S, T&P

No. 1 Barber "B" will be drilled 864 feet from north and 1,780 feet from west lines of section 18, block 28, T-1-S, T&P survey.

The fourth project, No. 2 Barber "B" will be drilled 863 feet from north and 3,092 feet from west lines of section 18, block 28, T-1-S, T&P survey.

#### CULBERSON PROJECT

Field wells complete in Basin counties

On 24-hour potential test, the well

flowed 185 barrels of 41.5-gravity oil,

plus 10 barrels of water, with a gas-oil

Completion was through a 20/64-

onch choke and perforations from 4,-

398 to 4,618 feet after a 750-gallon acid

treatment and a 60,000-gallon frac-

Total depth is 4,755 feet, 51/2-inch

casing is set on bottom and hole is

The eighth well in the field, it is

1,420 feet from north and 1,370 feet

HNG Oil Co. of Midland No. 1-4

Richardson is a new Leonard gas

well, the 10th, in the Sawyer multipay

field of Sutton County, eight miles

It finaled for a calculated absolute

open flow potential of 780,000 cubic

feet of gas per day, through perfora-

tions from 1,713 to 1,743 feet after a

1,033 feet from east lines of E. J.

Getty Oil Co., operating from Mid-

land, filed potential test on its No. 1-7-

J. H. Treadwell, new well in the Fort

McKavitt (Canyon) field of

The third well in the field, it finaled

Completion was through perfora-

It is 1/2 mile southwet of the closest

Canyon well and 1,200 feet from south

and west lines of W. W. Treadwell

survey, abstract 893. It is seven miles

Sun Oil Co. No. 32 V. T. McCabe has

been completed in the Jameson,

North (Strawn) pool of Mitchell Coun-

The oprator reported a 24-hour

pumping potential of 51 barrels of

43-gravity oil and five barrels of

Completion ws from pay behind

casing perforations from 5,883 to 6,025

feet. The zone was acidized with 1,000

gallons and fractured with 105,000

WASHINGTON (AP) - Texas At-

torney General Mark White said

Tuesday that the state's consumers

may gain if a rail line is built from the

coal-rich Powder River Basin to com-

pete with Burlington Northern Rail-

"The introduction of competition in

the transportation could result in re-

duced costs of coal burned by electric

utilities which supply many consum-

ers in Texas," White said in a state-

An administrative law judge has

given approval to the Chicago and

Northwestern Railroad to build a sec-

ond line to carry coal shipments from

the Powder River Basin in Wyo-

Currently the Burlington Northern

Chicago and Northwestern sought

approval from the Interstate Com-

merce Commission on a \$300 million

project to build a second line and

operate it in conjunction with the

Railroad operates the only rail line

ment issued in Austin.

Line may help Texans

Basin.

water, with a gas-oil rtio of 2,627-1.

tions from 4,054 to 4,064 feet after a

for a daily pumping potential of 139

barrels of 36-gravity oil, no water,

with a gas-oil ratio of 806-1.

northwest of Fort McKavitt.

ty, four miles north of Silver.

MITCHELL COUNTY

gallons.

road.

ming.

from the basin

20,000-gallon freture job

Location is 933 feet from south and

1,000-gallon acid treatment.

Parker survey, abstract 1300.

SCHLEICHER WELL

Schleicher County.

from east lines of section 39, block 22,

plugged back to 4,717 feet.

SUTTON GAS WELL

ratio of 1,162-1.

ture job.

psi survey

west of Sonora.

Conoco Inc., operating from Midland, staked location for No. 1-27 TXL is to be drilled as a 4,100-foot project in the Ford, West (4100) field of Culberson County, 12 miles northwest of Orla.

Operator staked location 2,173 feet from south and 467 feet from west lines of section 27, block 58, T-1, T&P

Drilled as a wildcat, it is bottomed

at 7,250 feet, where 51/2-inch casing is

set, the plugged back depth is 6,755

Location is 1,350 fet from north and

The Raven Creek field of Fisher

It ids Seago Oil Inc. No. 3 Griffity,

It compltred for a 24-hour flowing

potential of 131 barrels of 42-gravity

oil, no water, with a gas-oil ratio of

Completion was through a 12/64-

inch choke and perforations from 5,-

046 to 5,060 feet after a 10,000-gallon

Total depth is 5,105 feet and 41/2-inch

Location is 2,390 feet from noth and

Indian Welis Oil Co. of Ozona No. 3

McMullan "Section 36" is a new well

It is 1/2 mile south of the closest

Operator reported a calculated ab-

solute open flow potential of 4,400,000

cubic feet of gas per day, through

perforations from 5,989 to 6k008 feet

after a 3,000-gallon acid job and an

Location is 720 feet from the most

southerly north line and 743 feet from

the most southerly west line of section

McBay and others of Crockett has

completed No. 3 B. J. Mikeska "A" as

a new well in the Speck, North

(Strawn oil) pool of Concho County, 10

It finaled for a daily pumping po-

The pay was acidized with 1,500

Hole is bottomed at 3,740 feet and

Scheduled as a wildcat, it is 467 feet

from north and 1,980 feet from east

lines of section 158, James Hughes

Union Pacific Railroad, providing

competition to Burlington Northern.

ICC Administrative Law Judge-Ri-

chard H. Beddow approved the rail-

road's plans Oct. 7, saying a second

rail line would promote competition

and contribute to expansion of coal

development in the Powder River

The ruling will become final unless

The railroad must still get aproval

from the Department of Transporta-

tion on a loan guarantee request to

help finance the project. The railroad

deregulation bill that recently be-

came law contained a provision or-

dering the DOT to expedite its deci-

In Beddow's decision, he said coal

traffic out of the Wyoming basin is

expected to reach 80 million tons by

appealed to the ICC within 20 days, a

commission spokesman said.

plugged back depth is 3,724 feet.

tential of 60 barrels of 46.5-gravity oil

and no water, through perforations from 3,680 to 3,686 feet. The gas-oil

miles south of Paint Rock.

80,000-gallon fracture treatment.

in the Ozona (Canyon sand) area.

other Canyon sand gas producer.

467 feet from east lines of section 3,

casing is cemented on bottom.

eight miles southeast of Sylvester.

County has gained its 10th Strawn

2,680 feet from west lines of section

225, block 1-A, H&TC survey.

FISHER PRODUCER

fracture treatment.

block 19, T&P survey.

CROCKETT AREA

36, MK&T survey.

CONCHO WELL

ratio is 200-1.

producer.

2,000-1

### Three WT area wildcats scheduled Four discoveries potential in two New Mexico counties

Operators have reported discoveries in Eddy and Chaves counties in New Mexico.

Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1-G Rustler Bluffs was finaled as a small Dela-

ware oil discovery five miles southeast of Malaga in Eddy County. On 24-hour potential test it pumped

21 barrels of 36.5-gravity oil and 65 barrels of water.

Completion was through perforations from 4,680 to 4,694 feet. The wildcat was drilled to 13,800 feet and plugged back to 6,400 feet.

### **ENERGY** OIL & GAS

Five-inch liner is set at 13,799 feet. The strike is four miles southwest of Delaware oil production in the Cedar Canyon field and 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 6-25s-29e.

Gulf No. 1 Eddy State "C" was completed as a Bone Spring discovery in the Indian Flats (Atoka-Morrow) field of Eddy County, 10 miles east of Carlsbad.

The operator reported a daily flowing potential of 64 barrels of oil, gravity and gas-oil ratio not reported, through perforations at 8,804-8,814 feet. The flow was through a 12/64inch choke.

The pay was acidized with 3,000 gallons. Total depth is 12,690 feet, 51/2-inch

casing is set at 9,130 feet and hole is plugged back to 9,090 feet. Wellsite is 1,980 feet from north and

west lines of section 2-22s-28e. Amoco Production Co. No. 1 State

Communitized "HK" has been potentialed as a Morrow gas discovery in Eddy County, six miles northwest of White City. Operator reported a daily flowing potential of 1,097,000 cubic feet of gas,

through a 1.5-inch opening. Flowing tubing pressure was 1,509 pounds. Completion was through perforations from 10,640 to 10,655 feet.

Total depth is 10,826 feet and 51/2inch casing is cemented on bottom.

Wellsite is two miles northeast of the Crooked Creek (Morrow gas) field and 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of seciton 6-24s-25e.

#### CHAVES OPENER

Yates Petroleum Corp. of Artesia filed potential test on No. 1 Coffman-Federal "NY." an Abo gas discovery in Chaves County. It is the 20th Abo gas opener completed so far this year in Chaves County.

The strike completed for a daily flowing potential of 3,212,000 cubic feet of gas per day, through a 1/2-inch choke and perforations from 4,048 to 4.053 feet. Flowing tubing pressure was 500

pounds on the potential test. Hole is bottomed at 4,425 feet and

51/2-inch casing is set at 4,140 feet. The discovery is three miles southast of Yates No. 1 Godfrey "MP," another Abo discovery which was completed from 4.012 to 4.022 feet for a daily flow of 1,200,000 cubic feet of

Wellsite for No. 1 Coffman-Federal "NY" is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 25-7s-25e and 18 miles west of Elkins.

### CHAVES FIELD WELL

Petroleum Exploration Co., Inc., of Roswell, N.M., No. 1 Siete-Federal has been completed in the Sieta (San Andres) field of Chaves County, 19 miles south of Kenna. On 24-hour potential test it pumped

19 barrels of oil, with a trace of water. The gravity was not reported. The gas-oil ratio is 1,578-1. Completion was through perfora-

tions from 3,707 to 3,748 feet. Total depth is 3,840 feet in the San

Andres, 4½-inch pipe is set at 3,836 feet and plugged back depth is 3,811. feet

Wellsite is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 17-8s-31e.

### EDDY PRODUCERS

Coquina Oil Corp. of Midland No. 1 Carlsbad-Pecos is a new well in the Dublin Ranch (Morrow) pool of Eddy County, nine miles southeast of Carlsbad. It finaled for a calculated absolute

open flow of 1,033,000 cubic feet of dry gas per day, through perforations from 12,436 to 12,490 feet.

The pay was acidized with 3,000 gallons. Hole is bottomed at 12,550 feet in the Barnett and 5-inch liner is set at 12,549

feet. The plugged back depth is 12,500 Wellsite is 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 29-22s-28e.

General American Oil Co. of Texas

No. 1 - B Green is a new well in the Empire, South (Morrow) field of Eddy County, eight miles northwest of Loco Hills. It potentialed for 99 barrels of oil

per day, gravity not reported, with a

gas-oil ratio of 6,868-1 Completion was natural through perforations from 10,604 to 10,630 feet. The flow was gauged through a 24/64inch choke.

Total depth is 10,720 feet in the Chester, 51/2-inch casing is set on bottom and hole is plugged back to 10,684 feet. Location is 1,980 feet from north

and 2,310 feet from east lines of section 18-17s-29e.

The pay was topped at 10,186 feet on ground elevation of 3,673 feet. \*\*\*\*

Tenneco Oil Co., operating from San Antonio, announced potential test

#### on a new well in the Catclaw Draw (Morrow) field of Eddy County, five

miles west of Carlsbad. It is No. 14 Catclaw Draw Unit. It finaled for a daily potential of 105,000 cubic feet of dry gas, through a 1/4inch choke and perforations from 10,-

434 to 10,479 feet. Total depth is 10,642 feet in the Morrow, 51/2-inch casing is set one foot off bottom and hole is plugged back to 10,598 feet.

The Morrow was topped at 10,116 feet on ground elevation of 3,331 feet. Other tops include the Delaware, 2,100 feet; Bone Spring, 4,008 feet; Wolfcamp, 7,780 feet; Pennsylvanian, 8,800 feet; Strawn, 9,184 feet; Atoka, 9,664 feet, and Barnett, 10,495 feet. Amoco Production Co. No. 1 State

"II" is a new well in the Harkey (Pennsylvanian gas) area of Eddy County, five miles southwest of Mala-

The well finaled for a daily potential of 275,000 cubic feet o gas, through a 10/64-inch choke and perforations from 11,010 to 11,026 feet.

ready most challenging piece infinitely more difficult.

closable in bad weather but open otherwise to let the tides flow inland to the oyster beds and wildlife.

in the world," said Tjebbe Visser, the engineering-project leader.

without damming the estuary and disturbing the \$100 million fishing and shellfish industry.

LOVING COUNTY

MIDLAND COUNTY

Forest Oil Corp. No. 1-45 Woody "J:" Anna K (Atoka gas); drilling 3,778 feet in anhydrite and slate.

Texaco Inc. No. 1 first United Meth-

Parker & Parsley No. 1 Golloday "Azalea; td 4,210 feet, still build-

ing tank battery and setting pumping unit

PECOS COUNTY
Gulf No. 3 Ivy B. Weatherley: Rojo
Caballos (Pennsylvanian); drilling 1,114 feet in redbeds and anhydrite, set
20-inch casing at 67 feet, spudded Oc-

20-inch casing at 67 feet, spudded October 17.

D. A. Metts No. 1 Roxie Neal:
Gomez (Ellenburger); td 21,870 feet,
laying down drill pipe.
Olsen Energy, Inc. No. 1 Barnhart:
Abell; td 3,830 feet, spotted 256 gallons
of acid over perforations from 3,703-3,
758 feet, acidized with 2,750 feet, prevaries to fracture.

758 feet, acidized with 2,750 feet, pre-paring to fracture.

Texaco Inc. No. 1 First National Bank of Midland Trust: Gomez (upper Wolfcamp gas); drilling 10,875 feet in shale, set 7%-inch casing at 10,100

Texaco Inc. No. 2 Pecos-Fee "F:

Texaco Inc. No. 2 Pecos-Fee "F:"
Gomez (Wolfcamp); td 12,342 feet,
pbtd 11,236 feet, shut-in with tubing
pressure of 2,550 pounds.

Texas Oil & Gas Corp. No. 6 Girvin
"A:" Chenot, North (Wichita-Albany)
and Chenot (Wolfcamp); td 4,730 feet,
shut-in, preparing to run 4 point test.

Gulf No. 6-E State School Board
"ZZ:" Worsham Bayer (Ellenburger); drilling 1,070 feet in redbeds
and anhydrite, spudded Oct. 19.

STONEWALL COUNTY
Marshall & Winston No. 4 Pitteock:
Mount Olive (Tannehill); drilling 1,006
feet in shale and lime, set 8%-inch
casing at 161.19 feet kelly bushing,
spudded Oct. 21.

Texaco Inc. No. 5 State of Texas
"DC:" middle Delaware; td 6,700 feet,
pbtd 6,685 feet, pumped 60 barrels of
formation water and 35 barrels of
mud-cut water in 24 hours, perforations not reported.

REEVES COUNTY

WARD COUNTY

ons not reported.

odist Church "B: " Bradford Ranch

(Atoka); drilling 4,016 feet in lime and

### Total depth is 13,082 feet. Location is 11/4 miles northeast of

#### other Pennsylvanian gas production

and 1,880 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 26-24s-LEA GAS WELL

Texaco Inc. No. 1 New Mexico State "BZ" has been completed as a shut-in gas well from the Bone Spring in the Gramma Ridge (Morrow) field of Lea

Operator has not reported a potential test. Production will be through perforations from 8,760 to 8,992 deet. Total depth is 13,350 feet in the Morrow, and the plugged back depth is 10,820 feet.

The Wolfcamp was topped at 11,330 feet, the Strawn at 11,695 feet, the Atoka at 11,924 feet, the Morrow at 12,540 feet and the Morrow clastic at 12,768 feet. Ground elevation is 3,689 feet.

Location is 730 feet from south and 2,050 feet from west lines of section 26-21s-34e and 25 miles southeast of

### North Sea war continues

WESTENSCHOUWEN, Netherlands (AP) - Mammoth 18,000-ton concrete towers, some as tall as 15story buildings, poke out of pits dug in a man-made island on the latest battle front in Holland's endless war against the North Sea. In 1982, the pits will be flooded and

the 66 towers will be hauled to their sites across the 5.5-mile mouth of the Eastern Scheldt estuary. Steel gates 16 feet thick will be slung between the towers, ready to slam shut when storms threaten to flood the belowsea-level land, home for 60 percent of the Netherlands' 14 million people. After 1,900 people drowned in 1953

flooding in the last lowlands disaster, the Dutch government vowed "never again." It assigned Dutch engineers the task of sealing four major inlets in the Rhine river delta southwest of Rotterdam with huge dams, shortening the Dutch coastline by 435 miles.

After three bays were sealed, the government made the last and alBowing to environmentalists, the

government decided the Eastern Scheldt would not be sealed by a solid dam and turned into a fresh-water lake as planned.

'There is nothing similar anywhere

The "wet" construction method is a major innovation, he said. The flood gate is being installed in the water,

The "open sea" concession to environmentalists - when construction was eight years along - raised the cost of the delta works by \$1.5 billion and put the final price tag at about \$5

### **DRILLING REPORT**

WILDCATS

CHAVES COUNTY Harper Oil No. 1 Newlin, td 8,325 feet; preparing to log. CULBERSON COUNTY

Monsanto No. 1 Barrett, td 5,421

feet; recovered drill string; prepar o drill ahead.

EDDY COUNTY
Coquina No. 1-A Pure Gold; drilling
13,173 feet in shale and lime.
Getty No. 1-24 Getty-Federal; td
14,935 feet; fishing.
Ellwade No. 1-Y SRC-State; td 12,-

gauges, through perforations at 4,724-4,766 feet.

Orla Petco No. 1 Sundance-Federal; drilling 1,335 feet in anhydrite GAINES COUNTY Nichols & Brady No. 1-A Walter Buck; td 5,400 feet; still shut-in wait-

HOCKLEY COUNTY

IRION COUNTY MWJ No. 1 Henry; drilling 3,400 feet in lime and shale

ATAPCO No. 1 Talco Unit; td 19,-600; jetting with nitrogen, perfora-tions 19,390-19,500 feet.

LOVING COUNTY
Getty No. 1-25-76 Tom Linebery; td
21,618 feet; still fishing.
Getty No. 1 Tom Linebery Strip;
drilling 18,966 feet.
Sun Oil No. 1 Berth A: Arrington; td
4,800 feet; flowed 15 barrels of load oil;
no water in 2 hours, through a 2-inch
choke and perforations at 4,740-4,746
feet; acid 600 gallons.

LYNN COUNTY Qualia No. 1 Forbes; td 8,000 feet; still testing; pumped 98 barrels of fluid, being 5 percent oil, in 2 hours, through perforations at 7,624-6,664

fishing. Sun Oil No. 36 V.T. McCabe; drilling 3,675 feet in shale and lime

NAPECO No. 1 Centurion; td 22,548 feet; shut-in for repairs.
Pennzoil Co. No. 1 J.M. Cowden; td

feet in shale

The Petroleum Corp. of Delaware CABLE TOOL

Deepening Lease Holding **Todd Aaron** 312 N. Big Spring 915/684-8663 Midland Texas

### No. 1-21 Montgomery; td 4,016 feet; still shut-in for evaluation. Suntex (formerly Texas Pacific Oil 3,391-3,459 feet. Getty No. 1 Ava Farwell Trust: Surrels of water in 24 hours with no show of oil through perforations from 3,391-3,459 feet. Gifford, Mitchell & Wisenbaker No. 1 Little Hawk-Federal: Sloux (Yates); td 3,690 feet, pumping load through perforations from 3,617-3,671 feet, no sauges.

REEVES COUNTY
Getty No. 1 Ava Farwell Trust;
drilling 8,636 feet.
Union Texas No. 1 UTP-NRM
Chapparral; drilling 19,134 feet.
STERLING COUNTY
Texas Off & Gas No. 1 Reed "I";
drilling 6,665 feet in shale. STONEWALL COUNTY

Leede Oil & Gas No. 1 State of Texas; td 3,686 feet; working stuck

pipe.
Pogo Producing No. 1 A.W. McCoy;
td 1,337 feet; mixing mud. TOM GREEN COUNTY ATAPCO No. 1 John Coughlin; drilling 3,750 feet; set 13 %-inch casing at 305 feet.

ATAPCO No. 1 Sutton Hillyer Unit; td 6,979 feet; pb 6,897 feet; pumping, no gauges, through perforations at 5,834-5,950 feet. WARD COUNTY Florida Exploration No. 1 Universi-"16", drilling 1,870 feet in anhy-

WINKLER COUNTY
Monsanto No. 1 Mitchell; td 9,310
feet; preparing to perforate.

YOAKUM COUNTY Monsanto No. 1 Bedford; td 5,272 feet; pb 5,268 feet; still testing, pumped 161 barrels of fluid in an unreported amount of time, through

#### perforations at 5,247-5,256 feet FIELD TESTS

ECTOR COUNTY ECTOR COUNTY
Marathon No. 2 J. D. Slator: TXL,
North (Waddell); td 9,758 feet,
swabbed 27 barrels of oil and 42 barrels of water with a good gas blow
after each swab, in 10 hours, through
Waddell perforations from 9,210-9,274

Sage Energy No. 1 TXL "G: Cow-den, North;" td 4,420 feet, set 4.5-inch casing at total depth, waiting on com-

EDDY COUNTY Cities Service Co. No. 1 Villa Com-unitized "B: Loving, North (Mor-w);" drilling 10,259 feet in lime and

Coquina Oil Corp. No. Nathan-Federal Commu lin Ranch (Morrow); drilling 7,036 feet in lime.

Marathon No. 2 Federal Gas Communitized "IBD:" Indian Basin (upper Pennsylvanian); td 7,500 feet, upper Pennsylvanian perforations from 7,262-7,800 feet, still waiting on

GARZA COUNTY
D. A. Metts No. 1 Alldredge "A:"
Rocker A, Southwest; drilling 7,376

HOCKLEY COUNTY
Texas Crude, Inc. No. 1-20-A
Schoenrock: Anita (Clear Fork);
drilling 3,953 feet in anhydrite and
salt. LEA COUNTY

Post Petroleum Inc. No. 1-31 Llano-Federal: D-K (Abo); td 7,580 feet, swabbed 27 barrels of oil and 66 bar-rels of water in 8 hours through Abo perforations from 7,450-7,510 feet, installing tree.
Adobe No. 1 Head-State: Austin (Mississippian); drilling 4,165 feet in anhydrite.

anhydrite.
Getty No. 1-25 Getty-State: Gramma Ridge, East; drilling 12,360 feet.
Gifford, Mitchell & Wisenbaker No.
2 Buffalo Hump: Undesignated Tansill; td 3,545 feet, perforated from 3,469-3,519 feet, acidized with 3,000 gallons, recovering load.
Gifford, Mithell & Wisenbaker No.
3 Buffalo Hump: Undesignated; drilling 3,255 feet in sand and shale.
Gifford, Mitchell & Wisenbaker No.
1 Iron Mountain: Comanche Stateline l Iron Mountain: Comanche Stateline (Yates oil); td 3,624 feet, pumped 25

Instead, a flood gate would be built,

CULBERSON COUNTY
Texaco No. 1 Culberson "V" Fee;
td 4,100 feet; pb 4,083 feet; still testing; flowed 10 barrels of oil and 5
barrels of formation ater in 20 hours,
Gas rate 120,000 cubic feet per day,
through a 20/64-inch choke and unreported perforations.

Earle M. Craig No. 1 Barron; drill-ing 7,372 feet in lime and shale.

EDDY COUNTY

262 feet; preparing to perforate a shallower zone; flowed 260,000 cub; shallower zone; flowed 280,000 cubt; feet of gas per day, 19 barrels of fluid, being 20 percent condensate in 19 hours, through a 10/64-inch choke and perforations at 11,944-12,158 feet. MWJ No. 1 State "GWA"; 1d 4,845 feet; pb 4,803 feet; still testing, no

Threshold-Blocker No. 1 Laverne Shaddix; drilling 6,363 feet in dolo mite, anhydrite and lime.

HOWARD COUNTY North American Royalties No. 1 Lillie Mae; td 7,430 feet (corrected depth); going in hole to catch casing.

Texas Oil & Gas No. 1 Winterboth-am "J"; td 6,880 feet in shale and sand; preparing to log.

Florida Exploration No. 1 Reno; drilling 15,210 feet in lime and shale. Getty No. 1-32 Getty-State; td 12,930 feet; drilling out cement.

Gulf No. 12 McClintic; td 8,900 feet; pb 8,886 feet; still testing, no gauges, through perforatons at 8,125-8,401 feet.
Texas American Oil No. 1 Baumann; td 11,946 feet; preparing to latch on tubing and packer. MITCHELL COUNTY

Gage & Co. No. 1 Latimer; drilling 5,114 feet in shale. Monsanto No. 1 Dunn; td 8,194 feet; PECOS COUNTY Gulf No. 1 Maddox; drilling 13,825

5.603 feet; waiting on completion

DRILLING Top-To-Bottom

### Texaco Inc. No. 3 State of Texas "DF:" War-Wink, South (Wolfcamp); td 11,900 feet, flowed no oil, no water and a trace of gas in 12 hours through WINKLER COUNTY Getty No. 1-40-21 University: Little Joe (Ellenburger); drilling 17,820 Getty No. 1-39-21 University: Little

Joe (Ellenburger); drilling 9,385 feet, Getty No. 1-33-21 University: Little Joe (Ellenburger); drilling 12,164 feet.

feet.
Gifford, Mitchell & Wisenbaker No.
1 Red Moon: Cheyenne (Fusselman,
Ellenburger); drilling 21,964 feet, attempted to run drilistem test from
21,644-21,964 feet, tool opened 1.5 minutes, packer failed.
Sage Energy No. 1-72 Sealy-Smith
"A:" Arenosa; drilling 7,065 feet. YOAKUM COUNTY

Threshold-Blocker Venture No. 1 J. P. Williams: Nannie May; td 9,273 feet, running tubing.

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Meyer, Moritz & Co.,Inc. MIDLAND, TX. DRILLING--LEASE MANAGEMENT **WELL SITE CONSULTING** 800 GIHLS TOWER WEST. 915-683-1814 JERRY I, MORITZ, Pres. -LARRY JOHNSON, Seles

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### **American** Exchange

NEW YORK (AP) — Today's selected national prices for American Stock Exchange issues:

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Copper 98%-1.01% cents a pound, U.S. destinations.
Lead 45 cents a pound
Zinc 37½, 49½, cents a pound, delivered.
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Aluminum 76 cents a poubd, N. Y.
Gold \$634.50 per troy ounce, Handy &
Harman (only daily quote).
Silver \$18.700 per troy ounce, Handy &
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Mercury \$410.00 per flask.
Platinum \$693.\$899 troy oz. N.Y.

### **Gold Futures**

London: morning fixing \$649.25,off \$10.75. London: afternoon fixing \$634.50, off \$25.50. 25.50.
Paris: afternoon fixing unavailable.
Frankfurt: Bxing \$645.00, off \$14.83.
Zurich: \$634.00 bid, off \$23.00; \$637.00

New York: Handy & Harman late morning \$634.50 off \$25.30.

New York: Engelhard selling price late morning \$634.50, off \$25.50.

New York: Engelhard fabricated gold late morning \$656.71, off \$26.39.

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NatGyp 1.48 6 377 23%
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NatGun 2 7 175 28%
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### **Additional** listings

The following lists of New York and American stock ex-change listings are not reported in The Reporter-Telegram's regular daily postings for the ex-

changes. (The list is compiled by Rauscher Pierce Securities

New York Last sale Pre. close Baker International Cameron Iron Works Chromalloy American Coastal States Datapoint Corp. Elcor First City Bancorp. First Mississippi Fluor Corp. General American Oil Gulf Oil Helmrich & Payne Gulf Oil
Helmrich & Payne
Houston Natural Gas
Hughes Tool
Inexco
Lear Petroleum
Mesa Petroleum
Mesa Royalty Trust
Murphy Oil Corp.
Noble Affiliates
Parker Drilling
Pennzoil Parker Drilling
PepsiCo.
Pioneer Corp.
Pogo Producing
Sabine Royality
Schlumberger, Ltd.
Smith International
Southland Corp.
Southland Royalty
Tandy Corp.
Texaco Texaco
Texas International
Texas Oil & Gas
Tidewater Marine
TOSCO
Western Co.

Western Co. Zapata Corp. American Exchange Last sale Pre. close Adobe Alaska Interstate Alaska Interstate
Core Lab
Diamond Shamrock
Dorchester
Houston Oil & Mineral
Sage Energy
Rowan Co.
Shearson Hayden
Texas Amer. Energy

### Over the counter

Quotations from the NASD are representative interdealer prices as of approximately 11 a.m. Interdealer markups change through the day. Prices do not include retail markups, markdown or commission.

(This OTC list is compiled by Shearson, Loeb. Rhoades, Inc. Asked 63

Amerex American Quasar Anico Artco Bell Blyvoors Tom Brown Drilling Cafeteria's Inc. Communications Ind. Coors Cateteria s inc.
Communications Ind.
Coors
Dyco Petroleum
Energy Reserves Group
Exploration Co.
First National Bank
Forest Oil Corp.
MADE
MGF Oil
Mid-America Petroleum
Midland SW Corp.
Moran Brothers
Natura Energy
Oilx Industries
President Steyn
Stewart & Stevenson
Texas Amer. Bancshares
Tipperary
Tucker Drilling
Vaal Reefs
Welkom
Western Deep Levels

RCA 1.80 8 658 29¾
RLC .60 8 .111 15¾
RalsPur .64 8 1431 11¼
Ramad .12e 19 647 9¾
Ranco .84 6 35 13½
Raythn 2 13 431 94¾
ReadBt 5 14 256 41¼
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StLSaF 2.50 10 113 1065 1025 1
StRegP 2.12 6 239 344 33%
Sambos 656 634 614
SFeInd 2.60 9 1206 u803, 7534
SchrPlo 1.60 9 2334 401, 394
Schlmb s 1 26 874 11315 1105 1
ScottP 1 5 2081 18 17
SeabCL 2.20a 5 3446 u565, 55
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Tandy 16 938 811%
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Telex 60 420 64%
Tenco 2.60 8 1290 47%
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Texaco 2.40 5 3527
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### Stocks in the spotlight

NEW YORK (AP)- Sales, 4 p.m. price and net change of the fifteen most active New York Stock Exchange issues, New York trading nation Beat Food Nwst Airl Boeing s Am Airlin Pan Am Mobil DowChem IBM AtlRichfl s PhillpsPet US Air EastnAirL Firestone SearsRoeb Rich Merr an \$1.

19¼ - ¾

25 + ¾

34½ -1¼

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5% -2¼

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65¾ -2¾

51⅓ -2¾

16¾ - ¾

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#### Commodities CHICAGO (AP) - Futures trading or the Chicago Mercantile Exchange Thurs

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LIVE SEEP CATTLE

40,000 Rs.; cent's per ib.
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Jan 71.60 71.60 71.50 71.60 71.60 71.60
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Stock market loses

NEW YORK (AP) - Stock prices plunged Thursday as some major oil companies reported their profits fell for the first time in two years.

The Dow Jones average of 30 induustrial stocks was down 15.61 to 939.51 for the largest drop since the Dow average fell 18.17 on Sept. 29. Declines outnumered advances by a 3-1 margin among New York Stock Exchange issues.

Conoco was off 1% to 62%, Gulf lost 2¾ to 44¾, Sun dropped 2¾ to 53¾, Marathon slipped 2% to 66%, Getty was down 2% to 94% and Texaco lost % to 39%. Mobil lost 21/4 to 80 and Atlantic Richfield was off 23/4

Among the autos, General Motors slipped 11/8 to 491/8, Ford was down % to 25 and Chrysler lost 1/8 to 8.

Big Board volume was an active 49.20 million shares, up from 43.06 million in the

previous session. The NYSE's composite was down 1.37 to 74.69. Standard & Poor's index of 400 industrials lost 2.92 to 147.38 and S&P's composite index of 500 stocks was down 2.39 to

At the American Stock Exchange, the market value index was down 7.68 to

355.65. In the over-the-counter market, the NASDAQ composite index was down 2.09 to 195.81

#### Livestock

OMAHA, Neb. (AP)(USDA) — Omaha Livestock Market quotations Thursday: Hogs: 3500; barrows and gilts steady to 50 lower; U.S. 1-2s 200-250 lb 47.75-48.25; near 500 head 210-240 lb 48.50; U.S. 1-3s 250-270 lb 47.50-48.00; sows 300-475 lb 50-1.00 lower; 475-600 lb 1.50-175 lower; 300-600 lb 44.5; 45.50.

Cattle and Calves: 200; not enough steers and heifers for a market test; cows 50-1.00 lower; utility and commercial cows 44.00-47.00; a few high dressing 47.75; cutter 41.50-44.50.

41.50-44.50. Sheep: None. Advanced estimates for Friday: 3600 cattle and calves; 3000 hogs; no sheep.

#### Grain

FORT WORTH, @T%xas (AP) — Expor Wheat 55.70 ½, Domestic Milo 6.85-6.90, Ex port Milo 6.56-6.72, Yellow Corn 3.96 ½ 4.01 ½, Oats 2.57-2.8), Soybeans 8.81-8.86. KANSAS CITY (AP) — Wheat futures Thursday on the Kansas City Board of Trade.

Trade. WHEAT \*

5,600 bu minimum; dollars per bushel
Open High Low Close Chg
Dec 5.08 5.11 5.07 5.07¼ -01¾
Mar 5.34 5.35 5.30⅓ 5.30¾ -0.3¾
May 5.43 5.4½ 5.41 5.41⅓ -0.3¾
Iul 5.39⅓ 5.42 5.36⅓ 5.37⅓ -0.6⅓
iep 5.48 5.49 5.48 5.49 -0.0⅓
Sales Wed: 10,363.

Total open interest Wed 222,005, up 9,365 from Tue.

### Cotton

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — Thursday's based price cotton quotation for strict low middling 1-116 at Lubbock is 80.45 cents per pound.

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton No.2 futures Thursday on the New York Cotton Ex-change.

Change.

Open High Low Close Chg. COTTON, No.2.

58,600 lbs.; cents per lb.

Dec 91,90 92.70 91.70 92.00 —0.41

Mar 92.40 93.05 91.95 92.42 —0.49

May 92.70 93.10 92.01 92.27 —0.83

Jul 92.40 92.90 91.75 92.12 —0.73

Oct 86.25 86.37 86.10 86.10 —0.90

Dec 83.55 83.60 83.50 83.60 +0.05

Mar Est. sales 8,550; sales Wed. 10,225.

Total open interest Wed. 45,840 off 1,059 from Tues.

### **Dow Jones** averages

S Open High Low Close Chg 955.03 958.28 936.69 939.51—15.61 382.72 385.79 371.49 373.85— 7.23 113.22 113.24 112.53 112.93—0.14 366.01 367.92 358.46 359.95—5.49 375.790 3,335,700 3,874,300 390,400 7,600,400 Indus Tran Utils 65 Stk 65 Stk
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### Market index

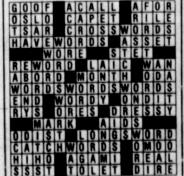
Close Change -66 cents 74.69-1.37 87.29-1.86 73.65-0.75 38.31-0.22 67.29-0.89 NEW YORK (AP) - American Stock Chg. -7.68

#### Markets at a glance

New York Stock Exchange
379 advances, 1181 declines.
Most active: Beatrice Foods 19 1/4 — 3/4.
Sales: 49,200,000
Index: 74,69—1.37
Bonds: \$16,320,000
American Stock Exchange
182 advances, 463 declines
Most active: Dynalectron 15 3/4 + 3/4.
Sales: 7,250,000
Index: 355,65—7.68
Bonds: \$990,000
Chicago
Wheat: Lower. Wheat: Lower. Corn: Lower. Oats: Lower. Soybeans: Mostly lower.

Over-The-Counter 350 advances, 911 declines. Most active: Comparator Sys 1-21-32—1-NASDAQ composite: 195.81-2.09

TODAY'S ANSWER



### Our forefather's own mustache

By HUGH A. MULLIGAN **AP Special Correspondent** 

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Election time forces a decision that can no longer be evaded. The die is cast, let the chips fall where they may, etc.

I have decided to grow my mustache again, if for no other reason than to keep from being mistaken for a presidential candidate.

It's annoying to have perfect strangers rush up to you at an airport and pump your hand while bellow-

"Go get 'em, feller. Eat 'em up. The country sure needs you." I am not quite sure which candidate I resemble

most. My carefully groomed coiffure is a statesmanlike silver, after the manner of John Anderson. And I do affect black horn-rimmed reading glasses. At parties I have been known to say, "I am in this thing to the end," although my wife sometimes drags me

away while other guests are still vertical. Thanks to the consummate skill of a British orthodontist, whose services were procured at less than half the cost of his Silver Shadow Rolls-Royce, I have a wide, winsome grin that is somewhere between Jimmy Carter's seraphic smile and an unlidded

Baldwin upright.

With head held high, so as to dissipate and redistribute a few chins, I have a boyish, sun-burnished, aw shucks profile that would have turned the heads



of talent scouts when Hollywood was casting "Kings Row" and "Bedtime for Bonzo." However, to be perfectly frank, I cannot ride a horse and never was very good at small talk with chimpanzees.

The lack of a mustache among all three major candidates and most of the minor ones probably explains why so many people say they can't make up their minds which way to vote this time.

"They're all alike as a row of duckpins," a lady told me down at the bowling alley the other day. Now ducks have feathers, but duckpins are balder than the national bird.

This country hasn't had a president with a mustache since William Howard Taft left the White House in March 1913, to teach law at Yale. Seven of the eight presidents prior to him, all the way back to Ulysses S. Grant, presented a well forested upper lip to the public, although none quite so splendid as Taft's upcurling silver handlebars.

Taft looms large in the history of the presidency None larger. The Oval Office seems to have been designed to his specifications. He tipped the scale at more than 300 pounds and was too big to fit with Helen Herron Taft in the Lincoln bed, so the first lady had twin beds installed in the then recently renovated White House.

A genuine heirloom (hairloom?), Taft's mustache cup is the last such artifact left in the presidential bathroom on the second floor, since Ellen Axson Wilson, the next tenant, had his jumbo-sized bathtub

removed. Tom Dewey might have restored the presidency to a shadow, a brush stroke, of its former hirsuite splendor had not the electorate in 1948 narrowly

preferred Harry Truman's bald-faced approach to the nation's problems. Lost by a hair, they said of the noted crime buster, who was also known as "The Little Man on the Wedding Cake" for his Chaplinesque subnasal sprouting. Anyhow, unless I can find a federal statute that,

pays me a handsome subsidy for not growing a mustache, my new outcropping should begin to make its first furtive appearance toward the end of next It may well turn out to be the first successful crop I

have been able to raise since moving to Connecticut, not counting those Gang Busters Italian hot pep-Well, why not count them? They're still growing

out there, a miracle of determined growth over benign neglect. All I did was dump a packet of tiny seeds, which they gave away at the hardware store, around Easter, into a roughly raked patch of garden without even reading the instructions. I never watered them, weeded them or watched them.

The rabbits got the lettuce and carrots. Some kind of mold got the tomatoes. The raccoons took care of the corn. Bluejays, starlings and other feathered freeloaders made off with the beans, and the Japanese beetles took care of everything else. Except those hot Italian peppers, which were so hot even my wife's relatives back off after a fit of coughing, crying and gasping.

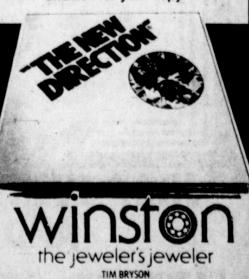
Maybe I'll grind some of those flaming peppers into my shaving lotion to fertilize my upper hip and insure a lush growth thereupon.



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### Editor criticizes health care

BOSTON (AP) — Over the last decade, private pospitals, clinics, and labs have burgeoned into a \$40 billion-a-year enterprise that threatens "gross commercial exploitation" of the American health care system, a prominent medical journal editor warns. Dr. Arnold S. Relman, writing in this month's issue of the New England Journal of Medicine, said the "medical-industrial complex" has become so big and powerful it could unduly drive up medical costs and influence government health policy.

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"The medical-industrial complex is an unprecedented phenomenon with broad and potentially troubling implications for the future of our medical care system," he wrote.

While private enterprise may be able to provide health care more efficiently than government or monprofit institutions, "the fact remains that they are in business to increase their total sales," Relman said. And that is likely to lead to ever-higher medical bills, he added.

Relman urged doctors to give up their financial interest in such businesses to avoid a conflict of interest.

The businesses — private hospitals, nursing homes, companies that give at-home nursing care, diagnostic laboratories and kidney dialysis clinics—accounted for about a quarter of the money spent on personal health care in the United States last year, he said.

Among other services being offered are industrial health screening, weight-control clinics, drug-abuse programs and cardiopulmonary testing.

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Their development "has attracted remarkably little attention so far (except on Wall Street)," Relman wrote, "but in my opinion it is the most important recent development in American health care, and it is in urgent need of study."

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The new health care industry is highly profitable, he said. The income of private hospitals is growing at 15 to 20 percent a year, while lab business is growing 15 percent annually.

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Much of the field is dominated by large corpora-

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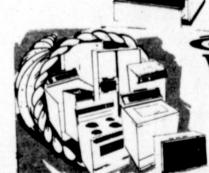
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