





From the White House

By FRANK CORMIER  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Old Washington hands who are in the public eye learn that it pays to think at least twice before trying to be funny. Some of President Carter's new hands are learning the hard way.

Hamilton Jordan, Carter's principal aide, probably won't soon again joke about the pyramids along the Nile while allegedly lifting the bodice of the Egyptian ambassador's wife.

More recently, Frank Moore, who is the president's assistant for congressional liaison (a bureaucratic term for lobbying), was chastened because of an offhand remark made to three American reporters during a visit to Panama.

Moore, who is leading the drive for Senate ratification of the Panama Canal treaty, went to the scene of the dispute with three senators, including Minority Leader Howard Baker of Tennessee.

After Moore and his fellow travelers returned to Panama City for a tour of the canal, a reporter asked him what he thought of the waterway.

"I don't think we ought to give it up," Moore replied. "I'm not sure those little brown people could run it."

The reporters assumed, if only because of Moore's role in the treaty debate, that he was joking.

After the remark appeared in a local gossip column here, the White House was queried. Several hours later, deputy press secretary Rex Granum responded that Moore had intended the comment to be ironic. Granum contended Moore was mocking an argument made at a briefing session by treaty opponents.

But Sen. Jake Garn, R-Nev., who accompanied Moore, told a reporter no such argument had been heard at any briefing during the visit.

Yet no one, or hardly anyone, believes Moore was serious.

Still a fresh memory is the fate of Earl Butz, a relatively new Washington hand who had to quit as former President Ford's secretary of agriculture after uttering a joke that slurred blacks.

Going further back, there was Charles "Engine Charlie" Wilson, who left the presidency of General Motors to become President Eisenhower's secretary of defense. It was said that he suffered from hoof-

mouth disease, which wasn't common enough then to be a cliché.

During his confirmation hearings, Wilson voiced the opinion that "What's good for General Motors is good for the country."

Later, during a recession, Wilson gave congressional testimony likening the unemployed to "kennel dogs," suggesting they were too lazy to find work.

But perhaps his finest hour came when reporters surrounded him following a White House conference with Eisenhower. Brushing aside their questions, Wilson declared, "This isn't my dang hill."

Wilson survived, and so presumably will Jordan and Moore.

Carter has been back from overseas less than a month, but reports are starting to circulate that he's ready to put on his seven league boots come late March — bigger boots than those that carried him to India and back.

White House reporters began hearing rumors this week that early spring not only will find the president making a promised trip to Latin America and black Africa, but on to Australia, New Zealand and Indonesia.

Denying such plans, press secretary Jody Powell invited reporters to ask about other possible destinations because "We've got a hundred countries to go through."

When Carter signed an executive order this week that reorganizes the intelligence community, he confided he'd sent back three or four earlier drafts of the order.

Reason: "So I could understand it."

**Nursing home funds held**

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The Texas Department of Health recommended Wednesday that state and federal funds be withheld from Olsen Manor Nursing Home, Amarillo, until corrective actions are taken.

The department also took de-certification action against the Western Hills Manor nursing home of Odessa.

Release of state and federal funds that had been withheld was ordered for the Oak Crest Inn of New Braunfels and Southern Manor Nursing Home No. 3 of San Antonio following correction of deficiencies.

Privately-owned bridge line to past

By JULES LOH  
AP Special Correspondent  
DINGMAN'S FERRY, Pa. (AP) — Every morning before first light Carl Bensley, a dedicated man, puts out some cracked corn for the deer that wanders daily to his dooryard. Then he goes and sees to the bridge.

He walks across it, checks its wooden surface, its iron superstructure, its great stone pilings that are its foundation.

Other bridges, dozens of them, span the swift and sparkling Delaware River on its journey through this quiet valley, but this bridge is a special one.

You sense its difference immediately. You drive across its rattling planks and stop at a little white toll house with a green roof and red brick chimney. The toll taker ambles up to the car window, smiling, to collect the 35 cents. Most passersby pause to chat, about the weather, about the airy iridescence of the river today, about whether the two golden eagles who do their fishing here have been about late-

Elsewhere in America

"The bridge is a business, of course," Carl Bensley said, "but I think its owners are just as concerned about its historical importance as its business importance. They really love the bridge."

Every October they have a stockholders meeting here. It's like a family reunion. They get motel rooms and visit with one another, and they all go down and look at the bridge, see that it's in good repair. That's my job, keeping it in good repair."

No wonder it's like a family reunion. Nearly all the 38 shareholders in the Dingmans Choice and Delaware Bridge Co. are related, most of them descendants of the brothers who bought into the bridge in 1900, the rest descendants of old Andrew Dingman himself.

In his pioneering way, Andrew Dingman was a straight-forward, no-nonsense sort of man. This was the place where, in 1735, he chose to live. So he named it — Dingmans Choice. He didn't even complicate the name with an apostrophe.

He started a business plying a flat-bottomed ferry across the river. His offspring followed suit, and eventually the Dingman family owned a big stone house with balconies on both

floors overlooking the river. The old house still stands, sadly deserted, a haven for squirrels who play by day in a surrounding grove of linden trees.

"I lived in that house back in the '20s," said Doris Lance of Medina, Ohio, president of the bridge company. "My father died there. Some of us in the family are determined to restore it. It will be expensive, but it is our dream."

Mrs. Lance lived there long after the ferry had been replaced by a bridge. That was in 1834 when the legislatures of both states granted a charter for a toll bridge. That charter is still in effect.

The original bridge washed out in a flood, and so did its replacement, built in 1865. Indeed, ferries had to be used so often the village came to be known as Dingman's Ferry.

Finally, in 1900, Mrs. Lance's uncle and his two brothers, from Ohio, bought a discarded wrought-iron railroad bridge, carted it here in three 233-foot sections, set it on the original stone pilings, which they raised, and that is the bridge that remains today.

According to the 1834 charter, schoolchildren and people going to church or to a burial could cross the bridge free. That provision remains today, too.

"When my father was the toll taker in 1926," Mrs. Lance recalled, "a man dressed as a minister frequently crossed the bridge driving a hearse. That

was during Prohibition, and my father came to find out that what was in the coffin was whiskey."

Carl Bensley, the local resident who sees to the bridge's repair, says nothing that intriguing happens at the bridge nowadays. "It's just a place to cross the river," he said, "but a very pleasant place."

My, yes. The traffic is sparse, the countryside quiet and remote. It would be hard to quarrel with Dingman's choice.

• Dan Carter  
• Salutes the Customers  
• of the day  
• Mr. and Mrs.  
• Troy Hopkins

Can oust tax collector

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The newly created State Board of Tax Assessor Examiners has the power to remove an elected county tax assessor-collector from office for violation of board rules, Attorney General John Hill said Wednesday.

Hill's opinion went to Rep. Joe Wyatt, D-Bloomington, chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee.

The board registers assessors and issues and enforces rules of professional conduct for them. Among those required to register with the board are county tax assessor-collectors, who are elected officials under the Texas Constitution.

Hill said the board could legally require elected tax assessor-collectors to abide by its rules even though they are constitutional officeholders.

He cited a Florida court decision saying that where the constitution was silent on qualifications for office, the legislature could establish them.

The attorney general said this led him to believe the Texas Supreme Court would hold likewise.

Wyatt asked whether revocation of a tax assessor-collector's registration by the board would automatically remove him from office.

Hill said it would, citing a supreme court decision that disbarment of a district attorney operated to remove that official from office at once.

He also said a county tax assessor-collector may be prosecuted for failure to register with the board.

Approximately 63 percent of all Americans over the age of 18 have taken a trip on an airline, reports the Air Transport Association. This figure represents 94,500,000 people.

Child porno bill outlined

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter is expected to sign legislation setting stiff penalties for the use of children in juvenile prostitution and in the production of pornographic materials.

The legislation also bans the sale and distribution of obscene materials depicting children in sexually explicit conduct if the materials have been mailed or transported in interstate or foreign commerce.

The bill, which was approved by the Senate on a voice vote Nov. 4, won a unanimous 401-0 vote in the House on Tuesday.

It sets penalties of not more than \$10,000 in fines or 10 years in prison or both for first offenders. On a second offense, a person would have to serve at least two years in prison but not more than 15 years. A second offender could also be subject to a fine of not more than \$15,000.

Specifically, it would be a crime to induce any person under 16 to engage in sexual acts for the production of pornographic material which is to be distributed through interstate commerce.

It would also be against the law to transport any male or female under 18 to engage in prostitution "or other sexually explicit conduct for commercial purposes."

Ducks die in Texas

BROWNWOOD, Texas (AP) — Officials are mystified by what caused the deaths of thousands at two Central Texas lakes — thousands of ducks, that is.

Autopsies are being performed on the bodies of some of the almost 10,000 ducks that have died at the lakes in the past two months, state officials said Wednesday.

About 8,000 ducks have died at Lake Proctor in Comanche County and another 1,500-2,000 have died at Lake Leon in Eastland County, authorities said.

The exact cause of the death is unknown, according to Texas Parks and Wildlife Department biologist Larry Holland, who added that the ducks apparently died after eating or drinking a toxic substance.

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# Carter may change treaty

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Cyrus Vance is signaling that the Carter administration may be willing to go along with some changes in the Panama Canal treaty to win Senate ratification.

Executive branch. Vance said Wednesday during a visit to Capitol Hill.

Opponents are expected to try to kill the pact on the floor with amendments that would radically alter the text that it would have to be submitted to a second national referendum in Panama.

With that change, already endorsed by numerous other senators, the pact's prospects for ratification would appear greatly enhanced.

The treaty calls for a gradual turnover of the canal to Panama by the year 2000, with the United States and Panama sharing the responsibility of defending the neutral waterway after that date.

Word circulated the last two days that Byrd wanted the committee to approve the treaty without changes, leaving the entire amendment process to be dealt with on the floor.

## Texas farmers 'stay' in DC

By MILLER BONNER Associated Press Writer WASHINGTON (AP) — A spokesman for some Texas farmers says his group will stay here until agriculture becomes the No. 1 issue before Congress.

The farmers and ranchers in Meek's organization are seeking 100 percent parity, which would theoretically restore the buying power the farmers enjoyed 60 years ago.



Japanese watch News presses

Masaki Matsuda, left, and Naoki Asahina watch the presses run while visiting the Pampa News recently. The two are from towns near Osaka, Japan, and visited Pampa for two and a half weeks through the Experiment in International Living. Both are seniors at a

college in Japan and will graduate in the spring. Matsuda works for a Japanese bank and Asahina sells Yamaha motorcycles. The two are busing to San Francisco, where they will fly back to Japan.

## New Braunfels bank robbed

NEW BRAUNFELS, Texas (AP) — Police and the FBI are searching today for a gunman who held up the New Braunfels National Bank and briefly took the bank vice president as a hostage.

Bentzen, however, told seven West Texas farmers that they are unlikely to get 100 percent parity. But, he added, they stand a very good chance of obtaining price increases that would give them "costs above production."

## Juror collapses at trial

By ROBERT HEARD Associated Press Writer AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — A Travis County grand jury foreman read testimony today by Don Yarbrough last June 28 to Yarbrough's perjury trial jury.

business associate last May 16, they said. Originally, there were 3 1/2 hours' worth of tapes secretly recorded by the associate, Bill Rothkopf.

## Muriel will be only woman Senator

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) — The appointment of Muriel Humphrey to her late husband's Senate seat — and what she did not say about being a future candidate — touched off political whirlwinds in Minnesota.

board at the time, and a man named Bill Kemp was president. No payments were ever made on the note, and the bank wrote it off as a bad debt.

## Names in the news

LOS ANGELES (AP) — David Soul, co-star of ABC's "Starsky and Hutch" television series, has been sued for \$1.5 million in child support by a woman who alleges he is the father of her daughter.

Evangelist Ruth Carter Stapleton, President Carter's sister, says she has found the spot.

## Controversial black officer retires

By FRED S. HOFFMAN AP Military Writer WASHINGTON (AP) — Gen. Daniel James Jr. ends a long military career today at "the top of the heap" after beginning as a young black lieutenant who risked court martial to fight racial segregation.

top of the heap." He is the only black in U.S. history to reach that high in the military.

## Stock market

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Deans of Pampa:

at Pioneer Natural Gas Flame Room. Business men invited. It's time to Needlepoint at Sand's. Classes begin January 31. Call Karen Cory, 665-3856. (Adv.)

NEW YORK (AP) — Celebrities who go to Studio 54 often spend the night tossing each other around its dancing floor.

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — Texas Tech University officials have named the late Sen. Hubert Humphrey as the 1978 recipient of the school's Thomas Jefferson Award honoring public officials who have worked to defend the freedom of the press.

As he noted, James came a long way from the difficult days of 1945 when, as a first lieutenant, he and several black comrades were placed under house arrest for disobeying an order to leave an all-white officers' club at Freeman Field, Seymour, Ind.

Forecasts predicted that the trend of clear skies, warm days and cold nights would prevail across the state through Friday.

NEW YORK (AP) — A nice place to visit, but Gov. Hugh L. Carey would probably complete that line with the word vacation — at least for now.

Officials said Wednesday that they will announce who will accept the honor at the Feb. 17 award banquet.

Charges were dropped without a trial and things later began to improve for blacks in uniform after President Harry Truman ordered the armed services desegregated in 1948, although progress has been slow until recent years.

Other early morning readings included 15 at Dalhart, 28 at

NEW YORK (AP) — A New York City Wednesday for a short stay in the sunny Bahamas. He will return to Albany early next week.

The annual award has also been presented to Gov. Ella Grasso of Connecticut, former Watergate special prosecutor Leon Jaworski, former Sen. Sam J. Ervin Jr., Gov. Edwin Edwards of Louisiana and Rep. Robert W. Kastenmeier of Wisconsin.

Standing about 6 feet 4 inches tall and built like a football lineman, "Chapple" James still glories in his military beginning as a fighter pilot. Some of this showed Wednesday, when, with a wry smile, he told reporters he was humbled by the command he had been given — "about as humble as a fighter pilot can get."

Summing it all up, James said Wednesday: "The Air Force is the greatest place in the world for me, and if I had it to do all over again, I would do it exactly the same way."

Today's forecast for New York included rains and gusting winds with above-freezing temperatures turning the city's weekend 13.6 inch snowfall into slush.

"Throughout his long public career, Sen. Humphrey has consistently supported and defended the freedom of speech and the press," Vice President Walter Mondale said in a letter endorsing Humphrey for the award. "I know of no public figure who has a greater commitment to those fundamental principles than Sen. Humphrey."

He also leaves 24 other black officers wearing the stars of generals or admirals. The senior of this group is Vice Adm. Samuel L. Gravely Jr., commander of the 3rd Fleet based at Pearl Harbor.

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## On the record

Highland General Hospital

## Dismissals

Mrs. Aqueda Silva, 804 E. Locust.

Table with columns for Dismissals and Births. Dismissals list names and addresses. Births list parents and baby details.

## Obituaries

PETE FULBRIGHT McLEAN — Pete Fulbright, 81, died Wednesday. Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in the Church of Christ with J. Farber, minister, and Lynn Huff, of Fort Gibson, Okla., officiating.

## Mainly about people

Troop 496 sponsored by the First United Methodist Church, will be celebrating its 50th year of Scouting Feb. 12. They would like past Scoutmasters and former Scouts to contact Scoutmaster Eugene Taylor at 669-9992 for further information on the reunion.

## Police report

The Pampa police responded to 29 calls during the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

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# Advice

Dear Abby  
By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR READERS: If your child has had all the necessary shots to protect him against polio, rubella (German measles), regular measles, diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus and mumps, skip this column.

Of the 52 million children in this country who are 14 years old or younger, to date approximately 20 million have not been adequately immunized against the above-mentioned diseases!

Almost everyone knows that paralysis and even death can result from polio, but did you know that measles can sometimes lead to retardation, deafness, blindness, heart damage, brain damage and even death? And those not immunized against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus can fall victim to pneumonia, kidney damage, heart damage and death as a result of these diseases?

And complications resulting from mumps include deafness, sterility (in males), brain damage and juvenile diabetes.

The incidence of rubella is increasing among junior high school, high school and college students. If a pregnant woman gets this disease, it can have devastating effects on her unborn child.

No child or young adult is adequately protected unless he has been fully immunized or has suffered the disease.

The immunization shots are available without charge at public health clinics. If you prefer to have your own physician give the immunization, a small charge for the office visit may be required. Physicians may obtain the vaccine free from the Department of Public Health.

It is up to you, the parents, to keep track of your children's shot records.

If you are not sure whether your child is completely immunized, call your local health department or your physician's office and find out.

Because many children are not fully immunized (some parents are forgetful, others have neglected to follow through with children's booster shots), we fear that epidemics of these diseases will occur soon.

Although the frequency is very low, there are minimal risks associated with immunizations. Side effects such as fever, a sore arm or a rash are the more likely reactions that might occur.

Finally, if you have any questions regarding immunization, please phone your Department of Public Health or your own physician. It will cost you nothing (or very little). And for a free copy of "Parent's Guide to Childhood Immunization," write to Immunization, Pueblo, Colo. 81009.

What will you tell your child if he contracts any of these diseases because YOU failed to protect him against them? Think about it.

DEAR ABBY: How important do you think clothes are? I am a 31-year-old woman who has been told many times that if I want to get a man I should pay more attention to the way I dress. I am average looking—not too fat or too thin—but I've never been clothes-crazy.

I've always dressed neatly and inconspicuously, but I never did have much style. I think if a man is going to get interested in a woman, what she wears won't make that much difference. I'd appreciate your opinion.

JUST AVERAGE

DEAR JUST: In this day of competition, "packaging" is important. To quote my friend Edith Head, one of the leading authorities in the fashion world: "All women look alike in the bathtub. The only chance a woman gets to show her individuality is when she puts her clothes on." I vote with Edith.

Who said the teen years are the happiest? For Abby's new booklet "What Teenagers Want to Know," write Abby: 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212. Enclose \$1 and a long, stamped (24 cents), self-addressed envelope, please.

Ask Dr. Lamb  
Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB—I am presently involved with a man who has diabetes. He became a diabetic at 21. Is impotence inevitable? Can the diabetes account for mood swings? Is alcohol permitted and if so, what kind and how much? What is the chance of having diabetic children?

DEAR READER—You didn't say how old your boyfriend is now. I presume he is relatively young.

The effects of diabetes have a lot to do with how severe it is. We think there may be more than one cause, or at least more than one factor in causing diabetes.

That means you can't always be sure about the inherited characteristic. Let's say your friend had unrecognized mumps and his pancreas was involved. The end result could be diabetes from a mumps virus infection. Then there is some evidence that if you have a trait for diabetes and have another disease it may precipitate the diabetes. And you may be carrying a diabetic gene yourself that is weak and will not cause you to have diabetes, but it could contribute to the chances of any offspring having diabetes. Genetic counseling is the best way to resolve these thorny problems.

The complications of diabetes, including impotence, eye problems and even changes in the nerves to the feet, may be affected by how well the blood glucose level is controlled. Unfortunately, standard insulin therapy does not provide the smooth control that the normal insulin production by your own body does. However, there are new developments in the wings that may change that. For the moment, careful management of life style, including diet and exercise plus medication if needed is the best bet to forestall complications.

Alcohol is bad news for

diabetics. It interferes with important enzyme actions in the liver related to glucose production. This can seriously affect the amount of insulin needed and may cause low blood glucose reactions. This is true of all alcohol whether it is in beer, wine, whiskey or anything else.

I am sending you The Health Letter number 3-11, Diabetes: Diagnosis, Prevention and Management to give you more information. Others who want this issue can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

DEAR DR. LAMB—I was tired and putting on weight and I was puffy. The doc ran some tests on me and found an underactive thyroid. I was always cold.

Now I am taking thyroid and I am always burning up. I lost 10 pounds and I feel good, except for being so hot. Please answer soon, this is getting me down. I'm 55.

DEAR READER—Sounds like you are on the right track. If a person is really low on thyroid, fluid retention, weight gain and feeling cold are part of the picture. If a person's thyroid function is normal, taking thyroid hormones in normal amounts will not induce the weight loss you have experienced.

Excess thyroid hormone can cause a person to feel hot and to lose weight while eating like a horse. You may not have adjusted to the amount of medicine you are taking yet or it may be a bit too much for you. Talk to your doctor and he may want to decrease your dose a small amount. Don't do it on your own though, as there is a period of adjustment to new amounts of thyroid extract.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

Polly's pointers  
Polly Cramer

DEAR POLLY—Dampness made the rubber backed carpet in our den buckle up and it was fastened down all around the edges. I bought a disposable syringe and also a 14-gauge needle at a place that sells livestock supplies (for about 70 cents). I gave the carpeting a "shot" of contact cement, placed a heavy object over the area and left it for a couple of hours. Now the bubble is gone. — MRS. M.S.



## Round steak economical

Economically, round steak is a good buy. It provides the same high quality protein and important vitamins and minerals as more costly beef cuts. A different idea for a delicious dinner is Stuffed Round Steak Wrap-Up. To make, prepare one (8 1/2 oz.) package of corn muffin mix according to package directions. Brown one small chopped onion and 1/2 cup chopped celery in two tablespoons butter or margarine in large frying pan. Crush one beef bouillon cube and dissolve in hot water. Crumble corn bread and combine with onion, celery and butter in pan. Sprinkle with 3/4 teaspoon sage and stir in one-third cup raisins and one-third cup bouillon. Pound steak to 1/4 inch thickness. Season top side of steak with 1/4 teaspoon salt and one-sixteenth teaspoon pepper. Place stuffing on seasoned side of steak and fold steak in half lengthwise to enclose stuffing. Fasten edges of steak together with round wooden picks. Combine 3/4 teaspoon salt and 1-sixteenth teaspoon pepper with two tablespoons flour; dredge steak on both sides and brown in two tablespoons of cooking fat. Pour off drippings. Add remaining bouillon; cover tightly and cook slowly for one hour. Spread 1/4 cup catsup over top of steak. Continue cooking, covered, for 30 minutes. Remove toothpicks.

## Hearty sandwiches fill up kids

The only limitation on the creativity of today's sandwich makers seems to be the size of their mouths. These hearty and nutritious sandwiches, for example, can be a complete meal.

Next time you want a change from your usual sandwich of tuna or peanut butter, consider a kraut-egg salad bunwich or a beef 'n bean burger.

Combine kraut, eggs and dressing. Mix well. Arrange on bottom halves of rolls. Add tomato, lettuce and tops of rolls. Wrap in aluminum foil. Bunwiches can be car-

ried to the office or stored in an ice cooler for picnics. Makes 6 sandwiches.

BEEF 'N BEAN BURGER

1 pound ground beef  
1 can (16 ounce) pork and beans  
1/2 cup catsup  
1/2 cup chopped onion  
or 2 tablespoons instant minced onion  
1 tablespoon prepared mustard  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 can (10 biscuits) refrigerated buttermilk or country-style biscuits  
3/4 cup (3 ounces) shredded Cheddar cheese

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Brown ground beef; drain. Stir in beans, catsup, onion, mustard and salt. Simmer while preparing dough. Separate biscuit dough into 10 biscuits. On greased cookie sheets, press each to a 4-inch circle. Spoon about 1/2 cup meat mixture over each biscuit. Sprinkle with cheese. Bake 15 to 18 minutes until golden brown.

## Scallops mix with leeks

By PIERRE FRANÉY  
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NEW YORK — In cooking, as in most things in life, everything is relative — including flavors and cooking times. In that this column is dedicated to the proposition that excellent foods can be prepared in less than an hour, it is evident that some dishes cook far quicker than others. It is also obvious that the end results of some dishes may be more sophisticated than others, more elegant than others and better suited to the finest of wines. And guests who have been chosen with special care.

It seems to me that of all the recipes printed in this space for the last year and more, none can exceed the dish outlined here for sheer elegance. Similarly, I can't recall a dish of whatever genre that requires less time and preparation in the kitchen. The dish in question is a quick saute of scallops and leeks, finished with cream and delicately flavored with the perfume of Marseilles, the anise-flavored drink known as pastis — Pernod or Ricard.

If anyone cares, this is a dish, made in far less than 60 minutes, that would certainly qualify as the much-touted nouvelle cuisine.

This is the kind of dish that should be served on special occasions. And I might add, without apology, that it is calorie-laden. The recipe serves four people generously and six people adequately, and it calls for from one and a half to two cups of heavy cream. In my own kitchen I prefer the larger amount.

Scallops and Leeks  
1 quart scallops, preferably bay scallops  
6 tablespoons butter  
3 leeks, chopped, about 3 1/2 cups  
Salt and freshly ground pepper to taste.  
2 tablespoons dry white wine

minutes.  
3. Sprinkle with wine and cook about one minute. Add the cream and cook, stirring often, about five minutes.  
4. As the sauce cooks down, in a separate skillet heat two tablespoons of butter and add the shallots, salt and pepper. Cook about one minute, stirring. Add the scallops:  
5. Sprinkle with Pernod or Ricard and heat. Combine the two mixtures. Bring to the boil and swirl in the remaining two tablespoons of butter.  
Yield: 4 to 6 average servings

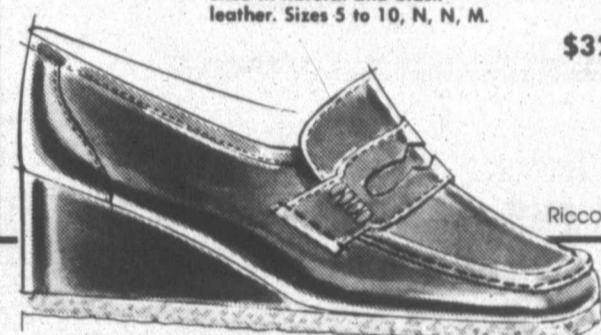
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2 cups heavy cream  
3 tablespoons finely chopped shallots  
2 tablespoons Pernod or Ricard or other anise-flavored liqueur.

1. Although bay scallops are best for this dish, sea scallops may be used. If sea scallops are used, cut them into quarters.  
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# Pill has new warnings

WASHINGTON (AP) — Food and Drug Commissioner Donald Kennedy says he would advise the women in his family to use a birth control method other than the pill. But the nation's largest dispenser of oral contraceptives, Planned Parenthood, contends they are relatively safe and effective for most women.

Kennedy announced at a news conference Tuesday that the Food and Drug Administration will require birth control pills to come with new warnings about their health risks.

Asked for his own view, Kennedy said the personal advice of "someone who does not happen to be medically qualified" to those close to him would be, "Find another method."

Kennedy, a biologist, has a wife and two daughters, one in her teens and the other in her early 20s.

The commissioner said the FDA will require all birth control pills dispensed after April 3 to come with brochures warning of dangers associated with the pill, including one that the 3 million to 4 million women who smoke cigarettes and take the pill increase their risk of suffering fatal heart attacks and strokes, particularly after age 35.

Robin Elliott, a spokesman for the Planned Parenthood Federation, which has chapters in 43 states and the District of Columbia, said of Kennedy's advice to his family,

"... there's no one method for everybody and there are medical and non-medical elements in each decision."

Elliott said in a telephone interview from New York that 70 percent of Planned Parenthood's 1.1 million clients use the pill, but the percentage is not as high among all women. More than 25 million people use some form of contraception, and about 9 million or 10 million use the pill, Elliott said.

Kennedy and Elliott agreed that since the pill came on the market 15 years ago, it has become probably the single most studied medication in the world.

The FDA commissioner said no drug is absolutely safe and the many tests conducted on birth control pills have merely followed the pattern associated

with most new drugs: their effectiveness was proven in early clinical trials and the safety questions surrounding long-term use became evident only after many years on the market.

While estrogen, the female

hormone used in most birth control pills, is known to cause cancer in animals and may cause cancer in post-menopausal women, the FDA said studies of women on the pill have not confirmed a link between the pill and cancer.

## State lottery isn't new

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — Government-run lotteries are new in the United States, say officials of the New York State Lottery.

The Congress of 1776 provided a national lottery, which had the support of Thomas Jefferson and other first states-

men. Before 1820, Congress passed as many as 70 acts authorizing lotteries for the building of schools, roads and other public works.

Funds derived from lotteries have helped to build and repair canals, roads, ferries and bridges, says the commission.



Jaycees present checks

To kick off National Jaycee Week, Pampa Jaycee president Mike Short, left, presents a check for \$318 to Senior Citizens Director Joyce Puckett. Charles McKinny, vice-president, presents Mrs. Marguerite Grady, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Genesis House

with a check for \$318. The funds were made available from the Jaycees "Wally Fowler Country Gospel Program" which took place last fall at M.K. Brown Auditorium.

(Pampa News photo by Ron Ennis)

# Superdome built with 'mistakes'

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — A huge lighting fixture crashed two stories to the Superdome floor, causing emergency repairs to be made to two similar fixtures and triggering still another claim against the people who built the \$163 million sports palace, the Associated

Press learned. The fixture—a half-ton modernistic appliance done in bronze-colored aluminum and plastic—was installed at the plaza level of gate A of the stadium. Identical fixtures still hang over gates C and G. The fixture tore loose and fell

at gate A on Nov. 18, hours before the big Willie Nelson-Linda Ronstadt concert at the dome, and the day before a capacity crowd jammed the stadium for the LSU-Tulane football game. However, the fall of the 1,000-pound light was not reported until today.

"I was out of the building when it happened, but I was called immediately," said building engineer Jerry Healey. "I think I got there before the noise from the crash was over."

"About half of the fixture fell. It tore itself apart at several points. We immediately went up and pulled the rest of it down."

"I expressed a fear that any vibration or any loud noise—such as from a large crowd—could bring the other two down. We checked out the other ones and put a piece of cable

around them to act as a backup, in case any others gave."

Healey said that the lighting fixtures were supported by hollow aluminum pothooks, similar to the ones used in residential construction, instead of the 3/4-inch steel eyebolts called for in construction specifications.

"We checked the drawings immediately, and it clearly specifies 3/4-inch steel eyebolts. It could have been an innocent mistake, but there's no doubt that either the contractor or the manufacturer made the mistake," he said.

He said contractors have replaced the aluminum supports with steel, and that they have taken the broken fixture back for repairs.

Claims for more than \$2 million have been made against the architects and engineers on the domed stadium project.

## Sieker, Zenor promoted by Canadian bank

CANADIAN — At the annual stockholders meeting in Canadian recently, bank president Don Schaefer announced the promotions of A.J. Sieker, from cashier to assistant vice-president, and B.L. Zenor, from assistant cashier to cashier. Sieker has been with the Canadian bank since Nov. of 1971. Zenor has been with the bank since Aug. of 1971.

B.J. Patton was introduced to the stockholders at the meeting. Patton will be joining the bank following a transfer from an Amarillo bank. Patton will serve as vice-president.

## Dust causing grain explosions?

WASHINGTON (AP) — Dry dust which can cause explosions is being dumped back into grain as it flows through elevators, according to testimony before a House subcommittee.

"Returning this material to the flow of grain compounds the explosion hazard," Leland E. Bartelt, administrator of the Federal Grain Inspection Service, testified Tuesday.

"Action must be taken to provide alternatives to the returning of collected grain dust directly to the grain," Bartelt said.

He told the subcommittee recent tests show that as the dust collects on fabric filters in the elevators "the moisture content is significantly reduced and the dust becomes vastly more ignitable and explosive."

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# Singles become significant part of housing market Club practices for storm

DALLAS (AP) — A condominium developer is astonished to find that of 400 units, 116 were sold to single people. Unmarried airline attendants bought 90 of 300 units in a Miami complex. Five of the first 15 houses sold in another project went to singles. Almost without notice, the singles crowd has become a significant part of the U.S. housing market, the 34th annual convention of the National Association of Home Builders

was told Tuesday. Builders and developers have aimed their sales pitches at others, but single men and women are the ones responding, said Laurin Magee, president of the Housing Guidance Council of Washington, D.C. Ms. Magee said one of every five buyers today is single. Ms. Magee and Lewis Goodkin, head of a Fort Lauderdale, Fla., housing research corporation, suggested that builders and developers cultivate the new market.

Single people are more affluent at a younger age than ever before, Ms. Magee said. She suggested that sales pitches to young adults should mention he to savings, energy savings and the hedge against inflation that come from owning a home. Builders should not make the mistake of pushing small efficiency units, Ms. Magee said. "Singles come in as many varieties as marrieds, excepting family size," she added. "Singles rent or buy

more than minimum space for the same reason other people do — they want it." A single man or woman wants an extra bedroom for house guests, a kitchen with conveniences such as microwave ovens and dishwashers, large closets, large storage areas, even two bathrooms, she said. "These are people who do things, and people who do things have things — ski clothes and equipment, home workshops, more clothes than

their married counterparts often," Ms. Magee said. "If you offer limited space to singles, you will lose them. They need to be able to look over the house and go 'ooh and ah' about the storage space just like married people." She and Goodkin cautioned against promotions based on a "fun and games" approach. "The idea of singles being 'swingles' is a totally inaccurate picture," Ms. Magee said. "There probably is no such thing anymore as

swingles, particularly as it applies to the housing market. It is a grossly misunderstood market." There was a period in the 1960s when singles tried to fit that image, but they found it unsatisfactory, Goodkin said. "The word got out the swingles projects were losers' clubs," he added. Ms. Magee said single people often desire more privacy than married people. They may be put off by a swingles concept.

A tornado will hit Pampa at 3 p.m. Sunday but there is no cause for alarm. The storm will be contrived by the county Amateur Radio Emergency Corps to test the effectiveness of amateur radio emergency communications. Some 25 members of the Amateur Radio Emergency Corps in Moore, Hutchinson, Gray, Carson and Roberts counties will join other operators throughout the U.S. and Canada to provide an opportunity to test their communications abilities and

equipment to gain valuable experience under realistic emergency conditions. This organization is composed entirely of FCC licensed radio amateurs who have volunteered their time and stations in the public interest. The emergency coordinator for Gray County is Mark Buzzard, station WBS0WDL. The Simulated Emergency Test is sponsored by the American Radio Relay League, the national organization of radio amateurs and the local organization of radio amateurs.

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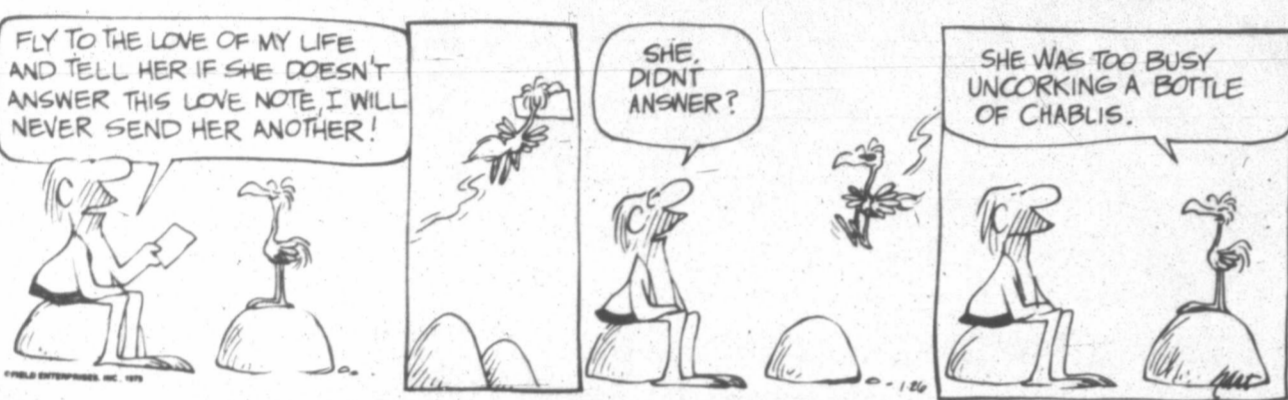
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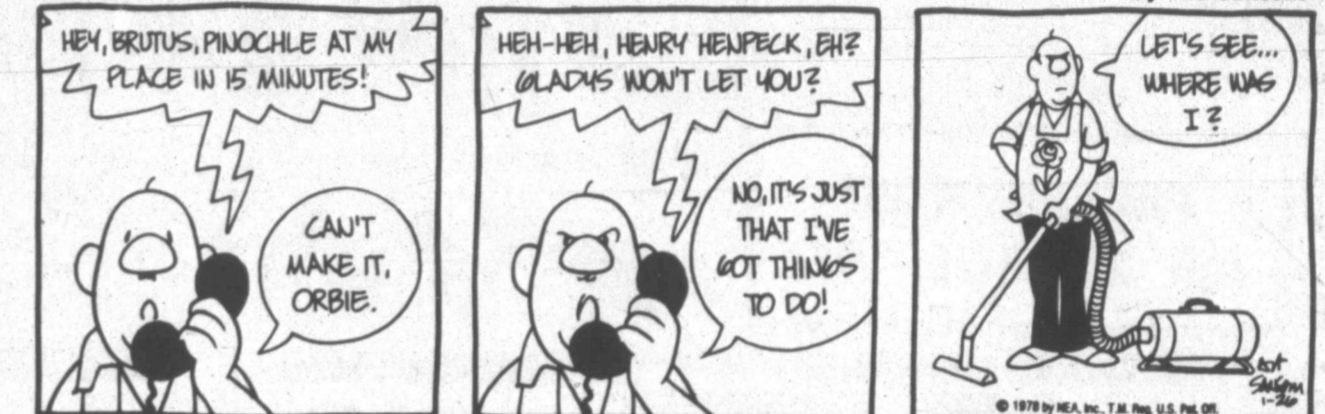
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Karen Blaker Ph.D.

**Emotional litterbug**

By Karen Blaker, Ph.D.

DEAR DR. BLAKER — I stay home mornings with my 2-year-old son. At noon, my daughter comes home from a half day in first grade. It's such a relief to have someone to talk to that I tell her many things I should probably keep to myself.

For example, last Tuesday night my husband and I attended a parent-teacher conference at her school. My husband asked some pointless questions and then fell asleep while the principal was talking. I was so embarrassed. Yesterday, I told my daughter all about the incident.

What seems worse is that I'm tempted to tell her other things too. I have to talk to someone. Since I do feel better after I get my feelings out, is what I'm doing really so bad?

DEAR READER — I am certain you feel better when you express your feelings. But your daughter is hardly an appropriate person to tell all the complaints you have about your husband — and, I assume, her father. This sort of emotional littering can create severe problems for your child.

Unleashing your marital dissatisfactions on your daughter may force her to ally with you against her father just to show her love for you. By taking advantage of the loyalty conflicts experienced by all normal children, you are imposing a tremendous and unfair burden on her.

If you need to talk to someone about your problems — and it sounds like you do — why not choose a friend or a professional therapist? Or why not discuss things directly with your husband?

If you fear confronting

him, that may partially explain why you are confiding in your daughter. For you, "getting at him" through her may seem safer than facing him.

Think again if you do not fight with your husband in front of the children only because of the effect you think it will have on them. Children seem able to handle open conflict between their parents far better than indirect, passive backbiting.

It is clear from your letter that you value your close relationship with your daughter. Right now you are, indeed, close. She appears to accept what you say about your husband and she seems to support you.

But what happens in the future when she starts putting her childhood in perspective — when she gets to know her father for herself? Are you sure your daughter won't turn against you for unfairly prejudicing her against him?

Speaking of the future, what message are you giving your daughter about men? After listening to your barrage of complaints, is it likely she will ever trust a man?

Don't despair. Don't explain. Don't apologize. And by all means don't over-compensate by flattering your husband for your daughter's benefit. (That will only confuse her more.) Instead, channel your anger and frustration elsewhere — away from your impressionable daughter.

Write to Dr. Blaker in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019. Volume of mail prohibits personal replies, but questions of general interest will be discussed in future columns. (NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

# Rural area crimes on the rise

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**FRIENDSHIP, Wis.** — The 641 residents here are as cordial as the name of this village in Central Wisconsin would lead one to expect.

But nevertheless, Friendship, 80 miles north of Madison, the state capital, has, like other rural areas in the United States, experienced a dramatic increase in crime, which once was thought to be a feature only of urban areas.

The Federal Bureau of Investigation says total reported crime rose 107.8 percent in rural areas between 1967 and 1976. Violent crime rose 54.7 percent and property crime 113.4 percent.

Adams County, of which Friendship is the seat, is a sparsely populated, sandy area of 677 square miles dotted with lakes and pines. Last year it ranked sixth of all the 72 Wisconsin counties in violent crimes per 100,000 residents and second in property crimes, although it is one of the least populated counties in the state. Since 1969, the county has had nine murders.

In 1973, Adams County ranked 68th of all Wisconsin counties in violent crimes and fifth in property crimes.

Adams County's latest violent incident occurred three days before Thanksgiving, when the police chief of the city of Adams, a small community adjoining Friendship, was shot in the chest by a man who had been refused welfare payments.

"I'm quite nervous," said Richard Holt, director of the Adams County Welfare Department, who witnessed the shooting in his office. "I heard people say that they're now afraid, they're locking their doors."

The Adams County Sheriff, William Holland, a lanky, taciturn man, said that his nine patrolmen were hard pressed to cover the county's miles of deserted back roads with occasional, isolated/mobile homes and cottages. His department has no backup

support except for the five-man police force in the city of Adams, but he plans to hire two more patrolmen in the next few months.

"We try to make our officers like an old-time cop on the beat who would know people in the area, the businessmen, the residents," he said as he cruised the icy roads in the southern part of the county in his unmarked car. "The only thing is, the county is stretched over such a big area, that to try and know everyone is difficult."

The problem of covering huge areas is typical for most rural law enforcement officers. But the size of Sheriff Holland's staff and his \$550,000 budget for 1978, which has more than tripled in the last five years, may seem generous to many officers.

"I have driven with red light and siren for more than an hour and a half to reach an emergency," said Stan Jensen, the sheriff of Boise County, Idaho, whose department patrols more than 1,800 square miles of the west central part of that state.

Jensen, who at 23 is one of the youngest elected sheriffs in the country, had a budget of \$70,000 in 1977 and a staff of three full-time and six part-time deputies.

Many law enforcement officers, like Col. Harold Knowlton, commander of the New Hampshire State Police, say good highways, built to attract tourists, also provide mobility for criminals to move quickly in and out of rural areas.

In New Hampshire, a largely rural state that depends heavily on tourism for state revenues, many small towns have no full-time police force and rely on the state police to patrol their areas. Crimes against property are

the biggest problem in rural areas. In Wisconsin, the burglary rate increased 42 percent between 1972 and 1976 in rural areas; it increased only 28 percent in urban areas. The Adams County sheriff estimates "one and a half burglaries a day" occur in his county.

In Vermont, state police officials report that the bulk of breaking and entering occurs in the state's 30,000 vacation homes, which account for 20 percent of the state's housing.

The police in both New Hampshire and Vermont say that burglars are taking antiques from second homes in the countryside and transporting them to the Boston area.

Rural merchants are also feeling the rise in crime. Thomas Eppes, owner of the Eppes Drug Store in Amelia, Va., a small community 30 miles

west of Richmond, said his store was broken into 10 times in the last four years. His store is across the street from the Amelia County Courthouse and the sheriff's office.

"The police are doing all they can do," said Eppes, who has been in business for 22 years. "I think it's a sign of the times."

While crime has jumped, many rural residents are still not aware that there is danger. While rural residents tend to blame crime on "outsiders" or

"transients," some experts say that much of the increase comes from the residents, particularly juveniles, because of the changing character of rural life.

"Social controls, local attitudes about staying out of trouble, which were once a deterrent, now have disappeared," said Samuel

Stellman, director of the University of Wisconsin's Criminal Justice Institute in Milwaukee.

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AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The Texas Supreme Court Thurs. refused, in effect, to force a defendant in a libel suit filed by a former Dallas assistant police chief to disclose his sources of information.

The court declined to entertain a petition for a writ of mandamus compelling State District Judge Joe Bailey Humphreys to grant a discovery motion filed by Troy F. Moore.

Moore had asked Humphreys for an order commanding Bill Caruth to answer questions concerning the source of information.

Moore's brief in the supreme court said Caruth, who was chairman of the Dallas County Support Your Local Police Committee, authored a newsletter that made references to Moore's reputation.

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