



### Brand-Tray Winner

Terri Jan Johnson, member of Westway Home Demonstration Club, was recognized by The Hereford Brand yesterday as "HD Woman of the Year" for 1978. Presenting Mrs. Johnson with an engraved silver tray was Brand Farm Editor Jim

Stelert in the absence of Publisher O.G. Nieman. The award was bestowed by The Brand for the 28th time during the Annual Appreciation Luncheon in the County Bull Barn. (See story inside). [Brand photo by Denise Smith]

## Federal Grant Not Enough, For Water System, Says PRPC

**By PAUL SIMS**  
Managing Editor

A Panhandle Regional Planning Commission official told Deaf Smith County commissioners Monday in their regular semi-monthly meeting that he would ask the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development for more money to construct a water system at the San Jose labor camp.

HUD had granted \$320,000 for the water system but more funds might be needed, PRPC representative Grady Hollifield of Amarillo told the commission.

Commissioners, who opened bids for

construction of water system facilities Monday, were told by Hollifield and engineer Bill McMorrises of Amarillo that HUD's grant might not be enough to finance the project.

Bids received for the well system, which includes a 380-foot well and a chlorinator, were from Water Industries (\$35,403) and Wall & Sons (\$40,634.75).

Commissioners will send the two figures to HUD for examination and will vote at a later date to probably accept the low bid.

Bids received for construction of a 200,000-gallon storage tank, water lines, two booster pumps between 115 and 150

meters and seven fire hydrants were from Rhodes Construction (\$238,542.50) and Noyak Construction (\$266,854).

The total of the Water Industries and Rhodes bids is \$273,945.50. McMorrises said that engineering and administrative costs would total \$38,150. By the time test holes are drilled, the well owned by Domingo Pesina and presently being used by camp residents is bought and a sight for the new well is purchased, McMorrises said the cost of the entire project would surpass HUD's allotment.

McMorrises said that the water district at the labor camp might save money by eliminating one of the booster pumps, if that is feasible, and by having less than 150 meters.

"We hope to get by with 125 meters," McMorrises said. "That would deduct \$5,000. And you could deduct \$7,500 for the alternate pump."

He said that eliminating the fire hydrants would save \$6,200.

"We don't want to do that," Commissioner Bruce Coleman said.

In other business, the commission voted to allow the Llano Estacado Water District to use the county tax assessor-collector for determining valuations in northern Deaf Smith County and collecting taxes, tabled action on a request for more space for the juvenile probation office, set the rent for two county-owned houses, rejected three bids for oil and gas to be used in county vehicles, approved the county depository contract with First National Bank, granted two permits for the construction of underground lines by Deaf Smith Rural Electric Cooperative in Precinct No. 1, agreed to pay newly-hired Bull Barn custodian Paul Buck for a week's worth of training at the county-owned facility, named Jake Weebas a candidate for representation on the Texas Panhandle

## Rationing Plans Placed on Standby

WASHINGTON (AP) - The White House is sending Congress standby plans for gasoline rationing and other energy-saving measures that likely will include allocation of crude oil among refineries and restrictions on weekend retail sales of gasoline and diesel fuel.

Administration officials said the plans would be sent to Capitol Hill today.

Any gasoline rationing plans probably will be based on the assignment of coupons to owners of registered vehicles, according to sources who asked for anonymity. The coupons could be freely bought and sold.

Other details, including the amounts of gasoline likely to be authorized for various classes of users, remained to be settled.

Published reports have said the rationing plans would limit motorists to less than two gallons of gasoline a day.

But Jim Bishop, an Energy Department spokesman, strongly denied such reports Monday night, calling them a "total fabrication."

He added that the administration plans

contain "no reference to a specific gallonage" in gasoline rationing plans.

Energy Secretary James R. Schlesinger told the House Budget Committee last week that the loss of Iranian oil production during the political turmoil there could lead to mandatory steps to insure an adequate supply of heating oil next winter, causing a reduction in "gasoline availability."

"There will be a gasoline problem - in all likelihood - this summer," Schlesinger said.

Iran's revolutionary government has said it will resume oil exports soon, but it has not disclosed how much oil will be exported or to whom it will be sold.

Meanwhile, White House and Energy Department spokesmen have emphasized that no emergency is anticipated soon.

Bishop did not disclose details of the standby plans, but said they generally would follow the outlines which officials have recently discussed in public.

During congressional testimony earlier this month, David J. Bardin, head of the

## Cities Ask for Change In Utility-Appeal Law

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - Consumers will be the losers if electric companies can take rate requests straight to the Texas Public Utility Commission, city council representatives have told a House committee.

Rep. Lynn Nabers, however, says the bill he is co-sponsoring pares down an expensive and complicated procedure by taking away original jurisdiction in election rate cases from the local governments.

"In essence you have two layers of expenses," Nabers, D-Brownwood, told the House State Affairs Committee on

Monday. "I think this cuts out a layer of expense."

Utilities presently may appeal any city council decision on electric rates to the commission and many do. The commission has original jurisdiction over rural areas.

City councils now may choose to delegate their authority to the commission.

Mayor R.D. Wilkerson of the Panhandle city of Pampa said only three of the state's 1,100 cities formally have

# Israeli Cabinet Refuses Summit

JERUSALEM (AP) - The Israeli Cabinet today rejected an American invitation for Prime Minister Menachem Begin to attend a Camp David summit meeting without President Anwar Sadat of Egypt. Begin said last week's Camp David talks produced no progress and accused the Egyptians of hardening their position.

The Israeli decision indicated serious problems for the American effort to mediate a Mideast peace between Israel and Egypt.

"The Cabinet decided that the prime minister is not in a position to accept the proposed meeting with Prime Minister Mustafa Khalil," Begin said after the Cabinet meeting. The vote against Begin going was 14-2.

Begin said Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan had reported to the Cabinet on

President Carter's proposal that Begin and Khalil meet at Camp David with Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance. Dayan had returned from five days of talks at Camp David with Khalil.

"It is not evident to the Cabinet that in those talks no progress was made toward an Israeli-Egyptian agreement," Begin said.

"On the contrary, a more extreme position was presented by the Egyptian delegation."

In Washington, a U.S. official who asked not to be identified said, "We're waiting to hear the reason or explaining before making a public comment."

Begin said he was still "prepared" at any time convenient to President Carter to leave for the United States to meet with the president to discuss the peace process and bilateral relations between Israel and

the United States."

Begin appeared solemn as he read the Cabinet statement to newsmen.

In a sharp criticism of Egypt, Begin declared: "In addition to the previous Egyptian proposals, which were unacceptable to Israel, new proposals were made which were inconsistent with the Camp David agreement of Sept. 17 and in fact nullified the meaning of the peace treaty between the two countries."

Though Israel made counter-proposals, Begin said, "Prime Minister Khalil insisted on the Egyptian proposals."

Earlier, reliable Israeli sources had said that Begin had given tentative approval to the idea of a summit with Carter and Khalil, and reports in the Jerusalem Post and Haaretz newspapers quoted Egyptian and U.S. sources in Washington are saying Begin gave a tentative OK, subject to approval by the Cabinet.

Some members of the Cabinet had said Begin should stay home because of Sadat's refusal to attend. They argued that only he decides Egyptian policy, and

## Vietnamese Claim Battle Victories

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) - Vietnam reported fierce fighting today in the northwest corridor to Hanoi and said its forces wiped out 2,000 Chinese there from Friday to Monday.

The official Voice of Vietnam said the fighting was concentrated in the Cam Duong area which sits astride the Red River delta corridor which runs from the frontier to the Vietnamese capital.

The broadcast also said two more Chinese companies were decimated in Lang Son Province northeast of Hanoi Monday and another 250 Chinese soldiers were killed or wounded in the past two days in Phong Tho district of Lai Chau province.

Phong Tho is 15 miles inside Vietnam and 190 miles northwest of Hanoi.

President Carter called on China to undertake "a speedy withdrawal" from Vietnam, in a message given to top Chinese leaders by Treasury Secretary W. Michael Blumenthal who is visiting Peking. It was the bluntest statement to date of American opposition to the war.

But intelligence sources in Bangkok noted that the Chinese showed no signs of a withdrawal after 10 days of fighting and in fact were still reinforcing their troops in some frontier areas, including Lang Son.

Vietnam claimed Monday its troops were holding fast in the Cam Duong area and inflicted heavy casualties on the invaders at the other end of the frontier.

Radio Hanoi said the Vietnamese withstood a Chinese armored and infantry attack from three directions Monday in the Cam Duong area, on the Red River south of the provincial capital of Lao Cai and about 150 miles northwest of Hanoi.

The broadcast said the Vietnamese counter-attacked and killed 1,400 Chinese around Cam Duong, but that fighting continued in the area. Cam Duong and Lao Cai, reported captured by the Chinese last week, are in the Red River Valley, the strategic water, rail and highway corridor leading to Hanoi.

In coastal Quang Ninh province at the other end of the 450-mile-long border, Vietnamese forces intercepted and killed a large number of Chinese troops over the weekend west of Mong Cai village and near the Bac Luan bridge, the broadcast said.

No figures were given, but Hanoi has claimed its troops have killed more than 16,000 Chinese since Peking invaded Feb. 17. Intelligence sources consider the kill count inflated.

China has not given casualty figures. But in one of its few reports on the war the official Hsinhua news agency said today that a Chinese unit was cited for "meritorious service, second class for the timely completion of a pontoon bridge across the Binh Giang River under heavy enemy fire" Feb. 20 near the county seat of Phuc Hoa, in Cao Bang province about 10 miles northeast of Hanoi.

Hsinhua also said the first thing its troops do when entering evacuated Vietnamese villages is sweep streets, clean houses and feed livestock. The Hong Kong Communist newspaper Wen Wei Po, seemed aimed at countering Vietnamese charges of Chinese atrocities in the invasion.

An intelligence source in Bangkok said the Chinese moved one division Monday into Quang Ninh province east of Lang Son, the Vietnamese border city that has

## Bergland Calls Production Act 'Priority'

WASHINGTON (AP) - Agriculture Secretary Bob Bergland has asked Congress to enact "a comprehensive reform" of federal farm disaster and crop insurance programs, a plan the administration unsuccessfully advocated last year.

Called the Farm Production Protection Act of 1979, the measure "is the administration's top priority in farm legislation for this session of Congress," Bergland said Monday.

The proposal would combine the insurance programs of the department's Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, federal farm disaster indemnity and other payment programs, and the subsidized-interest portion of emergency loans made by the department's Farmers Home Administration and the Small Business Administration.

After consolidation, the department's Commodity Credit Corporation would be responsible for the new insurance program, Bergland said. The current FCIC would be dissolved.

The insurance would cover all risks and would be offered to all producers in all counties. In the first year it would cover 18 crops and later, over 10 years, be expanded to cover "all other commercially produced farm products," he said.

Bergland said "specialty insurance" could be developed on livestock, aquaculture products and others on an experimental basis.

The 18 crops included in the proposal are: barley, citrus, corn, cotton, dry beans, flax, grain sorghum, oats, peanuts, raisins, rice, rye, sugarcane, sugarbeets, sunflowers, soybeans, tobacco and wheat.

Congressional hearings were held last year on a similar insurance proposal but failed to gain approval before adjournment.

Bergland said the plan would cost an estimated \$632 million the first year, compared to a cost of \$653 million for existing programs.

## Blood Mobile Slates Visit

The mobile unit from Coffee Memorial Blood Center will be attempting to collect 192 pints of blood from 3-6 p.m. Wednesday at the local Community Center in hopes of wiping out the city's current blood debt.

Joan Bookout, chairman of the local drive, urges all eligible citizens to defray this debt by giving blood tomorrow. A pint of blood may be designated for blood insurance, the general pool or one of the

following local accounts:

Baby boy Steyck, 4 pints; Paula Oliver, 4 pints; Joe Hernandez, 72 pints; Frank Morgan, 6 pints; Baby girl Villarreal, 4 pints; Alvin Hughes, 12 pints; Mary Dean, 8 pints; Rufus Weathers, deceased, 16 pints; Mary Ellen Ramirez, 8 pints; Ruth Craig, 12 pints; Juan Trevino, 12 pints; and Pedro Demon, 32 pints.

## The Branding Iron Ex-Rodeoer Outlasts Others on Circuit

**By MARC HERRING**  
Brand Staff Writer

To be a professional rodeoer for 18 years, when the average span that a cowboy stays on the circuit is for 10 years, a person either has to be awful tough or very much in love with the sport. Dave Hopper was both of these.

"If I had it to do all over again, it would be the same because even though it was hard and the miles traveled were almost endless, I loved doing it," Hopper said. "Traveling was where most of the time went--we were on the road between 70,000 and 75,000 miles a year and that was about every year that I rodeoed."

A graduate of Texas Tech University where he rodeoed, Hopper won collegiate bareback bronc titles twice.

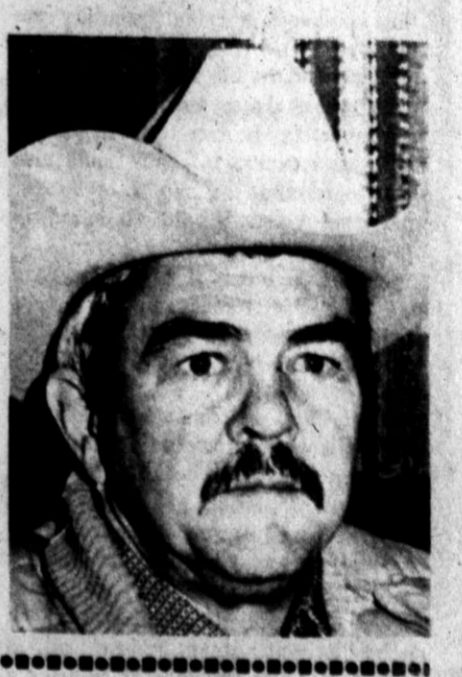
"When I was a sophomore, we (Tech) won the National Inter-collegiate Rodeo

championship and that was the first year that I won the bronc title. Then when I was a senior I did it again," Hopper said.

"I've been rodeoing professionally, at least being paid if I won, since 1950 and until I went to college I was part of the American Junior Rodeo Association (AJRA). After finishing college I went on the Professional Rodeo Cowboy Association circuit (PRCA) and stayed there until I hung up my spurs in '67."

Hopper finished college with an agriculture economics degree, but instead of going into a normal type of employment that such a degree would offer, he opted for the rodeo.

"If I would have gone to work as an assistant county agent or some other occupation that my degree qualified me for the annual salary would have been around \$6,000 a year and I felt I could



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## Saudi Arabia Won't Raise Oil Prices

NEW YORK (AP) — Saudi Arabia announced today it will not raise oil prices during the first quarter of this year, breaking with a series of oil exporters who have raised prices to take advantage of the cutoff of Iranian exports.

The Saudi announcement came one day after Kuwait told customers it was tacking 9 percent onto its current price of \$13.35 a barrel, raising it to about \$14.55 a barrel.

The Saudi royal court decree, broadcast by Riyadh Radio and monitored in Nicosia, Cyprus, also called for an urgent meeting of oil exporters and consumers "to regulate consumption and stabilize oil prices, to save the world from a possible economic relapse."

Saudi Arabia is the world's largest oil exporter and traditionally has been a moderate in pricing decisions of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries.

The supply squeeze caused by Iran's oil cutoff has been pushing prices up on the open, or spot, market, and producing nations feel the general market will bear higher prices, according to analysts.

The Saudi announcement said it plans no increases before the scheduled April 1 OPEC increase of 3.9 percent. That rise is part of a four-part increase totaling 14.5 percent spread out this year. The first increase, of 5 percent, was Jan. 1.

## Azle Youth Kills Student at School

AZLE, Texas (AP) — A 14-year-old Azle boy was scheduled for arraignment today before a juvenile court judge on charges he shot a classmate to death Monday on the school ground of Azle Junior High School.

School officials said the victim, 13-year-old Gary Gaines Jr., was "a real good kid...no disciplinary problem at all."

## County

State Planning Region Commission and decided to ask an insurance company representative to explain laws enacted by the 1978 state Legislature affecting county insurance.

Lloyd Gass of Vega, a representative of the Llano Estacado Water District which includes Oldham County and approximately 75 sections in northern Deaf Smith County, asked the commission to allow county tax assessor-collector Nell Miller to collect maintenance taxes for the water district.

"Oldham County commissioners voted to do this in our county," Gass said.

The water district was created 1½ years ago by the state Legislature.

In an election last month, residents in the water district voted to collect a maintenance tax of no more than 25 cents per \$100 valuation.

"We don't know how much we're going to need until we get a tax roll," Gass said.

## Branding

I stuck just with those.

Hopper gave up his life on the rodeo after getting tired of "plowing the ground so deep" and because of the noticed lack of winning during his last three years of competition.

After 18 years and 10 years after graduation from college, he used his degree to start working for feedyards,

## PUC

taken that step.

"If we lose that jurisdiction - then who are you going to be able to complain to?" said El Paso Mayor Ray Salazar. "This bill to me is nothing more than giving the utility companies the right for utility rate increases."

Nabers said the bill would not prohibit city councils from holding a public hearing before the rate request goes to the utility commission. They could also send representatives as "intervenor" when the request would be heard in Austin, he added.

"It's not the intent of this bill to try to exclude anyone" Nabers said.

The bill was sent to a sub-committee for further study.

Dallas City Councilman Steve Bartlett said the local governments' leverage for handling consumer complaints is at stake.

"Utility regulation is an ongoing process, not just a biennial rate-setting process," he said.

"The cities provide an effective check on the PUC which might be lost," added J. William Earle, director of Houston's

And Azle Police Chief Greg Aitkin said the suspect "never had been in trouble, that we know of, even in school."

A disagreement dating back several months to a football game the two eighth grade students played in last year was said to have been the apparent cause of the shooting.

Gaines was shot once in the back of the head with a .22-caliber pistol about 3:20 p.m. Monday between the school's field house and football practice area as other students stood around.

He and the suspect were both members of the junior high football team and had just showered after a physical education class moments before the shooting, school officials said.

Members of the school faculty said there was no apparent argument the day of the shooting.

"All of a sudden, it happened, from some prior arguments stemming to four or five months ago," the chief said.

## Senate To Debate Speed Resolution

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Texas senators say they are tired of Easterners trying to set the highway speed limits in Texas.

"These little old states in the East with about three miles of freeway want to set the speed limits for the rest of us," Sen. John Traeger, D-Seguin, told the Senate State Affairs Committee Monday.

By unanimous voice vote, the committee cleared for full Senate debate a resolution calling on Congress to pass a pending bill letting states set their own speed limits - without loss of any highway funds if the limits exceed the federally approved 55 miles-per-hour.

If approved by the Senate, the resolution goes to the House.

"Oklahoma passed this recently and I think Texas should join them and pass this too," said Traeger.

Under present federal law a state is subject to losing any federal funds being used for highway purposes if that state does not comply with the 55 mph limit to conserve oil and gasoline supplies.

It has been estimated Texas could lose up to \$400,000 if it raised the 55 mph limit to 70 mph, as some legislators have suggested.

## Carter Urges China To Withdraw Troops

PEKING (AP) — President Carter called on China today to undertake "a speedy withdrawal" from Vietnam. His statement was in a message given to top

Chinese leaders by Treasury Secretary W. Michael Blumenthal.

Blumenthal met for more than an hour with Vice Premier Teng Hsiao-ping and told reporters afterward that he had given Teng the message that Carter wanted him to give.

"I conveyed the position of the United States' government with respect to the Chinese move into Vietnam, and indicated our opposition to that move and our hope there will be a speedy withdrawal from Vietnam," Blumenthal said.

It was the bluntest statement to date of U.S. opposition to the invasion.

Before meeting with Blumenthal, Teng turned U.S. criticism of the invasion back on the Carter administration, inferring Washington lacked the courage to buck Moscow's allies and that this was one of the reasons China had to act.

Teng was asked by American reporters what he thought of Blumenthal's critical remarks in a weekend toast. Although the Chinese leader avoided direct mention of the United States and Vietnam it was clear he was speaking about them.

"Both the Cuba of the Orient and the Cuba of the West seem to be emboldened by a so-called tremendous backing force behind them," Teng said.

## Police Report

Police are investigating the BB-gun shootings of 20 car and pickup windows which occurred Friday through Sunday.

The damaged vehicles were located in several parts of the city, police said.

St. Anthony's Catholic Church was burglarized between 5-8 p.m. Sunday. Police said that \$24 was stolen from a cabinet.

Marion Betts, 129 Ave. H, reported that two statues were stolen from his front yard sometime after Dec. 7.

Hershel King, Bluewater Garden Apts. No. 32, told police that someone kicked his front door, between 8-10 p.m. Sunday.

Natalia Aguilon, 906 S. Schley, said that two-eight track tapes were stolen from her bedroom Monday morning.

## Weather

West Texas - Partly cloudy today and tonight becoming fair most sections Wednesday. Windy today with blowing dust in the Panhandle and the South Plains. A little cooler in the north today and in most sections Wednesday. Widely scattered thundershowers, mainly in the Panhandle, today and tonight. Highs today upper 50s in the north to lower 70s in the south. Lows tonight mid 20s in the north to lower 40s south. Highs Wednesday mid 40s north to mid 60s south.

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Ms. Miller said the county would charge two cents per \$100 valuation for assessing property in the affected sections and two cents for collecting the tax.

The commission voted to adopt those charges, which are the same that the county uses for collecting taxes for the High Plains Underground Water District.

Ms. Miller, in response to a question from Coleman, said that the charges to Deaf Smith County Hospital District for collecting taxes "needs to be raised—we charge only for assessing, not collecting."

"Even though it's in the law what they pay us, maybe we could present it to the hospital board to see if we could get something done," Coleman said.

Juvenile probation officer Roger Bowers told the court that the assistant officer and a secretary are in one of the two juvenile probation offices, along with a filing cabinet.

"We need more space," Bowers said. The commission tabled action on the matter.

Commissioners set the rent for two houses in Precinct 4 to be used by county employes at \$80 a month.

County Clerk B.F. Cain told the commission that the federal Voting Rights Act states that a bi-lingual person must be employed in the voter registration office.

The commission, several months ago, said that a Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA) employee, whose salary would be paid by the federal government, should be used in the voter registration office. However, Cain said that CETA guidelines do not permit persons in the program to be involved in the political process.

Cain was instructed by the court to find a bi-lingual employee to comply with the Voting Rights Act.

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starting with Easley Feeders in '67 and going to Champion Feeders in 1971. He is now manager of the latter.

Asked if he regretted leaving the rodeo life he said that he didn't and had no interest in going back.

"I went to the finals in Oklahoma City a couple of years ago and after seeing the competition, I didn't see anything that I

could ride or anyone that I felt I could beat, so I'm happy to be out of it," Hopper said.

Still involved with cowboys at Champion Feeders, Hopper has fond memories of his rodeo days and tries to stay in shape now by playing tennis and skiing, a new sport for him.

Hopper and his wife JoAn have one daughter, Robin, 11.

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public services department.

Representatives of Corpus Christi, Amarillo and Lubbock announced their opposition to the proposal.

Rep. Jerry Donaldson, the bill's co-sponsor, claimed that political demagoguery was "the bottom line" of city officials' desire to keep their original jurisdiction.

Donaldson, D-Gatesville, suggested that city councils now can gain popularity

## Vietnam

guarded the invasion routes from China for centuries, and that the Vietnamese reinforced their border command with two battalions in the Lang Son area.

Bangkok analysts believe the Chinese may already have begun a major push around Lang Son, 80 miles north of Hanoi. But the Chinese have been quoted as saying they have no intention of trying to seize the Vietnamese capital.

China invaded with the declared aim of punishing Vietnam for border provocations. But analysts believe the Chinese also wanted to draw Vietnamese troops,

by opposing rate hikes, knowing that electric companies will appeal their decisions to the utility commission.

"Why spend \$50,000 on what's a sham anyway?" he said. "Most of the cities are not doing anything anyway."

E.R. Wall, president of El Paso Electric Co., had told the House State Affairs Committee that his company spent \$50,000 to present a rate case to the city of Anthony, which has about 600 customers.

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away from Cambodia where they have been battling guerrillas loyal to the ousted pro-Peking regime of Pol Pot since Hanoi invaded Dec. 25.

China's senior vice premier, Teng Hsiao-ping, said in an interview Monday he "wholeheartedly welcomed" a draft resolution reportedly being readied for the U.N. Security Council today calling for a withdrawal of Chinese troops from Vietnam and of Vietnamese troops from Cambodia, Japan's Kyodo news service reported from Peking.

## Rationing

Energy Department's Economic Regulatory Administration, said mandatory fuel-saving may become necessary if voluntary conservation is not effective.

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allocations of crude oil among refineries and allocations of gasoline, fuel oil and other refined products at the wholesale level.

Bardin said direct consumer rationing would be considered only as a last-ditch

effort.

Energy officials have also said they may have to restrict weekend sales of gasoline and diesel fuel, even ordering Sunday closings.

## Begin

his absence means that Carter will pressure Begin to give in on issues blocking a peace pact.

Dayan refused to say if he would recommend that Begin go to Washington. But he told reporters after his talks at Camp David with the Egyptian prime minister: "I have the impression that Khalil is qualified and authorized" to negotiate an agreement.

He said he was told Sadat refused to attend the Washington talks because he did not see himself as "the appropriate figure to conduct negotiations on this paragraph or that paragraph."

Earlier, Begin had told reporters he was not disappointed by Sadat's refusal to attend.

"The issue is between the two countries and not individuals," he said,

but he added: "Sadat is the man who takes most of the decisions."

Sadat has avoided discussing the controversy, but Monday one of his aides said the president should not be expected to "do everything." He added that it was fitting for Khalil to represent Egypt since both he and Begin are prime ministers.

White House Press Secretary Jody Powell told reporters in Washington that Khalil "has been given, and has had, the full authority to negotiate and conclude a peace treaty."

The State Department denied an Egyptian report that Khalil and Dayan had agreed on treaty provisions covering the chief issue blocking a peace agreement: future arrangements for the Palestinians in the West Bank and Gaza Strip.

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The report of agreement was published in the semi-official Cairo newspaper Al-Ahram which said its information came from Khalil during a stop in London en route from Washington to Cairo.

"No agreement has been reached," a State Department spokesman said. "We have been in touch with Dr. Khalil in London, who has denied saying any such thing."

Al-Ahram also reported that Khalil submitted a memorandum to Dayan and Vance requesting the adoption of five "urgent steps, concerning Jewish settlements, public freedom, measures undertaken by the Israeli occupation authority and the necessity of reducing Israeli military forces in the cities of the West Bank and the Gaza Strip."

# Thrift Doesn't Pay

By JOHN CUNNIFF  
AP Business Analyst  
NEW YORK (AP) — Thrift has been so esteemed by society that there exists hardly a person who cannot recall an adage to honor it less quickly than they can fetch a penny from their pocket.

Those maxims need not be repeated — just their message, that God and thrift are synonymous, and that great blessings are bestowed on those who save their pennies. Everyone knows they grew into dollars.

The child's penny savings bank became Americana. And

there exist even today great savings institutions that were founded on the nickels and dimes of workers. No coin was too small. Didn't pennies become dollars?

They did, but they usually don't anymore. If you put \$1 into a savings account last year, inflation left you with 97 cents worth of purchasing power.

Ben Franklin might have been right when he said, "A penny saved is two pence clear." It wasn't so last year. Had the dollar been spent, it might have purchased more. In postponing buying, the saver wasted.

The reason: Passbook savings

at savings banks and savings and loans institutions, called thrift institutions, earned 5.25 percent last year, and they pay the same this year too. Consumer price inflation was 9 percent.

It is true that savers could have earned more than 8 percent had they agreed to leave funds on deposit for years. And more than 9 percent if they had \$10,000 to tie up for six months. But those are special cases.

The fact is that thrift, which helped supply the capital that built America, has not been paying off for many Americans, the small saver especially. Even

# Hotel To Gamble

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — Resorts International Hotel Casino, the East's first legal gambling house, was granted a permanent license Monday by the New Jersey Casino Control Commission. The vote was 5-0.

"I find no facts which suggest to me that this applicant should be denied a license," commission chairman Joseph P. Lordi had said just before the vote.

The vote followed seven weeks of hearings into the Florida-based conglomerate, which has invested more than \$50 million into the former Chalfonte-Haddon Hall hotel here and also operates two casinos in the Bahamas.

"The decision will be a critical one for this town," William Downey, executive director of the new Atlantic City Casino Hotel Association, had said earlier. "Many potential casino hotel investors are watching the actions of the commissioners this first time around."

The casino's nine-month temporary permit, issued when it opened last May 26, expires at midnight Monday.

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# Committee Ok's Liability Bills

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Seven bills that would make it harder for injured consumers to win products liability suits were approved Monday by the Senate Economic Development Committee.

Floor action probably won't come until after March 9, said Sen. Bill Meier, D-Eules, sponsor of three of the bills.

Businessmen and lawyers who defend industry in products cases urged approval of the bills, which were opposed by the Consumers Union and the Texas Trial Lawyers Association.

The bills approved by the committee are:

- SB135, by Rep. Ray Farabee, D-Wichita Falls, reducing an injured consumer's award in a product defect case if he or she helped cause the accident.
- SB136, by Farabee, establishing misuse of a product as a defense. Texas courts have held that misuse is a defense only if it

is proven the product itself were free of defects.

- SB137, by Farabee, prohibiting a consumer, from recovering money damages for his or her injuries if the product was altered after purchase.
- SB138, by Farabee, establishing a presumption that a product was safe if manufactured in accordance with state or federal standards.
- SB263, by Meier, cutting off lawsuits against makers of allegedly defective products six years after manufacture or five years after sale.
- SB264, by Meier, requiring plaintiffs to prove manufacturers were negligent, not just that the product was defective.
- SB265, by Meier, raising as a defense the fact that a product complied with "the state of the art" at the time it was manufactured, even though it might be considered unsafe by today's standards.

But the marketplace has. Inflation has accelerated, and now seems likely to remain at levels once believed intolerable. And the longer it remains at those rates, the more will small savings evaporate.

## Obituaries

**INFANT BREWER**  
Bruce Lee Brewer, newborn son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brewer of Amarillo died Saturday in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Graveside services were conducted Monday afternoon in St. Anthony's Cemetery with the Rev. Paul Haefer, pastor of St. Anthony's Catholic Church.

He was born Feb. 23 at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Survivors include the parents; a brother, Scottie Brewer of the home; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Abel Rodriguez of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Monty Brewer of Hereford; great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ditz Brewer of Snyder and Cameron Gallegos of Hereford.

**CHARLES L. RAEF SR.**  
Charles Leo Raef Sr., 60, died Thursday in Bonham. He was the brother of a local resident, Mrs. Opal Walterscheid.

Services are pending with Blackburn-Shaw Martin Road Chapel.

Mr. Raef was born in Carsoh County. He had been a longtime resident of Amarillo. He moved to Bonham 16 months ago. He was retired from Pantex transportation department, an Army veteran of World War II and a Catholic.

Including Mrs. Walterscheid, he is survived by the widow, four daughters, a son, his mother, three brothers, five sisters, and six grandchildren.

**WT Alumni Meeting Scheduled**  
West Texas State Alumni Association will hold an organizational meeting for Hereford at 7 p.m. Thursday at K-Bob's Steak House.

Persons interested in joining the local group should attend the dutch-treat dinner, said Jerry Don George, past president of the association.

Debbie Word of Canyon, executive director of the association, will be on hand for the meeting.

# Fuel Oil Could Rise

NEW YORK (AP) — The price of the fuel oil used to heat some apartments and buildings and to power factories and electrical generators may rise still further as a result of a reported increase in the price of the fuel by a key exporter.

The world's fourth-largest oil producer decided over the weekend to raise the price of some of its oil by 15 percent, according to industry sources.

There was no official confirmation of a price increase. The oil affected would reportedly be mostly heavy refined oil used for heating some apartment and other buildings and for firing factory boilers. Gasoline prices probably would not be affected by

the move because the fuel is a different product.

Venezuela is a key source of heavy oil for the East Coast of the United States. The East Coast imports about 17 times as much of this oil as the rest of the nation.

The Middle East Economic Survey, an authoritative oil publication published in Nicosia, Cyprus, reported today that the increase will take effect March 1 and that it will vary from \$2.10 to \$2.51 a barrel.

It said the largest increase will be for the lesser polluting, low-sulfur crude oil from \$16.49 to \$19 with high-sulfur crude rising from \$11.40 to \$13.50.

The news letter said the Venezuelans also made it clear

they have no fuel available for spot sales.

For East Coast fuel-oil customers, whose bills already have risen by about 15 percent this winter, the increase could mean an additional 10 percent rise, according to analysts.

The American Petroleum Institute said the reported increase would affect residual oil, but not such products as gasoline or No. 1 home heating oil, which is used in most homes that heat with oil. The API said it could not confirm the reports.

Francis Bacon, the 17th-century English philosopher and essayist, tried to preserve his chickens for cooking by stuffing them with snow.

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# Mrs. Johnson Named HD Woman of Year

Terri Jan Johnson, a member of Westway Home Demonstration Club, was named "HD Woman of the Year" Monday as the high point of the annual HD Appreciation Luncheon in the County Bull Barn.

Representing The Hereford Brand, Farm Editor Jim Steiert

presented Mrs. Johnson with an engraved silver tray in recognition of Mrs. Johnson's contributions to HD events and the community during 1978. In an emotional acceptance of the honor, Mrs. Johnson expressed special appreciation to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Townsend, and to members of

the Westway chapter.

A corsage of red roses was presented by Steiert to Mary Fisher, who was first runner-up to the coveted HD award. She was nominated by Palo Duro HD Club.

Deaf Smith County officials, including the Commissioners

Court and their wives, were special guests during the 28th annual Appreciation Luncheon. Mrs. Tom Hargrave was mistress of ceremonies.

Representing the news media were KPAN Radio owner Clint Formby and his wife Margaret, Brand photographer Denise Smith, Steiert, and his wife, Kerrie, who is Brand Women's Editor.

Giving the welcoming address was HD Agent Joyce Shipp, who introduced the Rev. C.W. Allen, pastor of St. Johnson's Trinity Baptist Church, to give the invocation.

Representing the County HD Council, Janet Coleman presented pins to the following women who earned perfect attendance Council records during the past year: Cindy Norvell, Edith Hunter, Becky Caraway, Roberta Campbell and Carrie Mae Doak. Small silver trays were given to Jewel Hargrave and Key Bradley for two years of perfect attendance. It was noted that Mrs. Bradley has maintained a perfect attendance record for 16 years.

In a change of tempo from former years, the banquet program was presented by the HD clubwomen through narration by former HD Agent Argen Draper, music and fashion. Mrs. Draper gave a history of

Extension Service in Texas and Deaf Smith County. As her HD account progressed through several decades, several HD women modeled fashions of the different periods with Leta Kaul performing piano music.

According to Mrs. Draper, the Texas Agriculture Extension Service was introduced in Texas in 1903 when the United States Department of Agriculture sent Seaman A. Knapp to this state to study the cotton boll weevil dilemma. The extension service was brought to Deaf Smith County on Nov. 4, 1912 by William L. Boys, who was employed as county collaborator for boys work in Deaf Smith, Castro and Parmer Counties.

In 1915, the local Extension service was expanded when \$150 was appropriated by the County for the hiring of a woman canning agent here. This marked the beginning of women's clubs interested in canning and preserving foods, growing vegetables, curing meat, cooking and other rural-oriented skills.

In was in the teen years that a new era began with women shortening their skirts and bobbing their hair, a matter of great controversy, Mrs. Draper related. A few years later, in the 1920's, drastic changes evolved

in rural life with the introduction of several inventions, including the pressure cooker, which would open an entire new method of canning.

In 1926, the Progressive Canning Club was organized with Mrs. Ira Ricketts as its first president. Wyche community copied the Progressive club and

years, Dawn, Messenger and Messenger HD club came into being and the County acquired its first assistant HD agent in 1949.

The current agent, Joyce Shipp, arrived in Deaf Smith County in 1971. Under her direction, Westway, Tierra Blanca, Palo Duro and Busy

Homemakers were established. Looking to the future, Mrs. Draper cited a number of changes, including the name change from Home Demonstration to Extension Homemaker Clubs, natural fibers in clothing, freeze-dried foods, men in clubs and a continuing program to meet the public need.

was established the same year. Both clubs became Home Demonstration groups.

Another milestone for local HD activities came in the late '20's when The Hereford Brand reported that \$1,500 had been appropriated by the County for the first HD agent here. During the first agent's tenure, Ford and North Hereford clubs were formed. The appropriation was lost in 1931 so local merchants assumed the HD agent's salary.

Bippus and Fairview clubs were organized in 1932. According to Mrs. Draper, 1937 was a banner year for HD clubs. It was during that year that Agent Sadie Lee Oliver helped establish Westway, Frio, West Hereford and Heiselman Clubs.

During World War II, all varieties of drives and rationing were in progress, but the most significant event in rural living was rural electrification, soon followed by concrete pavement and telephone service.

Argen Draper came to Hereford in 1947 in the post-war

## Hospital Notes

### PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Inf. boy Bravo, Inf. girl Bridges, Scott Burford, Sandra Combs, George Funk, Stephani Futrell, Inf. girl Futrell.

Norma Garner, Dora Gonzales, George Hund, Ruby Jennings, Fay Jung, Mary Kemp, Pauline Kropff, Mary Lopez.

Laura Milburn, Paula Oliveira, Almada Penman, Tomas Ramirez, Stacy Rickman, Lilia Rodriguez, J.C. Salmon, Leona Sowell.

Bessie Spande, Marie McQueary, Debbie Morales, Tammy Crouch, Gloria Daniels, Floyd Shugart, Hilda Rios, Stena Fisher.



MARY FISHER  
...first runner-up to HD honor



ARGEN DRAPER  
...recounting history of HD Clubs

## Bluebonnet Trail To Open In March

The 1979 Highland Lakes Bluebonnet Trail, now in its 18th year, is set for March 31 - April 1 and April 7-8, predicted by many wildflower watchers to be one of the better years for the bluebonnets.

Sponsored by the Highland Lakes Tourist Association, the trail will lace the highways of the Highland Lakes for 240 miles and pass thru the communities of Austin, Marble Falls, Granite Shoals, Burnet, Buchanan Dam, Kingsland, and Llano.

Besides the enjoyment of Hill Country scenery and points of interest along the way, arts and crafts fair will be open in each community to offer advice on the best local fields of bluebonnets. Ample winter rainfall will guarantee a wildflower extravaganza to

include Indian Paint Brushes, Buttercups, Indian Blankets, Yarrows, Spider Worts, Golden Wave, and Wine Cups. (There will be approximately 105 species of Wildflowers.)

For those that miss the two weekends of the trail, nationally recognized wildflower expert, Carroll Abbott of Kerrville, will be escorting a bus tour of the area, April 14, leaving the Austin Chamber of Commerce at 9 a.m. Charge for the tour to include a stop at an arts and craft fair and a turkey sausage barbecue in Llano at Inman's Kitchen, is \$15.

For a free map and brochure of the trail outlining points of interest along the way (or to reserve for the bus tour), write: Bluebonnets, P.O. Box 1967, Austin, Texas 78767, or telephone 1-512-478-9383.

## Specialist Gives Best Buys This Week

COLLEGE STATION -- Best buys at Texas grocery markets this week include potatoes, poultry and processed fruits and vegetables.

Also, specials on rice, pasta and some beef and pork cuts, says Gwendolyn Clyatt. Mrs. Clyatt is a consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

This week's price-quality trends are the following:

FRESH VEGETABLES--Potatoes have three things going for them this week: low prices, abundant supplies and high nutrition. Consumers should go for them.

Other economical vegetables are carrots, sweet potatoes, eggplant, cucumbers, rutabagas and squash.

Cabbage prices are slightly higher, while lettuce prices and quality vary due to wet, cold California weather.

POULTRY -- Fryer chickens still have attractive prices in spite of general price increases. Low prices appear on turkeys--10 pounds and up--and turkey parts. Eggs are an economical protein choice.

GROCERY MARKET AISLES -- Processed fruits and vegetable offer shoppers real opportunities for savings. Also look for features on rice and pasta products. Budget prices appear on some frozen vegetables and on frozen grapefruit juice.

BEEF -- Features include blade chuck roasts, ground beef with soy protein, round steak, ground beef and liver.

PORK -- Features are scattered among various markets, but good values will appear on quarter pork loins, some brands of bacon, frankfurters, liver and Boston butts.

FRESH FRUITS -- Most economical choices are apples, bananas, oranges, pears, pineapple -- and grapefruit "by-the-bag."

CONSUMER WATCHWORDS: Two budget-easy items are fish (look for specials in frozen-food sections) and cooked whole-grain cereal, such as oatmeal and whole wheat.

Sir Isaac Pitman, inventor of a system of shorthand, died in 1897.

## BPOE Supper Discussed By Elkettes

Hereford Elkettes met recently for their regular business session in BPOE Elks Lodge. Joyce Walker, chairman, presided.

It was announced that approximately 30 individuals attended the recent lodge supper. Plans were discussed for the next supper, scheduled March 17.

Also, it was reported that a Skate-A-Thon against Muscular Dystrophy will be held by the Elks from 12 noon - 12 midnight March 15 at the Playhouse Skating Rink. All proceeds will go to the Muscular Dystrophy Association. Applications are available to interested skaters at Custom Bookkeeping, Troy's Sweet Shop, the Skating Rink and the Elks Lodge.

Kay Ivins was hostess and served refreshments to those in attendance, including Mrs. Walker, Karroll Rettman, Donna Smith, Lynn Bridges and Ruby Gallagher.

The Elkettes' next meeting is scheduled March 7.

## LAST BIG WEEK!

### 3 STORES IN 1

# Gaston's Sugarland CONSOLIDATION CLEARANCE

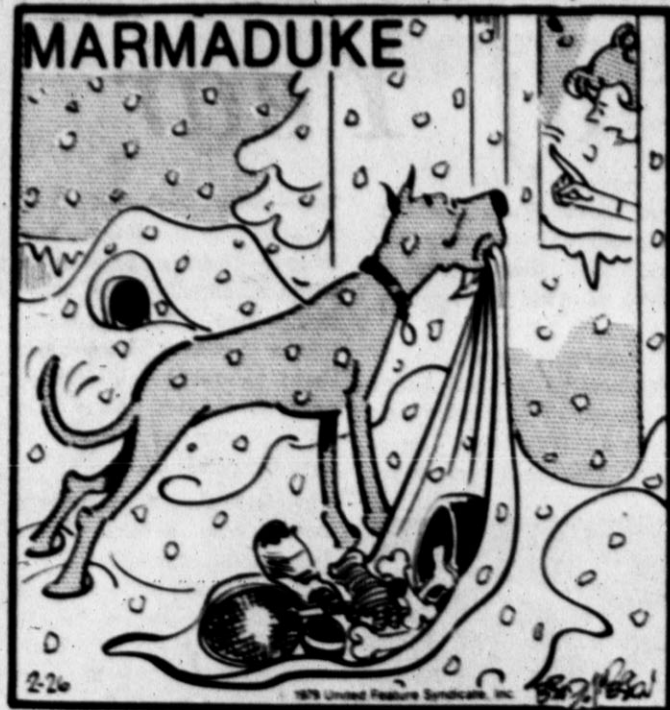
You know what this is: We have consolidated our entire stock from our Hereford and Amarillo Stores into Gaston's Sugarland Mall for this Semi-Annual event! Never before have we been able to offer you such tremendous prices on our very own Quality Merchandise. Come, see for yourself the GREAT VALUES in all department: Ladies, Subway, Shoes, Men's, Young Men's and Boys! Below is only a partial listing.

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# The Hereford Brand Comics

MONDAY

TUESDAY



"Take that junk back to your dog house. You're not moving in with us!"



"Who was the last one to use the toothpaste?"

PEANUTS®



THE BORN LOSER

by Art Sansom



THE BORN LOSER

by Art Sansom



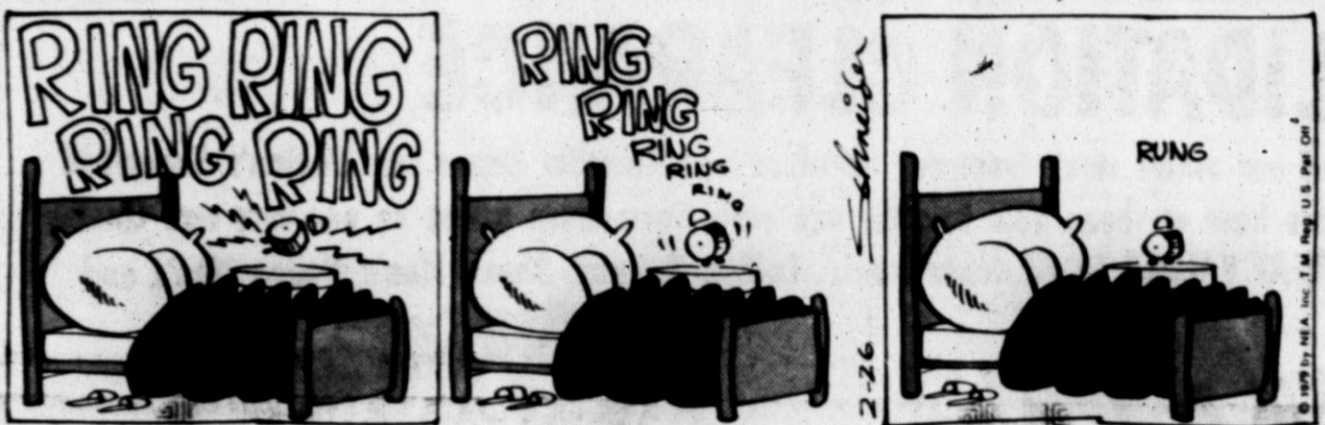
EK & MEK

by Howie Schneider



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FRANK AND ERNEST

by Bob Thaves



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U. S. POST ' OFFICE COMPLAINTS

SURE, I SEE THE "DO NOT FOLD" AND THE "DO NOT BEND," BUT SHOW ME WHERE IT SAYS "DO NOT RUN OVER WITH THE MAIL TRUCK."



ALLEY OOP

by Dave Graue

DON'T BE SUCH A GROUCH — SAY "SNAP, CRACKLE, POP" FOR THE KID.

GRAUE 2-27

**ACROSS**

- Jesus monogram
- Pixie
- Electrified particle
- Beams
- Story fabricator
- Eggs
- Cattle (arch.)
- Wash
- Left
- Arm covering
- Mystery writers' award
- Ferrous metal (2 wds.)
- Garment seam
- Over (Ger.)
- Written snowfall of a desert
- Pound (abbr.)
- Year of science (abbr.)
- Boy Scout
- Office holder
- Part of a shoe
- To be (Lat.)
- Foddlers
- Detoxified

**DOWN**

- Irritates
- Frozen rain
- Auld Lang
- Lawless
- Actress
- Surfacer
- Office holder
- State
- In excess
- Arrest
- Leaks

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

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TEEL	OLDEN	TED
TVA	OLANA	TSE
QAR	ELDER	USS

**ACROSS**

- Cereal grain
- Small bills
- Responsibility
- Native metal
- Solemn
- Leisure
- Buddhism
- Cone-bearing tree
- Norse deity
- Food
- Take on cargo
- Those in office
- Interrogates
- Twill
- woolen fabric
- Spiny plants
- Comply
- Fuel
- Actor
- Andrews
- New York City river
- River in Germany
- Male deer
- Vast expanse
- Eight (Sp.)
- Norwegian dramatist
- Chosen
- Nothing but
- Spanish gold
- Burmese currency
- Run
- Morning song
- Single time
- Same (prefix)
- Cut of meat type
- Objective
- Southern state (abbr.)
- Domini
- Cross
- inscription
- Drowse

**DOWN**

- Euclid
- Surface
- Octopus arm
- Alley
- Claws
- Chemist's burner
- Small shelter
- Poverty-war agency (abbr.)
- Lowest point
- Employing
- Feel
- Fast aircraft (abbr.)
- Compass
- Goat
- Ogle
- Cote sound
- Help
- Aware of (2 wds.)
- Bleat
- Combustion remnant
- Biblical nationality
- Envision
- Skin tone
- Farm implement
- Child's hat
- Sandwich type (abbr.)
- Australian animal
- Modern fabric
- Red-breasted bird
- Gold plated statuette
- Fakir
- Ere long
- Christiana
- Garden
- 59 Year (Sp.)
- Samuel's teacher

**ALLEY OOP** by Dave Graue

**OUR BOARDING HOUSE** with Major Hoople

**Crossword Puzzle**

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# Ann Landers

## Disenchanted



**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** Recently I read an article which made a good case for not having children. I'm ashamed to say it, but our two have given us nothing but grief. If it weren't for them, my husband and I could have had a beautiful life.

Couples who decide not to have a family shouldn't feel an obligation to explain or apologize. I can't imagine a subject that is less anyone else's business.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** I've been married to a salesman for 16 years. We have three kids. Frank is a terrific father and husband. The problem is his drinking with his customers "to get an order." I don't mean a social cocktail or two. I mean getting bombed and staying out until 1:30 a.m. Is this part of a salesman's job? Frank says it is.

We get along great except for this one problem and it's been happening more and more lately. There's no one sweeter when he's sober, but lately his drinking "to get an order" is beginning to get to me. I need your help. -- Tucson Wife

**DEAR WIFE:** Nobody has to booze it up for ANY reason -- unless he wants to. Ginger ale is for sale in every bar in the country. Drinking with customers "to get an order" is a weak excuse for a man with a weakness. The best salesmen are not boozers. They are workers.

**DEAR ANN:** How does one keep up with social do's and don'ts? What's right and what's wrong? So many things have changed in the last 10 years, I really feel out of it. -- Sunk in Cincinnati

**DEAR SUNK:** Get "Amy Vanderbilt's Complete Book of Etiquette" (Doubleday). It's an up-to-the-minute guide for all social "emergencies" and loaded with common sense. Tish Baldrige wrote it and she's a pistol.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** I have an average-size problem. Last week I had my ear pierced. Not both of them -- just one. You'd have thought I had committed an axe murder or something. My folks raised a terrific howl.

I should have told you at the beginning of this letter -- I'm a guy.

Why all the excitement? I'm old enough to drive a car, old enough to buy beer and old enough to fight in a war. But my folks don't seem to think I'm old enough to make this decision. What do you think? -- Long Island Joe

**DEAR JOE:** It's your ear and if you want to hang an earring on it, it's OK with me -- but I'm not excited about the idea either.

# Mrs. Clark to Be Honored Tomorrow

Friends of Jennie Clark are invited to attend an open house being held in her honor from 2-4 p.m. tomorrow in the home of her daughter, Louise McDougal, 836 W. Park Ave. Mrs. Clark is celebrating her 90th birthday.

Cohostesses during the reception will be Mrs. Mickey McDonald of Amarillo, Kathy Polan and Mrs. Glenn Lutz of Muleshoe. Guests are asked to

not bring gifts.

Mrs. Clark, who was born in Indian Territory in Oklahoma, has lived in Hereford with her daughter for twenty years following her retirement from the nursing profession. During her career, she was a surgical nurse at hospitals in Muleshoe and Amherst.

She is a member of First United Methodist Church.

# 4-H Firsthand

## 4-H'ERS DRESS FOR ENERGY SAVINGS

Dress for energy savings by wearing fabrics that "breathe," colors that "fit" the weather, and layers that can be added or subtracted as temperatures change.

Energy-conscious young people in the national 4-H fashion revue program suggest wearing natural fiber fabrics -- wool, cotton, silk, and linen or blends

with a high natural fiber content, next to the skin. These fabrics "breathe" by increasing air penetration and moisture absorption. Dark colors, like the new burnt sienna and vintage plum are good choices for winter because they absorb heat from the sun.

4-H'ers also recommend "layering" for the latest in fashion and energy conserva-

tion. Start with a cowl or turtleneck sweater, add a blouson big top, and complete the look with a boxy, unstructured vest. Air trapped between the layers of clothing acts as an insulator, so several light layers may be warmer and more comfortable than one heavy garment.

Girls and boys 9 to 19 learn-by-doing how to dress for all seasons and all occasions in 4-H fashion revue, an educational feature of the overall 4-H clothing program. Fashion revue projects and activities stress development of skills in choosing, constructing, accessorizing and modeling garments that complement a 4-H member's wardrobe.

Supported by Simplicity Pattern Company, Inc., and conducted by the Extension Service, the program provides opportunities for 4-H'ers to earn recognition for their fashion know-how. 4-H members who rank in the top 10 percent in county fashion revues are eligible for medals of honor.

One winner from each state receives an expense-paid trip to National 4-H Congress in Chicago each year and participates in the National 4-H Fashion Revenue. Six national winners are awarded \$1,000 scholarships. All winners are chosen by Extension Service, and awards are donated by Simplicity and arranged by the National 4-H Council.

More information on the 4-H fashion revue program is available from the county Extension office.

Mrs. Lavon Pagett, 618 Ave. J, was the winner of the quilt at the drawing held during the King's Manor Auxiliary bingo party Thursday evening, Feb. 22 in the Lamar Room of King's Manor.

## BARBS Phil Pastoret

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# Hall of Fame Weekend Slated March 16, 17, 18

The National Cowgirl Hall of Fame and Western Heritage has announced the dates of Aug. 16, 17 and 18 for this year's Hall of Fame weekend.

The announcement came after the Hall of Fame's business session last week.

A performance of the professional all-girl rodeo will begin in Hereford Riders Arena each evening at 7:30 p.m. Country music dances will follow the rodeo shows Friday and Saturday, featuring the music of Kenny Dale and Red Steagall.

On Saturday during the Hall of Fame weekend, a parade will be routed through downtown Hereford. The 1979 Hall of Fame honorees will be inducted into the Hall of Fame at Saturday night's rodeo performance.

Rhonda Coy Sedgwick of Newcastle, who will again be rodeo organist here. Assisting the Hall of Fame in presenting this year's upcoming rodeo will be the American Legion Post, Hereford Rotary Club, Lions Club, Kiwanis Club and Hereford Riders Club.

In conjunction with the rodeo will be the third Annual Western Heritage Art Show in the Hall of Fame, where outstanding works of art by notable women artists from throughout the west will be displayed.

Persons interested in volunteering their services during the Hall of Fame weekend are asked to telephone 364-5252.

# At Wits End

BY ERMA BOMBECK

If you really want to make yourself crazy sometime, sit around and figure out how much your luggage cost -- just to get it back.

I got a little overnighter suitcase that cost me \$30 when it was new. I figured out that over the years (and this is a conservative figure), I've spent \$500 to have it carried, checked, and stored. This doesn't count the time I lugged it into a restroom pay booth and in trying to get it out slammed the door and had to pay another dime to retrieve it.

I made a short trip East last week and frankly, with all this inflation I don't know how much longer I can afford to travel with luggage.

At the curb of the airport, I tipped the Skycap \$1 to check it through for me.

At my destination, another Skycap rescued it from the carousel (I always have the piece of luggage that is caught at the top) and I tipped him another 50 cents.

Another one carried it to the curb and I tipped him 50 cents. At the curb, the man with the whistle summoned a cab for me, lifted the luggage and put it in the cabbie's trunk. I tipped him a quarter.

At the hotel, the captain carried my luggage to the reception desk and I tipped him 50 cents. A bell summoned a bellhop who carried the suitcase to my room. I gave him \$2.00. He gave me my key.

To date, I had paid \$4.75 for my luggage and hadn't even opened it yet. It was within a few dollars of being more than the contents of the suitcase were worth.

The IRS does not consider luggage a dependent. This is too bad as people who travel a lot probably put more into their luggage than they do their own children. (With the possible exception of children with braces.)

In assessing the situation, it occurred to me that is why I had seen the President carrying his own garment bag onto Air Force I. It was just getting too expensive to keep tipping everyone.

At a hotel recently, I was waiting for my key when a young couple came in, glanced around nervously and registered for a room for one night.

"Where is your luggage?" asked the desk clerk suspiciously.

The girl blushed. The young man stammered. I'm not naive. I could tell they were just starting out and couldn't afford to support a suitcase.

# Leasing Offers Alternative

**COLLEGE STATION** - Leasing may offer an economical and practical alternative to buying, says Nancy Granovsky, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

However, consumers need to carefully compare the costs of buying with cash, buying on credit, and leasing, she recommends.

The Consumer Leasing Act requires leasing companies to tell the consumer the facts about the cost and terms of their contract before the consumer agrees to the lease.

Whenever a consumer rents a

car, furniture, appliance or any other personal property for more than four months, and it is for personal, family or household use, the consumer should get a written statement of the cost and terms of the leasing.

Use these questions to compare the costs of leasing personal property:

- 1) How much is any advance payment, such as a security deposit?
- 2) How much are the regular payments? How many regular payments are there, and when are they due? What is the total amount of those payments?
- 3) What are the costs for any license, registration, taxes,

and/or other fees such as maintenance?

4) What kind of insurance is required?

5) What are the terms of the warranty?

6) Who is responsible for maintaining and servicing the property? What standards for reasonable wear and tear have the leasing company set?

7) What is the penalty for default or late payment?

8) How may the lease be cancelled? Are there any charges for cancelling the lease?

9) Is the option to buy available? If so, when and at what price?

# Business Center Vital In Home

**COLLEGE STATION** - Plan a home business center as the first step towards a better family records system.

The most important part of such a center is a specific place of convenient access, a family resource management specialist, Lillian Chenoweth, says.

In other words, boxes in the attic or garage really do not qualify.

Having a specific spot helps to insure that receipts, cancelled checks, forms or bills will find their way to the appropriate place, the specialist points out.

Mrs. Chenoweth is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Elaborate equipment is really unnecessary in establishing a home business center, she

continues.

Of first importance is a filing cabinet.

Its function is even more important than a desk or lamp or calculator--add these items later.

In order for the filing cabinet to help, a usable filing system is essential.

Avoid filing everything under the heading of "money" or "documents" or "miscellaneous," the specialist recommends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Matthew McQueary are the parents of a daughter, Mitzi Joann Mc-

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# SMU's Allen Back For Another Year

DALLAS (AP) - Russ Potts wants "Mustang Mania" to sweep the Southern Methodist basketball program next year before the National Basketball Association moves into the Dallas market.

Potts, the energetic athletic director whose promotions are fast becoming legend in the Southwest after his move from Maryland, says it is imperative for SMU to be competitive in the tough Southwest Conference before pro basketball arrives in the new Reunion Arena probably by 1981.

And Potts has put Coach Sonny Allen on notice that he wants SMU battling for the championship next year.

Potts said Monday he has given Allen, who has had three losing seasons in four years, more money to recruit, permission to hire another assistant coach, and a promise to remodel Allen's office.

In return, Potts wants an exciting team that brings the fans to the game like the football team did last fall.

"I said that I have been concerned about the SMU basketball situation," Potts said of a weekend meeting with Allen. "I do not envision SMU competing for sixth place in the Southwest Conference every year and I don't believe that this will be the case."

"He (Allen) has proven his ability by winning a national championship at Old Dominion," said Potts.

"Coach Allen has been given an expanded budget to accomplish the goals of becoming competitive. His recruiting budget has been

increased, he will be able to add another coach to his staff, and there will be a greater emphasis in basketball next year with an increase in advertising and promotion."

Asked his version of a "competitive" team, Potts said: "The kind of a situation I envision would be like the Texas Tech at Texas game a few weeks ago on television. I want us to still be in the race with a month to go next year."

Potts said SMU would like to play several games a year in the under construction Reunion Arena.

"I'd like to play Texas A&M in there and draw 15,000 or 16,000 people for a \$150,000 payday," said Potts. "I believe in my heart we can do that."

SMU averaged 6,000 fans per

game and Potts said it was "critical" that the basketball program make money.

A recent big recruiting splash in football has had the season ticket applications pouring into the SMU office. The Mustangs have received some 750 applications since last week.

"Our goal in football is about 10,000 season tickets," said Potts. "We had about 5,000 season ticket holders last year when we averaged 52,000 per game."

Potts said he didn't feel that the rumors Allen would be fired should hurt the Mustang basketball recruiting.

"Heck, somebody started the rumor that SMU was going to be put on football probation and look what Coach Ron Meyer did anyway," said Potts.

## Indiana State No. 1 With 26-0 Record

NEW YORK (AP) - Indiana State, having completed its first undefeated regular season, regained the No. 1 spot in The Associated Press college basketball poll today, easily outdistancing runnerup Notre Dame.

The Sycamores, 26-0 and ranked second last week, collected 51 of 61 first-place ballots and 1,192 points in balloting by a nationwide panel of sports writers and broadcasters. Indiana State, which beat Drake 76-68 last Tuesday night

and crushed Wichita State 109-84 in its first appearance on national television Sunday, was named on all the ballots although the Sycamores were ranked as low as seventh by one voter.

The Irish, ranked third last week, received seven first-place votes and 1,150 points.

UCLA, top-ranked last week but upset by Washington 69-68 Thursday night and extended to triple overtime in a 110-102 victory over Washington State Saturday, collected two first-place votes and 1,060 points while slipping to No. 3.

The remainder of last week's Top 10 engaged in a game of musical chairs.

Michigan State, No. 7 last week, jumped to No. 4 with the remaining first-place vote and 988 points. The Spartans posted victories over Big Ten Conference rivals Purdue and Illinois last week.

Preseason favorite Duke moved from No. 6 into the No. 5 position with 914 points following 47-40 victory over North Carolina and a 70-49 loss to Clemson.

Syracuse, eighth last week, jumped two notches to sixth with 897 points - 18 more than North Carolina, No. 4 last week.

Louisiana State, upset by Mississippi State last Saturday, dropped from No. 5 to No. 8 with 851 points, while Arkansas and Marquette swapped the final two positions in the Top 10. The Razorbacks moved from No. 10 to No. 9 with 712 points, while the Warriors, No. 9 last week, were 10th this week with 521 points.

Iowa headed the Second 10,

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## Disputed Title Fight On Again

NEW YORK (AP) - The on-again, off-again World Boxing Association light heavyweight championship fight between Mike Rossman and Victor Galindez is on again, with the site and date to be announced in the next two weeks.

Promoter Bob Arum indicated

Monday that the bout probably will be held in New Orleans, Miami or New York, with even Las Vegas a possibility. Saturday's scheduled nationally televised match in Las Vegas was called off at the last minute in a dispute over the naming of officials.

Rossman, who took the crown away from Galindez last September, was actually in the ring Saturday to make the second defense of his title when the dispute came to a head.

The WBA and the Nevada Commission were unable to agree on the naming of the fight officials. WBA President Mandry Galindez of Venezuela (no relation to Victor Galindez of Argentina) refused to let Nevada officials work the match, even though Nevada, a member of the rival World Boxing Council, said it would join the WBA before the bout.

## Illegal Timeout Costs ETSU Game

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) - A player's time out call in a last-gasp try for victory in regulation cost his team in the championship game of the Lone Star Conference basketball tournament.

East Texas State already had its limit of five time outs when guard Tim Goski asked for another one, with East Texas State and Southwest Texas State tied 69-69 and the clock buzzer fixing to sound and send the game into overtime.

Referees called a technical foul, and tournament MVP James Patrick sank the free throw with no time left to give Southwest Texas a 70-69 triumph.

Both teams will move into the NAIA post-season playoffs, but Southwest Texas State will get to play at home by virtue of the win, while East Texas will

# Anderson The New Yankee Manager?

By WILL GRIMSLEY  
AP Special Correspondent  
Sparky Anderson in New York Yankees' pinstripes in 1980 - a marriage made in heaven. George's heaven?

Count Billy Martin out as a returning prodigal son. Pillowy, pleasant Bob Lemon can't wait to get out of the dugout and those silly high socks and long pants. His tenure as interim manager of baseball's most successful and volatile franchise is finished after this season - win, lose or draw. He insists on it.

So what does that leave? A rich, talent-loaded baseball team without a skipper and a highly respected, winning field general without a rein. Put them together and - whammo! - you've got powerful chemistry.

This magic merger seems inevitable to anyone studying the shifting winds and the strange vagaries of the personalities involved.

When Anderson was unceremoniously fired by the Cincinnati Reds last November, despite a record of four National League titles and two world championships, owner George Steinbrenner of the Yankees called it "the biggest boo-boo of the year."

Anderson is Steinbrenner's kind of guy - dignified, inspirational, strictly Marine

spit-and-polish with a fetish for short hair, shaven chins and intense team pride.

He doesn't stray too far from George's conception of America as "Kate Smith, apple pie and Yankee pinstripes," although Sparky may have to swallow hard to digest the last one.

While Sparky is fulfilling the final year of his Cincinnati contract with menial jobs, Steinbrenner and Martin are back in the pits again - exchanging barbs and innuendoes.

How can these two mavericks - each strong-willed and impetuous - ever find a common ground for a harmonious relationship?

They can't. It's obvious that Steinbrenner has girded himself with an escape hatch in promising to give Martin his job back "if he carries himself in a manner that dignifies the Yankees."

That's like telling a leopard to change his spots or like turning a bulldog into a purring pussy cat. Dignity is not Billy Martin's long suit - never was and never will be. Steinbrenner knew that when he hired the fiery firebrand as the Yankees' pilot in August 1975.

Billy the Kid's record, first as player, then as manager of Minnesota, Detroit and Texas, reads like a page from the Ring Record Book. He has spent his career feuding with players often his own bosses, the press and fans. He hasn't been reluctant to belt an antagonist when the situation warranted.

The Yankees' owner was visibly upset over Martin's appearance at training camp last week at which time he said he and agent Doug Newton were anxious to turn Steinbrenner's promises into firm commitments.

"Nobody's going to put pressure on anybody," Steinbrenner snapped. He said, in effect, that Billy must shape up or stay out. It's a rap that trigger-happy Martin can't bear.

## YMCA Activities

**MEN'S BASKETBALL**  
Finishing the regular season with a perfect record, Cheap Trick will be seeded No. 1 going into the Men's Basketball Tournament to decide the league champion.

Using the scoring of Kenneth Mercer, David Schumacher and Mike O'Rand, Cheap Trick handed the Toters its first loss, 52-44. Leading the Toters in scoring were Dave Scott with 16 and Wallace Hill with 15.

Finishing with the second best record in the league, the Toters also received a bye in the first round of tourney play.

In other games the 89ers, behind the 16 points of Charles Lee and the 10 points of O.C. Thomas whipped the Dwayne Davison led Fry, 60-31. In the final game played, Rush handed the Hereford Bi-Products team its third consecutive loss 61-42.

Tournament games will have HBP going against the 89ers in the first game March 4, with Fry and Rush playing the 2 p.m. game. Second round action in the double elimination tournament will take place March 11.

**HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL**  
The championship game of the YMCA high school league will be played at 3 p.m., March 4, with the Sharp Shooters and Bad Company going for the top trophy. Bad Company enters the game with a perfect record while the Sharp Shooters have only one loss, that being to Bad Company during regular season play.

**SERVICE CLUB OLYMPICS**  
The second week of the YMCA sponsored Service Club Olympics will begin tonight with the second round of basketball to be played at the Old Central gym. Other events to be contested this week include the chess and 42' championships, the volleyball and basketball championships and the finals in the bowling, floor hockey and punt, pass and kick competition. After one week of the games, the Lion's Club hold a commanding lead over second place Kiwanis Club.

## Seahawks Sign Players

SEATTLE (AP) - Veteran cornerback Dave Brown and safety Doug Long have agreed to terms with the Seattle Seahawks through the 1980 season, the National Football League team said Monday.

Brown, the only Seahawk to start every game in the club's three-year history, has 11 career interceptions, including three last season. He was acquired from the Pittsburgh Steelers in the veteran allocation draft.

Long was originally signed from Whitworth as a free agent and appeared in 15 games last season as a reserve safety and special teams player. He missed the 1977-78 season with an injury.

## No Fame In Throwing Hammer

CINCINNATI (AP) - Television news reporter Alvin Jackson doesn't mind standing aside while the newsmakers get the spotlight.

It's all the same to the third-ranked hammer thrower in the United States.

"You can't throw the hammer and want fame and glory," said Jackson, 24, a native of Providence, R.I.

Jackson was hired for television through the Olympic Job Program, which helps 67 Olympic hopefuls establish employment with companies that will accommodate their training schedules.

"I couldn't care less if there were two people there," the former Penn State star said, noting that the sport is generally shunted aside from the main track and field meets.

"When I throw, I'm so wrapped up I don't see or hear anybody anyway."

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# Auerbach High On Bird

By DAVE O'HARA  
AP Sports Writer

BOSTON (AP) - Indiana State All-America Larry Bird brings back memories to Red Auerbach, the architect of 13 National Basketball Association titles with the Boston Celtics.

"He's a big Cousy," Auerbach said Monday, comparing the 6-foot-9, Bird with former Celtics' great Bob Cousy, a guard noted for his quick hands and peripheral vision along with his scoring.

"I never thought I'd ever compare anyone with Cousy, but Larry Bird has those great hands and great vision," Auerbach said.

Like most national television viewers, Auerbach, the former Celtics' coach now the club's president and general manager, was somewhat in awe watching Bird play Sunday.

Bird, picked by Auerbach as the Celtics' No. 1 draft choice last June although he was only a junior, scored 49 points and grabbed 19 rebounds as Indiana State completed a perfect regular season with a 109-84 victory over Wichita State.

"When he gets anywhere near the ball, it belongs to him," Auerbach said. "Everyone in the country knows he can

shoot. Other things impress me more.

"He has a great concept of the game, a great feel of what's going on between the four lines. He's got patience, he's strong and he's unselfish. And those hands and vision..."

"Cousy was more spectacular, but that kid can do it all. He can shoot from anywhere on the court. But if he doesn't have the shot, he won't take it. He'll pass to someone open. And how he can pass. He spots the man and gives it to him. He's always anticipating on the floor."

So where do the Celtics stand with Bird?

"He does everything and we'd love to have him," Auerbach said. "He could step into the starting lineup with any team in our league, but we want him. We've tried to be very low key with him while he finishes his college career."

"I've seen him play and talked to him just once. However, I'm going out to see him in the playoffs. Then, after the season, he'll get an agent and we'll sit down and talk. We have up until the day of this year's draft, June 25, to sign him, so there's no great rush. We'll just wait and see what happens."



# Kansas City's Ford A Top Point Guard For Team

By ALEX SACHARE  
AP Sports Writer

"Phil Ford is the best point guard in basketball - on my level."

Cotton Fitzsimmons, the coach of the Kansas City Kings, can be excused for being enthused about Ford, the rookie who has turned his team around. Actually, Fitzsimmons is quick to point out that his club wouldn't be where it is - atop the National Basketball Association's Midwest Division with a 40-22 record, second-best in the league - if not for the additions of Darrell Hillman and Billy McKinney, as well as Ford.

But Ford, a shoo-in for NBA Rookie of the Year, is obviously the key ingredient.

"He's the man who makes us go," said Fitzsimmons. "With a guy like Phil, you set up your offense, tell him how you want it run and let him do it. He's a rookie in name only."

"What makes him so special are the intangibles - diving for loose balls, picking the team up when we're in trouble. He's a perfect team player. He doesn't care about any - and you can

underline 'any' - personal goals."

McKinney was hurt last week, forcing Ford to play over 40 minutes in each of three games in three nights. The Kings won two of them. Ford handing out 22, 12 and 21 assists during the stretch. Ford is averaging 9.0 assists per game, third best in the league and the highest mark by any rookie since Oscar Robertson's 9.7 average in 1961.

Ford's play, and the Kings' success, underlines the importance of point guards to NBA teams.

Call them playmakers, quarterbacks, sparkplugs, floor generals or team leaders, they're the little men - usually about only 6-foot - who make

things happen in the big men's game of pro basketball. It's almost impossible to win without them.

It's no coincidence that so many of the teams having problems this season are teams without first-rate point guards.

Boston tried to go with two big guards and went nowhere. Only when Jo Jo White was traded and Tiny Archibald became a starter, alongside Chris Ford, did the Celtics perk up.

Denver has plenty of high scorers on its roster, but is barely over .500. Part of the problem is that neither David Thompson nor Charlie Scott fits the mold of point guard.

Chicago has been unable to find a replacement for Norm

Van Lier, so center Artis Gilmore's fine season has been wasted for want of a point guard.

Houston thought it would challenge for the championship after it signed Rick Barry as a free agent. But when NBA Commissioner Larry O'Brien awarded the Rockets' point guard, Lucas, to Golden State as compensation, Houston's title hopes took a tumble.

And New York was expecting young Ray Williams to blend with Bob McAdoo in a fast-paced running game. But Williams continued to commit too many turnovers, so the Knicks decided they had to change their style of play - and McAdoo was traded to Boston.

# Handicap No Problem

By Nancy Jo Hill

HUNTINGTON PARK, Calif. (NEA) - Like many 23-year-olds, Marian Schooling enjoys tennis, water skiing and a good jog once in a while.

Also like most young people her age, she is busy preparing for the career she will launch after her graduation from college this spring. She intends to become a health educator.

But Miss Schooling is paralyzed from just below the arms due to injuries from an automobile accident four years ago.

She achieves her athletic feats with slight alterations of her sports. The court is shortened and the ball is permitted two bounces instead of one. (There are no arms on her wheelchair to get in the way of the racket.)

Miss Schooling, who played tennis competitively before her accident, recently won a trophy in a wheelchair tournament.

For water skiing, she sits on a knee board. And her version of jogging is wheeling her chair a mile or more around the park.

"Why all this activity despite the difficulties involved for her?" she explains. "I didn't see any reason not to be involved just because I was in a wheelchair. I wasn't going to stop doing the things I enjoyed."

Despite her traumatic experience in an automobile, she knew driving was the ticket to getting out into the world without having to de-

pend on others. She has a car equipped with hand controls and a hand brake.

A major problem was getting to the car from the two-story house where she lives with her parents and two sisters. Her solution was to install an elevator.

When Miss Schooling received an internship in health education with the Red Cross in Washington, D.C., last summer, she decided she wanted to take her car. No one was available to drive her, so she made the cross-country journey by herself.

She had some car trouble on the trip, but found people more than willing to give her a hand.

Miss Schooling does a lot of public speaking and is active in a number of organizations, including the Los Angeles County Commission on Youth and the student government at California State University at Long Beach.

"A lot of people see the wheelchair and don't see me as a person. This is one of

the biggest things I try to impart," she says of her speaking engagements.

"The main thing," she adds, "is that people who are handicapped or impaired have the same desires and drives as anyone."

Miss Schooling uses what she has learned about dealing with the world from a wheelchair to help others with the same problem.

As a volunteer at a nearby hospital, she works mainly with women, providing moral support and instruction in such basics as how to make a bed or put on a pillow case. She also advises on leisure skills - social adjustment, dating, even such valuable hints as calling ahead to a theater to see if it can accommodate wheelchairs.

"I talk about how I felt," she explains. "Knowing you're not the first one going through it helps."

"I had so much emotional support from my family and friends. Knowing you're not alone, knowing there are others like you makes it 100 times easier."

# Coaches Relate Recruiting Offers

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) - Tom Osborne knows of a high school football star who was once offered \$10,000 cash.

But Freddy Akers of Texas, can top that one, and UCLA's Terry Donahue tells an illegal recruiting story that puts them all in the shade.

The most exorbitant illegal offer I ever heard of was \$10,000 cash," said Osborne of Nebraska. "The second best, or

worst, was \$5,000 cash. Neither of those kids ended up going to the schools that supposedly made the offers."

Osborne and several other top college football coaches were asked to list the most bizarre illegal recruiting inducements they ever heard about. The coaches, along with more than 50 sportswriters, were in Kansas City for an NCAA-sponsored college football seminar.

"I've heard of sums considerably more than \$10,000," said Akers, whose home state of Texas is annually the battleground of some of the most epic recruiting wars in the nation.

"I've also heard of kids being offered cars and real estate deals," said Akers. "There are a lot of devious people out there. But I think some of those stories get greatly exaggerated, too."

Bo Rein's favorite illegal

recruiting story supposedly took place in a motel room.

"A kid had signed a conference letter of intent," said the North Carolina State coach. "I heard a representative of another school in that same conference laid many... and I mean MANY one-hundred dollar bills out on a bed and told the kid, 'We'll get you a lawyer to get you out of that conference letter of intent.' The kid finally

went to neither of those schools."

Donahue admits he has trouble believing what he once heard.

"I've heard a story of a prospect who reputedly got a total package worth about \$30,000," said the UCLA mentor. "That included land, farm equipment, tractors and livestock. I absolutely refuse to accept the truth of that, but I know an assistant coach who'll stand up on this table and swear that it happened."

Cars, money, real estate and livestock are not the only unethical means some coaches and alumni use to lure top prospects. Dirty tricks are not limited to politics.

When Akers were recruiting Donnie Little, an all-state quarterback, he learned that rival schools were telling the young man Texas secretly planned to switch him to defensive back.

"I finally went to Donnie and his parents and told them. 'Donnie is a quarterback and quarterback is where we will play him.'"

But a few days before the national signing date, Little's parents received a "very nice, well written letter," supposedly from a Texas alumnus.

The letter said how proud he was that Donnie was going to Texas and it said all sorts of nice things about Donnie and about our university. It ended by saying, 'and Coach Akers tells me he thinks you're going to be one of the best defensive backs Texas ever had.'"

# Women's Sports Increasing

WASHINGTON (AP) - Women's colleges across the country have more than tripled their spending for competitive athletics to meet the needs of a new generation of enthusiastic participants in team sports, reports the Women's College Coalition here.

"The traditional 'ladylike' sports - tennis, horseback riding, golf - have always been popular on women's campuses," says Marcia Sharp, director of WCC. "But these are individual pursuits. The new emphasis is on team sports, especially basketball, that provide contact, competition and all the other ingredients women traditionally have shunned."

An informal survey conducted by the WCC, an organization of 63 women's colleges around the country, reveals a big increase in the number of women trying out for organized

team sports.

Athletic directors in college after college reported far more applicants than available team positions last fall. At Wheaton College in Norton, Mass., for example, 90 women competed for 26 places on the field-hockey team.

The phenomenon seems partly the result of new attitudes generated by the women's movement and partly the consequence of new federal laws that have resulted in much stronger athletic programs for girls in high school, athletic directors agree.

"The money and facilities added to the high-school programs have made a major difference in the women coming out for sports today," said Deanna Grimm, director of athletics at Wheaton.

"Their skill level is fantastic and their sense of competition is much more finely developed. Ten years ago we might have scheduled six games for a field-hockey season; now we play 18."

Traditionally male sports, involving heavy training, endurance and stamina, have gained new popularity. At Wellesley College in Wellesley, Mass., crew has become a popular sport, and the team members train year-round. For the heavy, four-place shells, 75 women tried out for 32 places.

"They are into weight-lifting

and endurance running," says Linda Vaughan, associate professor of physical education at Wellesley. "Two hours of daily training are required during the season and even out of season they are supposed to stay in shape by running at least a mile and a half a day."

"I like the competition," says Kathy Seifert of Cornwall Heights, Pa., a varsity basketball player at Randolph-Macon Women's College in Lynchburg, Va. "You have to be good on an individual basis in basketball, but you have to be a team player as well."

Most games are played at night and women's teams are drawing increasingly large crowds.

"The men's teams from nearby colleges used to draw the crowds," observed Nann Myer of Minster, Ohio, a senior at the College of Mount St. Joseph in Ohio. "Now the guys are out there cheering us in our games."

Her coach, Jean Dowell, agrees. "They love the recognition and they're very com-

petitive," she said. "They start off the season with an eye on the state championships."

The quality of sports facilities has become an important factor for young women choosing colleges, which now emphasize them in recruiting materials. Wells College, in Aurora, N.Y., for instance, stresses its outstanding tennis team.

Belatedly, sporting-goods outfitters have caught on to the surge in team sports at women's colleges. Nearly all the companies that previously handled only men's uniforms have added a line for women, but there have been some problems.

"We ordered our volleyball uniforms from one of the old-line firms but the pants were all wrong for the girls," recalled Ms. Grimm of Wheaton. "So I went out and bought some shirts to cover the pants and we played that way for the first season."

"The manufacturer took them back at the end of the year - and then asked me to join them as a consultant on women's uniforms."

## Sports Shorts

FLORENCE, Ky. (AP) - Thoroughbred racing was scheduled to resume tonight at Latonia.

The track was closed over the weekend because of thawing conditions washing out the final turn. Racing was canceled Monday night because of snow, ice and cold.

KINGS MILLS, Ohio (AP) - Former President Gerald R. Ford will play in the Celebrity Pro-Amateur portion of the Ladies Professional Golf Association Championship scheduled here June 4-10.

It will be the second season that the Nicklaus Golf Center has hosted the women's tournament. Nancy Lopez won the title in 1978.

The pro-am will be held the Wednesday before the tournament.

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162-tfc

1974 Chevy Impala, 55,000 miles. Needs some body work. Call 364-3757 after 6 p.m.  
3-171-5p

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3-168-5c

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3-170-22c

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3-167-5c

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3-166-tfc

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3-148-tfc

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4-128-tfc

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Clean 2 bedroom duplex. References. \$185.00. Call 364-4730 evenings. Redecorated.  
5-171-1p

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5-166-10p

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3 room furnished apartment, nice and clean. No pets, bills paid. Man and wife only. Show by appointment. 364-8056.  
5-170-tfc

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5-154-10p

Nice 3 bedroom furnished mobile home for rent. Call after 6 p.m., 364-5264.  
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### 6. WANTED

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6-48-tfc

**NEED semi-load Haygrazer Seed.** Just combine run. Write Bill Addington, 6820 Reeves, Ft. Worth, Texas 76118  
6-168-10c

Wanted: Winter onions or buttons for a planting start. Call 364-6343.  
6-171-3c

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6-52-tfc

Will pay cash for a used house trailer, 10 ft. wide preferred, but would consider an inexpensive 12 or 14 ft. Call 383-1372.  
6-170-10c

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6-79-tfc

### 8. HELP WANTED

Dependable full time help needed. 120 Sefley. 364-6061.  
8-171-5c

Waitress wanted. Living quarters available. Rheingold Restaurant, Umbarger, Texas. 806-499-3546.  
8-171-tfc

Seeking golf course turf equipment operators this season March through November. Will train if necessary. Apply daily between 1:30 and 2:00 p.m. at golf course maintenance barn. Phone 364-8111.  
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Professional office assistant needed. Filing skills required. Will train in necessary office procedure. Send resume to P.O. Box 673 PT, Hereford, Texas.  
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8-170-6c

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9-69-tfc

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8-163-10c

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### QUALIFIED DRAFTSMAN

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8-167-5c

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### ATTENTION

Men - if you would like to be making \$400 more a week, for more information call 364-5820.  
8-167-tfc

NEED someone to keep two children for working mother. Call 364-2294.  
8-167-5c

Wanted: Lady to live in with elderly lady. 239 Avenue K, 364-3353.  
8-156-tfc

WANTED: Feed lot cowboys. Call "Ted" 647-2108 days; 647-3651 nights.  
8-164-10c

NEED: EXPERIENCED SECRETARY. Must be able to take shorthand and type. Please send resume to HCR, Box 673, Hereford, Texas 79045.  
8-166-5c

### 9. SITUATIONS WANTED

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9-69-tfc

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9-79-tfc

Will do house cleaning. References furnished. Call 364-2264 after 5 p.m.  
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Registered home has opening for two children. Call 364-2933.  
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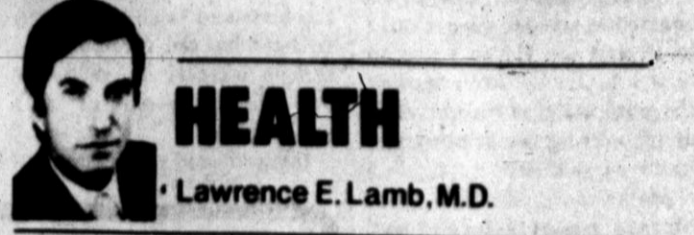
Table of television schedules for Daytime, listing programs like PTL Club, Good Morning America, and various news and entertainment shows.

TUESDAY

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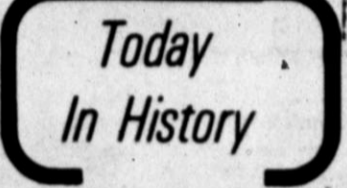
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Table of television schedules for Wednesday, listing programs like Edward the King, The Paper Chase, and various news and entertainment shows.



HEALTH

Preventing 'middle-aged pot'
DEAR DR. LAMB - Is it necessary for middle-aged women to get big stomachs and all out of shape? I am 50 years old and have begun to notice how women my age look. I am 5 foot 3 and weigh 130 pounds. I am small-boned and think I'm about 15 pounds overweight. I have been trying but it seems impossible to lose these pounds.



By The Associated Press
Today is Tuesday, Feb. 27, the 58th day of 1979. There are 307 days left in the year.

I had a gall bladder operation five months ago. I walk about two miles a day, but I'm afraid to try any other exercise. I have heard women gain weight during and after the menopause. Is this true?
DEAR READER - I'm afraid it's true that women do tend to gain at the time of the menopause and thereafter, but that doesn't mean that you have to. Of course, having recently had abdominal surgery and not having been able to do any abdominal exercises since then would cause you difficulty in keeping your waist measurements down.

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# States Begin To Raise Minimum Drinking Age

BOSTON (AP)—The Vietnam era saw 18 states accept the argument "old enough to fight, old enough to be an adult" and, in the process, drop the drinking age to 18.

Now, after years of rising teen-age alcoholism, lawmakers in several states have changed their minds.

Massachusetts, where the Senate has acted to raise the age to 19 and the House wants to raise it to 21, will likely become the sixth state to reverse itself after lowering the drinking age in the early 1970s.

Maine and Michigan have already restored former age limits of 20 and 21 respectively. Minnesota, Montana and Iowa compromised at 19.

Throughout the nation, advocates of a lower drinking age say teen-age drinking can't be controlled by law. But many feel differently.

"There are people within the field who feel the restriction will lessen abuse of alcohol," said Paul Garner, a National Institute of Alcohol Abuse spokesman. "But no agreement has been reached."

Today, the debate in Massachusetts illustrates the kind of dialogue going on in other states where, when federal law lowered the voting age to 18, state legislatures followed suit. Massachusetts was one of 18 that lumped the right to drink with the right to vote.

But soon after it took effect on March 1, 1973, the new limit became a favorite target of

police, the Registry of Motor Vehicles, and high school principals. They blamed it for aggravating problems related to teen drinking - problems already there, but to a lesser degree.

"We feel it was a disaster," said Mike Donovan, an assistant to Boston's police commissioner. "Not only have auto accidents and fatalities increased, but it has also created a very serious increase in vandalism and crimes associated with street gangs."

Donovan said vandalism grew

to "epidemic proportions" by last summer. Special patrols were created to break up gangs of young rowdies hanging out and drinking on street corners and parks.

"If you talk to people who live across the street from parks, they'll tell you the quality of life definitely went down since the drinking age was lowered," Donovan said.

Many people between the ages of 18 and 21 had been drinking long before the lowered age went into effect - often, for example, when

college seniors would buy liquor for underclassmen.

But now, high school officials say, there has been a "trickle down effect" in which the seniors buying for friends have been seniors in high school - and their friends have been as young as 14.

"You could almost pinpoint drinking problems in the younger kids to the time they lowered the drinking age," said Carmen Rinaldi, headmaster at Brookline High School. "Monday mornings became very difficult for students who spent

the weekend getting bombed."

One argument used by those who want to raise the age is that there has been a jump in fatal accidents tied to teen-age drinking. Nobody disputes that there has been an increase, but opponents say the jump has not been as dramatic as the other side paints it.

The Registry of Motor Vehicles' figures are the ones most often cited by those who want the age lowered: Last year, 105 drivers under 21 had been drinking when involved in fatal accidents, as compared to 38 in 1971. Meanwhile, the total of under-21 drivers in fatal accidents rose from 232 to 301. The total of all highway deaths dropped.

Those who want to raise the

age say the figures show a 150 percent increase in deaths of teen-agers who drank and drove. Opponents cite the increase in all teen fatalities - a less dramatic 30 percent rise.

And one opponent, says the Registry has been "lying" by allowing investigators to use personal judgment to decide whether drinking was involved. He says that method can affect statistics if the Registry sets out to prove a point.

Oliver cites, instead, state police lab tests showing alcohol in the blood of about 55 percent of under-21 drivers killed in traffic before 1973 - a statistic that rose to about 70 percent later.

Oliver, a former University of Massachusetts chemistry pro-

fessor, also argues that the problem of teen-age drinking existed before 1973. "A lot of people think we're going to raise the age and wipe our hands and everything is going to be hunky-dory," he said. "It's not going to be like that."

Even critics of lowering the drinking age concede that changing the law without taking other steps would do little to solve the problems.

The National Institute for Alcohol Abuse says 95 percent of teen-age boys have experimented with alcohol by the time they reach 18, whatever the law says, the girls will soon be at the same level.

"I don't think the problem will go away even though I think

they should raise the age," said Rinaldi, the Brookline High School headmaster. "Along with raising the age, a massive effort is needed to educate the public about alcohol."

In any event, that is not the first effort to raise the age here - but this year it stands a greater chance of success.

In 1978, the legislature acted to do so, but then Gov. Michael Dukakis vetoed it. Then, last fall, candidate Edward J. King came out for a higher drinking age - and went on to defeat Dukakis.

Thus, whatever plan the legislature passes this time around will go to a governor who says he wants the drinking age raised.



## Paul Harvey News

Here We Go Again

You and I have been comparing notes on the newest military weapons, encouraged by the prospect that our tiny fraction of the planet's population could hold off the barbarians with technology.

With weapons of mass annihilation we brought Hitler and Tojo to their knees—but with lesser weapons we have not won a war since.

Now we hear Defense Secretary Harold Brown telling the Senate Armed Services

Committee that we will continue to rely on masses of marching men.

He's talking about cranking up the old military draft again.

He says we might have to resume registration of 18-year-olds as soon as this year.

And Gen. David Jones, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and Army Secretary Clifford Alexander second the notion.

I have too much respect for the integrity of these men to

consider this a devious political ploy to get unemployed teen-agers out of the way.

Indeed, President Carter has expressed opposition to resumption of inductions.

So it has to be concluded that there remains in the military mentality a preoccupation with tradition that is impossible to reverse in one generation - and that there are still those in the Pentagon who plan to fight the next war with the weapons which have lost the last two.

# Texaco Workers Strike

PORT ARTHUR, Tex. (AP)—Striking New Jersey refinery workers vowed to extend their walkout Monday at Texaco plants that employ thousands in Texas and Illinois.

Approximately 50 strikers were to picket outside Texaco's mammoth flagship refinery in Port Arthur, and at either the company's chemical facility in Jefferson or sulfur plant in Port Neches, said George Chadwick, a spokesman for the New Jersey local.

Chadwick said Sunday that pickets from the 600-member Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers Local 8-638 in Westville, N.J., also would extend their strike to Texaco plants at Lockport and Lawrenceville, Ill.

The New Jersey workers, striking over local issues, surprised company and Texas union officials when they threw up picket lines that kept thousands away from their jobs at the giant Port Arthur facility on Feb. 5.

A threat to "blow-up" the motel where the New Jersey

workers were staying heightened tensions in Port Arthur Sunday night.

Port Arthur policeman R.L. Dean confirmed early today that officers were investigating a threat to the motel where the workers were housed. He said police were spot checking the motel and were investigating the threat.

New Jersey and Texas union local officials met until late

Sunday night, said Chadwick. But he said he had not been in contact with refinery representatives.

"Local Texas union officials agree we have problems at our plant. But they say they have problems of their own also," said Chadwick. "We understand the local has a valid contract but it will be up to the membership to honor the picket lines."

Chadwick said he hoped "picketing would not ignite violence" at the Port Arthur facility. But he said "if there is any violence it will not be started by our men. We believe in peaceful negotiation and peaceful pickets."

Texaco spokesman Larry Bingham said the refinery has no report of the presence of the New Jersey workers and any comment would be premature.

STATE CAPITAL  
*Highlights*  
AND *Sidelights*  
by Lyndell Williams

AUSTIN—Texans who have had to tighten their belts and their budgets because of inflation and a precarious economy, may well understand the difficulty the Legislature is having over trying to decide how the taxpayers' money should be spent.

Over just the question of how Texas will finance its schools, three answers are being considered.

As for a state-wide budget, the Legislative Budget Board has presented its proposals, departed Gov. Dolph Briscoe left behind, his suggestions before leaving office and Gov. Bill Clements finally got around this week to telling legislators about his own budgetary ideas.

In his speech before a joint session of the House and Senate, Clements proposed a 17.1 percent increase in state spending. The same jump Briscoe suggested. The LBB called for a 22 percent hike.

Education, law enforcement and corrections would stand to gain most of the \$2.9 billion increase in state expenditures recommended by Clements. Taxpayers would benefit too. Under Clements' plan, \$1 billion would be left over for additional tax relief.

Earlier in the week, State Democratic Chairman Billy Goldberg almost upstaged Clements by accusing the governor of "grandstanding" with his trips to Mexico and Washington. Meanwhile, Goldberg pointed out, the governor had missed the deadline for submitting his budget. The law says a governor should make his budget proposals 20 days after taking office. But Goldberg's clashing over Clements being late with his budget quickly took a back seat to the furor that broke out over what Clements finally did say.

Sen. Grant Jones of Abilene, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, and Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, a member of the Legislative Budget Board, came to the defense of the LBB spending draft, pointing out that Clements' budget would "cut both state services in real terms and provide greater potential burdens for local property taxpayers." Earlier in the week, Hobby and Jones hinted that they might be toying with the idea of a one-year state budget in light of an unpredictable economy.

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While not wrestling with the budget, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby was speaking his mind on other subjects this week saying he favored raising, if not just abolishing, the state interest rate ceiling. Speaker of the House Bill Clayton agreed. The two bosses of the separate chambers also saw eye to eye on the question of raising the speed limit from 55 to 70 mph. Both were against it.

Where Hobby said he would like to see things go faster was in the Senate. He warned that if debate didn't begin soon on a school finance bill, the legislature might face the same predicament it did in 1977. School financing legislation was defeated in the final hours of the 65th session.

First up with a bill for school financing was Sen. Oscar Mauzy of Dallas, the chairman of the Senate Education Committee. Mauzy's bill would cost \$1.9 billion but includes \$1.3 billion for local tax relief. The state, if Mauzy's plan were to be adopted, would take on a greater financial burden in funding schools. Texas now finances 60 percent of the basic education program. Mauzy would increase the state's share to 80 percent.

Sen. W.E. "Pete" Snelson of Midland will carry the teachers' banner into the struggle over money for the state's schools. Snelson's bill would emphasize teacher pay raises, as much as 15 percent over the next two years. The increases would bring teachers' salaries closer to the national average of \$15,440. Although a large chunk of Clements' budget would go for education, teachers would not be granted the 5.1 percent increase proposed by the LBB.

The Texas School Administrator's finance bill would increase teacher salaries by seven percent in each of the next two years, and, like the Snelson bill supported by the Texas State Teachers Association, would raise the amount of state funds to local districts for maintenance, transportation and operation.

Attack forces appeared to be forming this week for the predicted siege on the Texas Consumer Protection Act of 1973. Some fear the law might be gutted this session. Attorney General Mark White said he was against that but did say he was in favor of removing the triple damages provision of the act. Consumers did get some

good news this week—maybe. A State Board of Insurance staff report suggested the cost of property insurance be reduced by 4.1 percent amounting to a savings of \$38 million for premium payers. But don't count your savings just yet. The board hasn't decided one way or the other on the staff proposal.

Bad news for cattlemen possibly and the consumer too came this week in the form of an opinion of two top agricultural economists who said they could see price controls if there is an explosive surge in meat prices that might jar an already sensitive economy.

"A vote for Clements cost me my job," said one of the 55 employees who joined the ranks of the unemployed after the most recent firings at the Texas Department of Community Affairs. Earlier, 12 others had been let go. That made one-fourth of the agencies employees who had been terminated since Omar Harvey, the agency director, gave orders to streamline the department's workforce. Harvey was appointed by Clements. The governor yowed during his campaign to cut the number of state employees over the next four years by 25,000. From the firings at the TDCA alone, the state will save \$1.3 million in salaries.

As if there weren't enough question marks in the hopper over a presidential primary, Gov. Clements added his by saying it was certainly a possibility that he might be a favorite-son candidate. That statement set off the Richter scales in the camps of George Bush and John Connally. Both men are looking to the Texas presidential primary as a springboard for bigger and, hopefully, better things.

Making up for lost time, Clements announced a batch of appointments this week. Topping the list was William P. Daves Jr. who was named to the State Board of Insurance. Other interesting names among the list of appointees were John Connally's sister, Carmen Hicks, named to the Bandera River Authority, Hall Timanus, appointed to a minor commission, who led the George Wallace delegation to the National Democratic Convention in 1972, and finally, Paul T. Wrotenbery was named (just in time) as the governor's Director of Budget and Planning.

Mr. Wrotenbery will undoubtedly be a busy man in the weeks to come.

## Connally Doesn't Mind Label

McALLEN—John Connally, a former Democratic governor who wants to be a Republican president, told reporters Monday he might not mind being branded as a "wheeler-dealer."

"If a wheeler-dealer is a man who gets things done, I'm going to plead guilty to that," the presidential candidate said.

Connally's trip to the Rio Grande Valley is part of a Texas swing aimed at putting together a firm home-state base in his race for the White House.

About 200 people crowded into a hotel reception room to hear Connally tell them "The U.S. is going to have to reassert its strength as the leader of the free world because we are the leader of the free world."

"More than anything else, we're going to have to quit going around in sack cloth and ashes and apologize for what we are and what we have been," Connally said.

Connally spent Sunday in his home town of Floresville where he promised a White House lawn picnic for his former neighbors if he is elected.

Juznita Mosher, a leader in the Floresville, which has a listed population of 4,026, had signed a petition saying they would support Connally in the next presidential election.

Dear Editor: In reference to Romilda Friemel's latest epistle which appeared in the Sunday Brand, it would be remiss not to point out a misstatement that was made. She stated that George Bush Jr. (R), who was defeated by Kent Hance in the Congressional race, was an admitted member of the Tri-Lateral Commission. George Bush Jr. is not now, or ever has been a member of the Tri-Lateral Commission. Let's keep our facts straight, Romilda.

Sincerely,  
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