

Tax Rate Lowered; Collections To Increase

School Board Approves Higher Budget

By **BOBBY TEMPLETON**
Brand News Editor

It was a guessing game for the Hereford School Board of Trustees as

they tried to arrive at an equitable school district tax rate during a regular meeting Tuesday night.

After wrestling with the problem for about an hour, the school board decided

on total 11.9 per cent increase in taxes resulting from a tax rate of \$1.46 per \$100 of assessed valuation and a 60 per cent assessment ratio. The board had contemplated a rate of \$1.48, but it was

considered slightly higher than was necessary for the coming year's expenses.

THE BOARD APPROVED a total

budget for 1976-77 amounting to \$5,338,000 which is \$253,650 above the last year when it amounted to \$5,084,000. It is based on 239 personnel unit for the state aid program.

The primary sources of revenue are as follows: taxes - \$2,585,000; tuition for patrons, \$17,500; interest and other local sources, \$48,500; net foundation funds (state aid), \$2,607,800; vocational funds, \$36,000; Other state sources, \$22,000; Walcott transfers, \$13,500 and miscellaneous and other sources, \$26,500.

The larger expenses are instruction, \$3,827,000; instructional materials, \$101,000; school administration, \$322,500; guidance services, \$181,000; student services, \$65,000; general

administration \$229,500; and plant maintenance and operation, \$502,500.

The trustees accepted an amended budget for 1975-76 of \$5,084,000. The original budget was for an even \$5 million. Increases resulted from similar increased reflected in the new budget.

Clark Andrews, trustee, swiftly moved that the new tax rate be set following the lengthy discussion. James Gentry, trustee, seconded the motion. David Hutchins, trustee, moved for approval of the budget. Both were approved unanimously.

Lynton Allred, trustee, noted that the tax rate was as low as it could go and

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Weeding Out Yard

It's cleanup time for those boys involved in a fund raising project for the mini-bike program sponsored by the County Juvenile Probation office. They are cleaning up alleys and yards for area residents at a negotiated fee to raise money to

pay for the mini-bike program and other projects of the Juvenile office. The cleanup is directed by Jose Vasques, at right with a load of weeds. He directs the mini-bike program.

(Brand Photo)

Mini-Bike Riders Enjoy Fruits Of Cleaning Up Yards, Alleys

Summer is a time when most 12-year-old boys are enjoying swimming or fishing under the hot, Texas sun, not working at an arduous task.

About 20 participants of the Deaf Smith County Juvenile Probation Office mini-bike program would rather hoe and dig than swim and fish during the remaining summer days so that they can earn enough funds to pay off expenses of their program. Their project is that of cleaning up local alleys and yards, whether they contain paper and trash or weeds.

Under the direction of Phil Sciumbato, the newly appointed Juvenile Probation

Officer, the mini-bike program will not fail even though it has outstanding bills.

"We need to pay off some insurance on the bikes and travel bus, and provide for other programs of the (Juvenile) office," he said.

Jose Vasques, an assistant under Sciumbato, actually supervises the work crews, who use their own hoes, rakes and other tools to clear away customers' property. Each project is estimated for cost depending on the amount of work involved.

Sciumbato explained that the program involved both those on probation and those who are not. "In fact, we

encourage any boy to take part since only a percentage of the participants need to be on probation."

In the meantime, customers are needed more than participants so that the program will continue. It involves about 45 boys and 28 mini-bikes, donated by Honda Motorcycles through the cooperation of the Pro-Sport Center of Hereford. Most of the boys are 12-14-years-old with a few older ones who repair the bikes according to Vasques.

Sciumbato said those needing the services of the boys should call the Juvenile Probation office at 364-1353. Each job is priced and boys work about two or three hours a day to complete the assigned task.

The boys receive training on the correct method of riding bikes so that they can safely enjoy their riding. A big part of the program is teaching them responsibilities which go along with the fun. Sciumbato explained, "We plan to continue this program, but progress to other ones as soon as it is financially secure," he said.

Vasques said a building, which is used in conjunction with the mini-bike program, is in need of furniture and other fixtures. "People can also help out this way."

Sciumbato noted that the funds collected of the alley and yard-cleaning project are charitable donations for the boys as well as a payment for a service. "We feel like the boys are providing the town with a needed service (cleaning the public alleys) as well as earning money. It's a benefit in two ways."

If you see a group of boys smiling while working hard at cleaning up a local yard, it's a natural situation. They are enjoying what they're doing because it benefits their wanted program.

Hospital Board Decreases Tax Rate To 21 Cents

The Deaf Smith County Hospital District board of directors unanimously approved a decrease in its tax rate from 25 cents per \$100 of assessed valuation to 21 cents per \$100 during a monthly meeting Tuesday morning at the Deaf Smith General Hospital.

The rate is based on county valuations and the county assessment ratio of 24 per cent of all appraised values. Since the county was involved in the recent reappraisal program, the hospital should benefit from the higher tax base.

Also, the board accepted its annual budget which covers a fiscal from Oct. 1, 1976 to September 30, 1977.

The rate established for the district breaks down as follows: 13 cents for the bond interest and sinking fund, 6.4 cents for the public health clinic, and a

remaining \$8,000 for other district expenses.

The total budget equals \$1,135,000 compared with the 1976 budget total of \$1,487,875. The decrease resulted mostly from the decreased utilization of hospital facilities by patients. An upturn is expected in the future.

Total revenues of the budget amount to \$1,224,800 as opposed to \$1,550,075 the year before. Most of it results from net patients service charges of \$1,143,000 and other revenue of \$81,800.

Taxes bring in about \$192,000 of the revenue. The beginning balance for the revenue is \$109,000.

Disbursements by the hospital are anticipated to amount to \$1,268,000. This leaves an ending balance of \$194,000 after the deductions from revenue and loss on accounts are computed.

Police Receive Theft Reports

Reports of three thefts were received by the Hereford Police Department Tuesday, with one of the incidents involving four juveniles.

\$105 was reported taken from the cash register at the ARCA Service Station at Plains and Hwy 385 Tuesday. The owner of the station reported that four juveniles approached him about purchasing some tires. After going outside to show them some tires he heard the cash register being opened, and rushed inside to see one of the juveniles running from the scene.

A police spokesman said the suspect

was still being sought Wednesday morning.

Jimmy Luckey, of Apartment 18 at the Bluewater Gardens, told police Tuesday that a tool box containing about \$60 worth of tools had been taken from the back of his pickup sometime in the two past two days.

Mrs. J.F. Hickman of 115 E. 15th reported that thieves broke into her house sometime between July 30 and Tuesday. Mrs. Hickman told police she had been out of town for two weeks, and discovered the break-in when she returned home.

Taken from the house were two ladies wristwatches, a large piece of Turquoise, and a .22 caliber pistol valued at \$45.

Reward Offered For Air Pack

The Hereford Fire Department is offering a reward of \$50 for the return of the department's air pack.

The \$600 piece of merchandise was lost this week following a run by the department vehicles out to a wash down gasoline from an overturned truck on Highway 1055 north of Easter. The fire truck turned toward Hereford and discovered it was missing from the vehicle. They returned to search for it but could not find it, Jay Spain, fire marshal said.

The air pack is a vital part of the equipment used by the volunteer firemen.

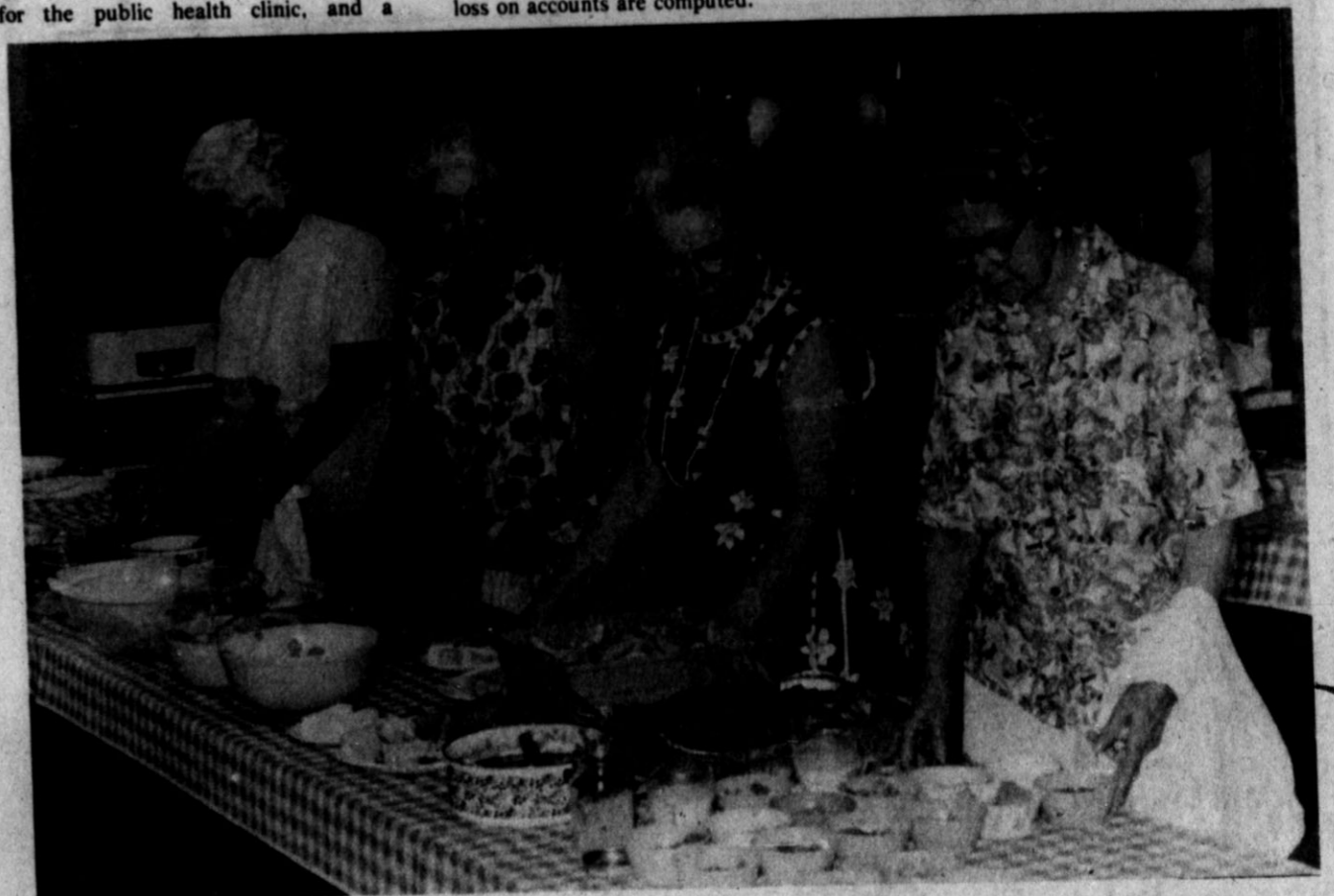
"If anyone finds it, we wish they would return it as soon as possible," he said.

United Way Hearings Set

The budget and admissions committee of Deaf Smith County United Way will meet tonight and Thursday night to consider budget requests from agencies included in the community-funding organization.

James Gentry, budget committee chairman, announced the committee will study budgets of the participating agencies and consider any new admissions. Representatives from participating budgets, as well as giving information on the past year's operations.

Following the meetings, the budget and admissions committee will present its report to the United Way board of directors, and the goal for the 1977 campaign will be approved. Lynton Allred is president of the United Way this year.



Good old West Texas food went fast at the annual harvest dinner which was held Tuesday at the American Legion Hall. Among such delights served by members of the Hereford Legion Auxiliary, Unit No. 192, were home cooked meat,

vegetables, salads, breads and desserts, all made from products grown in the local area. Proceeds from the project will go to the American Legion Auxiliary scholarship fund. Through the fund, a number of local girls have obtained assistance.

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Housing Turns Downward

WASHINGTON (AP) - The housing industry has taken a midyear tailspin and one expert thinks it is now virtually impossible for the industry to mount a solid recovery this year.

The Commerce Department reported Tuesday that the number of new housing unit starts in July fell by 9.2 per cent to an annual rate of 1.387 million after seasonal adjustment.

The July figure was 14.9 per cent above a year earlier.

Popsicle Not A Meal

BOSTON (AP) - A Superior Court judge has decreed what parents have told youngsters for years - a Popsicle is not a meal. The ruling came Tuesday from Judge Joseph S. Mitchell Jr., whose decision means that the Commonwealth of Massachusetts cannot slap its 8 per cent meals tax on the frozen treats.

The legal fight erupted because a 17-year-old Newton ice cream truck driver decided he did not want to start charging his customers extra for Popsicles.

Billions Bid For Oil

NEW YORK (AP) - The oil industry has bid \$1.13 billion - nearly twice what the Interior Department expected - to search for oil and natural gas off the Atlantic Coast for the first time.

Interior Department officials had estimated the Atlantic Coast tracts would bring between \$400 million and \$600 million in bids. The oil industry has been waiting for years to search beneath Atlantic Coast waters.

The bidding was to have started at 10 a.m. Tuesday, but had to wait.

Soviet Plan Unrealistic

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Soviet Union's current five-year plan is called "unusually restrained and realistic" in a Central Intelligence Agency analysis that also says the plan could lead to serious economic problems in the 1980s.

The newly released study estimates that during 1976-80 the Soviet gross national product - the total value of goods and services - will grow at an annual rate of about 4 per cent, lower than the 5 per cent growth rate projected by the Kremlin.

weather

West Texas: Scattered showers and thunderstorms mainly south Friday through Sunday with no significant change in temperatures. Highest 80s and 90s. Lowest 60s and 70s except 50s in mountain areas.

SUNNY



Let's Cook Local Family Enjoys Outdoor Activities

By SANDY PANKEY
Brand Staff Writer

FUN in the sun describes the way the Sparky Stephens family of 105 Aspen feels about summer activities.

Stephens, who brands cattle at Hereford Feed Yard, team ropes during the summer and his wife and son, six-year-old Billy, consider this activity one of their pastimes.

"I hate to think that summer is almost over," explains the pretty brunette, "because I love to water ski and swim. In fact when we aren't at ropings, we spend a good deal of time at Ute Lake."

The vivacious homemaker has been a member of Kappa Iota Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority for four years and the family attends Central Church of Christ.

PAM DAVIS before her marriage in 1968, moved to the Simms Community with her husband in 1969 from her hometown of Slaton. While living in the country, Stephens

was a rancher.

The family moved to town approximately two and a half years ago.

Mrs. Stephens graduated from Slaton High School and attended West Texas State University for two years. A current hobby she enjoys is making macrame wall hangings and macrame plant hangers.

TWO FAVORITE recipes the family likes are Maple Pecan Pie and Smothered Steak.

MAPLE PEAN PIE

1 can Eagle Brand milk
1/2 cup maple syrup
1/8 tsp. salt
3/4 cup chopped pecans

Blend milk, syrup and salt in heavy sauce pan. Cook over low heat stirring occasionally until thick. Next, let the mixture cook and then add pecans.

Pour in graham cracker crust and top with whipped cream and garnish with toasted coconut. Chill before serving.

SMOTHERED STEAK

1 round steak

1 small onion
2 medium bell peppers
2 tomatoes
seasoned salt and pepper
1 can golden mushroom soup and water

Brown floured meat then saute with all the vegetables and soup. (Potatoes, carrots and celery maybe added if desired). Let simmer approximately 1 hour before serving.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS

Dorey Alomon, 419 Star; Maria Baiza, 723 Ave. H.; Thelma Brewton, 221 Ave. E.; Mary Carrizales, 135 Ave. H.; Maria Castillo, Route 3.

Ernest Clark, 620 Irving; Willie Daniel, 510 W. Fourth; Mary Frye, P.O. Box 21.

DISMISSALS

Fernando Davila.

A two-pound box of sliced bacon usually contains from 35 to 45 slices. A good buy when you are feeding a crowd.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Capt. and Mrs. Larry Stoerner of Almgordo, N.M. are the parents of a son, Scott Alan, born August 3. He weighed 7 lbs. 10 oz.

The Stoerners have a daughter, Sandra. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stoerner of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Barbian of Kress.

Soft cheese such as cottage and cream should be served cold from the refrigerator. Semi-soft cheese tastes best when served at room temperature.

Delightful fruit dessert: stewed rhubarb served over sliced bananas and fresh orange sections.

WHO'S NEW

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Charles Smart of 705 E. Third are the parents of a son, Matthew Wiley, born August 13. He weighed 8 lbs. 2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Juan Angel Carrizales of 135 Ave. H. are the parents of a daughter, Consuelo Victoria, born August 14. She weighed 7 lbs. 1 1/2 oz.

Pantryshelf quickie salad: drain a canned vegetable such as green beans or asparagus and marinate with French dressing. Serve on lettuce and garnish with tomato slices or wedges.



MRS. SPARKY STEPHENS
...with son, Billy

At The Library Intrigue, Mystery Depicted In Book

"I, Victoria Strange" by Ruth Willock and "Grandpa and Frank" by Janet Majerus are the two books being featured this week at Deaf Smith County Library.

In a highly dramatic and unexpected final twist, Victoria, main character in "I, Victoria Strange", returns to New York, where her fates must be decided.

Grandpa and Frank's small-town character are affectionately drawn and ring true in the book by Janet Majerus. Sarah, the girl from America's heartland, will be taken to heart by all readers of this freshly written first novel.

Deaf Smith County Library is open free to the public from 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday and Thursday; from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. other week days and until noon Saturday.

I, VICTORIA STRANGE by Ruth Willock

Young, intelligent, attractive to men, and an heiress—what more could life hold in store for Victoria Strange? But for six weeks, until she is twenty-one, she must be careful, for under the will of her father, just killed in a plane accident, a large part of her fortune does not come to her before her birthday, and her relatives who are next heirs are grasping intriguers...

Victoria decides to leave New York at once without telling even her lawyer where is bound. She flies to remote Iceland, only to feel she is being followed. After an accidental—or was it?—dunking in an icy harbor, she flees in haste to Scotland, hoping to hide out in the tiny Highland village of Muirloch, where once she had spent happy days with her parents.

For a time she finds peace and even romance, in the person of a young Canadian journalist, Neil Hallyard. Then strange mishaps begin to occur. Victoria learns that her trusted lawyer in New York has died mysteriously, and a man in a big car passes through Muirloch at dead of night. Have her enemies found her out? Is Neil the friend he seems to be, or is he, too, after her fortune?

GRANDPA AND FRANK by Janet Majerus

High adventure, humor, a nostalgia are all part of "Grandpa And Frank"—plus

Sarah McDermott, one of the most engaging and intrepid young heroines to come along in quite a while.

The time is 1947, the place a farm in Illinois. Twelve-year-old Sarah was orphaned at age five and ever since has lived on the farm with her Grandpa, to whom she is very close; her Aunt Martha; and her Uncle Frank, who has a mean streak as wide as the Mississippi.

Grandpa has had a stroke and as a result has begun doing some rather odd but harmless things—such as wandering around outdoors wearing only his shoes and hiding dead mice in his closet.

Frank, who wants full control of Grandpa's farm and has seized on Grandpa's eccentricities as evidence of the old man's mental incompetency, has announced that, come Labor Day, he is going to have Grandpa committed to the County Home.

To Sarah, this is intolerable. Resolved to find a doctor who will certify that Grandpa is of sound mind, Sarah and her thirteen-year-old neighbor, Joey, "kidnap" Grandpa and set out on a wildly hazardous and hilarious 180-mile odyssey to Chicago over back roads in a Model-A pickup—with Joey at the wheel. In a masterpiece of understatement that reflects what happens on the trip, Joey observes that Sarah is "always making things sound so simple, and they hardly ever end up that way."

When you are making a sauce from those tomatoes in the garden, add a little basil or oregano to give it excellent flavor.

You may not want to bother doing this, but experts say that one way to keep a can opener sharp is to wash and dry the cutting edge right after using the opener.

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Delfine Ulibarri To Vie For Crown

The reigning Miss Hereford, Delfine Ulibarri, was among the top ten contestants competing in the Top of Texas Pageant Saturday evening at Pampa. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ulibarri of 401 Ave. E.

Miss Ulibarri, who competed in the Miss Texas Pageant at Fort Worth this summer, will be vying for the coveted Miss Wheatheart crown Saturday evening at Perryton.

Kicking off activities for the contest will be a practice rehearsal Friday morning and that afternoon contestants will participate in a dress rehearsal.

Saturday morning, a pre-parade reception will be held at the Chamber of Commerce office which will be followed by the parade. That afternoon, contestants will be honored guests at a luncheon and then will be interviewed by judges prior to the pageant that evening.

First prize is a \$1000 scholarship; second prize, \$750; and third prize, \$500.

Miss Bill Albright, will accompany Miss Hereford to the pageant and her husband, executive vice president of Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce, will attend the pageant following Hereford's Centennial celebration Saturday.

Want to make bacon curls to garnish a company dish of chicken or seafood? Pan-broil the bacon then, as each strip is removed from the pan, roll it around the tines of a fork and let cool on brown paper. The strips of bacon will stay curled.

If you need crushed cardamom and you have cardamom in the pod, treat the spice this way: break open some pods, remove the seeds and crush the seeds between folded wax paper with a rolling pin.

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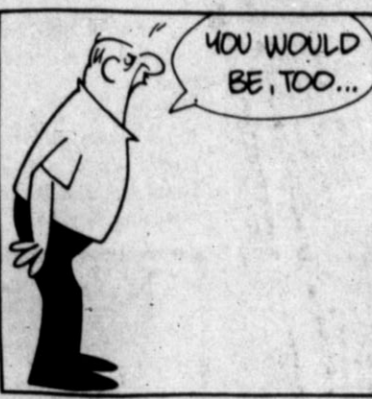
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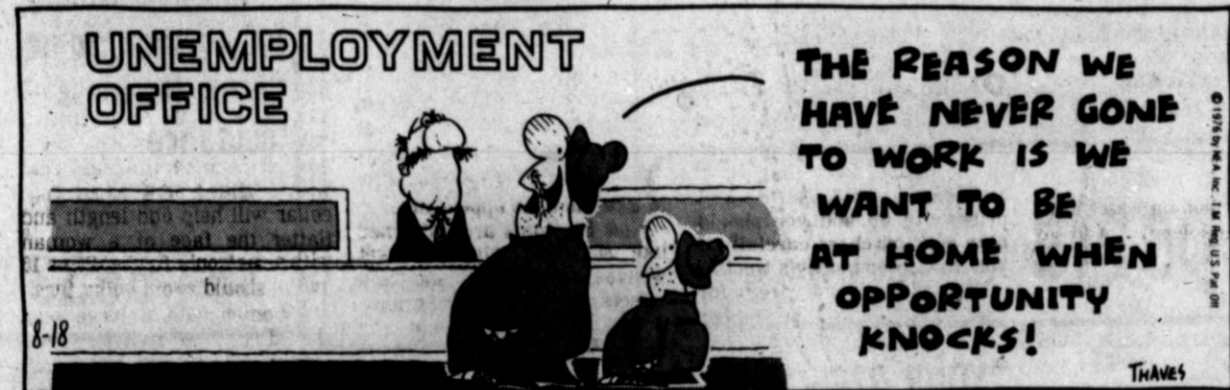
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Answer to Previous Puzzle



OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople



TV Star Scene

Martha Raye returns to television as a regular in the new season's 'McMillan' dramas...

Commenting on the role when she first played it, and for which she received an Emmy nomination, she said: 'Agatha is a busybody, an eccentric, warm-hearted character who means well but is a little dingy...'

David Janssen has been signed to star in 'Farrell,' a two-hour NBC World Premiere Movie...

A refugee from the teenage idol beach party movies of the 60's, Frankie Avalon, re-teams with Annette Funicello...

Five additional performers have been added to the cast of NBC's Best Seller: Captains and Kings...

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mother who manages to bring her daughter and her family back South after they have lived in Detroit. Richards herself was born in Mississippi, but spent much of her life as a city person...

Stephan Macht portray two more characters whose lives are changed by highly controversial behavioral experiments in 'The Tenth Level'...

Charles Durning has the key role of an oil entrepreneur; Patty Duke Astin will play the protagonist's Joseph Armagh, unloved wife; Peter Graves is cast as a soldier of fortune...

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Networkings

With the major film studios falling over one another to film a dramatization of the recent Israeli rescue operation at Entebbe...

'Gone With The Wind' is finally making it to television. The Clark Gable, Vivien Leigh classic has been slotted for airing over two nights...

The cast of Captains and Kings keeping growing. Celeste Holm, Elizabeth Cheshire, Sean McClory, Joe Kapp and John Carradine have all been added...

Tony Musante, who starred in Toma a couple of seasons back, has been seen roaming the streets of his Greenwich Village neighborhood...

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Former host Jim Hartz will become a traveling co-host for the show and also serve as an anchorman on other NBC News projects.

Brokaw has been the White House correspondent for the past three years. He was one of the NBC News floor reporters at the Democratic National Convention...

CBS is making an attempt to humanize museums for children with a two-part series filmed at the Fort Worth Museum of Science and History in Texas.

This special CBS News cultural broadcast airs Sunday, Aug. 22 (10:00-10:30 a.m., ET).

Actress Susan Blakely, who received an Emmy nomination for her portrayal of Julie Prescott Jordache in ABC's Rich Man, Poor Man...

Also returning to roles from the original cast are Peter Strauss as Rudy Jordache, Ray Milland as Duncan Calderwood, Kay Lenz as Kate Jordache...

In the first installment Rudy becomes less of a wheeler-dealer and more of a human being, especially now that he is left to raise Tom's son Wesley and Julie's son Billy Abbott...

WEDNESDAY

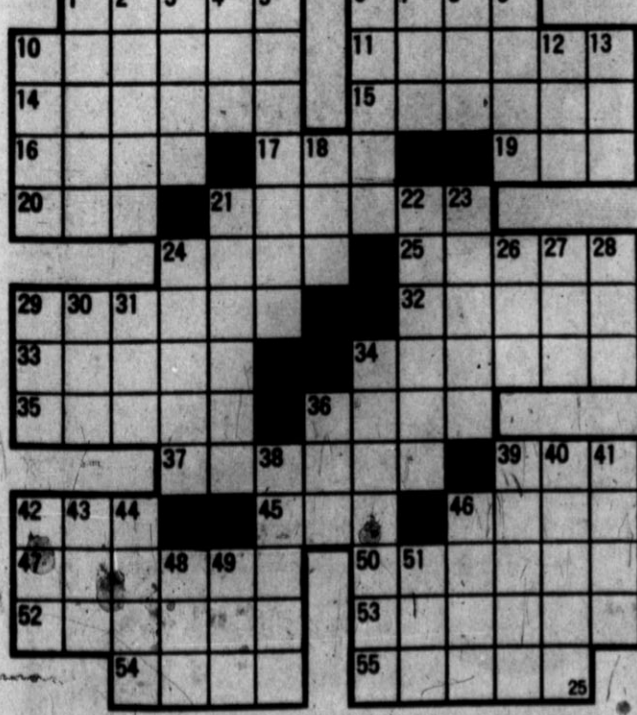
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THE HEREFORD BRAND

comics



Tigers Trim Angels; Rangers Beaten, 2-1

The Detroit Tigers' rookie bounded around the bases with his arms raised, jumping for joy all the way.

Mark "The Bird" Fidrych, right? Wrong! "I'm always excited when I do something great and I don't do something great very often," said bubbling catcher Bruce Kimm, who helped fellow rookie Fidrych to his 14th victory in 18 decisions with an eighth-inning home run off Frank Tanana...

It was Kimm's night...and Fidrych knew it. "Hell, yeah, I'm happy," said the young pitching sensation, "but not as happy as Bruce Kimm is." Elsewhere in the American League, Kansas City edged

Cleveland 4-3 on George Brett's steal of home in the 10th inning. Oakland nipped Milwaukee 5-4, the New York Yankees shaded Texas 2-1, Baltimore trounced Minnesota 10-3 and Boston split a doubleheader with the Chicago White Sox, losing the opener 2-1 and winning the nightcap 11-7.

Fidrych fell behind 2-0 as Ron Jackson homered for California in the fifth, but the Tigers tied it in the sixth on a walk to Kimm, Ron LeFlore's triple and Alex Johnson's sacrifice fly. Kimm then walloped a Tanana fast ball into the upper deck two innings later.

Royals 4, Indians 3 Brett stole home with two out in the bottom of the 10th. He singled with one out, stole second and continued to third on

a wild throw by catcher Rick Cerone. With Dave Nelson at bat, Brett broke for the plate and was two-thirds of the way home before reliever Dave La Roche noticed him and he slid safely under the pitch.

It was the fourth straight victory for the Royals and enabled them to remain eight game ahead of second-place Oakland in the AL West.

A's 5, Brewers 4 The A's stole four more bases to make 266 thefts, the most by a major league team since 1913. They're taking aim at the record of 347 by the 1911 New York Giants.

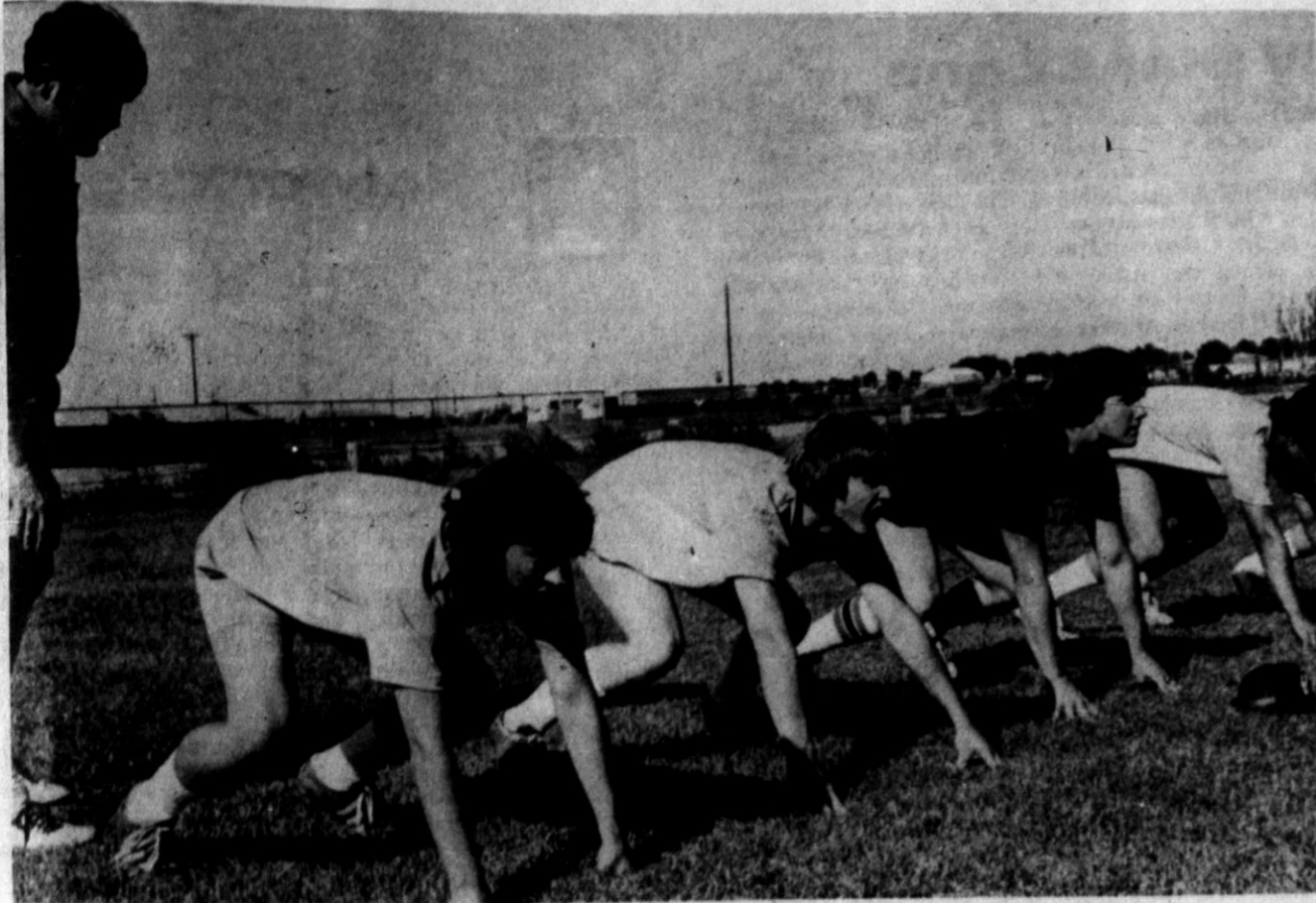
Trailing 4-3, Phil Garner walked with one out in the seventh, stole second and scored on Bill North's single. North took second on the throw

to the plate and came home with the winning on a single by Bert Campaneris.

Yankees 2, Rangers 1 Graig Nettles slammed his 19th home run of the season on rookie Tommy Boggs' first pitch in the bottom of the ninth inning. Oscar Gamble homered for New York's first run while Doyle Alexander pitched a five-hitter and blanked Texas until the ninth.

Orioles 10, Twins 3 Lee May drove in five runs with a homer, triple and single as Baltimore won its fourth in a row. May cracked a three-run homer in the first inning off Tom Johnson, who was making his first big league start.

White Sox 2-7, Red Sox 1-11 Boston's Bob Montgomery drove in five runs with a three-run homer and a two-run double in the nightcap while Rick Burleson had seven hits in 10 at-bats during the twin bill. However, Chicago won the opener as Pat Kelly singled home one run and then doubled in the ninth and scored on a single by Bill Stein.



Lining 'Em Up

Work on fundamentals and conditioning continued for the Hereford High School gridlers Tuesday afternoon as players and coaches look ahead to the

donning of pads Friday. Here coach Jerry Richburg checks the stances of prospective noseguards for the Herd defensive team.

Olympic Defector Going Back Home

MONTREAL (AP)- Three weeks after his disappearance from the Olympic Village and apparent defection, Russian diver Sergei Nemtsanov has changed his mind and decided to return to his country after expressing concern for his grandmother in the Soviet Union.

An official at the Soviet

consulate here said Tuesday that Nemtsanov was in the building but said he was "very tired and won't be in a position to make any comments."

The official would not say when the 17-year-old diver would return to the Soviet Union, but the next scheduled Aeroflot flight to Moscow from Montreal is on Thursday.

Although Nemtsanov made no public comment himself, two lawyers who acted for him said in a statement Tuesday that he had expressed concern in recent days about the grandmother who brought him up, and "accordingly wanted him to return."

Meanwhile, immigration department representative Eva Ludvig said Canadian officials had not tried to change Nemtsanov's decision.

"It was his choice to come here and his choice to go back," she said. "We had to respect his decision."

Another immigration department spokesman said that Nemtsanov had announced his

decision to return home in a meeting with department officials Monday. But the youngster had said he wanted to "sleep on it" before meeting with Soviet authorities, the official said.

Nemtsanov met again with the immigration officials Tuesday afternoon and confirmed that he wanted to go home.

The officials, along with an interpreter and Toronto resident John Fleming, with whom the youth was staying while in Canada, then went to the coffee shop of a downtown hotel with Nemtsanov to meet with Soviet officials.

After talking for 15 minutes, he left with the officials from the Soviet consulate in Montreal.

YMCA Director Seeking Help

Hereford area YMCA director Claude Huard has sent out an S.O.S. to area residents to contact him and let him know if they are willing to work part-time as instructors and supervisors in the Y program.

"I've lined up about seven different places in which to conduct programs, and now I need help from the people in getting those programs started," Huard said Tuesday afternoon.

What Huard needs almost immediately are instructors for a wrestling class, gym class, tumbling class, and someone who can act as a league supervisor for various sports.

"This might be someone who is still in college, someone who has graduated with a major or minor in physical education, or someone who is just interested in the Y," Huard said in making his plea.

The physical education programs will begin around September 13 Huard announced.

"Right now I have the Central School gym, Shirley School gym, and Little Bull Barn lined up for this phase," he said.

Huard added that some of the jobs at the Y would be paying jobs, while some would be done by volunteers interested in seeing the Y become a success.

"I'm asking all local people to contact me and let me know what they are interested in teaching...it may be stamp or coin collecting, water colors, arts and crafts, or what have you, but I need to know who is willing to work with us," Huard concluded.

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Big Red Machine Cutting Out Some

By KEN RAPPOPORT AP Sports Writer

Sparky Anderson stays stoic and silent through losing streaks, so if you want to get the word from the Cincinnati Reds, you have to ask Pete Rose.

"We're not taking the game to them," says the Cincinnati third baseman in his usual direct observation. "This is not like the Big Red Machine."

The "machine" hasn't been hitting on all four cylinders lately, and Tuesday night, the National League West leaders dropped their fourth straight game—a 3-2 decision to the Atlanta Braves. That's the longest losing streak of the year for Anderson's gang.

Anderson put it this way: "It doesn't mean anything more than if we had a 13-1 record. We're just not hitting—and that happens."

In the other National League games, Philadelphia whipped

Montreal 11-3 Los Angeles trimmed the New York Mets 4-3; St. Louis routed San Diego 9-4; Houston turned back the Chicago Cubs 8-1 and San Francisco edged Pittsburgh 7-6.

Pinch-hitter Tom Paciorek's two-out, run-scoring single in the eighth inning led the way for Atlanta. Jerry Royster drew a one-cut walk from Manny Sarmiento to start the rally, then stole second off reliever Will McEnaney. Royster went to third on Rowland Office's groundout and scored on Paciorek's single.

Adrian Devine, 2-3, got the victory, bailing the Braves out of a bases-loaded jam in the seventh. Sarmiento, 2-1, the Reds' 20-year-old reliever, took the loss.

Phillies 11, Expos 3 Jay Johnstone ripped a double and three singles and batted in five runs while Greg

Luzinski collected a homer and four RBI as Philadelphia battered Montreal. Winner Tommy Underwood, 8-3, allowed just four hits, striking out five and walking four.

Cardinals 9, Padres 4 Hector Cruz drove in four runs with a grounder and bases-loaded double, while Lou Brock stole three bases and scored three runs to lead St. Louis over San Diego in a game featuring 19 walks.

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Baseball At A Glance By The Associated Press AMERICAN LEAGUE

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Tuesday's Results Chicago 2-7, Boston 1-11 New York 2, Texas 1 Detroit 3, California 4 Oakland 5, Milwaukee 4 Kansas City 4, Cleveland 3, 10 innings Baltimore 10, Minnesota 3

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NFL Executives Meet To Set Player Limit

Longley Apparently Out

By FRANK BROWN
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) - With kicking and runback specialists holding their breaths at training centers across the United States today, executives of the 28 National Football League teams met to decide the roster limits for this season - limits which may decide as many as 308 jobs.

NFL by laws provide each team with a roster of 36 players, but that number has been amended each season since the law was written in 1962. Squads reached a high of 47 two years ago, with 43 the limit last season. It will take 21 votes to decide the controversial issue, but if agreement cannot be reached, squad sizes will drop to 36.

So the fringe players and hangers-on await the word that may cement their professional futures. Should rosters revert to 36, it's certain that they would be the first to go; should limits remain at 43, or even be extended to 47, as many as 11

players on each club may sigh in relief.

The coaches, meanwhile, continued to pare their preseason food bills Tuesday. The Cincinnati Bengals waived punter Greg Coleman and defensive tackle Richard Bishop; and Lions cut wide receiver George Farmer and linebacker Andre Roundtree; and Washington Redskins Coach GM George Allen traded three draft choices to Houston for guard Ron Saul.

The Miami Dolphins didn't cut anyone, but they did suspend veteran safety Jake Scott - a move which will be investigated by the NFL Players Association.

Scott was suspended after refusing to test an injured shoulder in an exhibition game. Dolphins Coach Don Shula said he had scheduled Scott for action in the second half against the Philadelphia Eagles last weekend, but that the six-year veteran would not go in.

Examination by team doctors exposed no shoulder separation, but did reveal a bone spur

underneath the armpit. Shula said Scott's personal physician, Dr. Fred Allman, "feels cortisone could be injected if the shoulder is painful and Jack should be able to play without problem."

Scott reportedly said he didn't mind taking the pain killer before a regular season game, but objected to the treatment for an exhibition Contest. The early indication was that Scott has the NFLPA's support in this regard.

The union's executive director, Ed Garvey, said by phone Tuesday night that "there is a lot of controversy about using cortisone in joints, and I would say most doctors on NFL teams are opposed to it for this reason. We'll have to look pretty seriously at the circumstances."

The status of another suspended player, Dallas Cowboys quarterback Clint Longley, remained in question after his two fights last week with Roger Staubach.

DALLAS (AP) - Clint Longley is apparently long-gone as far as the Dallas Cowboys are concerned despite a telephone conversation with Coach Tom Landry.

Longley called Landry Sunday to discuss the reserve quarterback's request to be a traded following round two of a training cap feud with starting quarterback Roger Staubach.

Asked if he would take a contrite Longley back, Landry hinted Tuesday that he wouldn't.

"I'm leaning a certain way but it wouldn't be fair to say which way," said Landry. "I'm not sure at this point. I don't know what will happen. There is no time table. Hopefully, something will happen during the week."

Landry said Longley "felt bad about the embarrassment the incident had caused the Cowboys. His loss has been a great blow to our football team."

The Cowboys have received a lukewarm reception in the trade marts for Longley, who came off

the bench as a rookie to stun Washington two years ago in a nationally televised Thanksgiving Day game.

Dallas is believed asking a first round draft choice for Longley who was running No. 2 behind Staubach before feelings between the pair exploded into fistcuffs last week at the team's Thousand Oaks, Calif., training camp.

Staubach was pulled off Longley after the first encounter. Three days later Staubach said Longley tagged him with a cheap shot in the dressing room while Roger the dodger had his arms up putting on his shoulder pads. Staubach reeled into the training room scales and it took nine stitches to close the cut.

Longley said he was provoked and left camp in a huff, with Staubach looking for him. Since then Longley has challenged Staubach to a bout in Memorial Auditorium.

Landry dismissed the first fight because "It happened on the field" but considered the dressing room punch a different matter.

"I was shocked when I heard what happened," said Landry. "Clint still wants to be traded."

Staubach is still seething over the incident and Cowboy insiders say a Longley return to the team could trigger another round.

Landry said he plans to enter the season with Staubach and Danny White, a former Arizona State product who played for Memphis in the World Football League.

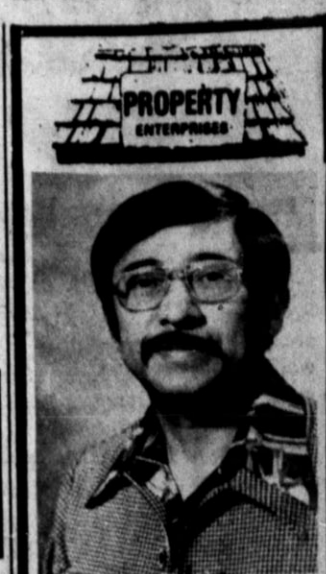
White shared duty with Staubach in a 13-9 loss to Denver Saturday and will play the second half Saturday night against Detroit in Memphis

when the Cowboys try to break into the victory column.

Landry expressed frustration Tuesday at Dallas' 0-3 National Football League preseason record, saying "it's coming to the point where a win is important. You can establish a trend. We haven't been losing badly but losing is losing."

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Offense Only Question For Arkansas In '76

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP) - Arkansas coach Frank Broyles admits he has half a good football team.

That half-defense-is the same half he had in 1972, 1973 and 1974 when the Razorbacks went 6-5, 5-5-1 and 6-4-1. Last year, the Razorbacks added offense, went 10-2, shared the Southwest Conference championship and beat Georgia in the Cotton Bowl.

"If we can score, we will have a good record," Broyles said. "In analyzing any football team I've coached, when we won eight, nine or 10 games we had a strong defense, a capable kicking game and a strong offense that was able to score and move the football."

Broyles said the Razorbacks had 54 scoring drives last year and only a handful took 10 plays or more.

"That means big plays were a big factor," he said. "Big plays come from experienced, talented people."

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"This year, we're practically starting over offensively. As far as starters, we've only got three back, four if Jerry Eckwood is ready. But we have players at every position who played well last year except at wide receiver. Our offensive line has three as good as there are anywhere."

He was referring to R.C. Thielemann 6-4, 247, Greg Koch 6-4, 254 and Gerald Skinner 6-5, 262. Thielemann, an all-SWC choice at guard last year, will play center. Koch and Skinner will be the tackles.

"We are gambling a little with Thielemann at center, but if the center can handle the noseguard you can move the football by running right at the opponent," Broyles said. "He has a chance to be an All-American."

The guards will be Leotis Harris 6-4, 254 and Steve Heim 6-3, 255.

"If they play like our offensive line did last year, and that was the most productive line we've had in years, we will have a very successful season," Broyles said.

The quarterback will be Ron Calcagni-the first true sophomore to start at quarterback for Arkansas since Bill Montgomery in 1968 and only the second in Broyles' 19 years. Broyles says Calcagni has the credentials.

"We have seasoned players around Calcagni and that will help," Broyles said. "He won't have to do it all."

The status of Eckwood, who gained 792 yards in seven games last year, is uncertain. He is still recovering from a knee injury. Broyles calls Eckwood "one of the most talented running backs in the country."

Broyles expects big things from Michael Forrest.

Get Your Tickets!

Persons holding options on season football tickets for Hereford High School games this season have until Friday, August 20 to pick them up. Bobbie Kitchens of the school business office has announced.

Any season tickets not picked up by Friday will be offered to the public. The book of five tickets sells for \$10, a \$2.50 savings off gate admission.

Hereford has home dates with Pampa, Canyon, Amarillo High, Lubbock Coronado, and Lubbock Monterey this season.

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Puerto Rican Rebel Still Serving Sentence

MARION, Ill. (AP)—That his name is unfamiliar is a measure of the years he has been imprisoned. Once he was among the most infamous men in America.

Some say the time has come to free Rafael Cancel Miranda. But he will have freedom on no one's terms but his.

It was March 1, 1954. On the floor of the U. S. House of Representatives, idle congressmen lounged through a vote on a Mexican labor bill. Above them, Miranda guided three fellow Puerto Rican nationalists into the visitors' gallery.

As the nays were called they rose together, drew automatic pistols and fired perhaps a score of shots.

"My country must be freed," one of them yelled. "I want freedom for my country." Mrs. Lolita Lebron, a 30-year-old dark-eyed, dark-haired beauty, blazed away at the ceiling and waved a Puerto Rican flag.

A 23-year-old revolutionary, Miranda pointed his .38 into the well of the chamber and emptied its eight-shot clip at random. Stopping behind a chair to reload, he was subdued by spectators.

"Puerto Rican assassins shoot up congress," the headlines shouted. "Five solons Wounded." It was the work of four fanatics, the papers said.

Two trials and 22 years later, the fiery young nationalists are now at the edge of contemplative middle age. "And they are still in prison."

Convicted, as were the rest, of charges ranging from assault to conspiracy to overthrow the government by force and violence, Miranda, now 45, has served nearly a third of his 81-year sentence. Mrs. Lebron is about halfway through a 56-year term.

At the first trial the judge said the shootings were "so heinous, so outrageous, so daring and so atrocious as to shock the conscience of the nation...dastardly, wicked and ruthless."

"I'm not guilty of nothing more than defending my people," Miranda says today. It was his first news interview since sentencing.

Some believe time enough has passed—the Puerto Rican delegate to Congress, the Cuban ambassador to the United Nations, the Puerto Rican General Assembly, terrorists who last year bombed an historic New York tavern, the governor of Puerto Rico, a citizens committee, and one of the victims.

16 years later, we still are."

Their love for the city, its sights, its smells and its people, comes through on every page, infecting the reader with a desire to share their enthusiasm.

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Claude E. Erbsen
Associated Press

But having said that, let me add that this is a book which every visitor to New York would do well to study. While it emphasizes the city's less expensive features it also points out some of its most glittering places — just in case you feel like splurging.

—And the list of tourist attractions, museums, shopping areas, bars and even children's sights is both exhaustive and meticulously compiled by the authors, who personally check out every site mentioned in each edition of the book.

They have been doing it for 16 years, and as they say in the introduction, "we were in love with New York then, and now,

On Oct. 8, 1922, Benito Mussolini marched on Rome. He formed his own cabinet on Oct. 31.

Immigration to the U.S. soared after the Irish potato famine of 1845-1846 and the German revolution of 1848. In two decades, four million people came to this country.

Through all the congressmen survived their wounds, just two are alive today: Kenneth A. Roberts of Alabama and George H. Fallon of Maryland, both Democrats.

Roberts, now a Washington lawyer, limps from the damage a bullet did to his leg. "I think it's time to look at the record," he says. "As far as I'm concerned I would have no objections to their parole. I just feel that they have been there a long time—in light of other sentences that is a long time."

A spokesman for the Puerto Rican delegate says: "The situation is that they are long overdue for parole."

But Fallon, now retired in Baltimore, says: "At the time I thought the judge's sentence was very fair to them, and I still think it was. I think justice is being done."

Miranda thinks not.

And he waits at the U. S. Federal penitentiary near Marion, Ill.—not for parole, but for vindication.

Miranda was born to a regional nationalist leader at Mayaguez, P. R., in 1930. He was attracted to the nationalist cause early. As a school boy he was expelled from class for refusing to pledge allegiance to the American flag. As a student leader, he later helped organize a strike aimed at making native Spanish the language of Puerto Rican schools. At age 18, as he walked to high school in San Juan, FBI agents arrested him for refusing conscription by the Army. Jailed for more than two years, he was freed only to be rearrested a short time later on the same charge.

In 1950 his father and several relatives were imprisoned for participation in a nationalist revolt. Miranda made his way to New York in 1952 with no love of America's government and the idea of organizing for the independence movement. He became a shoe decorator.

The question of Puerto Rico rose in the United Nations. America said that most Puerto Ricans did not want independence. To Miranda's mind it was an unconscionable lie. Something had to be done to change American propaganda. "At that moment we were internationally humiliated, and the only way we can bring attention to an international way to the Puerto Rican cause was to do something like this the shootings," he said. "The real intention was just to go there and give our life, expose our life...As a matter of fact, we

didn't expect to come alive from there.

"We knew we wouldn't get Puerto Rico free by going there. That would be crazy. I mean...the army of the United States, you are not going to be beat by just four young people there shooting some few bullets.

"The U. S. was at that time trying to tell the world that we are satisfied, colonized people. We went to put our life as proof that we were not satisfied, that there were Puerto Ricans by the thousands, fighting for independence, that we had a right to independence of Puerto Rico.

Had Miranda been convicted of murder and sentenced to life in prison, he would have been eligible for parole seven years ago. But under his sentence he won't be eligible until 1979.

He has also refused the advice of his lawyers to petition a petition they think stands a good chance of acceptance.

"Anyone with a little human feeling regrets that anybody got hurt," Miranda says. "And any normal person regrets having to spend 22 years, his whole young life, in prison. But now what we don't regret is that we were able to do something, a good thing. It was for the good of our people."

"No, we don't regret that."

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Rehired Police Take Back Detroit

DETROIT (AP) - Detroit is rehiring 450 laid-off policemen two weeks early and imposing a curfew on persons under 18 to prevent recurrence of what the police chief called a "small scale riot" on the downtown streets after a rock concert.

"We're going to take the city back beginning tonight," Deputy Mayor William Beckham Jr. declared Monday in announcing the measures.

He and Police Chief Philip Tannian said police simply lacked the resources to cope with the disturbance, which started when several hundred youths attacked a crowd Sunday night at the city's Cobo Hall. It ended in widespread robberies and assaults, including one rape, on the downtown streets. Forty-seven persons were arrested.

"It was an outright, flagrant challenge to our security and to police authority to meet it. It won't happen again," Beckham said.

The 450 police officers laid off because of the city's financial crisis - were to have

been rehired Sept. 1 with federal funds and would have returned to regular precinct work. Instead, police officials said most will be deployed in special crime-fighting units.

Beckham said the early recall would cause a temporary budget deficit of \$432,000 that might require cuts elsewhere to balance. He did not specify what cuts might be made.

ANIMAL SHELTER
MARYSVILLE, Calif. (AP) - Florence Miller is a one-woman animal shelter.

The 63-year-old widow takes care of as many as 3,000 stray dogs a year in her county-licensed kennel which costs her \$1,000 a month to operate.

"I never know where my money's coming from, but I've never gone broke. Something always comes along just in the nick of time. All I can count on is my Social Security, \$90 a month," she said.

She said the rest of her money comes mostly from donations from people who leave dogs with her or who have gotten pets from her.

Unwed Parents Have Same Breakup Rate

WASHINGTON (AP)- Couples who conceive a child before they wed do not have a significantly higher breakup rate than those who wait until after the marriage ceremony to start a family, a government report shows.

The report said that 81.6 per cent of women in the last half of the 1960s who married after becoming pregnant still were with their husbands at the time of the 1970 census, compared to 85.5 per cent of women who were not pregnant when they wed.

"When I was growing up, girls were urged to keep their bodies pure and those who represented themselves as the moral arbiters of society enforced this feeling," said Henry Smith of the Census Bureau.

"Here the statistics seem to suggest that a girl who becomes pregnant before marriage and marries the father seems to make out as well as the girl who kept her body pure," he said.

The figures were contained in the Census Bureau's first report on premarital childbirth.

The report shows also that 52.6 per cent of first children born to black mothers in 1969 were illegitimate, compared to 10.1 per cent of first babies born to white mothers.

The survey also shows that illegitimate first babies increased in recent years among blacks but remained nearly stable among whites.

Among 18 per cent of black women between the ages of 15 to 50 reported having their first child out of wedlock. Of black women 25 to 30 years old, 38.2 per cent reported illegitimate first births.

Among white women in the 45 to 50 age group, 5.7 per cent reported having their first child while single. The figure was 6.4 per cent for white women of the younger 25-to-30-year-old generation.

Demographers, sociologists and social psychologists say that economic, social and cultural differences, and the availability of birth control methods explains differences in premarital child conception among races.

Mrs. Joy Dryfoos of a Planned Parenthood's research group, the Alan Guttmacher Institute in New York, said that illegitimacy rates will drop as birth control becomes more widespread.

"The conventional wisdom is that the black culture is more accepting of illegitimacy than the white culture," she said. "I would also suggest that the differences are related to the availability of birth control,

abortion and sex education. I would expect a decline in black illegitimacy in the next report because our studies show that blacks are using abortion services more than we expected."

SPACE ART
NEW YORK (AP) - On show until September at the American Museum-Hayden Planetarium is an exhibition of the "space art" of Rick Sternbach, a prominent illustrator of both science fiction and fact. The exhibit consists of 20 of his paintings, mostly gouaches, futuristic visions glowing with gem-like colors.

Sternbach's illustrations have appeared in a variety of periodicals and books, including Analog, Astronomy and Science Digest. The exhibition is being held in conjunction with "The Universe of Science Fiction," a summer course at the Planetarium.

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