



Class Talk

Commencement exercises for some 298 Hereford High seniors climaxed graduation week here Tuesday night at Whiteface Stadium. Valedictorian Scott Formby is pictured addressing his classmates, while salutatorian Tammy Fischbacher and Supt. Harrell Holder look on. The class celebrated with an all-night party at West Texas State's activity center last night.

Staci Payne Tabbed As 'Senior of Year'



The only surprises left when commencement exercises came for some 298 Hereford High graduates Tuesday night was the naming of the "Senior of the Year" and the presentation of the senior class gift.

Staci Payne, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald W. Payne, was recipient of the "Senior of the Year" award as selected by the high school faculty. Ranking seventh in her class, Staci was a varsity cheerleader, a member of the National Honor Society, and the Student Council, a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and president of the Leo Club, and an all-region band member and was recipient of the John Phillip Sousa award, the DAR's Good Citizen of the Year award, and has been named to the "Outstanding Young American" list and Who's Who in American High Schools.



That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says being poor has its advantages: the car keys are never in your other pants-pocket.

The founder and owner of a large department store was recently asked the secret of his success. "Well, you know, I was just a poor farm boy - never did get much schooling. And when you don't know much, you've got to use your brains."

The current term of the Deaf Smith County Grand Jury took on a tough problem and attempted to come up with solutions when they conducted an investigation of violent crime in the community. Whether you agree with their recommendations, we think the jurors are to be commended for their efforts.

Personally, we think the grand jury used some good reasoning in presenting the problem and possible solutions. No one can argue with suggestion No. 7. It calls for city and county officials to proclaim a "Togetherness Month" to promote goodwill and fellowship in the community.

That's a good project anytime!

Texas' so-called Killer Bees senators returned to Austin Tuesday after skipping out for five days to block passage of an early presidential primary next year. They returned amidst cheers and boos. Chalk us up in the "boo" column.

"We agree with Gov. Clements"

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By MARK POTTS
Associated Press Writer

Midwestern congressmen, invoking the specter of idle tractors, have urged President Carter to increase diesel fuel for farmers. But in trying to balance supplies of gasoline and heating oil, the administration actually may cut supplies of the fuel that powers the nation's farms.

Twenty-six farm state congressmen Tuesday reminded President Carter of his pledge that "rural America will not run dry" while their House colleagues voiced opposition to his plan to lift price controls from domestically produced oil.

In New York, service stations whose prices exceed 99.9 cents per gallon - but whose pumps can't accommodate an extra digit - will be allowed today to price gas by the half-gallon.

And in California, where lines at service stations dwindled but did not disappear, Gov. Edmund Brown Jr. called for "more candor, less inconsistency and more leadership" from the federal government in the energy crisis.

The Energy Department Tuesday asked refineries to step up production, primarily of gasoline. Officials say the decision will not cut into the winter heating oil supply. But by adjusting their operations to increase gas production,

refineries are producing less heating oil and diesel fuel from each barrel of crude.

The department pushed back by one month its Oct. 1 target date for 240 million barrels of heating oil, saying the original date was unrealistic. But because

the supply of heating oil will peak later, the supply of diesel is likely to remain tight for a longer period.

Last week, a study by the New England Economic Research Office said that unless some action were taken immediately - perhaps even to the extent of cutting back gasoline production - a major shortage of home heating oil could result in the Northeast. And the report warned heating oil is also used extensively in the Midwest and Middle Atlantic states.

Getty Oil Co. said Tuesday it would halt sales of diesel fuel and heating oil in the Midwest for about a week while it works out a new distribution system. That announcement came as Midwestern senators and House members asked for a meeting with Carter to work out a way to funnel diesel fuel to the farm belt.

"Today we face the very real prospect of idle tractors and irrigation pumps during the height of the planting and growing season," they told Carter in a letter. "Reports indicate that a good portion of America's crop may not be planted if fuel oil supplies do not become available soon."

Meanwhile, the Agriculture Department reported that some 67 percent of the nation's crop was planted as the week began, compared to an average level for this time of year of 75 percent.

The report said fuel supplies for farm work, "generally rated adequate, although supplies were tightened from the previous week."

PRPC 'Okay' In Deaf Smith

Potter County's decision to sever ties with the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, announced Monday, will apparently have no effect on Deaf Smith County's membership. Judge Glen Nelson said here Tuesday.

The county judge said he had a number of inquiries from Amarillo news media Tuesday concerning Deaf Smith County's feelings about the action taken in Potter County. Randall County Judge Charles Purcell was also quoted by reporters Tuesday as saying his county had problems with PRPC.

Judge Nelson said there had been minor problems in Deaf Smith County's relationship with PRPC, "but nothing of

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★ Fact Finder ★

Q. - How are grocery stores justified in raising prices on items already on their shelves? It seems that if the stores get an item in and stocked, they have paid for it at a lower price and shouldn't be allowed to hike the price.

A. - This is more a matter of individual store policies, and although some grocers advertise the policy of not changing prices on items already on their shelves, a spokesman for a local supermarket indicates there is no regulation to dictate this action. Said the spokesman, "There is no law against it, and everybody does it."

Editor's note: Do you have a question you would like to see answered by The Brand news staff? The Brand will research and seek out answers to questions for the Fact Finder. All it takes is a phone call to the news office, 384-2020, and the question will be answered at the editor's discretion.

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Renegade Senators Return to Capitol

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - The "Killer Bees" - heroes to some, mere fugitive senators to others - returned to a triumphant welcome splattered with boos Tuesday.

AWOL for five days, the 12 senators virtually assured defeat of a presidential primary bill thought to be tailor-made for former Texas Gov. John Connally by robbing the Senate of a quorum.

Ten fled to a one-room "safe house" within 15 minutes of the Capitol, where they spent a great deal of time reading stories of their flight.

One later made himself lost in Houston, the state's largest and most populous city, another was in Oklahoma and a third disappeared near the Mexican border.

Meanwhile, on orders of Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, the Texas Rangers - the pride of the state's law officers - searched the huge state for the absent senators.

The best they could do was the arrest Sunday of Sen. Gene Jones' brother, whose mustache should have set him apart from the clean-shaven senator.

The Killer Bees - also known as the "Dirty Dozen" and the "Tennis Shoe Gang" - announced in a telephone call to Hobby on Tuesday they would return at 3 p.m.

In keeping with Senate habits, they were 12 minutes late, arriving at the main entrance to the Capitol in a motorcade escorted by state troopers.

Applause broke out as they emerged from the cars and were swarmed by the news media.

The ovation in the Senate chamber, mindful of a political convention, was

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Hance Presides Over U.S. House

WASHINGTON - U.S. Rep. Kent Hance (D-Tex), Monday became the first freshman congressman of the 96th legislative session to preside as the speaker over the House of Representatives.

Hance was selected for the honor by Majority Leader Jim Wright to preside in the absence of the permanent speaker, Thomas "Tip" O'Neill of Mass. Hance presided over the House during the first of what is expected to be lengthy and sometime heated debate over the funding of the implementation of the Panama Canal treaty which Congressman Hance opposes.

Hail Damage To Wheat Crop Set at 10 Percent

By JIM STEIERT
Brand Farm Editor

Isolated pockets of hail which fell near the southwest corner of the county, and northeast of the Milo Center vicinity over the weekend have inflicted crop damage in some instances, according to a report from John Fuston, Deaf Smith County ASCS executive director.

"We had enough light hail Sunday night that we are going to have some 10 to 15 percent damage to wheat all over the county," commented Fuston.

"Severity of the damage is going to depend primarily on just what stage the wheat was in when it was hurt, but overall, this shouldn't hurt us too much," he continued.

Hail, wind and fast-falling rain combined to inflict damage on crops about two miles west of 15th Street locally, and a spokesman for one of the farms in the affected area indicated that replanting of a number of crops may be necessary in an isolated pocket of damage in that vicinity.

"There was hail damage to some of the

small crops, and wheat the hail didn't get, the wind did," said the spokesman.

The most severe damage from the late weekend thunderstorm front came on the New Mexico border, where heavy hail damage was recorded at Bellview and the Rea community in Parmer County.

"There was hail of golf ball size that fell in a six by seven mile swath over in the border region, and it pretty well wiped out everything crop-wise," Fuston continued.

Heavy weather was also reported in the Wildorado area northeast of Hereford, with up to three inches of rain falling northwest of that community, and reports of effects on crops still spotty.

Joe Allen, operator of a grain elevator in the Rea area, which is just three-quarters of a mile from the New Mexico border in Parmer County reported that a 30 minute hailstorm proved more than enough to severely damage crops in that area.

"Hail damage was extensive on the state line, and over into New Mexico. The irrigated wheat crop had looked like it

was going to be real good, but all of that is gone now in the hardest hit hail areas.

Most of the newly-emerged crops look bad. We're hoping some of the corn will come back, although it will be a few days before we can tell. A lot of the cotton will have to be replanted," stated Allen.

According to the elevator spokesman, the worst of the storm came about 2:30 Monday morning. Pea-sized hail and high winds rapidly gave way to hailstones of up to golfball size, and rains from 2.25 to 3.50 inches accompanied the storm.

Damage from the outbreak of violent weather was not confined to crops, as a number of homes on the New Mexico side of the border had windows broken out, and Allen indicated that several houses will probably require re-roofing.

"Hail damage to the wheat will range from 20 percent to totally gone. The most severe damage covered an area of about seven square miles. In the areas where the hail was heaviest, you could still pick up stones Monday afternoon. I'd say we had 8-10 inches of hail on the ground at

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Complete Grand Jury Report Given

Mutual Respect Between Law Officers, Citizens Is Urged

Editor's Note: The grand jury Monday released a special report into its study of violent crimes in the county and community, and the majority of these suggestions were printed in Tuesday's Brand. Because such a grand jury report is rare and the proposals affect the entire community, the complete statement made by the jurors is published below.

During the session of the Deaf Smith County Grand Jury for the January term, the jurors discovered an alarming increase in violent crimes in our county and community. We agree to undertake an investigation into this matter, in addition to our regular duties, to determine-if possible-the reason for this increase, and to obtain suggestions for correcting the situation. In this probe, we have interviewed the following:

Sheriff Travis McPherson, Police Chief Don Brush, City Mgr. Dudley Bayne, County Judge Glen Nelson, County Commissioners Rose, Voyles and Coleman, Probation Officer Roger Bowers, Juvenile Board member Doug Manning, GI Forum member Rinaldo Garcia, Wishing Well owner Pete Rodriguez, La Plata Jr. High principal Jerry Richburg,

Stanton Jr. High principal Bill McCarley.

During this investigation, the statistics given revealed an increase in assaults reported from 35 in 1977 to 103 in 1978. This was a frightening fact to all we interviewed. In nearly all of the assault cases before the grand jury this term, the use of alcoholic beverages preceded the assault situation. These assaults occur with juveniles as well as adults.

In hearing from those interviewed, and studying their opinions and suggestions, this Grand Jury recommends the following action:

1. Hire a Juvenile Peace Officer (to be in the County Department) to help in counseling juveniles before a crime is committed.
2. Hire more men in the Sheriff's Department (3) and develop a policy of paying these men overtime as in the City Police Department.
3. Increase the pay scale of all our law enforcement officials to be comparable to that of wages drawn in industries in the community.

"We want to keep the men we have that are dedicated and are experienced, not lose them to industry. We realize there is more abuse, risk and violence with less respect for officers

now than in the past. Law enforcement applicants reject Hereford because of our high risk of assault. It is becoming less desirable to be on call at all times. We must see the need to compensate for this attitude.

4. Develop an open door policy with police welcome to patrol and keep peace for all dances; at Community Center, Wishing Well, Bull Barn, K.C. Hall, and all clubs. The same policy to apply to all races.

5. Initiate schooling of our law enforcement officials on better attitude control on entry into a patrolling situation and depress the forcefulness. Make an approach more respectful. Also emphasize proper respect in the community toward our officers.

"We also suggest that the peace officers visit the schools and develop an appreciative attitude in children by explaining their duties and obligations.

6. Make our schools safer. Have better disciplinary codes and a disciplinary officer in charge on all campuses. One who is alert to all problem-causing areas. (This person being the assistant principal or a rightful employee with enough time to do a thorough job).

"All parents should be informed of the disciplinary

procedures at each school. Also make parents aware of students' choice of his discipline-licks, detention center, probation, or suspension, and explain how and when each works."

"If warranted, parental volunteers will assist in problem areas at peak times during the day (between classes, lunch, recess, and after school. We urge an attempt to be made to develop a mutual respect between students and teachers; such respect has declined in recent years.

7. Propose to City and County officials that a "Togetherness Month" be proclaimed to promote goodwill and fellowship in our community through the churches and civic organizations.

"This Grand Jury would also like to stress to the County and City governments that they study and give proper priority to the needs and safety of all people in the community before their budgets are finalized.

"While we feel that our suggested proposals can be met without a tax increase, if the governing bodies deem an increase necessary; we would support such action in order to decrease the level of violent crime and make Hereford and Deaf Smith County a safer place."

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Bill Not Denying

Children Food

AUSTIN (AP) - Rep. Sue McBece angrily objected Tuesday night that fellow legislators had insinuated she was taking food from the mouths of school children.

Opponents of her bill on the school breakfast program painted verbal pictures of kids trying to hear teachers over the growling of their empty stomachs.

That was the kind of emotional debate that went on before the House voted tentative approval, 76-62, to Mrs. McBece's bill.

Final consideration still is needed before the measure can go to the Senate.

The bill would let school districts stop serving breakfast to needy children at any school where less than half the eligible youngsters participate for 60 consecutive school days.

Vanderbilt Sentenced

For Kidnapping

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - A former Amarillo policeman has been sentenced to five years in prison for kidnapping.

An Austin jury deliberated an hour and 40 minutes Tuesday before convicting Jimmy Paul Vanderbilt of the March 1975 abduction of Jerre Tucker, 25, the only prosecution witness against Vanderbilt.

The former police officer still faces a capital murder charge in connection with

the shooting death a month later, in April 1975, of 16-year-old Katina Moyer, the daughter of former State Rep. Hudson Moyer. No date has been scheduled for that trial, set to be heard in Beaumont.

Last Minute Plea

Stops Florida Execution

STARKE, Fla. (AP) - John A. Spenkelink's life was spared early today, only hours before the 30-year-old murderer was to die in Florida's electric chair, when federal judges in Atlanta and Washington granted separate appeals for a stay of execution.

"Praise God!" Spenkelink shouted as the news flashed across a television screen outside his cell a few feet from the death chamber.

His Episcopal minister, the Rev. Tom Feamster, gave Spenkelink Holy Communion at 1 a.m. - just one hour before guards had been due on Death Row to shave Spenkelink's head and leg to increase the efficiency of the electric chair.

Less than 12 hours before, on Tuesday afternoon, Spenkelink's Death Row companion, Willie Jasper Darden, also was granted a stay of execution when a federal judge agreed to hear his appeal.

The execution would have been the first in the United States since a Utah firing squad shot Gary Mark Gilmore more than two years ago.

Texas Skies

Clearing After Storms

By the Associated Press

Widely scattered showers and thunderstorms soaked portions of East Texas today, but skies were clear over most of the rest of the state.

Texas had some thunderstorms Tuesday night, but they were much more

settled than in the previous two nights, when tornadoes had people jittery.

Widely scattered thunderstorms crept into the upper panhandle after midnight Tuesday, but were dissipating early this morning.

By 4 a.m. thunderstorms had ended in East Texas. But cloudiness continued over the area from Fort Worth, Abilene, San Angelo and Waco eastward. The remainder of Texas had clear skies except the Panhandle where it was partly cloudy.

Hope To Put Show

On For Red China

HOLLYWOOD (AP) - Bob Hope is going on the road again - this time to put on a show in the People's Republic of China.

The show will be telecast next season on NBC.

Hope will film the show in June, principally in Peking and Shanghai, NBC said Tuesday it would be the first such show since the thawing of relations between China and the United States.

China is one of the few countries Hope has never visited.

"I'm very excited," Hope said. "It's something I've wanted to do ever since things opened up between our two countries."

Weather

West Texas - Mostly fair through Thursday. Warmer south. Partly cloudy tonight with scattered showers and thunderstorms north. Warmer north Thursday. Highs 70s north to 90s southwest. Lows tonight mostly in the 50s except 60s Big Bend. Highs Thursday 80s north to 90s south.

Interest Bill Nearly Ready

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - One of the Legislature's most controversial bills, raising the ceiling on home loan interest rates, is on its way to Gov. Bill Clements' desk - maybe.

The "maybe" is because House sponsors still aren't satisfied with the 92-41 vote that finally passed the bill Tuesday. They might try one more time.

If the bill does not get the 100 votes needed for immediate effect, interest rates would be stuck at their present level until Aug. 27.

Clements is expected to sign the bill. He proposed its essential provisions after deciding it was necessary to assume a supply of mortgage money in Texas.

Rep. Jerry "Nub" Donaldson, D-Gatesville, the sponsor, said his hope of getting 100 votes rests with 11 representatives who abstained from voting Tuesday.

Representatives often abstain from voting if a bill involves a conflict of interests.

The bill would set the ceiling on home

loan interest at two percentage points above the average monthly rate for 10-year U.S. Treasury notes and bonds - currently just above 9 percent. The absolute maximum would be 12 percent.

The new ceiling would be in force only until Sept. 1, 1981, unless the 1981 Legislature extends it.

House members accepted the Senate's decision to remove a provision outlawing "points" that lenders charge sellers of homes.

They also went along with the Senate's action to allow penalties for prepayment of a home loan if they are required by an agency created by the federal government.

Donaldson said the Federal National Mortgage Association "Fannie Mae" requires penalties but usually waives them if they conflict with a state law.

Rep. Henry Allee, D-Houston, urged the House to reject the Senate changes and send the bill to a conference committee. Allee was voted down, 80-46.

Allee said the House should fight for

the prohibition against seller "points," which he said can easily add \$2,000 or \$3,000 to the price of a house when passed through to buyers.

"As a builder, I can tell you that eliminating points is not going to reduce prices. ... I can tell you, I am not going to reduce the price, and neither is any other builder. I'm going to put the money in my pocket," replied Rep. Stan Schlueter, D-Salado.

Donaldson and Rep. Bob McFarland, R-Arlington, pleaded for 100 votes.

McFarland said the price of a \$60,000 home would rise by \$2,000 while a family waits between now and Aug. 27 for mortgage money to become available.

Donaldson said the delay could damage small builders.

"You are not going to hurt the big boys, the big builders, because they can ride out the storm between now and Aug. 27. You are going to hurt the little fellows that build a house every now and then. I urge you to think of the small businessman," he said.

Meditation To Be Used

BROOKLINE, Mass. (AP) - In an attempt to prove that mind can prevail over matter - not to mention the force of gravity - a group of psychokinesis adherents is planning a mass meditation to keep Skylab from falling.

An official with Florida radio station participating in the project says he hopes millions of people participate.

The mass meditation, sche-

duled to begin May 25 at 1

p.m. EDT, is designed to prove psychokinesis works and to keep the 85-ton satellite from plunging to Earth and causing "a lot of damage," says Chris Kilham, spokesman for the Bookline Psychoenergetics Institute, which is organizing the event.

Psychokinesis is the ability, its advocates say, to move physical objects through mental

processes.

"Our experiment is to see if the powers of the mind are strong enough to raise Skylab in its orbit," said Kilham. "This is a bona fide scientific experiment."

"We want people to visualize Skylab in their minds and then visualize sending their mental energy up to it and see that mental energy put it Skylab into a higher orbit," said Kilham.

To bolster the meditation

effort, the institute enlisted help from Fort Lauderdale, Fla., radio station WFTL-AM, which is hooking up a "meditation" broadcast with at least 40 other stations across the country.

In Houston, a spokesman for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration seemed to take a skeptical view of the project, though he didn't seem to mind.

Senate Resolution Complicates American-Iranian Relations

WASHINGTON (AP) - Senate resolutions usually are like the ones people make on New Year's Day: they sound good but they aren't binding.

This time, though, the resolution got results. The Senate's condemnation of revolutionary justice in Iran has added a new complication to relations between the United States and what was a key ally in the Middle East.

There may be more to come. There already is pressure in the Senate for the administration to offer asylum to the deposed Shah of Iran, branded an outlaw and sentenced to death by the new regime.

The resolution the Senate adopted last Thursday with no dissent was its 31st of the year. They are not laws, only expressions of Senate opinion on one matter or another.

But this one hit home, at least in Tehran. It was proposed by

Sen. Jacob K. Javits, R-N.Y., and it denounced the execution of more than 200 Iranians by order of Islamic courts under the new regime. The Iranians retorted by assailing Javits, and by telling the administration not to send its new ambassador to Tehran as scheduled.

While Javits took the lead, the resolution had 20 sponsors, and among them were Sen. Frank Church, D-Idaho, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee; Majority leader Robert C. Byrd, D-W. Va., and Minority Leader Howard H. Baker Jr., R-Tenn.

On three occasions, the administration has publicly criticized the summary trials and executions in Iran, although less vehemently than the Senate resolution.

The State Department was consultative on Monday, urging Iran to accept the new ambassador in order to resolve

misunderstandings between the two countries. Ironically, the administration decided to send a new envoy to help ease relations with revolutionary Iran.

State Department spokesman Kenneth Brown said the United States still supports the objectives of the new regime,

which he described as freedom, justice and democratic institutions.

While the administration sought to smooth things over, Senate leaders said they were glad the resolution stung the Iranians.

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statement that "we ought to do something about the spoiled children." The democratic system of government prescribes ways in which to fight proposed legislation; it does not include skipping out. Like spoiled children who couldn't get their way, the senators "took

their ball and went home" and there was no ball game for the rest of the gang.

We noted the other day that the publisher of a country newspaper retired with a fortune. When questioned on the secret of his success, he replied: "I

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Hail

one point, and seems like there were two or three cells in the storm. It came in from the west and headed northeast. About all we can do is try and grow out of its aftermath," Allen stated.

Fuston indicated that local agricultural interests still probably have emerged from the weekend storm ahead, however, particularly when the heavy hail damage on the border area is considered.

"We can still afford to think it didn't hurt us that much. The wind balled the

wheat up some, but I think it is growing enough it will come on out of it. And the rain will help the grain in the dryland wheat crop to fill. Some of it will shoot on up now and get tall enough to combine a little more effectively. I think the rain will increase our wheat yields in virtually all cases," commented Fuston.

Although the weather has almost consistently favored the local wheat crop since last fall, and the crop provided good grazing locally during the fall and winter

attribute my ability to retire with a \$100,000 bank balance after 30 years in the business to close application to duty, pursuing a policy of strict honesty, always practicing rigorous rules of economy, and to the recent death of an uncle who left me \$98,500."

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Renegade

even louder but boos were audible.

One reporter said some of the 19 senators who stayed behind had booed the Killer Bees' entrance through a crowd of smiling relatives, aides and House members.

Their five-day absence squeezed the Senate for time since the 140-day legislative session ends at midnight Monday, and Sen. A.R. "Babe" Schwartz proclaimed, "I'm absolutely warned heating oil is also used

dead bill for this session."

By a 17-14 vote, the Senate did tentatively approve a bill on Tuesday designed to establish a presidential primary in March 1980 - two months before the regular Democratic and Republican party primaries.

The closeness of the vote indicated, however, supporters of a separate primary would not be able to gather enough votes - up to 21 - to bring the bill up for final passage.

months. Fuston rates the local wheat crop as only "average" this year.

"We had better wheat crops in 1975 and 1977 than we will have this year. We'll cut about an average crop, maybe 12-14 bushels per acre on dryland, and 45-55 bushels per acre irrigated," he said.

"The rain is going to be of benefit for milo planting as well, and will probably save us an irrigation on the young corn just starting now," he concluded.

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PRPC

any consequence."

Former County Judge Sam Morgan has served as president of the PRPC board, and commissioner Austin Rose is now on the board. Nelson suggested that the close communications may have helped prevent problems from occurring.

Potter County commissioners voted, 3-1, Monday to sever ties with PRPC effective Oct. 1. In a related vote, commissioners also approved the termination of the county's participation in the PRPC-administered Texas Panhandle

Employment and Training Alliance, which funds Comprehensive Employment Training Act (CETA).

In place of the PRPC program, commissioners approved affiliation of the county with the Texas Panhandle Community Action Corporation's CETA program. This also becomes effective Oct. 1.

Potter County Judge Cliff Roberts explained the action by saying that the amount of services received by the county from PRPC does not justify the payment

of \$4,744.59 in annual dues. He predicted the severance with PRPC would have no adverse effect on the county's ability to secure garnit funds.

Another regional government association was reported having troubles Tuesday. A Lubbock newspaper reported that the South Plains Association of Governments (SPAG) was asked to approve a five-month-old audit report of its CETA program, which showed almost \$150,000 in questionable costs.

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Carter Could Be Embarrassed If Resolution Against Decontrol Passed

WASHINGTON (AP) - House Majority Leader Jim Wright told the House Democratic Caucus on Tuesday it will be embarrassing President Carter and his party if a resolution passes in opposition to the removal of oil price controls.

Supporters of the non-binding resolution sponsored by U.S. Rep. Toby Moffett of Connecticut prepared to parry maneuvers to kill or weaken it when the caucus resumed discussions today.

Texas caucus members lined up almost solid against the resolution in what was billed as a test vote Tuesday, a losing attempt to table it. Texans voted 17-3 to table the resolution, but the motion failed 153-82.

"I think this vote was our minimum strength," Moffett said.

That unplanned roll call, however, forced the caucus to recess when time ran out before a vote on the resolution.

The three Texans voting with the majority were U.S. Reps. Bob Eckhardt and Mickey Leland of Houston and Henry B. Gonzalez of San Antonio.

Carter does not need congressional approval to lift controls, but Congress can attempt to restore them.

"The president of the United States took a courageous stand," Wright said as he urged defeat of the resolution.

The Fort Worth Democrat said federal regulation of the domestic oil industry since the 1973 Arab embargo has served only to speed up the flow of dollars abroad.

"Let's not look for scapegoats, gentlemen. Let's look for solutions," Wright said.

U.S. Rep. Phil Gramm of College Station, a former Texas A&M University economics professor, said oil company

profits were not out of line with average profits for manufacturing industries.

"We hear everyone talk about these massive, obscene, pornographic profits," he said. "The fiction is they're massive and obscene. ... The facts don't bear that out."

Gramm said the larger oil companies have been investing their profits outside the industry because they are uncertain about its future.

Eckhardt said decontrol is not justified because rising energy costs are making up an increasing share of the inflation rate.

"Is this a time to exacerbate that inflation rate?" he asked.

Eckhardt said the federal government can encourage oil production by allowing prices to rise within existing regulatory guidelines without completely removing controls.

Furr's Supermarkets File For Bankruptcy

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) - A major supermarket chain with stores throughout West Texas, New Mexico, El Paso and Phoenix has filed a petition for reorganization under bankruptcy laws.

Officials of Furr's Supermarkets announced Tuesday at their corporate headquarters here that the petition was filed in Fort Worth under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Act.

"We anticipate that some phases of the company's retail outlets will be curtailed," a company spokesman said. Two other major supermarket chains reportedly have been negotiating to acquire a number of Furr's supermarkets in West Texas and New Mexico.

Steps are being taken to drop two unprofitable stores in Phoenix, the spokesman added. Furr's has 10 supermarkets in Phoenix.

A company statement said the chain's money problems stemmed in part from the Phoenix stores' inability "to successfully garner its share of the market from a group of more centrally located and aggressive competitors."

Under Chapter 11, "the company seeks the opportunity to retain control of its assets and business as a debtor-in-possession, pending completion of an arrangement with its creditors," the statement said.

Furr's also announced the resignation of board chairman Clem B. Boverie; but said he will remain a board member.

Roy K. Furr, the new chairman, said the company will remain intact and marketing

policies will not change drastically.

The company grew from one store in Kirkland, Texas in 1904 to a chain of 79 supermarkets, 24 convenience stores and three restaurants.

Its sales are reported at \$500 million and the company says it employs about 6,500 full- and part-time workers.

Head Start

To Have Graduation

The Head Start kindergarten class for four year olds at West Central Elementary will hold graduation exercises tonight.

According to a spokesman for the school, ceremonies will be held at 7:30 at the Deaf Smith Rural Electric building.

Instructor for the class is Mitzi Villarreal.

Obituaries

MARY BRASHEAR

Memorial services are to be conducted Thursday at 10 a.m. in Rose Chapel of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home for Mrs. Mary Frances Brashear of 233 Ave. E. She died at 3 a.m. Tuesday in Westgate Nursing Home at the age of 89.

Born March 20, 1890 in Crowell, she married George Thomas Brashear July 14, 1907 at Gatesville. He preceded her in death in 1956.

Mrs. Brashear came to Deaf Smith County in 1930 from Walters, Okla. She resided in the Westway Community for a number of years before moving into Hereford. She was a

member of First Baptist Church

Surviving her are four sons, Frank of Lake Jackson, Christy of Kermit, Excel of Hereford and Goldman of Augusta, Ga., six daughters, Betty Rice and Joan Womble, both of Hereford; Vesta McKinney of Tucuman, N.M.; Mary Sanders of Corpus Christi; Reva Koonce of Taft; and Artha Nichols of Austin; a sister, Mrs. Osha Scott of Gatesville; 27 grandchildren, numerous great grandchildren and several great-great-grandchildren.

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Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

I would like to commend all the people who were involved in the investigation and recovery of the cattle and cattle truck that were stolen from Western Feed Yard.

Travis McPherson and Dean Butcher of the county Sheriff's Department gave this theft their full attention from the time it was reported. Also to be commended are Kenneth Chambers of the Texas &

Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association, "Jim Dee" of San Antonio (TCRA) and David Fluit, a commission man with San Antonio Stock Yards who recognized the brands and reported it.

All of these men working together resulted in the arrest of two cattle rustlers in less than 48 hours.

Sincerely,

Elmo "Tuff" Hall
Manager, Western Feed Yard



Volunteers Honored

Dr. Harrell Holder presented awards to several women who had donated time and talent Hereford Independent School District during a tea given Monday in the home of Jo Ellen Jorde. Debra Cook,

center and Janet Coleman, right, were given a joint award for the hours they donated to the tutoring program. [Brand photo by Denise Smith]

Amarillo College To Offer Courses

Amarillo College will offer college credit courses in Hereford this summer. In conjunction with Hereford Independent School District and Deaf Smith General Hospital, the college will offer English 231, History 137, Sociology 237, Psychology 231 and Sociology 2316.

English 231, masterworks of English literature, is a study of principal works of major English writers. History 137 is a general survey of the history of the United States from the era of discovery to the end of reconstruction following the Civil War (1877).

Sociology 237 is an introductory study of the culture concept, criminology, current theories and empirical research pertaining to crime and criminal

behavior and psychology in relation to the mind and personality.

The eight-week summer session will begin May 30 and end July 19. Classes will meet from 7-9:45 p.m. twice each week.

English 231, History 137, and Sociology 237 will meet on Tuesday and Thursday nights.

Psychology 231 will meet on Monday and Wednesday nights. Meeting nights for Sociology 2316 have not been set at this time.

Registration for the courses will be on Thursday night, May 24 from 7-8 p.m. in the high school cafeteria.

For additional information, one can contact John Quinby at Hereford High School, 364-5112.



Service Recognized

Left Dr. Harrell Holder presented Peggy Hoff with a silver plate Monday afternoon during a tea in honor of the Hereford School District volunteers, held in the home of Jo Ellen Jorde. Mrs. Hoff was recognized for donating the most hours to the tutoring program. She worked with Mary Joe Hammen in the reading program. She has donated 254 hours. [Brand photo by Denise Smith]

Extension Council Greet New Agent

Agnes Taylor was introduced as the new assistant agent Monday afternoon during the monthly meeting of Deaf Smith County Extension Homemakers Council. The group convened in the Heritage Room of Deaf Smith County Library.

Westway EH Club conducted the opening exercise and served refreshments. Jewell Hargrave

presided during a general business session.

Twenty-four were in attendance, including two guests. Ten clubs were represented with four chapters having 100 percent representation.

The EH Council recessed for the summer months. They will not convene again until August 27.

Ronda Clark Honored At Luncheon

Ronda Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Clark, was honored Saturday with a graduates' luncheon at the Hereford Country Club. Hostesses for the afternoon were Susan Robbins and Donna Parris.

Ronda is a 1979 graduate of Hereford High School.

Attending were Judy Hill, Karla Driskill, Jana Green and Staci Payne.

Guests attending were Ronda's mother, Mrs. Wendell Clark.



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Ann Landers

Gun Control

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Thank you, Ann, for another letter urging federal gun control. Every time I read an argument in favor of guns I hope the idiot will point a gun at his own empty head. God in heaven, how many times do people have to read about crimes of passion, snipers, hijackings and presidential assassinations before they learn?

Guns are an extension of the body. It only takes one violent thought to pull the trigger. You are so right when you say if the person had no gun he'd use a beer bottle, a lamp or a fist -- when less chance of a fatality.

The thought that anyone in this country, regardless of age, criminal record or mental competency, can gain easy access to a gun is frightening. Did you read about the 16-year-old girl who opened fire on the students of an elementary school because she was bored and wanted 'some excitement'???

The whole mystique of guns must end. Courageous individuals such as you can help. Please keep on doing what you do best -- educating people. -- On Your Side 100 Percent

DEAR 100 PERCENT: We're making progress. The last letter I published urging the banning of handguns produced more supportive mail than any in the previous 20 years -- also, fewer gun-lovers wrote to complain. More Americans are finally getting the message. Hallelujah!

DEAR ANN LANDERS: My son is a B-plus student at Princeton University. He will be graduating in another year and plans to continue in school for his master's degree or a Ph.D.

Many years ago his grandmother gave him some mutual fund shares. He is over 21 and wants to cash them in (they weren't very profitable) and use some of the money for graduate school and put what's left in a high-interest bank.

The problem is his grandmother had a limited education and does not believe it is necessary for him to continue with his schooling because "it costs so much."

She always questions him about the stock. He plans to tell her of his plans to sell it. The question is -- does she have any right to stop him? It was a gift. -- Urgent In New York

DEAR URGENT: I don't know the terms of the gift but it would

be unusual if Granny had any say-so after the young man reached legal majority. I hope your son follows his plan. It's a tough, competitive world out there and he'll need the advantages that come with advanced education.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I hope I can help "Bashful Kidney" because I, too, was brought up in a very strict family that made me feel sex, the body, and all bodily functions were "nasty."

Not being able to urinate in the presence of another person can be a serious handicap -- especially in college or the armed services. I know because I experienced both situations and it was hell.

I went to the counselor on campus and was given an immediate solution. He said, "Flush so that you will not be heard." From that day on I never had the problem. Please pass this on in your column. It's amazing how one little bit of simple advice can alleviate so much suffering. -- Carefree in Canton

DEAR CANTON: Your solution worked so it's a good one -- but private stalls are required. Thanks for sharing.

El Llano Adjourns 'Til Fall

El Llano Study Club met Monday for a Tasting Bee in the home of Delores Foster, with co-hostess Mozelle Childers.

Members took their favorite dishes and sold their recipes. It was announced that the club would adjourn until September, and the 1978-79 officers will retain their posts for next year.

Members present were Mmes. Wayne Amstutz, Labry Ballard, Ivan Block, Jim Bookout, Pete Caviness, Fain Cesar, Ben Childers, Ed Coplen, Bud Eades, Boyd Foster, Tom Hamlett, R.C. Hoelscher, John Jacobson, Elmer Kimball, Lloyd Kirkeby and Raymond White.

Grandson Graduates In Clovis

Mrs. R.L. Ethridge recently traveled to Clovis, N.M. for the graduation of her grandson, Marion Tye Rutter, who graduated with honors.

He is the son of former residents Mr. and Mrs. N.L. Rutter of Clovis.

Hospital Notes

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Lama M. Beavers, Avis Marie Blakely, Gabriela Cantu, Inf. boy Cantu, Jennie Ethel Clark, Mariana Corrales, Myrle Goodner.

Martin G. Guerra, Inf. boy Hix, Rebecca Lorraine Hix, Louise B. Johnson, Edna M. Marnell, Ralph E. McCullough, Beulah Ann Moore, Dorothy

Jan Nolen.

Effie C. Robinson, Doraelia Sanchez, Inf. girl Sanchez, Johnnie V. Smith, Ollie Mae Walker, Carlos Ruiz, Ludie L. Dean, Maria Guerra.

Antonio Sosa, Esther Thuett, Juanita Estep, Amelia Perez, Inf. boy Perez, Rue Blackwell, Kathy Terry, Anna Carthel.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Jesus C. Perez are the parents of a son, Julian Perez born May 21. He weighed 7 lbs. 3 1/2 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnulfo R. Galan are the parents of a son, Jose Antonio Galan born May 16. He weighed 7 lbs. 12 1/2 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Lynn Tomison are the parents of a son, Justin Ty Tomison born May 16. He weighed 8 lbs. 6 1/2 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Carl Hammock are the parents of a daughter, Melissa Marie Hammock born May 16. She weighed 5 lbs. 11 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Joe

Haney are the parents of a daughter, Christine Leigh Haney born May 18. She weighed 8 lbs. 7 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Eleno Trinidad Castillo Vasquez are the parents of a daughter, Eunice Vasquez born May 18. She weighed 7 lbs. 5 1/2 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dean Garrison are the parents of a daughter, Amanda Lei Garrison born May 19. She weighed 7 lbs. 2 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Santiago L. Sanchez, Jr. are the parents of a daughter, Sonya Sanchez born May 19. She weighed 6 lbs. 14 1/2 ozs.

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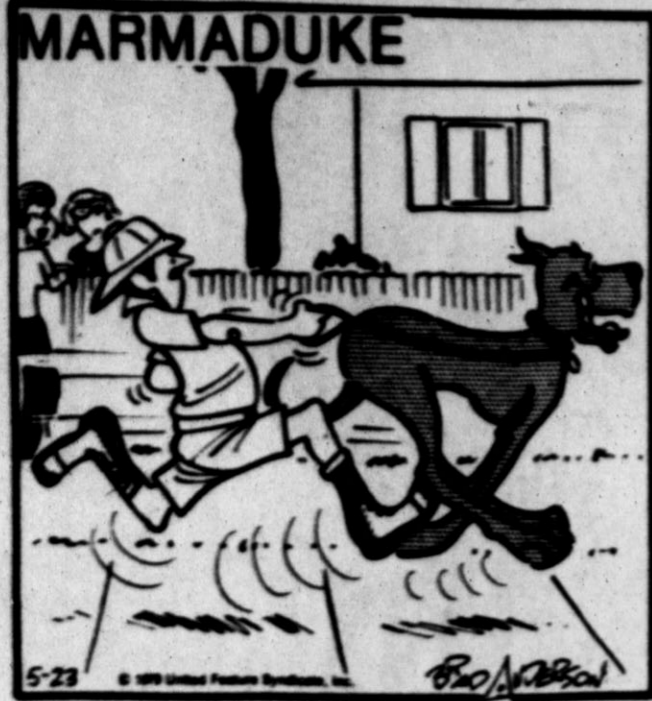
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COMMENTARY

Martha Angle and Robert Walters

Self-serving 'charity'

WASHINGTON (NEA) - If misery loves company, American consumers should be delighted to learn that they're not the only objects of the multinational oil companies' rapacious efforts to increase already bloated profits.

In an audacious move reminiscent of the buccannery days of the "Standard Oil Trust" during the late 1800s, the Exxon Corp. is seeking to dissuade the World Bank from providing financial assistance needed by developing nations to harness their own petroleum resources.

Instead, Exxon is promoting an arrangement under which oil and gas exploration and production in the lesser developed countries (LDCs) around the globe would be the private domain of the world's major petroleum corporations.

The World Bank, which offers low-interest loans and technical assistance to encourage economic development in LDCs, is convinced that successful new petroleum ventures will both enhance those nations' economic stability and ameliorate the harsh effects of the global energy crisis.

Both Exxon and the World Bank have identified a number of developing countries with better-than-average prospects for successful petroleum ventures. The list includes:

Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Mexico, Peru, Trinidad and Tobago, Angola, Egypt, Tunisia, Zaire, Bahrain, Cameroon, Chad, Congo, Oman, Syria, Turkey, India, Malaysia and Pakistan.

Petroleum production can be extremely lucrative, as indicated by Exxon's 1978 net profits of \$2.76 billion and the company's recent announcement that net profits for the first quarter of 1979 were \$665 million, up 37.4 percent over the comparable period last year.

But exploration is an expensive, highly risky activity. One exploratory well in an accessible area with known reserves costs less than \$100,000, Exxon notes, while a single similar well in the remote interior of Africa and Latin America can cost \$3 million to \$5 million.

The World Bank estimates that in the decade between 1976 and 1985, the LDCs will have to invest \$6.80 billion annually to develop their petroleum resources. Earlier this year, the bank announced its commitment to assist in that financing through a massive \$1.23 billion loan program.

But a previously confidential exchange of letters shows that Exxon's board chairman, C.C. Garvin Jr., is hardly enthusiastic about the economic self-determination and energy independence that might result from such a program.

Earlier this year, Garvin wrote to Treasury Secretary Michael W. Blumenthal, the United States representative to the World Bank, claiming that "such projects seem ill-suited for bank lending" because "exploration for oil and gas is inherently risky."

Warning of the dangers of dry holes and assorted other

potential economic disasters, Garvin professed concern for the "poor countries" who eventually would have to pay the costs of exploration, even if unsuccessful.

Garvin's proposed solution to the plight of the LDCs: "Management by a competitive industry."

In his most outrageous demand, Garvin said that if the World Bank insisted upon proceeding with its loan program, "it should do so only after ensuring that the acreage involved had first been offered to the industry on reasonable terms."

In his response, Blumenthal sought to assuage Garvin, assuring the oil company executive that the World Bank program would "facilitate increased private capital flows" and "enlarge the possibilities for private bidding."

Blumenthal should have been more supportive of the World Bank's important new initiative, but at least he understood that Exxon was primarily motivated by its status as a corporation committed to maximizing its profits.

Exxon, on the other hand, deserves little more than contempt for masquerading as a charitable institution devoted to assisting developing nations while it's merely seeking to further expand control of the world's petroleum supply.

Today In History

By The Associated Press
Today is Wednesday, May 23, the 143rd day of 1979. There are 222 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

In 1960, Israel disclosed that former Nazi official Adolf Eichmann had been captured in Argentina and would be tried in Israel as a war criminal.

Ten years ago: The death toll was put at more than 500 in race rioting in Malaysia, with most of the fatalities Chinese.

Five years ago: The United States assured the Geneva Disarmament Conference it would not develop miniaturized

nuclear weapons that could be used interchangeably with conventional weapons on a battlefield.

One year ago: France said the military forces it had landed in Zaire would leave as soon as their assignment of rescuing French civilians from the southern battle area of Shaba Province was completed.

Today's birthday: British economist and writer Barbara Ward is 65.

Thought for today: A child educated only at school is an uneducated child - George Santayana, Spanish poet and philosopher, 1863-1952.



THE BORN LOSER



PEANUTS by Art Sansom



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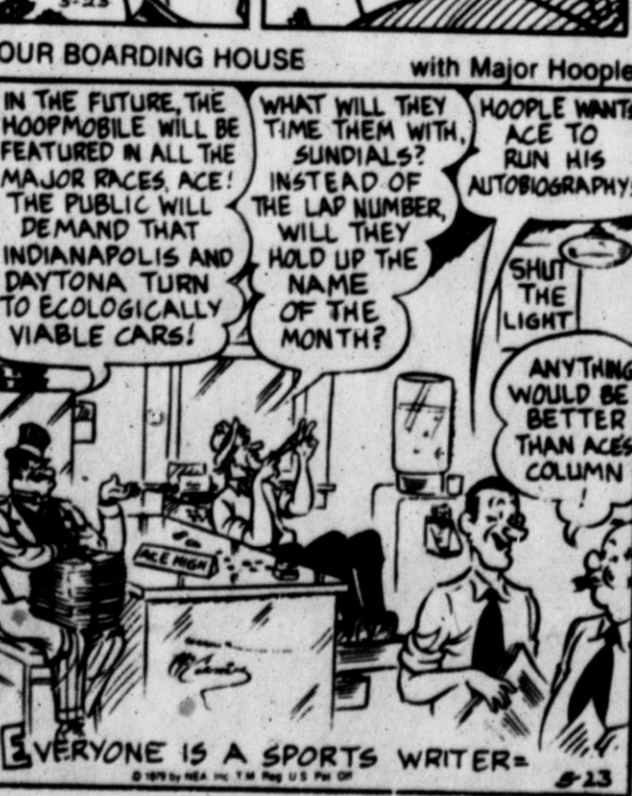
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by Dave Graue

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Sports At A Glance

Baseball

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Baltimore	26	14	.650	
Boston	25	14	.641	1/2
New York	23	18	.561	3 1/2
Milwaukee	22	20	.524	8
Detroit	15	20	.429	18 1/2
Cleveland	11	32	.256	18 1/2
Toronto	11	32	.256	18 1/2

WEST

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minnesota	26	14	.641	
California	25	16	.610	1
Texas	23	17	.575	2 1/2
Kansas City	22	20	.524	4 1/2
Chicago	18	20	.474	8
Oakland	15	27	.357	11 1/2
Seattle	15	28	.349	12

Tuesday's Games

Boston 7, Baltimore 5
Cleveland 8, Toronto 6
Milwaukee 7, California 1
New York 12, Detroit 8
Chicago 5, Oakland 4
Seattle 12, Kansas City 11, 12 innings
Texas 4, Minnesota 3

Wednesday's Games

Boston Stanley (4-2) at Baltimore Palmer (5-2), n
Cleveland Garland (1-4) at Toronto Huffman (2-4), n
California Ace (3-3) at Milwaukee Travers (2-2), n
New York Seattle (3-1) at Detroit Rasmus (1-2), n
Oakland Johnson (1-6) at Chicago Aravec (3-3), n
Minnesota Goltz (4-4) at Texas Jenkins (4-2), n

Thursday's Games

California at Milwaukee
Boston at Baltimore, n
Oakland at Chicago, n
Seattle at Kansas City, n
Only games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia	26	13	.667	
Montreal	23	14	.622	2
St. Louis	20	17	.541	5
Pittsburgh	18	19	.486	7
Chicago	15	20	.429	9
New York	15	23	.391	11 1/2

WEST

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	23	16	.590	
San Francisco	22	19	.540	1 1/2
Houston	24	20	.540	1 1/2
Los Angeles	20	24	.452	7 1/2
San Diego	18	20	.474	7 1/2
Atlanta	14	28	.333	11 1/2

Tuesday's Games

Montreal 6, Pittsburgh 3
Philadelphia 3, St. Louis 1
Houston 4, Atlanta 1
New York 4, Chicago 2
San Diego 7, Los Angeles 6, 10 innings
San Francisco 12, Cincinnati 2

Wednesday's Games

Pittsburgh Cantelaria (3-2) at Montreal Rogers (3-2), n
St. Louis Martinez (2-1-0) at Philadelphia Rutledge (5-1), n
Houston Richard (4-4) at Atlanta Mahala (3-3), n
Chicago Mattman (3-2) at New York Falzone (3-2), n
Los Angeles Heston (3-2) at San Diego Jones (4-2), n

Thursday's Games

Chicago at New York, n
Cincinnati at San Francisco, n
Only games scheduled.

Major League Leaders

BATTING 85 at bats: Smalley, Minnesota, 388; Kemp, Detroit, 381; Carew, California, 361; Bachtis, Seattle, 341; Downing, California, 338.

RUNS: Bret, Kansas City, 38; Ott, Kansas City, 36; Lynn, Boston, 34; LeFlore, Detroit, 33; Washington, Chicago, 32.

RBIs: Baylor, California, 41; Lynn, Boston, 39; Porter, Kansas City, 37; Cooper, Milwaukee, 33; Nettles, New York, 33.

HITS: Smalley, Minnesota, 81; Remy, Boston, 55; Carew, California, 53; Harten, Seattle, 53; Brett, Kansas City, 52.

DOUBLES: Laman, Chicago, 13; McRae, Kansas City, 13; Downing, California, 12; Washington, Chicago, 12; Bell, Texas, 12.

TRIPLES: Brett, Kansas City, 5; Griffin, Toronto, 4; Trout with 3.

HOME RUNS: Lynn, Boston, 14; Thomas, Milwaukee, 11; Singleton, Baltimore, 10; May, Baltimore, 9; Smalley, Minnesota, 8; Horton, Seattle, 8.

Transactions

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE
BOSTON RED SOX: Activated Carlton Fisk, catcher, and Stan Page, infielder. Placed Bob Montgomery, catcher, on the disabled list. Waived Frank Duffy, utility infielder.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
PHOENIX SUNS: Signed Jeff Cook, forward.

FOOTBALL
NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE
ATLANTA FALCONS: Signed Randy Brooks, defensive back.
CINCINNATI BENGALS: Signed Charles Alexander, running back.
LOS ANGELES RAMS: Signed George Andrews, linebacker, to a series of four one-year contracts; Jeff Moore, wide receiver; Darvin Tucker, defensive back; and Jerry Wilkinson, defensive end.
SAN DIEGO CHARGERS: Signed Nelson Winnie, tight end, to a series of one-year contracts.
TAMPA BAY BUCCANERS: Signed Jerry Eckwood, fullback, and Reggie Lewis, defensive end.
WASHINGTON REDSKINS: Signed Art Malone, fullback.

SOCCER
North American Soccer League
LOS ANGELES AZTECS: Signed Johan Cruyff, midfielder, to a multi-year contract.
COLLEGE
TEXAS A&M: Named Marvin Tate athletic director. AMERICAN LEAGUE

Niekro Leads Astros Past Atlanta

By KEN RAPPOPORT
AP Sports Writer

That's some brother act, Phil and Joe Niekro.

Only three other sets of brothers have won more games combined in the history of major league baseball. And Joe sweetened his career figures

Tuesday night with his 100th victory. "He's got a lot of good years left," says Phil Niekro after watching his younger brother

better than I do, like his fastball and slider. The pride of brotherhood overshadowed the pain of defeat and Phil Niekro bowed to the victor by sending him a bottle of liquor with a note that said, "Congratulations."

Joe Niekro's career victory total is roughly one half of his more illustrious brother's - 100 to 202. He's 33, while Phil is 40. Incidentally, the brother combinations ahead of the Niekros in victories are, Gaylord and Jim Perry with 485; Johnny, Art and Walt Clark with 280 and Christy and Henry Mathewson with 373, all of them by Christy.

In other National League games, the Philadelphia Phillies took a 3-1 decision over the St. Louis Cardinals; The New York Mets stopped the Chicago Cubs 4-2; The Montreal Expos turned back the Pittsburgh Pirates 6-3; the San Francisco Giants routed the Cincinnati Reds 12-2 and the Los Angeles Dodgers 7-6 in 10 innings.

San Francisco beat Cincinnati. The National League West Division leading Reds had a horrible night, displaying sloppy fielding and atrocious baserunning. A potential scoring threat, ended in the seventh inning, ended with two baserunners at third base.

Padres 7, Dodgers 6
Broderick Perkins' bases-loaded single in the 10th led San Diego over Los Angeles. The winning run was set up by an error by Dodger second baseman Dave Lopes that allowed Jerry Turner to reach second on a grounder.

Turner took third on a wild pitch by Jerry Reuss and then Dave Winfield and Fernando Gonzalez were walked intentionally to load the bases before Perkins' game-winning hit.

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Hereford Trio Compete For U.S. Open Spot

Mike Horton led the Hereford contingent of golfers to try for a place in the regional qualifying with a 36 hole total of 148, though it was four strokes shy of the 144 needed to make the trip to Dallas.

Other golfers to travel to Lubbock included Tommy Wea-

ver, who shot a 169 and Dana Rush who carded a 150 in the one day event.

Four golfers from the local match made the cut of those eligible to continue to try and land a place in the United States Open field that will be held in Ohio the first part of June.

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SPORTS

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Bell's Homer Leads Rangers

ARLINGTON, Tex. (AP) - Buddy Bell leaned back in his leather comfort chair in the Texas Ranger clubhouse and said "I don't know what happened."

What had happened was Bell's first homer of the year which handed Minnesota's Jerry Koonsman his first American League loss.

And it wasn't a cheapie. The ball sailed over the 400 foot mark into the center field seats.

Bell tagged Koonsman's second offering in the bottom of the eighth inning to snap a 3-3 tie

and give the Rangers a 4-3 victory.

"I had just about figured I wasn't going to have a homer this year," said Bell, whose career high in one season is 14 home runs. "I'm glad I picked this spot."

Bell had received a scouting report from a Texas pitcher Jon Matlack on Koonsman, a former teammate in the New York Mets organization.

"Matlack said he had a good fastball and good control," said Bell who also knocked in two

runs with a single in the third inning.

Koonsman dropped to a 7-1 record while reliever Jim Kern earned his sixth victory against no losses, throwing the final inning and a third in relief of Steve Comer.

"We're making owner Brad Corbett look like a genius," said Kern, alluding to an off-season trade in which Bell, Kern, and Larvell Blanks were obtained from the Cleveland Indians.

"They are making Cleveland president Gabe Paul look like a dummy," said Bell.

"That was implied," replied Kern.

Bell said "I sure wasn't trying to hit a homer. But I knew when I hit the ball it had a chance. I have power but I usually spend it in the power alleys. I don't hit many homers. I can remember most of them."

Koonsman refused to meet the press, staying in an off limits area.

An upset Twin Manager Gene Mauch kept the clubhouse doors closed for five minutes then said "I'm sorry. About all I can say is that the manager didn't have a good night."

Ron Jackson's seventh homer of the year tied the game at 3-3 in the 5th inning.

Mauch obviously wished he had gone to ace reliever Mike Marshall earlier.

In the final game of the series tonight, Texas' Fergie Jenkins 4-2 will meet Dave Goltz 4-4.

Being Ahead Bothers Washington's Coach

LANDOVER, Md. (AP) - Coach Dick Motta of the Washington Bullets doesn't quite know how to act with his team leading the Seattle SuperSonics 1-0 in the National Basketball Association's championship series.

The Bullets overcame a 3-1 deficit to beat San Antonio in the semifinals. Last year they trailed 1-0, 2-1 and 3-2 before edging Seattle in the seventh and deciding game of the finals.

"I feel uncomfortable ahead," Motta said as the Bullets prepared for Thursday night's home game in the best-of-seven series. "We'll probably do something to even it up and when we're 1-1, I can tell the players we've got the Sonics right where we want them."

The Bullets, who blew a 19-point lead while losing last year's opener, frittered away an

18-point fourth quarter advantage Sunday before winning 99-97 on Larry Wright's two free throws after time had expired.

Some of the Seattle players contended Dennis Johnson didn't foul Wright at all. Others figured it wasn't flagrant enough to be called in a title series and that it was a shame the game ended as it did.

"I hope we win the same way again, so Seattle can say we should be ashamed," Motta said. "I'd like to win four that way, so we can be ashamed all summer."

"It's just not unusual to lose a lead with the 24-second clock," Motta said, "but I hope we learned a lesson."

The comeback didn't surprise Coach Lenny Wilkens of the SuperSonics. "When the two best teams in the league are playing, why should anyone think that one of them is going

to turn over and die? The comeback was very significant because it showed we don't give up."

While acknowledging that the Bullets are the best rebounding team in the NBA, Wilkens said the SuperSonics would have to better their first game 55-41 deficit on the boards.

"We can't give them as many second and third shots as we did," Wilkens said. "We also have to apply more pressure on them throughout the game and get our own movement going."

Both coaches said their teams were tired on Sunday - the Bullets after culminating the exhausting comeback against San Antonio on Friday night, the SuperSonics after a transcontinental flight. "Two days off is enough," he said. "To get the proper rhythm, you've got to play every two or three days."

Celtics, Bird Still Apart In Contract

BOSTON (AP) - The lid has blown off contract talks between the Boston Celtics and the negotiator for college star Larry Bird, with an explosion of demands and allegations.

"There is nobody in professional sports, including Red Auerbach and myself, who can accurately determine what is a fair contract for Larry," attorney Bob Woolf said Tuesday.

Nevertheless, Woolf, Bird's Boston-based agent, called a news conference to insist both that his current contract offer is fair and that the National Basketball Association team, through team president Auerbach, begin "bonafide" negotiations.

"He (Woolf) means negotiate as long as I go up," Auerbach responded later. "Can I go down?"

The stalemate centers on the Celtics' refusal to budge from their original \$500,000-a-year offer to the college Player-of-the-Year from Indiana State. Woolf initially asked for \$1 million a season, plus another \$200,000 in extras. Sources now say Woolf has come down to about \$700,000 a year.

Bird was drafted No. 1 by the Celtics a year ago as a junior. The team has until the NBA

draft June 25 to sign him or Bird goes back into the 1979 draft pool.

"I thought we'd have a clean, fast deal," Auerbach said, "give them your best shot, bowl them over, make him the highest paid rookie in NBA history and that's it."

Instead, Woolf claims Auerbach simply won't bargain and that unless he does, "I would not be optimistic" about Bird's chances of joining the Celtics.

Woolf conceded he wants somewhat more than the Los Angeles Lakers will pay Michigan State star Earvin "Magic" Johnson, who will be the team's and league's top pick in next month's draft.

Woolf said reports are that Johnson will get \$600,000 a year. But Celtics officials say it's far less - \$250,000 cash and real estate, with money paid over a period of years.

Woolf said the Celtics also want to pay Bird on a long-term basis, without interest. But Auerbach responded, "I'll give the money anytime."

Citing controversy centering on Bird's money demands, Woolf blamed the Celtics, saying, "I am at a loss to understand why the Celtics organization, by inference or innuendo, would in any way

unfairly blemish the image of a fine young athlete. The agent said Bird "has never made any suggestions as to what the terms of his contract should be."

Auerbach's response was, "We've been more than fair. There's only three people in the NBA who make more than we're offering." David Thompson of the Denver Nuggets is said to be No. 1, with a salary of \$800,000 a season.

Despite the hostilities, both sides said they still want Bird to play for Boston, and Woolf said, "That's Larry's goal."

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Watson Feels Nicklaus Best.

DUBLIN, Ohio (AP) - Tom Watson resists all talk that he's on the same plateau as Jack Nicklaus because of one yard stick: major professional golf championships. Nicklaus, 39, owns 15 of them. The 29-year-old Watson has only three majors - two British Opens and one Masters. "That's what I need to do - win more major championships. That's how the press, the fans, my peers judge a player. I'd like to win all four of the major championships right now," said this year's leading money winner.

Watson resumes his duel with Nicklaus Thursday in the opening round of the \$329,000 Memorial Tournament over the Muirfield Village Golf Club, 7,101 well-manicured yards that Jack hunted on as a youngster. Watson, bidding for his fourth victory of 1979, needs just \$126 to reach \$300,000 for the third straight season. To the look-alike for Huckleberry Finn, that's unimportant. "Money's not my yardstick - how well I play is the main thing. What you ought to do is check who finished one-two and forget the money. The purses have gone up so," he said.

Can he ever reach the level of Nicklaus, winner of 66 tour events? Watson has 14 victories. "If I keep improving, it could happen. But I have to be satisfied with myself. Sometimes when I've won a tournament, I haven't been satisfied with the way I played," Watson said, munching a banana in the Muirfield Village clubhouse.

Will there be the day when Watson concedes he's on the same level with Nicklaus? "I would never admit to something like that. The most important people to say that are my peers," said Watson, who turned up in Tuesday's pro-amateur with a 4-under-par 67. Craig Stadler broke the competitive course record with a 64. Nicklaus had 71. Nicklaus has had just one top 10 finish - fourth in the Masters in seven 1979 tournaments. Defending Memorial champion Jim Simons, who is hampered by recurring shoulder problems and winner of less than \$20,000 does not rule himself out. The select international field of 105 rates Muirfield Village as the best conditioned, fastest putting layout they have seen on tour in 1979. Portions of the final rounds Saturday and Sunday will be televised by CBS.

Rain Forecast For 1st Round Of NCAA

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. (AP) - Golfers who were scheduled to tee off in the 82nd NCAA Golf Championship today were hoping the weatherman was wrong in his prediction of a 90 percent chance of rain. The tournament will be played on the 7,023-yard, par-72 Bermuda Run Golf and Country Club. Golfers from 28 schools were scheduled to participate in the tourney.

Heading the field for this year's championship is defending titleholder Oklahoma State. The Cowboy golf team pulled away from the field last year to win by 17 strokes over runner-up Georgia, and 20 shots ahead of third-place Arizona State. Three of the five Oklahoma State golfers on last year's championship team return for this year's event, including junior Rafael Alarcon, whose splendid first round play at Oregon helped propel the Cowboys to the title.

Along with Alarcon are No. 1 Oklahoma State golfer Britt Harrison and No. 2 Bob Tway. Host team Wake Forest, which finished seventh last year, is playing on the Bermuda Run course for the first time this season, though the team has used the course for practices. A few of the teams in the championship have played the course at some time in the last eight months. Wake Forest head coach Jesse Haddock said the course will provide a challenge for all players in the four-day tourney, but he believes the seasoned players will do better. Though many have said Wake has the "home course advantage" by playing at Bermuda Run, Haddock said the pressure has actually increased because his team is playing for the championship so close to home. Haddock said the Bermuda Run course isn't tricky, but "you've still got to think on this golf course." He predicted the first round of play will be cautious and slow. "I don't think this is a course anyone can burn up for four straight rounds. They will score according to how well they play," Haddock said. After Friday's third round of play, the field will be cut to the top 15 teams, and the top 25 individuals out of 186. Tie scores will be included in the final cutoff. In preliminary action on Tuesday, a group of golfers from the Western schools defeated the Eastern schools, capturing 13 of the first 14 matches.

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Mariner's Bochte Relaxes Bombs Kansas City Pitching

By BOB GREENE
AP Sports Writer

If American League pitchers appear tense, it could be because Bruce Bochte is more relaxed.

"I think it's all psychological," Bochte said after Tuesday night's 12-11 Seattle Mariners victory over the Kansas City Royals in 12 innings. "I'm just more relaxed this year."

Relaxed at the plate, Bochte slammed a home run, a triple and two singles, driving in six

runs. "In the past, with runners on base, I would get tensed up," the Seattle first baseman said. "Now I'm approaching it from the standpoint that I'm gonna do what I'm gonna do and that's that."

In other AL games Tuesday, Boston defeated Baltimore 7-5; Cleveland stopped Toronto 8-6; Milwaukee clobbered California 7-1, the New York Yankees outlasted Detroit 12-8, the Chicago White Sox edged

Oakland 5-4 and Texas nipped Minnesota 4-3.

White Sox 5, A's 4
Jorge Orta's two-run homer in the eighth inning lifted Chicago over Oakland, snapping a three-game White Sox losing streak.

Lamar Johnson singled to start the eighth. After a sacrifice, Orta smashed his second homer of the season off loser Dave Heaverlo, 2-3.

Red Sox 7, Orioles 5
Fred Lynn's three-run homer

was the big blow as Boston scored seven runs in the second inning, then held on to beat Baltimore. Lynn, the AL home run leader, now has 14.

Billy Smith hit a three-run homer for the Orioles, whose East Division lead over the Red Sox was cut to one-half game. It was only the sixth loss in the last 29 games for the Orioles.

Yankees 12, Tigers 8
Chris Chambliss, Roy White, Jay Johnstone and Bucky Dent drove in two runs each and

Willie Randolph, Reggie Jackson and Jerry Narron each got one RBI as New York outslugged Detroit and gave Luis Tiant his first victory as a Yankee. New York battered Mark Fidrych, 0-3, and reliever Sheldon Burnside for eight runs and seven hits in the third inning.

Indians 8, Blue Jays 6
A grand slam homer by Andre Thornton was the big blow as Cleveland downed Toronto. It was Thornton's first grand slam of his career and sixth homer of the season. Eric Wilkins, 2-2, gained the victory in relief while Toronto starter Mark Lemongello, 1-6, took the loss.

Brewers 7, Angels 1
A five-run fifth inning, sparked by Paul Molitor's two-run single, backed Larry Sorensen's five-hitter as Milwaukee stopped California. Dick Davis also knocked in two runs for the Brewers, who won for only the second time in their last nine games and snapped the Angels' six-game winning streak.

Other previous winners are Bill Walton, Portland, Bob McAdoo, Buffalo, Dave Cowens, Boston, Willis Reed, New York, Wes Unseld, Baltimore, Oscar Robertson, Cincinnati, and Bob Cousy, Boston.



Nearly Blocked

J.R. Blackwell of The Butterfingers places a shot over the outstretched hands of a blocker for the Momma Seals of Friona. The Butterfingers defeated the Seals two straight and went on to win the Elks and Ekettes tournament by defeating Oglesby Equipment in finals. (Brand photo)

Indy Needs Leader

By WILL GRIMSLEY
AP Special Correspondent
Of people, places and things.
The finest ship can toss and tumble and wander off course when it loses the deft touch of its skipper, and such is the sad story of the controversy-riddled Indianapolis 500.

As long as Tony Hulman was alive, he kept operations on an even keel. Since his death 18 months ago, the nation's premier auto race has had nothing but trouble - a crack in the ranks of car owners and drivers, disqualifications, protests and law suits.

Continuing friction has thrown a smoke screen over next Sunday's speed orgy. The magic names that normally electrify the sports pages - the Unsers, Foyt, Rutherford and Johncock - have been overshadowed by affidavits, summonses and injunctions.

What the Indy 500 needs is a firm hand, such as Hulman wielded after he succeeded Eddie Rickenbacker in 1946.

Bobby Bragan, baseball's brash, cigar-chomping director of field operations, turned up with a bright phrase at the Lexington, Ky., salute last weekend to A.B. "Happy" Chandler, the former commissioner.

"America is fortunate to have had two Abies who were emancipators," he said. "Abie Lincoln, who freed the slaves, and A.B. Chandler, who opened the door for blacks in baseball."

Chandler, a feisty 80, gold of the problems in keeping the hot-headed Jackie Robinson in town - a necessity if the historical project were to succeed.

"Once Jackie came to me and complained that Leo Durocher had called him an SOB," Happy recalled. "I asked him, 'What did you do?' 'I called him an SOB right back,' replied Jackie. 'Good,' I said. 'Now you're even. Go on out there and play ball.'"

The late Bob Jones had his Calamity Jane, a famous hickory-shafted putting blade now ensconced in golf's Museum. Some day there may be another equally eminent club resting beside it - Nancy Lopez' tattered "Raggedy Ann."

"I've had the putter since I was 13," says the fetching princess of the women's tour, heading toward new money-winning records. "The grip is frayed and the squared palm area has shifted around to the side. I don't dare have a new grip installed. I just readjust."

Nancy says when she first began the game, she used a putter with a blade little wider

than the ball. "Then I got this Ray Cook mallet-head. It's on its last legs, but I wouldn't part with it for the world."

Tate Selected As New Texas A&M Director

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) - Marvin Tate interim athletic director at Texas A&M since Emory Ballard's abrupt resignation last October, has been appointed to the post on a full-time basis.

The university's board of regents, acting on the recommendation of the athletic council, promote Tate to the post Tuesday.

Tate, one of 27 survivors of Coach Bear Bryant's legendary 1954 training camp at Junction, Texas, will head a department with a \$3.5 million budget and

direct programs for 280 student athletes in eight intercollegiate men's sports and nine women's teams.

"Marvin Tate was a successful Houston businessman prior to joining the athletic department as associate director in 1967," said President Jarvis E. Miller, who recommended the promotion to the regents.

"His business background, and his excellent management of athletic programs and physical plant expansions, convinced us that he is one of the most qualified athletic

directors in the country today."

Tate - a starting Aggie guard when he attended the Bryant conditioning camp in Junction that became a legend in Texas sports - said he appreciates the confidence the athletic council, Miller and the board of regents showed in him.

"This is the highlight of my professional career. I am truly excited about the possibilities that we have to achieve athletic excellence at Texas A&M University," said Tate.

Tate, 46, is a native of Abilene, Texas.

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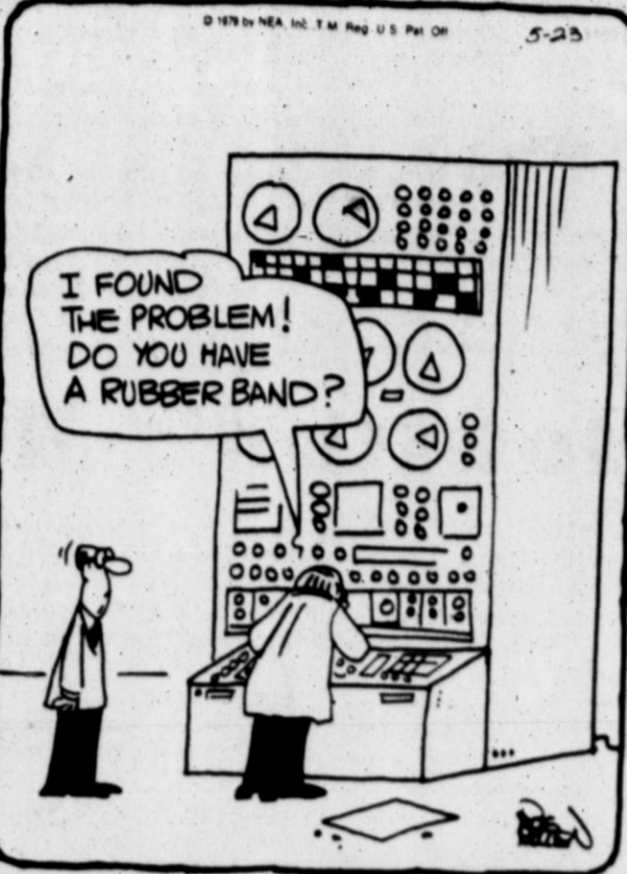
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HEALTH

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.
Varicose veins

DEAR DR. LAMB — I'd like some information on varicose veins. I'm 27 and I'm not overweight. My left leg seems to keep getting worse even though I wear support hose most of the time. My legs ache a lot. My question is this: Is it possible that the hose could be harming my legs? My right leg is O.K. I have two children and I tried to wear support hose through most of my pregnancy. I've become afraid to wear them now. My legs ache so bad. I'd appreciate any information you might have.

DEAR READER — Varicose veins are overstretched veins. Your veins have elastic fibers in them and when they become overstretched to the point that the elastic fibers don't work properly, they're permanently dilated. It's somewhat analogous to a balloon that's been blown up too many times until it won't snap back to its original form.

The veins in your leg contain tiny valves. These little flaps all open as the blood moves upward flowing toward your heart. If the blood starts to flow backward the flaps drop against each other and close the vein. These valves are important in maintaining the circulation in the veins in your leg.

These overstretched veins sometimes are stretched so much that these little valve flaps don't quite meet. As a result, they don't work well and so blood accumulates in the veins when you're standing upright. Blood runs downhill and downhill is from your heart level down. If you're lying on your back so that your legs are relatively at the same level as your heart, then this doesn't

happen and the swelling associated with varicose veins disappears.

I'm sending you The Health Letter number 5-8, Varicose Veins, to give you more details about the causes of varicose veins and what can be done about them. Other readers who want this issue can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Send your request to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

Support hose or pressure bandages such as the elastic bandages that athletes use wrapped around the ankles help to prevent swelling. They do this by creating external pressure outside the veins and compressing them. This helps prevent the dilation and accumulation of blood in the veins themselves.

Support hose should not increase the problem with your varicose veins in any way. The only trouble people get into is by using some kind of constricting garment. To illustrate this point, if you have an elastic garter around the top of a nylon, the garter may act as a light venous tourniquet and impede the flow of blood out of the veins toward your heart. You should never wear anything constricting from the heart down if you have varicose veins.

As The Health Letter I'm sending you explains, there is a family tendency toward having varicose veins. You were absolutely correct to wear support hose during your pregnancy. I wish all women would, particularly those who have a family history of varicose veins. It's also important for women who come from a family with such a history to wear support hose if their occupation requires prolonged sitting or prolonged standing.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I had a complete physical exam two years ago and the doctor found that I have arthritis of the spine. He gave me pills for the pain and a series of exercises to follow. I've been very pleased because my condition has improved. I no longer have the pains I used to have and I no longer take pills. I do continue to do the exercises and I'm quite active.

I'm concerned because my spine doesn't bend very much because of the arthritis. It's made the joints calcified and I'm not very flexible although I try to bend and stretch with the exercises. Is it possible to break up the calcium deposits in any way so the joints could again function somewhat like they used to? I'm a 48-year-old man and have suffered with arthritis for about 12 years. I don't care how long it takes but if it is possible to be more flexible, I'd like to work toward that goal.

DEAR READER — Your story sounds like you have a special form of rheumatoid arthritis that involves the spine. It's particularly apt to occur in young men. It may not be associated with arthritis of other joints although that's not a set rule.

It does behave a little bit different than the usual variety of rheumatoid arthritis. However, I'm sending you The Health Letter number 4-11, Rheumatoid Arthritis, to give you more information on this problem as it's related to your condition and the letter contains some comments about rheumatoid arthritis of the spine.

Other readers who want this issue can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Send your request to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019. It sounds like the treatment your doctor has given

you has been very good. Being pain free and being able to be active is an important achievement.

It's often impossible to avoid the spine becoming stiff and fused, regardless of what you do. Your best route to maintaining flexibility is through exercises. If a physical medicine department is available to you in your community, you might see a specialist in physical medicine and physiotherapy for additional advice and consultation about the forms of exercises that can be used to maintain as normal function as possible.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I have asked my doctor this very personal question but I would like a second opinion. I'm in my late 40s and in the menopause stage. I don't have any problems but I'm very nervous about birth control at this time in my life. I need to know when contraceptives are no longer necessary.

DEAR READER — Many women in this stage of life have that same question. It's a very sensible question because there are so many complications and undesirable features to birth control itself. If you're not likely to get pregnant anyway, there's not much reason to live with these problems.

The difficulty is in saying specifically in an individual's case that she will no longer get pregnant. Some doctors say that when a woman has finished the menopause and gone at least a year without any periods that she is most unlikely to get pregnant. If you want to be safe you probably should extend this period to two years after the last period. If you want to shorten that interval, you ought to see a doctor and let him examine you and give you his opinion as related to your specific case. Finally, there do not seem to be any reliable records of any woman getting pregnant after age 57.



"WHERE COULD THAT pesky mouse have hidden?" ponders a perplexed kitten. This shot of their cat-and-mouse game by 17-year-old Laura Shimotani of Honolulu was selected for the National 4-H Photo Exhibit sponsored by Kodak.

BARBS

Phil Pastoret

When you were 20, all the world was your oyster; after 40, you realize that all your life you've been allergic to seafood.

Medicine has yet to devise a way to operate on the pocketbook without extreme trauma to the patient.



They call 'em the "odds" because most of the bettors are pretty strange-looking characters, says our race-track expert.

Just look in the mirror, fellows, and you'll realize why girls kiss with their eyes closed. So says a close relative by marriage.

Charities Feeling Squeeze

By LOUISE COOK
Associated Press Writer

Inflation is putting the squeeze on American generosity.

Officials of major charities say they face a three-pronged problem: It is harder to raise money, costs are going up and appeals for help are increasing. "It's really rough," said Martin K. McNally, senior vice president of the United Way of Greater St. Louis. "We have been hit more and more for emergency situations related to things like being able to pay gas and electric bills."

The volunteer agencies are no longer able to keep up with requests for that kind of help. "We just don't have the money," McNally said. The chapter has raised \$21.3 million for 1979 — about 7 percent more than it did last year. "But it's not even coming close in terms of increased service requests," he said.

The picture varies from area to area and charity to charity. An Associated Press spot check showed, for example, that in Tucson, Ariz., where the economy is booming, charities

are in good shape. And the hardest-hit associations appear to be local, social service groups rather than organizations with national affiliations.

On a general basis, Fred Schnaue, director of public relations for the American Association of Fund-Raising Counsel Inc., said: "Charities are having a tough time."

Schnaue said, however, that "overall giving has risen." From 1977 to 1978, he said, contributions to charities increased 9.4 percent, a little more than the rate of inflation. Individuals gave \$32.8 billion to charity last year, 82.9 percent of the total and 11.4 percent more than in 1977.

The biggest chunk of the money — 45.6 percent — went to churches and religious groups, Schnaue said. Educational organizations got 14 percent, causes related to health and hospitals received 13.8 percent and the remaining money went to social welfare, the arts, civic groups, etc.

Schnaue said he could not predict what will happen in the coming year, but added:

"Obviously, the other components of the economy... hurt giving to some degree."

William Schweinler, executive director of the Kansas division of the American Cancer

Society, said his group normally can expect a year-to-year increase in contributions of 7 percent to 12 percent. "But we are working hard now just to keep even with last year."

CBS No. 1 In Late TV According To Poll

LOS ANGELES (AP) — For the first time since there has been such a thing as late-night television, NBC is not leading the ratings there. CBS, with a throw-together collection of movies and reruns has slipped ahead of the traditional late-evening leader.

That doesn't say enough. NBC didn't just lead in late-night programming, the network invented it. The "Tonight Show" broke ground when NBC moved it from local to network in 1954, and NBC has been the way in that spot ever since from Steve Allen through Jack Paar to Johnny Carson.

CBS' lead is only a fraction of a rating point, "not enough," concedes Arnold Becker, CBS' chief of research, "to make your eyeballs pop. But when you consider that we haven't even been close, in that sense, even a small lead is significant."

CBS' chief competition has always been ABC, with NBC far ahead of the pack. But for the period January through April, the late-night ratings read thus: CBS - 8.0, NBC - 7.9, ABC - 6.7.

CBS has been beating "Tonight" with reruns of "The Rockford Files" an NBC show, but CBS gets the reruns through

syndication, "M-A-S-H," "Barnaby Jones," movies and "The New Avengers."

What's happening here? "One of the reasons, and it's just my opinion," says Becker, "is that Johnny Carson isn't around all that much on NBC's 'Tonight Show'." It seems to me that that's got to play a role when he's not there. He's a very popular guy."

Indeed, Carson's frequent absence does seem to have a direct relation to the ratings of "Tonight." When he's on the show, NBC generally wins; when he's not, NBC falters. That fact was noted by NBC President Fred Silverman in a magazine interview a few months back, and is one of the reasons NBC so desperately wants to stop Carson from leaving the show, as he recently said he will.

Though late-night television doesn't draw nearly the number of viewers that prime-time does, it is an important time segment. It has been reported that "Tonight" alone accounted for 17 percent of NBC's pre-tax profits last year.

With Carson's show faltering, CBS and ABC are beginning to take a serious look at late-night TV.

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Religions Of All Kinds Found In United States Culture

NEW YORK (AP) — The "religions" of America have become a vast, miscellaneous swarm, ranging from the historically rooted faiths to the new and strangely exotic ones.

Among the many peculiar brands:

The "Discordian Society" worshipping Eris, the goddess of chaos, and dedicated to anarchy; the "Psychedelic Venus Church" idolizing drugs and sex; the "Never Dies" who maintain they are endlessly reincarnated with their same identities.

"I haven't verified whether they've been able to pull that one off," says the Rev. Dr. J. Gordon Melton, a United Methodist minister who is probably the most widely and directly informed expert on the nation's modern religious potpourri.

"We've got all kinds," he says. "A lot of them have been hidden."

He's spent the last 16 years in research, mingling with witches' covens, combing occult publications and ads, checking out Satanist, Druids, Flying Saucer believers and others around the country, gathering facts about their lifestyles, organizations and ideas.

It's like "detective" work, he notes in the foreword of his two-volume, 1,200-page "The Encyclopedia of American Religions," published this spring by McGraw Publishing Company, Wilmington, N.C.

The compilation, the most comprehensive, modern summary yet amassed of religious groups in this country, deals with 1,203 of them, five times more than the 223 listed in standard directories.

Of the total, he says more than half, about 700 to 800 of them, have been started since 1965, mostly in the early 1970's, with the rest being mainly in the Protestant, Catholic, Orthodox and Jewish traditions.

The regular bodies, as well as the unfamiliar ones, are included. Of the little-known, unconventional groups, he said in an interview:

"A number of them are very shallow, religiously off base and don't offer members anything beyond friends to get

together with. Most of these will die out.

"There's very definitely some deception in some of them, but it surprised me there's not more of it since it's such a lucrative field. So many people are gullible and have never worked through their dependency problems."

However, Melton, 36, who also is a pastor of Evanston's Emmanuel, United Methodist Church, takes a carefully objective position in his descriptions of the various groups, avoiding any personal evaluations or condemnations.

He said a "new push" of religious proliferation characterized the early 1970's, such periods occur cyclically about

every 25 years, he said, typically accompanied by economic pinch, high birth rates and in the wake of social stresses, such as the late 1960's.

But the latest surge of religiosity now has passed, he said, and most of the new groups stopped growing about a year ago, with many of them declining.

SAKELL NAMED

NEW YORK (AP) — Edith B. Sakell has been named director of public relations of the New-York Historical Society.

Mrs. Sakell was formerly a member of the public-relations staff of the Hudson River Museum, Yonkers, N.Y.



POLLY'S POINTERS

Polly Cramer

Thread keeps knotting POLLY'S PROBLEM

DEAR POLLY — Do you know of anything that will keep the thread from tangling and knotting when one is sewing by hand? — LEAH
DEAR LEAH — Try threading your needle with the end that is still on the spool and then cut or break the thread to the desired length. Also, while sewing one can dampen the fingers and run them down the length of the thread. — POLLY

DEAR POLLY — Never throw away old socks that have good ribbed tops. They are great to use on pajamas the children have outgrown. Sew cut-off tops to the wrists and ankles of such pajamas. Doubled they also work great on the sleeves of school coats. — ELSIE

DEAR POLLY — I have been painting with oil paints for a couple of years and had trouble with paint on my clothes until a fellow painter suggested rubbing mechanic's waterless hand soap on such spots before laundering. This works like a charm even on old spots that have been washed. — M.P.

DEAR POLLY — To avoid dangerous slips and falls on the ladder to your swimming pool apply adhesive backed rubber flowers that are made for bathtubs.

If you spill something on your clothes while eating out ask the waiter for a glass of club soda, dip a napkin in it and then sponge the spot away. — BOBBIE

DEAR POLLY — When making a trip to the laundromat, pour powdered detergent in a sock and knot the top. When needed, unknit the top and pour into the washer. When liquid detergent is used, saturate the measured amount into a washcloth and leave the bulky container at home. A washcloth can also be saturated with liquid fabric softener and tossed in the dryer. By dampening the cloth this can be used again. — CAROL

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BY PHILIP SEFF, P.D. & DAVID BAER II

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Sep 3.65 3.66 3.69 3.66 +0.03
Nov 3.70 3.71 3.73 3.71 +0.02
Dec 3.75 3.76 3.78 3.76 +0.02
Mar 3.85 3.86 3.88 3.86 +0.02
May 3.95 3.96 3.98 3.96 +0.02
Sales Mon. 7,000
Total open interest Mon. 34,776, up 509 from Fri.

CORN
\$1.00 bu. dollars per bu.
Jul 2.00 2.01 2.04 2.01 -0.01
Sep 2.04 2.05 2.08 2.05 -0.01
Nov 2.10 2.11 2.13 2.11 -0.01
Dec 2.15 2.16 2.18 2.16 -0.01
Mar 2.25 2.26 2.28 2.26 -0.01
May 2.35 2.36 2.38 2.36 -0.01
Sales Mon. 32,744
Total open interest Mon. 165,324, up 3,479 from Fri.

OATS
\$1.00 bu. dollars per bu.
Jul 1.41 1.41 1.43 1.41 -0.01
Sep 1.45 1.45 1.47 1.45 -0.01
Nov 1.47 1.47 1.48 1.46 -0.01
Dec 1.47 1.47 1.48 1.47 -0.01
Mar 1.50 1.50 1.51 1.49 -0.01
May 1.52 1.52 1.53 1.51 -0.01
Sales Mon. 425
Total open interest Mon. 4,976, up 23 from Fri.

SOYBEANS
\$1.00 bu. dollars per bu.
Jul 7.42 7.44 7.57 7.42 +0.02
Sep 7.46 7.48 7.61 7.46 +0.02
Nov 7.50 7.52 7.64 7.50 -0.01
Dec 7.54 7.56 7.67 7.54 -0.01
Mar 7.58 7.60 7.71 7.58 -0.01
May 7.62 7.64 7.75 7.62 -0.01
Sales Mon. 32,908
Total open interest Mon. 118,842, up 4,068 from Fri.

CATTLE FUTURES

CHICAGO (AP) — Futures trading on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange Tuesday —
Open High Low Close Chg

LIVE SHEEP CATTLE
45,000 lbs. cwt. per lb.
Jul 72.50 73.50 73.75 73.50 +.25
Aug 71.50 72.50 72.75 72.50 +.25
Oct 70.50 71.50 71.75 71.50 +.25
Dec 71.50 72.50 72.75 72.50 +.25
Jan 72.50 73.50 73.75 73.50 +.25
Feb 73.50 74.50 74.75 74.50 +.25
Apr 74.50 75.50 75.75 75.50 +.25
Aug 75.50 76.50 76.75 76.50 +.25
Oct 76.50 77.50 77.75 77.50 +.25
Est. sales: 32,105; sales Mon. 22,185
Total open interest Mon. 68,676, up 35 from Fri.

FEDERAL CATTLE
45,000 lbs. cwt. per lb.
Jul 62.50 63.50 63.75 63.50 +.25
Aug 61.50 62.50 62.75 62.50 +.25
Oct 60.50 61.50 61.75 61.50 +.25
Nov 61.50 62.50 62.75 62.50 +.25
Dec 62.50 63.50 63.75 63.50 +.25
Jan 63.50 64.50 64.75 64.50 +.25
Feb 64.50 65.50 65.75 65.50 +.25
Apr 65.50 66.50 66.75 66.50 +.25
Aug 66.50 67.50 67.75 67.50 +.25
Oct 67.50 68.50 68.75 68.50 +.25
Est. sales: 1,522; sales Mon. 3,220
Total open interest Mon. 30,162, up 149 from Fri.

LIVE HOGS
35,000 cwt. per lb.
Jul 45.50 46.50 46.75 46.50 +.25
Aug 44.50 45.50 45.75 45.50 +.25
Oct 43.50 44.50 44.75 44.50 +.25
Nov 44.50 45.50 45.75 45.50 +.25
Dec 45.50 46.50 46.75 46.50 +.25
Jan 46.50 47.50 47.75 47.50 +.25
Feb 47.50 48.50 48.75 48.50 +.25
Apr 48.50 49.50 49.75 49.50 +.25
Aug 49.50 50.50 50.75 50.50 +.25
Oct 50.50 51.50 51.75 51.50 +.25
Est. sales: 5,771; sales Mon. 1,220
Total open interest Mon. 38,408, up 312 from Fri.

RUSSETT-SUBBANK POTATOES

No open trading
SWELL, 50000
\$2.00 cwt. cwt. per cwt.

Jul 52.50 53.50 53.75 53.50 +.25
Aug 51.50 52.50 52.75 52.50 +.25
Sep 50.50 51.50 51.75 51.50 +.25
Oct 49.50 50.50 50.75 50.50 +.25
Nov 48.50 49.50 49.75 49.50 +.25
Dec 47.50 48.50 48.75 48.50 +.25
Jan 46.50 47.50 47.75 47.50 +.25
Feb 45.50 46.50 46.75 46.50 +.25
Apr 44.50 45.50 45.75 45.50 +.25
Aug 43.50 44.50 44.75 44.50 +.25
Oct 42.50 43.50 43.75 43.50 +.25
Est. sales: 55, sales Mon. 1774, up 36 from Fri.

PORK BELLS
35,000 cwt. per lb.
Jul 50.50 51.50 51.75 51.50 +.25
Aug 49.50 50.50 50.75 50.50 +.25
Sep 48.50 49.50 49.75 49.50 +.25
Oct 47.50 48.50 48.75 48.50 +.25
Nov 46.50 47.50 47.75 47.50 +.25
Dec 45.50 46.50 46.75 46.50 +.25
Jan 44.50 45.50 45.75 45.50 +.25
Feb 43.50 44.50 44.75 44.50 +.25
Apr 42.50 43.50 43.75 43.50 +.25
Aug 41.50 42.50 42.75 42.50 +.25
Oct 40.50 41.50 41.75 41.50 +.25
Est. sales: 4,102; sales Mon. 5,197
Total open interest Mon. 11,743, up 221 from Fri.

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Colombian Nightmare Not Over For Houston Man

RIOHACHA, Colombia (AP) - Texas pilot Roy McLemore says he was certain his kidnapers were going to kill him, but God saved him and he's ready for church after being robbed, shot at and held nine days in the rolling desert and seven more in a house full of screaming kids.

McLemore wept after he escaped from the house in the northern Colombian town of Maicao and jumped into an army jeep.

"I've never been a religious man," he said, "but I think I'm going to start going to church."

McLemore's escape Tuesday didn't mean the end of his problems. He was put in a steaming, fly-infested jail in this

waterfront hangout for Colombian dope smugglers and charged with illegally entering the country's airspace. His co-pilot, Houston fireman William Spradley, is hospitalized with a bullet in the back and faces the same charge.

McLemore was interviewed last week by The Associated Press in the back of a pickup truck while being taken from an army base to the jail. This was his story:

He and Spradley, who flies in his spare time to make extra money, were en route from Miami to Venezuela April 29 to pick up some oil-drilling bits when engine trouble forced them to land on Colombia's Guajira Peninsula.

Tons of marijuana are flown out daily to the United States from desert airstrips on the peninsula, and rival gangs there frequently shoot American pilots if they land at the wrong airstrip and rob them of the thousands of dollars in cash they carry to pay for the drug.

"People came from every direction, grabbing our billfolds, watches, and things out of the plane, too, even the spare oil. They were like starving people who find some meat."

"Bill and I jumped into one of the trucks these people had and took off. I was driving and two other trucks were chasing us. Ours got bogged down and one of the men ran up to Bill's side and fired four shots - bam, bam,

bam, bam. Bill got hit. There was blood all over the place. Then they pulled us out and threw us down on the sand. Bill's blood was all over me so I guess they thought they had shot me, too, but I wasn't hit. Anyway they drove off and left us there to die, they thought."

They lay in the desert for 30 or 45 minutes when they saw vehicle lights approaching.

"I thought it was them coming back to finish the job. I thought we were goners for sure. These people got out and stood around us jabbering for maybe half an hour and it finally dawned on me that they weren't the same people."

The people were Indians, and McLemore used the few words

of Spanish he knew trying to get Spradley to a hospital. The Indians loaded the wounded man into the back of a pickup truck and took him to a clinic in a village about two hours away. Then they took McLemore to "a hut, a little shack made out of sticks. They gave me water and put up a hammock for me that night."

The next day three tough-looking characters showed up and in some broken English told me they wanted to know who in the United States they could call to demand a ransom. Then they took me to another shack about an hour and a half away and stuck me in a goat-killing pen with nothing but cactus around as far as you could see."

McLemore said he was there

nine days. Whenever his two guards heard one of the army helicopters that make regular trips over the desert "they would whip out their guns and make me run into cactus and hide as long as half an hour. I got cactus spines into me all over, and God, it has hot."

But McLemore said in general he was treated and fed well. His captors brought him ice water from a nearby shack, cold soft drinks, cans of meat, crackers, bread and cigarettes.

"Then some men came and gave me back everything from my billfold except the money," he went on. "There was a blank check of mine and they made me sign it for \$100,000."

After nine days he was taken to a house about two hours away in the small town of Maicao,

another haven for smugglers close to the Venezuelan border.

"It was three rooms and there were 10 people living there. I guess six of them were kids and there was one old woman. They were very nice to me and I think the kidnapers, at least from the way they seemed to be threatening the family, had threatened to kill all of them if they didn't keep me there."

"Two of the people would sleep in the kitchen and the other eight slept on pieces of cardboard in my room. There was a sheet they draped from the ceiling to separate my part of the room from theirs. I never saw any guns among the people who were living there. It was only the other men who came almost every day and threatened to kill me if something wasn't

done to ransom me who had guns."

"I spent the days listening to the screaming kids and the people in the house shouting to make themselves heard over the radio that was going full blast, and I wondered if I was going to make it out alive" he said.

McLemore escaped after Dale Everitt, a representative of Houston fire department who flew to Colombia to try to get Spradley released, negotiated with the kidnapers. Everitt found out where he was being kept, five Colombian soldiers dressed in civilian clothes drove by, and McLemore, who had been tipped off in a telephone conversation with Everitt, burst through the door of the house and jumped into their jeep.

Beef Provides Profit To Investors Through Entire 18 Months Of Life

CHAMBERLAIN, S.D. (AP) - Half a dozen people will try to make a profit on a baby calf in its 18-month life, from birth to the supermarket meat counter.

A full-grown steer provides meat and by-products valued at about \$1,150, out of which must come the costs of feeding, transporting and processing it - along with hoped-for profit at each step.

The president of one large meat packing company claims he is losing money on beef, and supermarkets say they are only breaking even on it.

But these are prosperous days for the rancher.

"I would not apologize for the price of meat," said Bob Healey, a Chamberlain rancher. "Cattle are just getting to the level where they should be. Ranchers have to have profit incentive or we'll just say to hell with it."

Many ranchers called it quits five years ago when prices were low. Drought in the next three years decimated feed supplies and more ranchers sold off their herds. The U.S. Department of Agriculture estimates beef supplies will be far below demand for at least two years.

But ranchers make the most money these days on a calf, investing about \$360 until the day it leaves its mother's side. At prices earlier this week, they stand to make about \$80 a head at that stage.

Here are Healey's costs to raise one weaned calf: Yearly taxes, interest and depreciation on one cow, \$99.52; feed, \$193.00; breeding and veterinary services \$22.00; marketing and transportation \$10.00; buildings and equipment, \$10.95; and \$25 for his labor at \$5 an hour for a total of \$360.47.

"I'd need 81 cents a pound for a 440-pound calf to break even - figuring a 100 percent calf crop. And you can't count on every cow having a calf or all of them living," he said. On Monday, calves sold for about \$1 a pound.

Healey's calf sells for \$440 to another rancher called a backgrounder, who spends \$80 to raise the animal to 650 pounds. And he can sell it to a feeder for \$559, turning a \$39 profit.

The feeder spends \$147 fattening the steer to 1,000-pound market weight and sells it

for about \$715, making \$9 a head.

Jim Woster of the Sioux Falls Stockyards, the nation's third-largest livestock market, said the high beef demand is profitable for the rancher but low supply hurts the processor.

"Feeders want to point the finger at the packer and say, 'Boyl, they're really raking it in,'" Woster said. "But really, they're losing money on cattle kills to the point that some of them are closing down."

John Morrell and Co., one of the five largest meat packers in the nation, has no plans to close down. But its president, Donald Slotkin, said the cattle operation is losing money.

"The farmer is making a lot of money on his cattle right now with low prices for feed grain and record high prices for cattle. But at the time we need the cattle the most to meet consumer demand, they're holding cattle back for breeding," Slotkin said.

Morrell's kills cattle at 10 of its 17 plants nationwide with the slaughter rate down 60 percent in recent weeks.

Gary Wasson, meat manager at a Hinky Dinky supermarket in Sioux Falls, said about 30 percent of the carcass is useless.

"We trim off the fat and bone and sell it to a rendering company for 3 cents a pound," he said. That nets the store \$4.50 an animal.

Healey's steer is now 450 pounds of meat and - after accounting for what's trimmed away - each pound is worth \$1.51. Wasson said the average price for all beef cuts under cellophane, often represented by the price of round steak, has been about \$2.30 a pound.

That gives the grocery store .79 cents a pound to cover costs and make a profit.

"Someone did a survey once that showed most people think our profit is 20-30 percent. Actually, our store nets only 1.5 percent to 2 percent on the dollar," Wasson said.

Sale prices for beef are often below the store's cost, he said.

"This is the big thing the consumer doesn't know," he said. "So many people are living off the price of beef."

Energy Use Gain Lower Than Economic Growth

HOUSTON (AP) - An oil industry study group says energy demand growth in 1979 will lag the gain anticipated for economic activity.

"This will be the fifth straight year that energy consumption has risen more slowly than economic activity, reversing the trend of the pre-embargo period," the group reports.

The supply and demand committee of the Independent Petroleum Association of America expects energy consumption to rise about 2 percent, compared to the forecast of a 2.5 percent gain for real gross national product.

In its mid-year report, the committee attributes the lower energy growth to continuing fuel conservation, constrained oil supplies, and the possibility of mandated federal government conservation such as heating and cooling temperature controls assumes more

normal weather conditions as opposed to the much colder than normal temperatures of 1978.

Oil demand, which accounts for about half the total energy requirements, and requirements for natural gas are expected to increase by less than 1 percent.

In late 1978, the committee had forecast a slight 1979 decline in natural gas demand but now attributes the change to the diversion of surplus supplies in producing states to consuming states.

Reflecting the Three Mile Island accident and other plant closings for safety reasons, nuclear generation growth is expected to be only 7.1 percent this year compared with 10.6 percent in 1978.

Barring extreme weather patterns, hydropower electricity production is expected to increase slightly, above 1977 levels.

Coal consumption is expected to rise 5 percent, compared with last year's no growth status that resulted from the strike by mine workers.

The committee says oil availability will be constrained this year because of tight worldwide supplies, adding that the first quarter shortfall reduced some refined products inventories to dangerously low levels.

Although the resumption of crude exports by Iran is encouraging, the committee rates the availability of crude oil worldwide remains uncertain.

"Accordingly, it will be difficult for the oil industry to meet prevailing demands and to rebuild inventories to adequate levels," the study group reports.

"The recurrence of spot shortages is symptomatic of the tight crude oil supply situation. In the event of a major disruption of crude oil production, serious economic consequences could result."

The committee expects domestic crude oil production to average 8,631,000 barrels a day

this year compared with 8,700,000 last year. Production from Alaska's Prudhoe Bay region is expected to increase by 139,000 barrels a day but output from other states is forecast to decline by 209,000 a day.

Crude imports are forecast to average 6,543,000 barrels a day, compared with 6,071,000 last year. Products imports are forecast at 2,031,000 barrels, compared with 1,996,000 in 1978.

Motor gasoline demand is projected to average 7,494,000 barrels a day, about 1 percent above 1978, but the committee says usage could be longer.

"The forecast is contingent on crude availability, and only slightly less than normal driving patterns," the committee adds.

"Driving could be reduced more than anticipated because of spot gasoline shortages, uncertainty of supply, and the impact of higher prices."

The committee says another uncertainty is the impact of reduced gasoline production this summer so that refineries can rebuild heating fuel inventories prior to the start of the winter season.

Aviation fuel oil demand is forecast to increase only 1.2 percent because airline firms are eliminating marginal routes and flights and because of the anticipated economic slowdown later in the year.

"The committee says light and heavy fuel oil demand will be impacted by the greater availability of natural gas."

Middle distillate requirements are expected to rise only 1 percent, compared with a 3.4 percent growth last year. Residual fuel demand is expected to decline a second straight year, falling 4 percent below the 1978 level.

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