

# GOP would set schools back 30 years, Demos say

By GARTH JONES

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas Democratic party leaders voted Saturday for a presidential primary in 1980, but only at the same time as the primary elections in May.

The stand, taken after almost three hours of discussion of proposed election law changes, was firmly against changing the present first primary in May, with a June runoff, to elections in July, August or September.

However, said State Democratic Chairman Billy Goldberg, the party should think about changing to later election dates for 1981 and other non-presidential election years for election of the governor and other statewide officials.

"The time from May to November is too long," said Goldberg, in obvious reference to the 1978 governor's race where Republican Bill Clements won over Democrat John Hill.

Earlier, Goldberg spent about half an hour of the special State Democratic Executive Committee meeting criticizing Clements, particularly his recent budget message that called for a \$1 billion tax return.

Clements' "meat axe approach" would set Texas public education back 30 years, Goldberg said and was applauded by the 62 members of the governing body of the state party.

"If the legislature were to go along with Clements — which it won't — school boards would be forced to raise property taxes by as much as \$700 million to make up for the loss of state revenue," he said.

The committee formally adopted a resolution saying it preferred a Senate bill and two House bills that call for a presidential primary in the May election. It particularly endorsed a proposal by Reps. Brad Wright, R-Houston, and Ron Waters, D-Houston, that sets the date but allows each party to draw up its own rules for the presidential preference vote. The sponsors claim to have 80 House backers.

The resolution opposed a Senate bill by Sen. Jack Ogg, D-Houston, that would set the presidential primary in March and move primary elections back to July and August. The bill, which has been endorsed by Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and Speaker Bill Clayton, is set for hearing Monday afternoon before a Senate committee.

"I will be at that committee meeting to tell them it was our almost

unanimous decision in taking this official stand of the state party," Goldberg said.

The bill by Wright and Waters, along with other House presidential primary proposals, is in a subcommittee.

The committee took no stand on eight different proposals to change the state constitution to allow voters to initiate law and constitution changes and require a statewide vote on them.

"We felt this would disturb the delicate balance of the legislative process," said Anthony Hall, chairman of the legislative subcommittee. "It has become no longer a mom and pop situation. It is a common endeavor now... a tool for those who have the money to pay someone to get the signatures on a petition... another viewpoint was that most of these bills were written for the benefit of the Republicans."

Other action by the committee on pending legislation included:  
— "Endorsed in concept" a Senate bill that would require disclosure of party affiliation in political advertising.

— Opposed a Senate bill that would change the arrangement of the ballot to list candidates under the title of office not by political party.

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## Begin firm in refusal to give in

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. peace drive appeared to be running out of steam Saturday as Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin gave no sign of yielding to Egyptian treaty demands that have the support of President Carter.

After a Sabbath break, Begin joined Carter at the White House for dinner with their wives, and then the third in a series of so far futile meetings.

Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance and other key advisers have prepared for Carter a number of undisclosed and highly tentative ideas that they hope might break the impasse.

U.S. officials declined to divulge any of the details and seemed gloomy about the course of the negotiations. However, one approach was understood to involve possible U.S. security measures to protect Israel if Begin yields on key remaining issues.

The Carter-Begin session, in the president's private quarters, was set up for the two men to confer alone, without advisers.

Carter and Begin will probably meet again on Sunday. Begin, meanwhile, will appear on a network television interview program, ABC's "Issues and Answers." Administration officials had hoped he would follow Carter's call for strictest secrecy.

But besides negotiating with Carter, the Israeli leader considers it important that the American public have an understanding of Israel's concerns.

If the stalemate persists through the weekend, Begin probably will see congressional leaders on Monday and then fly to New York that evening for talks with friends and supporters there.

Carter has not been in touch with Egyptian President Anwar Sadat. However, the talks with Begin have as a goal finding a basis for resuming negotiations between Egypt and Israel, possibly at summit level.

Despite the apparent impasse in the negotiations, there does not seem to be personal conflict between Carter and Begin. The president and wife Rosalynn joined the prime minister and other members of the Israeli delegation for a festive Sabbath dinner Friday evening.



Alvey Bryant, longtime resident and community leader in rural Midland County, surveys his farm and ranch in the Greenwood area. (Staff Photo by Ed Todd)

## Three schools once in Greenwood

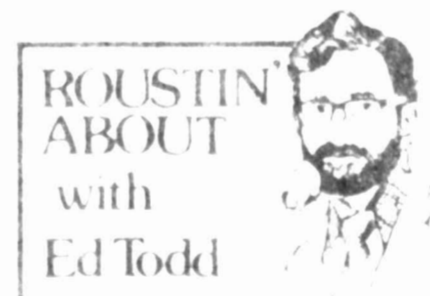
GREENWOOD — What ever happened to McClintic, Prairie Lee and Stokes?

They're all at Greenwood in the name of education.

Not many people may remember, but back in the days of dirt roads, buggies, Model T's and Fresno scrapers pulled by draft horses and mules, Midland County children were getting their formal learning by way of nine schools, said Alvey Bryant, who remembers those days well.

Bryant came to this land at age 9 on Thanksgiving eve, 1925, with his father, W.T. Bryant, and family, in Buick and Chandler motor cars.

They came from Houston County in



East Texas to farm cotton on 320 acres, which was a sizeable farm "back in the horse and buggy days," noted Bryant.

But they almost decided to turn around and put up with those East

Texas "rain clouds" rather than live with what was looming before them.

"It was the first windstorm I ever saw," Bryant said of the sky darkened by dust, dirt and sand. "And we were ready to go back to East Texas." They didn't.

Once "planted" here, young Alvey Bryant was enrolled in the Prairie Lee School, about midway between Midland and the Greenwood community, which is 10 miles east of Midland.

BACK THEN, Prairie Lee was a two-teacher, 11-grade school first opened in 1907 or 1908.

But it became a three-teacher

school of about 75 students the following year, 1926, after a new school was built, and the old one was auctioned off by Bryant's father for \$1. A few years later, a fourth teacher was added, when enrollment shot up to 125.

Back then, Homer Vanlandingham was Prairie Lee's principal-teacher and his wife taught, too.

"He was a good teacher," Bryant recalled. "He'd get out and play with us. But in the classroom, he was all business. We loved him."

Too, Bryant fondly remembers his

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## Plan O on school board's Tuesday agenda

By SUSAN TOTH  
Staff Writer

It's listed on the school board agenda as, "Consideration of alternatives for coping with declining school enrollments."

That translates into, "Pack a sack lunch, here comes Plan O again."

School staff members will deliver a report on the controversial plan to consolidate the city's two high schools at the 1:30 p.m. meeting of the school board Tuesday.

Paired with the consolidation re-

port is consideration of the textbook committee recommendations — a combination which could approach record levels of citizen comment for one meeting.

The board is anticipating overflow crowds and has moved the meeting to the Sam Houston Elementary School cafeteria to handle the expected audience.

Plan O — a name that has stuck since it started out as part of a long list of alphabetically designated school organization alternatives several years ago — resurfaced in Jan-

uary as an administration recommendation.

This time, the plan was offered as a solution to problems created by the projected decline in high school enrollments.

After board members asked the

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school staff for an updated study of the plan and its implications, a

citizens' group opposed to the plan was created.

Rumors that the proposal would be "railroaded" began to circulate, followed by petitions asking the plan be dropped.

The plan has intensified interest in the upcoming school board elections, and most candidates filing for the three offices to be filled have voiced opposition to the plan.

Board President Johnny Warren said the matter will be discussed at the meeting Tuesday, but voted on

two weeks later, at the March 20 meeting of the board.

Advantages of the plan, as outlined in the January meeting include allowing the continuation of specialized courses in the high schools which might have to be dropped as enrollments at the two schools decline, better staff usage, less overlap in programs, elimination of the problem of keeping the two high schools "equal," unification of the city behind one school and a stronger varsity

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## Need for higher interest explained

By LINDA HILL  
Staff Writer

In an era of rising interest rates, home mortgage loans in Texas are holding firm at 10 percent or a little below — good news for the purchaser, perhaps, except that he's finding it harder and harder to get a mortgage at all.

Rates are staying at that level because 10 percent is the maximum interest rate allowed under Texas usury laws for mortgage loans to individuals.

But lenders in Midland and elsewhere claim they can't possibly continue to operate at that rate, when they are paying more than 10 percent interest for some of their money.

Consequently, Realtors and lending institutions throughout the state have joined forces in an intensive lobbying effort to up the maximum to 12 percent.

Companion House and Senate bills to that effect have been the topic of committee hearings in Austin.

EXECUTIVES OF ALL three Midland savings and loan associations enthusiastically endorsed the proposed increase, saying it is essential if they are to continue to make home loans.

Their major contention is that they are unable to replenish supplies of capital, as they usually do, by selling mortgages to the Federal Home Loan Corp. or savings and loan asso-

ciations in other areas.

Thus, in different ways, all three Midland institutions have restricted the number of mortgages being written.

Joan Ramey, president of the Midland Board of Realtors, said the money squeeze caused by the interest limit already is affecting business in Midland.

"If we can't obtain financing, it (real estate selling) is going to come to a screeching halt," said Mrs. Ramey.

ONE WAY SOME institutions are coping with the problem is charging "points," a percentage of the total

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## Basin youths win honors, big money at Houston

HOUSTON — Permian Basin youths won top honors — and top dollars — for steers at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Saturday.

Jim Bob Beam, a 13-year-old from a cotton farm near Patricia in Dawson County, got a staggering \$70,000 for his junior grand champion steer.

Four Houston building contractors joined forces to pay the world record price.

The bid from Earl Gilbert, Tommy Steele, Doug Potts and Homer Schott for Beam's Limousin-Hereford cross steer named Yackley far outstripped last year's \$52,000 price.

Other bidders quickly got into the spirit to give Coahoma youth Reagan Brooks \$45,000 for his reserve grand champion steer.

Jesse Sharman and Brian Hutcheson of Fort Worth pushed the world's record for a reserve grand champion steer with their purchase price.

Brooks, 15, received the award for his Chianina-Angus Steer named Shipley and easily topped last year's price of \$31,000.





A lost dog story came to a happy conclusion this weekend when Peggy Cumbie of Odessa thought she recognized her missing dog in the Saturday Reporter-Telegram's "Pet of the Week" photo feature. Sure enough, it was "Baby," identified by an unusually long scar. Baby became missing in Plainview, some 150 miles as the crow flies from Midland, four months ago and had apparently "followed" her owner to the Permian Basin, her only mistake being when she took a wrong turn somewhere and ended up in Midland and at the city's Animal Control Shelter. But, on the other hand, it probably was the best thing that could have happened to her. (Staff Photo)

### Photographer to close show of his works, meet students

Photographer Russell Lee will be in Odessa March 11 and 12 to meet with photography students and the general public at the University of Texas Permian Basin and Odessa College. An exhibit of Lee's photographs is currently on display in the student lounge of UTPB until March 11. The exhibit will move on to Odessa College's community room in the Student Union Building March 20 through 30.

There will be a public reception for Lee March 11 at 7:30 p.m. in the faculty lounge at UTPB. On March 12, a slide show featuring his work from the 1930s to the 1960s will be presented at 7:30 p.m. in the community room in Odessa College. Lee's photographs recorded the Great Depression years, rural farm life and living conditions in the United States.

# China preparing for withdrawal

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — China's invasion force in Vietnam, having captured the key provincial capital of Lang Son, was preparing Saturday for a cease-fire and withdrawal back across the Chinese border, Japanese reports from Peking said. The timetable for the reported pull-out plan was unknown. Vietnam reported continued fighting and claimed victories on the battlefield Saturday. Japan's Kyodo news service Saturday quoted an unidentified Chinese official in Peking as saying China's Central Military Committee had decided to order a cease-fire, though he did not say when it would go into effect.

Citing an informed source in the Japanese Foreign Ministry, Kyodo later reported that the Tokyo government had information indicating the Chinese also intend to withdraw their troops from Vietnam. Again the timing was unknown. Foreign Ministry officials in Tokyo could not be reached to confirm the Kyodo report. There was speculation among analysts in Bangkok that the capture of Lang Son, which has been confirmed by Western intelligence sources, may be used by Peking as a face-saving move prior to the withdrawal of its troops. Kyodo's Japanese source said the fighting near Lang Son was part of a "Chinese effort to create a military

situation that would enable them to pull out." The Bangkok sources had first confirmed the capture of Lang Son, 80 miles north of Hanoi and 11 miles south of the Chinese border. A Pentagon source in Washington later confirmed that the town had been abandoned by the Vietnamese "even as much as a week ago." The Vietnamese troops apparently took up artillery positions in surrounding hills. Hanoi Radio claimed that Vietnamese units had intercepted and inflicted heavy losses on Chinese troops north of Lang Son. A Vietnamese Foreign Ministry statement said China continued "with feverish haste" to send fresh troops into Vietnam while saying it wanted

to open negotiations to end the conflict. The latest Chinese proposal for negotiations, rejected by Vietnam, did not include any reference to China's earlier demand that Vietnam withdraw its forces from Cambodia before talks could begin. Vietnam invaded Cambodia late last year and ousted the Chinese-backed regime of Pol Pot. In another sign that Peking may be laying the groundwork for a withdrawal from Vietnam, the official Chinese news agency Hsinhua said the invasion had made it possible for Chinese who live near the Vietnamese border to return to their homes without fear.

### Mortgage program on agenda

A housing program designed to help families with moderate incomes buy houses is up for further consideration when the Midland Housing Authority meets at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Hillcrest Manor Community Room, 700 W. Scharbauer Drive.

The Single Family Mortgage Revenue Financing Program was first proposed at the authority's last session a month ago.

Since then, Housing Chairman Harry Clark approached the Midland City Council with the idea and received approval to change the authority's contract with the city so the board can investigate the program.

Considering selection of an underwriter for this program will be a topic at Wednesday's meeting.

A report will be made on the status of a home rehabilitation program being carried out with private contributions obtained by the Midland Commission for Local Community Development.

Clyde Jansen, president of Hillcrest Manor Residence Council, will give the report.

The authority also will hear comments from any residents of Hillcrest Manor on the management of that facility.



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Wednesday: Beef tips with rice, garden salad, green beans, hot rolls, milk, cake.  
Thursday: Oven baked chicken, baked peas, mashed potatoes, hot rolls, milk, gelatin.  
Friday: Corn dogs, baked beans, potato chips, apple crisp, milk.

**GREENWOOD SCHOOL**  
Monday: Steak fingers, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, peaches, milk.  
Tuesday: Pork chops, fried okra, applesauce, hot rolls, apricot cobbler, milk.  
Wednesday: Mexican casserole, Pinto beans, tossed salad, cornbread, cinnamon roll, milk.  
Thursday: Spaghetti, green peas, combination salad, hot rolls, banana pudding, milk.  
Friday: Hamburgers, french fries, hamburger salad, ice cream, milk.

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Tuesday: Breakfast Grapefruit juice, French toast with syrup, milk, Lunch: Barbecue chicken, hot dog, whole kernel corn, potato salad, chocolate cake with fudge frosting, milk.  
Wednesday: Breakfast Orange juice, dry cereal, milk, Lunch: Beef and chileada, pinto beans, cole slaw, corn bread with butter, lemon fried pie, milk.  
Thursday: Breakfast Chilled peach waffle with syrup, milk, Lunch: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, green peas, hot roll with butter, strawberry gelatin, milk.  
Friday: Stewed prunes, scrambled eggs, hot roll with butter, milk, Lunch: Fried shrimp, tator tots with catsup, tossed salad, cinnamon roll, milk.

**MIDLAND SECONDARY**  
Monday: Breakfast Apple juice, cinnamon toast, milk, Lunch: Hamburger on bun, chicken noodle, casseroles, french fried potatoes, brucoli spears, Hamburg, or salad, tossed salad, plum cobbler, ice cream.  
Tuesday: Breakfast Grapefruit juice, French toast with syrup, milk, Lunch: Barbecue chicken, hot dog, whole kernel corn, potato salad, chocolate cake with fudge frosting, ice cream.  
Wednesday: Breakfast Orange juice, dry cereal, milk, Lunch: Beef and chileada, smothered liver, pinto beans, french fries, pineapple, taffels, cole slaw, lemon fried pie, ice cream.  
Thursday: Breakfast Chilled peach waffle with syrup, milk, Lunch: Chicken fried steak, submarine sandwich, mashed potatoes with gravy, green peas, strawberry gelatin, tossed salad, chocolate cream pie, ice cream.  
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**NEWS IN BRIEF**

**French President gets promise of Mexican oil**

Associated Press Writer

MERIDA, Mexico (AP) — French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing ended his state visit to Mexico with a tour of oil fields and Mayan ruins before flying home Saturday night.

In four days of talks, the French president secured a promise from his host, President Jose Lopez Portillo, that if France needs more oil, Mexico will supply it.

France recently signed an agreement to buy 100,000 barrels of oil a day for five years beginning in 1980 and renewable for another five years at current prices. Mexican oil costs \$14.10 a barrel. The base price for crude oil from members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries has been \$13.35 per barrel, but many OPEC members have unilaterally increased their prices because of the shortage of oil from Iran.

**Carter fulfilling campaign promise**

ELK CITY, Okla. (AP) — "We're the friendliest town in the west and we'll fight anyone to prove it."

Local pharmacist Bryan Potter was using his favorite saying to sum up what Elk City officials say is the attitude of most of the folks of this southwestern Oklahoma town as they get ready to roll out the red carpet for a visit this month by President Jimmy Carter.

Some residents may have doubted a 1975 promise by then-candidate Jimmy Carter that he would return to Elk City if he was elected President.

After all, no president had ever paid a visit to Elk City while in office.

On Thursday of last week, the White House announced that Carter would take part in a "town meeting" in Elk City the night of March 24, the day before he is scheduled to address the National Association of Broadcasters in Dallas.

**Gas rationing unlikely**

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Americans should not worry about reports that the federal government may impose a stringent gasoline rationing program, Vice President Walter Mondale said Saturday.

"Do not look on those regulations as if they are going to be implemented — now or hopefully ever," Mondale told 450 city, county and local school officials in a question-and-answer session.

He said the United States still has "a dicey situation" in regard to reliance on Mideast oil and should be prepared for supply cutbacks.

"We need to have this kind of authority in place so that if we have to move swiftly we can," he added.

**Amin's troops score victory**

MALABA, Uganda (AP) — Troops loyal to President Idi Amin crushed a small guerrilla force and regained control of the important east Ugandan town of Tororo, border officials and travelers reported Saturday.

The victory eased the military pressure on the embattled Amin.

People arriving in this border town from Tororo, seven miles to the west, said Amin's soldiers captured and summarily executed four of the estimated 10 to 20 Ugandan guerrillas who attacked a military base in Tororo Friday.

Unofficial reports Friday said as many as 50 persons may have died in the day-long fighting, but this could not be confirmed.

In another development, Uganda's official radio said Saturday that Soviet President Leonid I. Brezhnev had sent a "special message" to Amin. The contents were not disclosed, and some observers said this probably indicated the communication was cool.

**Three arrested in slaying of Lee Chagra**

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Two young soldiers from nearby Fort Bliss and a 55-year-old man captured in Las Vegas, Nev., have been arrested in the Dec. 23 slaying of flamboyant El Paso narcotics defense lawyer Lee Chagra.

Pfc. Don White, 21, of Richmond, Calif., and Spec. 4 David Leon Wallace, 20, of Compton, Calif., were charged with capital murder. White was arrested Friday night in El Paso, and Wallace was picked up Saturday in Compton, Calif.

The third arrest came Saturday night in Las Vegas when FBI agents working with police arrested Lewis Fred Asper, 55, of El Paso. Asper was arrested in a motel on a federal warrant charging him with unlawful flight to avoid prosecution for murder in the Chagra case, according to Special Agent James Powers, chief of the Las Vegas FBI.

Powers said Asper, who did not resist arrest, will be held for a bond hearing set for Monday in Las Vegas.

Earlier in the day, El Paso Police Chief William Rodriguez told of White's arrest at a news conference also attended by U.S. Attorney Jamie Boyd and O. Leon Dobbs, special agent in charge of the El Paso FBI office.

Rodriguez said White was arrested Friday night in El Paso and is being held in the county jail in lieu of \$200,000 bond.

Police Lt. John Lanahan said White "already was a suspect and we wanted to talk to him some more about the Chagra murder."

Rodriguez said another man, David Leon Wallace, 20, also from California was arrested Saturday by FBI agents in Los Angeles.

Rodriguez said the FBI is assisting in the search for "several other suspects" believed to have left the El Paso area.

Chagra's death touched off a federal grand jury investigation focusing on a wide range of criminal activity, including narcotics trafficking.

**Three called in El Paso vice probe**

BOSTON (AP) — Two policemen and a businessman from Peabody have been called to testify before a federal grand jury in El Paso, Texas in a probe of gambling, prostitution, narcotics and arson in six states, the Boston Globe reported Saturday.

The Globe identified the three as Capt. Edward E. Golin, head of the Criminal Investigation Division of the Peabody police, Patrolman George Couis and Salvatore Michael Caruana, a former manager of a Danvers hockey ring.

The newspaper said sources indicated the three were had been subpoenaed by FBI agents to testify in a probe growing out of the shooting death of Lee Chagra, an El Paso attorney who was gunned down in his downtown El Paso office Dec. 23.

Two servicemen have been arrested in connection with that slaying and El Paso authorities said late Saturday more arrests were expected.

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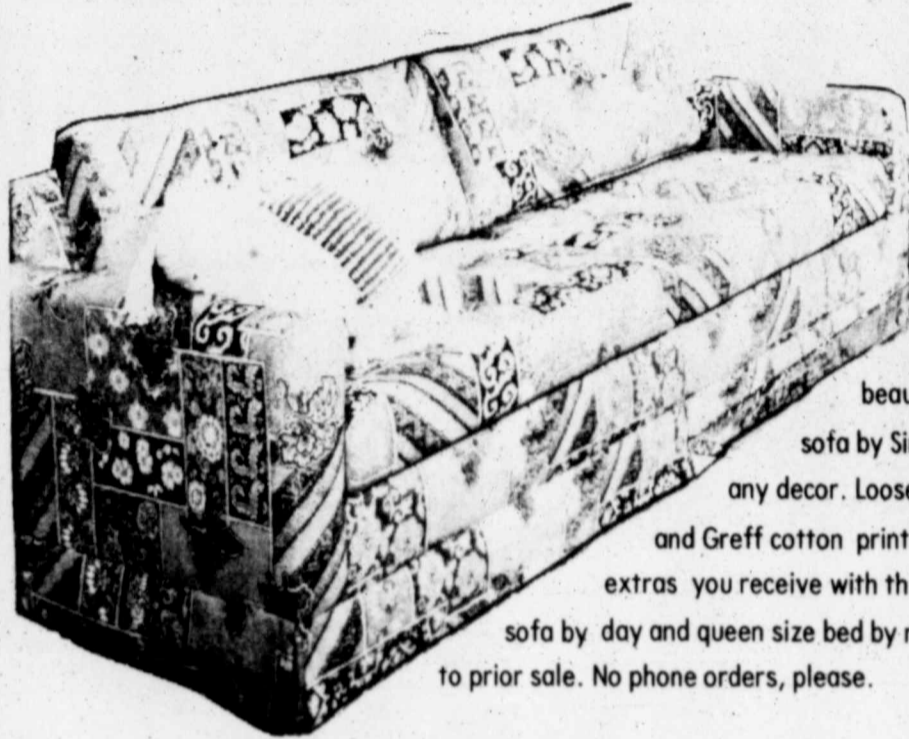
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## Time to speak out!

A Midland petroleum engineer, L.C. Solleau IV, believes it is time for ordinary citizens to speak out against excessive regulation of the energy industry while, at the same time, recognizing the groups which are attempting to help solve the problem.

We agree whole-heartedly. Mr. Solleau has written an open letter to the Texas Railroad Commission, a copy of which was forwarded to The Reporter-Telegram. We consider it worthy of publication. It reads as follows:

"Recently, Texas Railroad Commission Chairman John H. Poerner said that Texas, the No. 1 petroleum producing state in the U.S., may see crude oil production fall below the billion barrel per year mark in 1979; the first time in 15 years! He also said that the recovery of additional oil from Texas oil fields by secondary and tertiary methods would result, given proper Federal incentive.

"As a petroleum engineer, I could not agree more. We know where 60 - 70 percent of all the oil ever discovered lies! Modern technology provides us the means of recovering some of this oil! We in the energy business want to stay in business! But our business, the domestic energy supply, and the health of our

nation rely on private endeavor, and private endeavor is motivated by profit.

"In recent years, we have seen that private endeavor can be negatively motivated by the threat of government reprisal — but Regulation has never resulted in Excellence in anything!

"We taxpayers, we hard-working citizens are burdened by a payment of over \$120,000,000 every day for imported oil! And yet our government seeks to stimulate interest with more regulation, more taxes and token Federal grants. We producers and consumers cannot start to find a solution or fight the battle until the Government — our Regulators who break our backs with unnecessary and unfounded requirements — lets us step into the ring!

The only answer to the American Energy Crisis is Action — Good Old American Ingenuity! We must be free to explore every energy source and to experiment in the market place. Many attempts will fail. Some will survive. And, we will all be better for trying.

"Thank you for your common sense approach to the energy problem. And thank you for your leadership in Texas and our nation."

## No one-way streets

The idea of one-way streets in the Tall City appears to be dead, at least for the time being.

The city council, it seems to us, exercised sound judgment in rejecting on second reading the proposed ordinance, designating certain streets as one way.

Members of the council had not been advised fully of the hardships the program as proposed would have had on certain business firms located on the streets involved when they approved the ordinance on first reading at their Jan. 24 meeting. They were quick to back away from the idea when they learned of the problems which would result.

This splendid spirit of understanding and cooperation certainly speaks well for the Midland City Council, whose members will listen to citizens and their problems in situations such as this. Who was it who said you can't fight City Hall? In Midland, it is a matter of communicating rather than fighting.

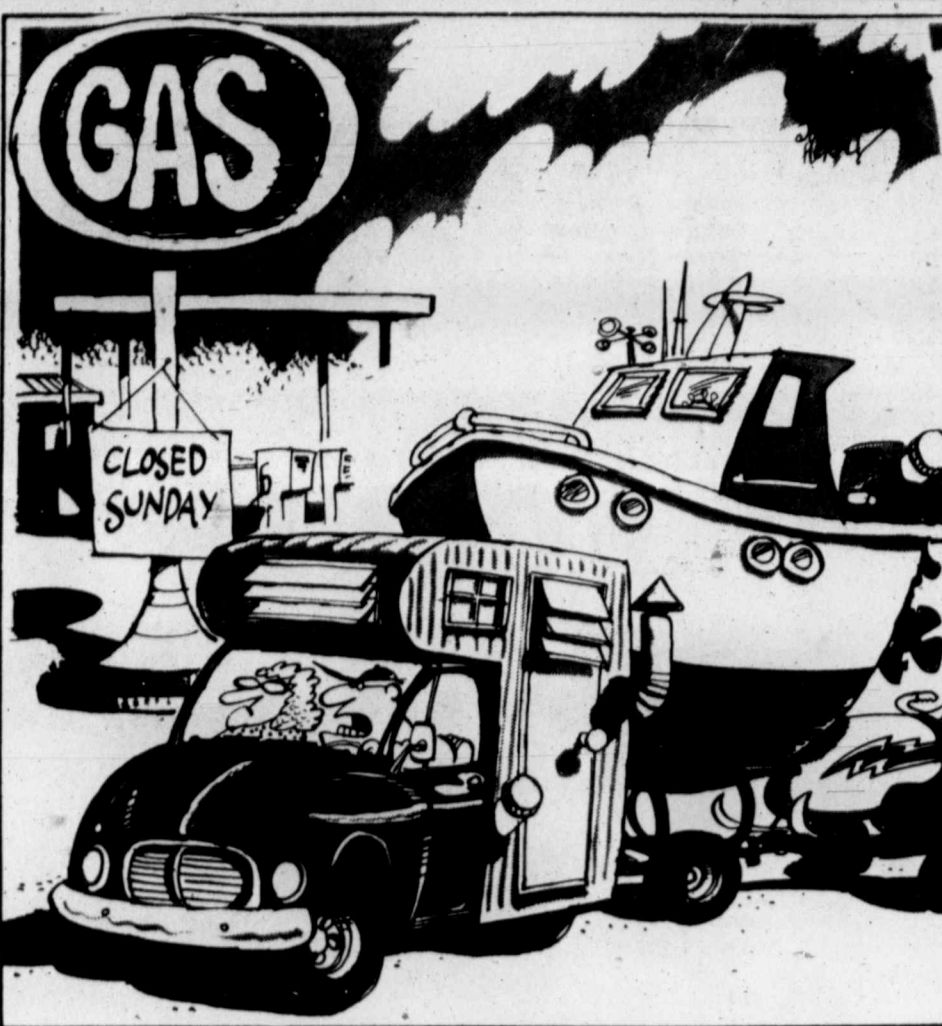
Under the ordinance as proposed, parts of Texas and Illinois avenues would have been made one-way thoroughfares, along with parts of K and Fort Worth streets.

Although the agenda was long, the council took ample time to hear the protests lodged by spokesmen for several businesses involved at last Tuesday's meeting, and then discussed the matter thoroughly before reaching a final decision on the important matter.

The proposed ordinance had some good points, certainly, but they were offset by the not-so-good ones. Anyway, the council rejected the plan on a unanimous vote.

Toward the end of the discussion, Mayor Ernest Angelo Jr. expressed the opinion that the council perhaps wished it had never heard of one-way streets.

"We'll bury the street issue," he said. And that did it!



"IT'S ALL KHOMEINI'S FAULT!"



By JACK ANDERSON

## WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

### Thousands missing in Argentina

WASHINGTON—Latin American dictators historically have taken few pains to distinguish between legitimate dissent and acts of terrorism. While the brutal repression of political opponents has succeeded in keeping terrorists in check in countries like El Salvador and Argentina literally thousands of innocent citizens have suffered in the process.

The right-wing regime of Jorge Rafael Videla in Argentina has added a new dimension to the suppression of political dissent. Mere suspicion of friendship or acquaintance with someone who is considered politically dangerous is enough to bring summary arrest, interrogation and imprisonment without trace.

Videla was the choice of a military junta that seized control of Argentina from Isabel Peron in 1976. He has been waging war against his real and imaginary political opponents ever since, and it has been estimated that as many as 20,000 persons have simply disappeared in the past three years.

Armed thugs on the military's payroll kidnap unsuspecting citizens from their homes in the middle of the night and whisk them off to prison. Some are killed outright; others are interrogated under torture. Few are ever heard from again.

Repeated attempts by family members to locate missing sons, daughters, husbands and wives have elicited no meaningful response from the government. Despite the risk involved, some formal protests have been lodged against the Videla regime. Shying from political affiliation, the victims' families seek only information on the whereabouts of their loved ones.

A number of courageous Argentinians have dared to take their protest into the streets. Late last year they began massing in the government square in Buenos Aires and

demanding information about their missing relatives. Because most of the protesters are women whose sons have disappeared, they are known as the "Plaza Mothers."

Our reporter Bob Sherman recently had a secret meeting with four of these women whose children had been taken away in the night by Videla's secret police. We agreed to keep their identities and the location of the meeting confidential for obvious reasons. Here are two of the Plaza Mothers' stories, which they assured us were typical:

"Two years ago, 16 armed men appeared at my home in the night and took me, my daughter and her husband out of our apartment," said the first woman. "They searched it completely and after two and a half hours they had stolen everything we had. We were taken blindfolded in cars and placed in a basement prison. The men had chains on their arms and legs; the women had chains on their hands."

The prisoners were then interrogated. Electric shocks were applied to prompt those who had bad memories or otherwise gave unsatisfactory answers.

What their captors wanted were names. It has been estimated that 60 percent of those arrested in Videla's "dirty war" have been seized for no other reason than their association with someone believed to be a political threat to the military dictatorship.

"We were threatened with death if we lifted the blindfold," the Plaza Mother recalled. "But I lifted mine to try to find my daughter. What I saw was an awful place full of young people, some of them unconscious. Many could not resist the torture and believed they were going to die."

The mother, a woman in her 40s, was set free without explanation after a week. She was told to say nothing about her experience or she would find that her daughter "had been

## CHARLEY REESE

### Here's an issue which never seems to be settled

By CHARLEY REESE  
San Belt Syndicate

ORLANDO, Fla. — Now and then and here and there the controversy over sex education in the public schools pops up. It is one of those issues that never seems to be settled.

In some areas, proponents of sex education are pointing at the rising number of teen-age pregnancies as a justification. I fear these folks are making a mistake, for I suspect the kids know more about sex than the people advocating the sex education.

One can no longer assume in our permissive society that every teenage pregnancy is automatically the result of ignorance. Accidents perhaps but not ignorance. In some cases, the pregnancies are deliberate. After all, in our enlightened age, we pay a monthly stipend for illegitimate kids.

With some people it is part of their dogma that all problems can be educated out of existence, but I no longer believe that. In all my years on the police and criminal court beats I



Charley Reese

never found a soul who had gotten into trouble out of pure ignorance. Most of them had done whatever it was they did on purpose and with knowledge of the likely consequences.

Parents who have visions of teenagers accidentally falling into each other's arms and being surprised to learn that storks don't bring babies are simply projecting their own more innocent-pasts onto today's children.

Most eight-year-olds today know more about sex than most 17-year-olds did in the 1940s and the 1950s.

Of course some of the people behind the drives for sex education are abortion-peddlers. That is a big business these days. I see no reason why the taxpayers should fund their advertising programs under the guise of education. Let them buy an ad like every other profit-making business.

But more importantly in our hedonistic culture in which the joys of sex are trumpeted daily in the newspapers, magazines, movies and books and on radio, asking the classroom teacher to curb this particular form of recreation is like sending one soldier to stop the Chinese army.

In our country, most people get what they really want. Our cultural libertarians wanted a sexual revolution. Open the closets! Down with Puritanism! Let it all hang out! If it feels good, do it!

Well, they got it and teen-age pregnancies are part of it. No birth control device or method, except abstinence, is 100 percent effective and so if you roll the dice enough times, you're going to come up with snake eyes.

And, sure, teen-age pregnancies are a problem. In most cases, the kid faces only bad choices: hire a white-frocked hit man to kill the baby, have it and give it up for adoption, or grow old early trying to support it.

The answer is not in the classroom, though. It may be in the home, in the church, even in the executive offices of the major media, but it's time we stopped dumping problems on school teachers that are beyond their ability to solve.

We simply can't segregate a culture and create one for adults and one for children. If we hip adults are going to have pornography, massage parlors, and go-go joints all over town and "realism" on the television and movie screens, so are the kids.

The entire teen-age market, from movies to clothes to music, is oriented toward sex and believe me, when you have a wonderful product and you pour millions of dollars into promoting it, you are going to make some sales.

If there are any biology classes that don't include a section on human reproduction, they should, but don't expect sex education to solve the problem of teen-age pregnancies.

In fact, it's been my experience that people who have had a short course in auto mechanics are more likely to tinker than those who are ignorant of mechanics and know it.

## BROADSIDES



## The Country Parson

by Frank Clark



"It's a lot easier to decide who was a genius in the past than who is one now."

by Brickman

## Mark Russell says

Reader's Digest is coming out with a condensed version of the Bible for sinners who don't like to read.

With the Reader's Digest Bible you'll be able to tell if you're going to heaven, hell or have won a \$25,000 sweepstakes.

I can't wait to read the condensed Bible where Moses receives the stone tablets with the Four Commandments.

The New Testament will begin with Matthew, Mark, Luke and Humor in Uniform.

**BIBLE VERSE**  
Preserve me, O God, for in thee do I put my trust. — Psalm 10:1.

## the small society



## NICK THIMMESCH

### Columnist believes: 'Time to lay off Billy Carter'

WASHINGTON — It was good that President Carter manfully defended his brother Billy against mean charges that he is anti-Semitic. Jimmy was not ashamed to say he loves his brother, has known Billy since he was born — so he knows what he's talking about.

The President was emotional when he talked about his younger brother. I have no such emotional tie, so I want to make a more detached defense of Billy, the Falstaffian member of that family.

It is sad that Billy Carter cut himself off from Plains and plunged into the celebrity world where a good-natured soul becomes quick copy for newsmen. Billy talks to the press over his shoulder, just as he did to his buddies in his gas station. If something bothers him, he dismisses it with a cuss word or exaggeration, country style.

Actually, for all the furor, Billy hasn't said so much about Jews as he has about people who bother him. Let us look to the record.

After being lionized by the Libyans, Billy responded to newsmen's prodding by defending his new-found Arab friends with, "There's a hell of a lot more Arabians than there is Jews."

If this were only a dispassionate statement of fact, Billy would be correct. The best estimates are 130 million Arabs in the world and about 14 million Jews. But some Jews, already sensitive to certain Carter Administration policies, can interpret Billy's appraisal as a putdown of the smaller (therefore less important) world Jewish population. Even so, that's more of a slight than it is anti-Semitism.



Nick Thimmesch

After hanging around with the Libyans, Billy, an impressionable fellow, also sputtered the old saw that "Jewish media tears up the Arab countries full time..." Again, Billy was parroting what he had heard, not making a cold, deliberate observation.

Anti-Zionists and anti-Semites alike have charged that Jews own and control the American media. This is a bigoted, false charge. There is some Jewish ownership and management of important elements of the media, but even in these instances reporting on Israel and the Middle East is generally fair.

Moreover, the two most powerful newspapers in the country, the New York Times and Washington Post, while having partial Jewish ownership, have been historically neutral or even opposed to the idea of a Jewish (Zionist) state, and received all manner of criticism from Jewish groups. But Billy doesn't know this, just as he didn't know about a lot of things he talked about back in his gas station.

When Billy cavorted with the Libyans, some Jewish groups raised questions about his connection to an Arab nation pledged to destroy Israel (in reality, Libya huffs and puffs and

hasn't fought many Israelis).

So the situation got tense, and when Jewish activists broke into a dinner for the Libyans in Atlanta and cried, "Murderers!" Billy stood up, just as he had in bar fights when he was in the Marines and lost seven teeth, and shouted, "Go to hell!" Again, his anger doesn't make him an anti-Semite, but his outburst was duly entered into the book of sins.

At this point in time, as they used to say in Watergate days, Billy was harassed, upset, confused and fatigued. Along comes a pesky radio reporter in New York, bugging him — Billy says — about being anti-Semitic and being criticized by Jewish groups. "They can kiss my ass as far as I am concerned now," Billy shouted.

Well, even a loving brother in the Oval Office saw that private disassociation can only go so far. Jimmy Carter had always said, in lighter moments, that he couldn't control Billy nor did he want to. But now the word passed from "high White House sources" that the President was disturbed over Billy's remarks and wanted to disavow them publicly.

Somehow, Robert Strauss, a Cabinet-level official, a former Democratic national chairman and an unabashed Israel supporter, was enlisted to quote the President publicly about Billy. That disavowal was second-hand, but everybody knew its intent. After all, the only group showing less support for Jimmy Carter in the polls than the Jews are the Republicans. The so-called Jewish vote usually runs up to 80 percent for a Democrat. Carter's latest Gallup



# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## How time flies!

To The Editor:  
January 23 there was a school board meeting and we were told (1) Plan "O" was not going to be voted on unless the school enrollment dropped 1,000 students; (2) Plan "O" was a 3-to-5 year projection, and (3) Plan "O" was nothing to be alarmed about because there had to be a lot more study and information.

Then on February 20, Mr. Warren announced (1) for the morale of the students and teachers; (2) to put to an end the uncertainty of what the board planned to do on Plan "O" and (3) to clear the air; that the board would have the presentation of Plan "O" March 6 and vote on it March 20 or 22.

Boy, that was the quickest 3-to-5 years I've seen in a long time and I guess the student enrollment dropped rather suddenly in four weeks. One wonders why the rush, could it be that Dr. Malley and Mr. Warren know they already have enough votes to cram this down our throats and that's the reason for the "rushed up vote." Makes you wonder, doesn't it?

Everyone against this Plan "O" concept should attend the March 6 and March 20 or 22 school board meetings and say "No" to Plan "O!"

Mrs. John W. Irving  
P.O. Box 7443  
Midland

## Frosty day

To The Editor:  
Are the school trustees who are asking to be re-elected the same people that raised my property taxes over 900 percent last year?

Let's hope for a frosty day in April!

M.J. Clark  
Rt. 4, Box 9C

## Public facility?

To The Editor:  
I was interested in the article in the February 18 paper concerning bookings at Chaparral Center, on the Midland College Campus.

In this article Mr. Tuck said that, as a public facility, Chaparral Center cannot arbitrarily refuse to book a show into the building. I wonder if this applies even when it is known that such a show will likely be offensive to the public morality and will encourage illegal activities.

According to police officers at the scene this was the case with the Ted Nugent show. They reported that Mr. Nugent used vulgar language, obscene gestures, and encouraged those present to smoke pot. I do not believe that the majority of taxpayers (whose money was used to build this center) really want their children exposed to this type of entertainment; if you can call it that.

Robert E. Blazek  
Midland

## Let us vote

To The Editor:  
It is my understanding that the school board is elected to represent the people who elected them. When they fail to do that, important issues should be voted on by the people concerned.

Obviously, the people of Midland, especially the ones with children in public schools, have definite opinions concerning Plan "O" (or Plan "Zero"). I believe we should be allowed to vote. I will cast my vote against the plan.

Pat Kemper  
1609 Ventura Ave.

## Under the act

To The Editor:  
It's a cliché that successful politicians are, also, good actors. But, glib and cynical voters, alike, hope successful politicians are more than actors.

Actors "create an image." Actors read lines written by someone else. Actors are sensitive to audience reaction, can change mood and style in the twinkling of an eye — to please an audience.

Carter has changed his style in clothes, demeanor, and "posture." Let's hope there is some substance, some real strength underneath all the acting.

M.A. Bonnar  
Midland

## Rambling Reed

To The Editor:  
I am writing to comment on a letter by H.D. Reed, printed in your February 25 issue. Because his letter was rather rambling and incoherent, and did not as a whole make any statement or point, I'd like to address it paragraph by paragraph.

His letter begins with the premise that "Middle Eastern Islam" is just now preparing for a holy war against Israel. There is a comment one can make here, without reducing a highly complex situation to that of a meaningless absurdity. "Middle Eastern Islam" is an abstraction covering a broad range of cultures and religious thought. This abstraction is not preparing for war, but rather certain political factions, that are made up predominantly of Islamic peoples.

The "American Jewish lobby" is mentioned as the people who aired the Holocaust on national television, (one wonders if an "American Black lobby" are the ones who aired Roots, or if an "American Dog lobby" aired Lassie). The American Nazi Party is looked on with disdain here, not because of their warped view of the world, but rather because they are not vociferous enough. (Mr. Reed does not give them the respect that he evidently gives to Hitler, he calls them, in a quote from his letter, "whom Hitler wouldn't have let wash in his latrine.")

Upon reflection, we find that Israel is not really his target, but rather Judaism, as a whole. He states that Jews have, for the last "three or four" thousand years been telling us how fair and moral they are. It might be his interpretation of the fact that western and Christian morals and ethics have their roots in the Old Testament and teachings of the Jewish Prophets.

His closing remarks made me decide to write this letter, and I must quote them here in full. "We blush for their double standards, and yet there's much to admire, isn't there, in a Walter Lippman or a Buddy Hackett who, standing alone, almost excuse Judaism for ever having existed." Mr. Reed here relegates the longest lived culture in human history, and its men, like Freud, Einstein, King Solomon, and of course Jesus (to name a few that had impact on mankind) to the trash heap. Judaism does not need an excuse. I for one, don't need your blushes sir, you on the other hand, might need our prayers.

Noah Fishman  
801 Sinclair St.

## Feeder program

To The Editor:  
The article, "Is There Love After 40?" by Bruce Partain in The Midland Reporter-Telegram on Sunday, Feb. 25, was accurate and informative except for one sentence: "While two excellent high school programs and their feeder schools keep the trophy cases bulging, probably over 1,000 post-academic athletes engage in popping the day-glo fuzball over the net."

The phrase "and their feeder schools" is not correct. If you check the varsity athletes at each high school, you will find that a high percentage, perhaps all of them, have been brought along by private club teaching professionals or tennis-oriented families, and that "feeder schools" play little, or no, part in their development.

The Midland junior high schools very badly need a well thought out year-round junior high program so that any interested youngster may have a chance to play tennis for his/her high school, not just a privileged few. The above quoted sentence should be our goal.

Our three children who attended Midland high schools all played for three years on their varsity tennis team, so I am not a disgruntled left-out parent. I do not have any more children entering high school, so that is not my motive.

I feel I am knowledgeable about tennis locally and state-wide. I have served in almost every capacity tennis-wise in Midland. I am chairman of the Midland Junior Tennis Association, and I am vice president of the Texas Tennis Association, a section of the United States Tennis Association.

Yvonne Garton  
1409 W. Golf Course Road

## New feature?

To The Editor:  
I would like to express my gratitude for the newly added regular feature. I refer, of course, to the weekly epistle of the Rev. Robert Neumann in the letters to the editor section. In the past, I would assault the comic section first, but now I immediately zero in on the reverend's letter...much more entertaining. Seriously, I know that as a courtesy this newspaper tries to print all letters, but I think the area reactionaries could try to establish another sounding board for their right field musings.

The latest gospel from the reverend concerns the Panama Canal, Ronald Reagan's baby, and as usual the information was either intentionally or subconsciously wrong. The reverend raves on about President Carter's unilateral transfer of the Panama Canal to the Panamanians, and he inquires as to why the legislative branch was bypassed in the discussion-making process. Maybe the reverend was lost in an American Opinion Bookstore, or perhaps locked himself in his fallout shelter sometime last year, but the Senate already has considered the Panama Canal issue and voted to transfer ownership to the rightful owners. I say rightful owners because of the circumstances surrounding the acquisition and negotiation of the United States securing the Canal Zone.

Panama wasn't Panama until the man with the big stick got stuck on the idea of the passageway to the Pacific. With the aid of much unsolicited meddling, which resembles the U.S. instigated suicide of Chilean President Salvador Allende, we amputated the Canal Zone from Columbia, set up an amiable government, signed the sales contract with a non-Panamani-Spanish gentleman, took our receipt and shovels and the rest is providence.

Whoever had the idea to give the ditch back is to be commended, the Senate is to be praised, and Reverend Neumann should take more vested interest in truly current events. Of course, maybe his letter got dumped in the Dead Letter Office for a couple of months. Adios.

Joel Blankenship Jr.  
2607 Maxwell Drive

## Other acreage

To The Editor:  
As a concerned Midland Citizen and a taxpayer for over 30 years, I would like to reply to a letter in Sunday's Reporter-Telegram, dated Feb. 25, 1979, written by Linda W. Allison, 913 Citation, in which she is in favor of the zoning change for the Magnatex commercial development on the southeast corner of FM 868 and Midkiff Road, adjacent to the new Midland Park Mall.

Ms. Allison stated: "My townhouse is part of a 'buffer zone.' The townhouse at 913 Citation is located in Saddle Club North, which is a delightful development by Magnatex. The nearest shopping area to Saddle Club North is on Big Spring, about two miles from the entrance."

She further states: "The new Plaza Shopping Center is close to schools, school zones and abuts some of the loveliest homes in Midland." I assume she is speaking of the new Midland Park Mall that abuts the Skyline Drive residential area. The people in Skyline Drive should have known when they purchased their homes that the area to the north and adjacent to them came into the city Oct. 22, 1974, as a planned district, especially designed for the Midland Park Mall. The people in Emerson Heights and the Adams Addition were told that the approximate 57 acres that abuts their property was and is zoned IF-1, one family dwelling.

I, too, favor free enterprise. There are 40 acres for sale on the northeast corner of FM 868 and Midkiff Road and there is no residential area adjacent to it. Also there are several tracts of land for sale along FM 868 between Big Spring Street and FM 868, which have no adjacent established residential area. Why ruin a lovely residential area and devalue their property with LR-1 and LR-2 commercial businesses, such as liquor, car wash, car repair, filling stations, drive-ins, etc., and with traffic coming and going day and night, when it isn't necessary?

I sincerely hope the City Planning and Zoning Commission, the mayor, and the city council will give these residents the protection they need and is rightfully theirs. Let's keep Midland the beautiful, wonderful city it is to live in!

Anna Nelle Lindsey  
1606 Winfield Road

## ART BUCHWALD

# It takes quite a map to keep up with those good guys, bad guys

By ART BUCHWALD  
The Los Angeles Times

WASHINGTON — One of the roles of a newspaper columnist is to keep everyone informed as to who are the good guys and who are the bad guys as far as the United States is concerned. I would like all of you to get out your map, pencil and paper.

Vice Premier Teng Hsiao-ping of the People's Republic of China is a good guy even though he has just ordered an incursion into Vietnam, because the Vietnamese went into Cambodia and Teng thought Hanoi should be taught a lesson. Teng will remain a good guy in our eyes unless he uses force against Taiwan, with whom we had a special and long relationship which we just gave up by normalizing our ties with the People's Republic of China.

Soviet Party Secretary Leonid Brezhnev is a bad guy because the Soviets seem to be making mischief all over the world. But at the same time we want a SALT treaty with the Russians so we are pretending he is a good guy. Brezhnev may be bad, but the feeling in Washington is that there are people waiting to take his place who could be much worse. Therefore, it's better to talk to Brezhnev than to some of the other hardliners, who are furious because we asked Vice Premier Teng to come to dinner and claim we urged Teng to go into Vietnam which we vehemently deny, although secretly we're not too unhappy about.

The Shah of Iran was a good guy up to the bitter end, when he was forced to leave Iran on 24 hours' notice. As a matter of fact, he was the only good guy we would have anything to do with in Iran.

So when he flew the coup we didn't have any alternate good guy to support. At first we decided the good guys were the generals in the Iranian army who backed the shah and who would probably rule the country when he left.

But the army fell apart and we suddenly had to find a new friend in the Ayatollah Khomeini, who decided to found an Islamic republic, whatever the hell that is.

The United States is hoping an Islamic republic is one that will sell oil

to the West, in which case Khomeini will be a good guy and be treated with all the reverence and respect we gave to the shah. The one good thing about having Khomeini for a friend is that, if for some reason he decides to leave Iran again, he has promised not to visit his sister in Beverly Hills.

The president of Mexico, Jose Lopez Portillo, is a good guy, even though he has publicly scolded our President at a luncheon. The reason he is considered a good guy is that Mexico has large quantities of oil and gas, and when a country has these two things we must swallow our pride and explain to the American people that the president of Mexico was only speaking for domestic consumption, and that in his heart he really loves Jimmy Carter.

President Somoza of Nicaragua is a bad guy because he violates human rights and doesn't have any oil and gas. Libyan leader Muammar Khadafi is a good guy because although he violates human rights and supports terrorism he does have oil and gas.

Prime Minister Menachem Begin of

Israel is a bad guy because he won't give up the West Bank of the Jordan.

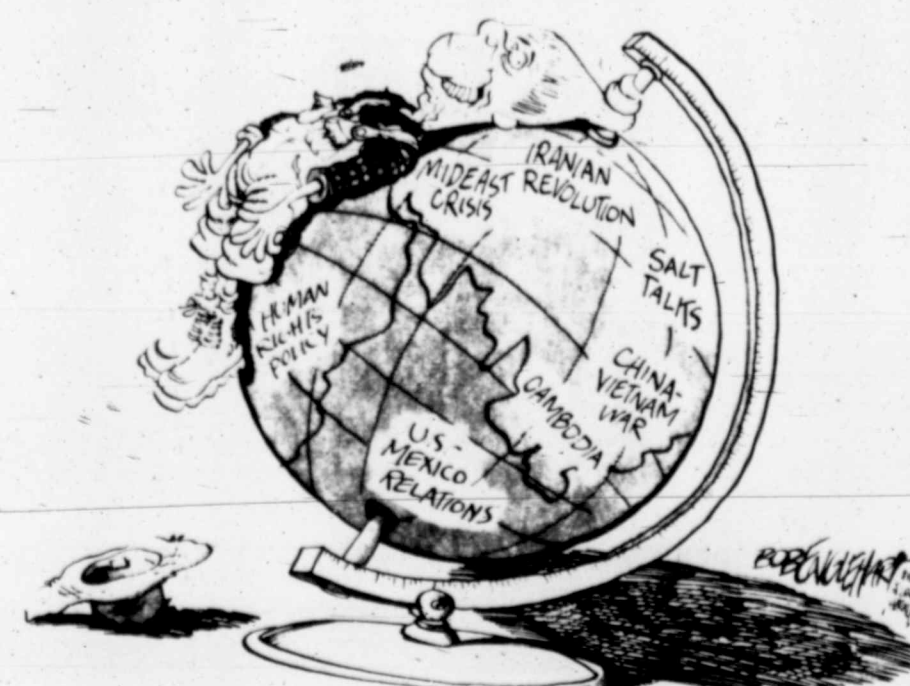
President Carter has been very harsh about Begin because he knows Israel has no oil and gas.

Egyptian President Anwar Sadat is a good guy because he wants the West Bank of Jordan to go back to the P.L.O., which the United States does not recognize.

Besides individuals, the United States now has strained relations with most African countries, Canada, South America, Europe and Japan. On the other hand, we have strong ties with Saudi Arabia, North Yemen and the Vatican.

President Carter's foreign policies are working despite what you might read in the newspapers, thanks not only to him but to his brother Billy Carter, whom the President relies on to keep up his good ties with the American Jewish community.

To sum up, the United States has never been in a better foreign policy position and, with the friends we now have strong alliances with, we don't need any enemies.



## POSITIVE THINKING

# Friends make the best 'teachers'

By NORMAN VINCENT PEALE

Nino is a taxi driver in Rome. We first met some years ago when he drove us throughout Europe before we had discovered the fun of drive-it-yourself.

Now we were back in Rome for just three days and another friend, Giulio Kossi, who runs a garage in the Via Purificazione, met us at the airport. He told us that Nino's wife had died, and that Nino could no longer drive for him since that required trips away from Rome. Now Nino was driving his own cab, but, even so, he would love to take us for an afternoon in one of Giulio's cars.

The Lord blessed Nino with one of those glorious personalities for which radiant is the only word. He gets all tied up in his English, so excited is he about everything. He threw up his arms in a gesture of welcome when he saw me, and embraced me with such outgoingness that I just knew he loved me. It's a wonderful thing to know that someone really loves you just for yourself.

"I'm so sorry about your dear wife," I said. Nino fumbled with his wallet and pulled out a rather soiled and battered mourner's card such as are given out at funerals. It told about

what a kindly, good woman she was. My friend stood pathetically looking at her picture. "I must care for the children alone...be mother and father," he said bravely.

"It must be awfully hard to carry on without her. She was indeed a beautiful soul," I said.

A strange look of peace came over Nino's face. "It is God's will," he replied with deep feeling. "God gave her to me, then He took her to Heaven. God helps me. I shall meet my angel again. God, He is very good."

Of course, this was a simple and not at all unique conversation, but suddenly I felt a strong sense of fellowship for this swarthy, genuine hearted man. He is Italian, I am American; he is Catholic, I a Protestant; he is a taxi driver, I a preacher and writer. But what difference was there between us? Love made us brothers. He is my friend and I his, and I learned deeper faith from him.

It's rather amazing how some people are always wanting to meet so-called VIPs, celebrities, big shots, well known names. Many famous personalities are indeed fine persons, brilliant and interesting. And of course we can learn much from those who have done so much. If you expose yourself to such people, some of what

they have may rub off.

Not everybody associates with the well known for that purpose, but rather to bask in so-called celebrity glory. In my own experience rich values have been given me by those who are not known to fame or fortune. I think gratefully of them and prize their friendship.

Never underestimate what you can learn from any person. From them you can pick up some real gems of wisdom. For example, I was talking with a woman who had gone to work following the sudden death of her husband. "You are very wise," I said, "to take a job and keep yourself busy."

And I commented on the value of hard work in assuaging sorrow. I told her about an old country doctor of my youth who once advised a broken-hearted woman: "The best cure for a broken heart is religious faith and to get down on your knees and scrub a floor."

The lady smiled gently, "Yes, of course, but I've found that work is a drug and not a medicine. Work desensitizes, but does not heal. Faith is the real healing medicine."

Believe me, there is real wisdom in that remark. You can indeed learn from people.

## Just suppose

To The Editor:  
Hopefully this letter is a hypothetical situation.

Suppose a local school administration was searching for a way to pass a large bond issue in their community and get public support heavily behind them.

Would it be possible for this school administration to propose a very controversial plan, have the local citizens become very vocal and upset, and have a staff study of the proposal underway at the same time?

Would it also be possible that the staff would then complete the study and propose that the situation be left as it is, but that a very large bond issue would be needed to do this?

If this would happen, would the taxpayers then shout praises at the school administration and increase their already exorbitant school taxes?

Don K. Kyser  
Box 5561  
Midland

## Misinformation

To The Editor:  
I would like to correct the information printed with a photograph appearing on Page One of the Metro and Home editions of this newspaper on Thursday, Feb. 15, 1979. The photo was of this writer checking the oil-soaked feathers of a year-old female Golden Eagle and was accompanied by the following words:

"The eagle was found...floundering in an industrial disposal pit," and "The eagle was found...after it apparently had been in an industrial disposal pit earlier."

This information is a confusion of the facts given to the newspaper by this writer. Although the eagle was an oiled bird when found by a rancher, the time and nature of its becoming oiled are not within this writer's knowledge. The eagle was picked up walking across terrain located within an oil field, but was not, in fact, seen or found floundering in an oil pit.

Thank you for publishing this correction.

Midge Erskine  
EOS Bird Rehabilitation Center  
Midland

## No rebuttal?

(Editor's Note: The following letter was sent to Morley Safer of CBS News by Jim Nelson of Midland. A copy was sent to The Reporter-Telegram.)

Dear Mr. Safer:  
In your segment of the 18th on the middle men in the oil business, you succeeded in indicting the entire American oil industry on the basis of having found a few crooks. All this in a short 15 minutes. You were not even courteous enough to allow a rebuttal of any kind. Your actions are considered most unfair! We challenge you to come to West Texas, where most of the oil is produced, and get the true story of the great job the oil industry is doing.

Jim Nelson  
Midland

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Letters should be received by the editor by noon Thursday for consideration for publication the following Sunday.



### DIRT, SQUIRT & QUIRT

## Variety choice important item in home gardens

By CHARLES W. GREEN  
Midland County Extension Agent

A new publication, "Variety Selection and Planning for Home Gardens in Far West Texas," is available at the County Extension Office. This publication has specific recommendations on vegetable varieties for our area, planting dates, spacing of plants, number of days until ready for use, average length of harvest season and expected production.

Anyone who is inexperienced in growing vegetables in the West Texas area should study this publication. Copies may be had by calling the Extension Office (682-9481) or coming by (218 W. Illinois, Courthouse Annex) and requesting same.

**BIGGER IS NOT** the same as better when selecting tomato transplants for your spring garden. Research conducted by universities and institutions has confirmed what commercial growers have suspected all along, that is the age and size of the tomato seedling or transplant when set in the garden can make a striking difference in yield.

Research has shown that you generally get the best results from tomatoes when you set out 6-to-8-inch tall plants that have 5 to 7 true leaves. The plants should be about as tall as they are wide, dark green in color, vigorously growing and free of spots or lesions on the leaves indicating the possibility of disease problems. As a rule, tomato plants of this description will usually give you a greater total weight of tomatoes than you would realize from planting larger and older plants.

**MOST TRANSPLANTS** purchased at garden centers or local nurseries are available growing in some type of plantable container, usually composed of peat. If the tomato plants are large, chances are that the roots have outgrown the small container and their growth has been affected. This early "stunting" will usually show up at harvest time. What can you expect if you set out larger plants in your garden that might be blooming or might even have set a few small green tomatoes? Chances are that the first mature fruit, although early, will often be small and misshapen. These early fruit may cost you dearly as total yield can be seriously reduced.

To obtain earlier production it is highly preferable to select smaller plants of an early maturing variety such as Spring Giant or Big Set rather than using large, older plants of a later maturing variety. This year take time and look around and find good plants of the right varieties. Some varieties that have performed best in the past in Midland County include Plainsman, Improved Summertime, Hotset, Big Boy Giant, Big Early Hybrid, Early Girl and the small types such as Porter, Small Fry.

**THE HICKORY SHUCKWORM**, often called merely "shuckworm," has caused damage to pecan crops in Midland County for a number of years. This insect pest has been on an increase, especially in home-yard trees. Shuckworms feed in the shucks of developing pecans from August through October. Feeding activity results in poorly filled kernels and in delay of nut maturity.

Shuckworms overwinter as full-grown worms in pecan shucks on the tree or on the ground. The removal and destruction of shucks after pecan harvest will greatly aid on reducing the number of overwintering shuckworms in individual yards or orchards. Plowing of infested orchards to bury infested shucks results in control of overwintering shuckworms.

Overwintering worms are unable to mature in decaying shucks and adult moths are unable to emerge from soil. Plowing depth must be regulated to prevent root damage to the trees.

### Sinai coast new diver attraction

EILAT, Israel (AP) — Eleven years of Israeli rule have turned the Sinai coast into one of the premier diving attractions in the world, and the Israelis who have developed it fear for the future of an area they have grown to love.

Israel has agreed to hand back to Egypt the 150-mile coastline, from this Israeli resort town to Sharm el-Sheikh, in the final stage of withdrawal, three years after a peace treaty is signed. That will leave the booming Israeli diving industry with just seven miles of seashore.

What happens then? "We've created a reality, and the Egyptians are going to walk right into it," said Howard Rosenstein, co-owner of Red Sea Divers, largest of three diving clubs at Sharm el-Sheikh. "The question is what they are going to do with it."

Once peace is established, Israelis hope they will be able to take divers across the border for excursions along the coast. But Egyptians will be in control — a prospect that worries many Israelis who say Egypt ignored the natural wonderland of coral reefs and tropical fish before 1967.

A number of people interviewed asked to remain anonymous, for fear of souring future relations with the Egyptians.

"The Egyptians never thought of doing anything. There were no roads, no towns, nothing," said a prominent Israeli authority on diving. "It's not anything against the Arabs, but they just don't feel the same way about nature that we do."

"The strongest authorities in Sinai now are the Israeli nature-reserve inspectors," he said. "You can't even take a shell out of the sea or they'll arrest you. The Egyptians just don't think that way. I'm afraid it will be destroyed or closed to divers."

The object of the concern is a geological oddity called the Gulf of Aqaba, one of two northern branches of the Red Sea and part of the Syrian-East African land rift. The narrow gulf, ranging between 3 and 18 miles wide, drops to depths of up to 6,000 feet in a nearly sheer decline that affords spectacular panoramas of coral along the shelf.

"It's the best diving in all the world," said Shlomo Cohen, author of the "Red Sea Diver's Guide." "It's very deep, with the best coral and it's very rich in all kinds of fish. The seas are quiet, the days are sunny and it's untouched, unspoiled, unpoluted."

Willy Halpert, owner of Eilat's Aquasport Diving Center, which conducts "diving safaris" along the coast, says diving here is far superior to the famous Great Barrier Reef of his native Australia.

"If you dive in the barrier reef, it's far offshore," he said. "So you go out in a boat, probably get seasick on the way and maybe get two dives in on a good day. Here you can drive along the coast, pick out a likely spot and jump in."

Halpert opened Eilat's first diving school in 1959, but says interest was limited by the modest resources in Israeli waters.

The capture of Sinai in 1967 "really gave us a fantastic push," he said. "We became explorers. Every dive was a new page in a book."

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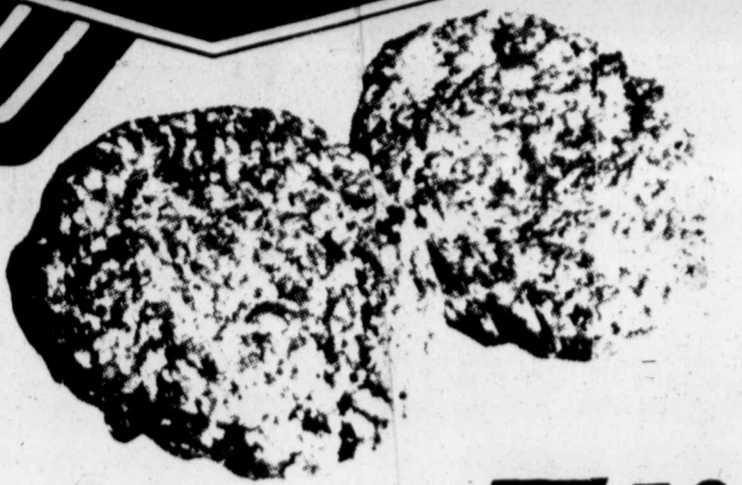


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Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau, left, and President Carter meet in the Oval Office of the White House Saturday. Their talk concerned world affairs. (AP Laserphoto)

## Carter assures Trudeau U.S. will build pipeline

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter assured Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau on Saturday that the United States is committed to construction of the Alaska natural gas pipeline.

A joint communique issued after the working luncheon between the two leaders said Carter affirmed his "strong commitment to the completion of the line," which would bring Alaska gas to the lower 48

states via the Canadian Yukon.

"We had a delightful lunch today and maybe made some good music together," Carter told reporters when he escorted Trudeau to a waiting limousine.

Trudeau, sporting a red rose in his lapel, said he was "grateful for the understanding of the Canadian point of view." Then he left for New York.

The huge natural gas pipeline construction project would mean jobs, investment, and spending of more than \$12 billion for Canada.

Before the meeting, Trudeau had said he wanted a commitment from Carter that Washington supports the stalled multibillion-dollar project.

Delays by U.S. regulatory officials have put the project behind schedule about two years.

# New Orleans police reject contract

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Striking police rejected a city contract Saturday night, bitterly claiming that Mayor Ernest Morial had reneged on an amnesty promise, a union negotiator said.

The union official, Tim McGruder, said the unofficial vote was 447 to 173 against the offer, which Morial had described as the city's final proposal.

However, an official announcement was not made immediately. Union officials stayed in the meeting.

The vote by about half of the 1,100 officers who walked out 15 days ago came only five hours after Police Superintendent James Parsons said officers were returning to work and declared: "For all practical purposes, the strike is over."

However, union president Vincent Bruno withdrew support for the contract during the rank-and-file meeting, saying the city had changed a clause providing amnesty for strikers.

During the voting, Assistant City Attorney David Marcello arrived outside the hall to explain the clause. He said the city's position was unchanged and that it would forgive all but criminal activity.

The walkout had lasted 15 days — including the normally robust Carnival and Mardi Gras season — and cost the city millions of dollars in lost tourist income due to cancellation of festival activities.

Bruno said he would not endorse a contract in which amnesty was not granted for strikers involved in acts of vandalism, threats or criminal acts during the walkout.

In a statement, Mayor Ernest Morial and the city council said: "For clarification, amnesty does not and cannot countenance vandalism or criminal conduct."

Such violations, it said, "will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law."

"I didn't know that the city was going to change the amnesty clause," said Bruno when announcing withdrawal of support for the contract.

Parsons said officers began asking for assignments after union officials said they would recommend the contract.

Meanwhile, firefighters were reported at work as usual, although their contract ran out at midnight Friday. Police pickets had marched in front of fire stations Saturday.

At the meeting, officers opposed to the city's contract offer called for Bruno to step down as head of the Policemen's Association of Louisiana. Their motion passed, Bruno said.

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Beth Poer

## Midland High School junior named by Lions

Beth Poer, a junior student at Midland High School, has been named queen of the West Side Lions Club of Midland.

Miss Poer will hold the title during 1979. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Poer and a member of the Honor Band and Student Council at Midland High School. She is a Midland Symphony Deb. Following graduation from MHS, she plans to attend Texas Christian University in Fort Worth.

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# Houston stands at crossroads of urban boom, bust

By MICHAEL O'CONNOR

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston, the nation's final urban frontier, stands at a crucial turning point in the war for survival being fought by the major cities of the United States.

The outcome of decisions made in this "Sunbelt Klondike" during the next 10 years may be the basis by which future municipal centers develop, either emulating Houston's success formula or avoiding its failures.

Differences between those factions that would chart the course of this city — now the nation's fifth largest and growing bigger by the minute — are the fundamental bedrock of our political system.

THEY ARE free enterprise versus government planning — the belief in regulations to protect the future from unscrupulous developers versus faith that the marketplace will force developers to do what's best for everyone.

Houston now is running with the accelerator on the floorboard, fueled with the enterprise of private business unnumbered by government regulation, notably zoning. It is the only major city in the country with no such restrictions.

"The philosophy of the city is to accommodate the growth that is taking place in this area, not try to control it," said Ronald Heiser, assistant director of the city Planning Department. "The developers pretty much have a free rein."

"WE'VE RELIED on the intelligence of the private marketplace to carry the city in the right direction, which is just opposite the philosophy of most cities," he continued. "To them, developers are just crooks."

Heiser said development in Houston is based on mutual trust between the government and industry. It's an inefficient way to run things, he said, but it works.

"We have social problems, but compared to other cities of this size, they're insignificant," the planner said. "They are physical, growth-related problems, and I'll take them any day as compared with the problems of the cities that are dying."

WHILE MOST concede this philosophy has been the propellant that rocketed Houston into the economic stratosphere, there are many who aren't sure it will keep the city in orbit.

One of these is Andrew Rudnick, associate chancellor at the University of Houston and head of the Southwest Center for Urban Research.

"It's true that the short-term boom, the kind of Klondike environment, existing in Houston

now is a result of the city's focus on corporate growth and its lack of regulations," he said.

"BUT I'M afraid that uncontrolled growth is just that," he said, "and sooner or later — with the energy issues, environmental issues, cost of living issues — people are going to be unable and unwilling to tolerate the distance, the time, the pollution and the anxiety that will mean living in Houston."

"Besides, who's to say 'no' in those circumstances that require something to be done other than what the market economy would dictate?" Rudnick asked.

The associate chancellor said he wasn't trying to make a case for big government. But he said there is a case to be made for having something other than the existing very small government.

"There's got to be a better balance of full-time municipal government to take care of the increasingly complex issues facing Houston," Rudnick said.

"Through the economic forces of the marketplace, the land uses tend to structure themselves along the same lines the regulations would have forced them," he said.

Rudnick said.

BUT HEISER disagreed. For instance, he said, there is no master land-use plan for the city because the only way one could be implemented would be through the use of extensive codes and regulations, and that really isn't necessary.

"In comparing Houston to other cities, we find our land uses are just about as structured as they are in a large metropolitan city that has zoning," he said.

"Unless we begin to think about the growth of the city around human dimensions, we're in trouble," he said. "We've got to put more of an emphasis on human, cultural, living kinds of issues."

"ECONOMICS is one of them, to be sure, but it's only one," he continued. "I don't think the growth of this city and the people concerned with it have enough concern for the issues and integrating them to establish a sustained growth."

"THE PEOPLE have got to come back to the

city and see it not only as a primarily economic entity, but as a human one, as well," he said.

Rudnick said Houston still has a chance to become a city people will want to live in, but to do so it must "face the costs in dollars, and in lifestyle and in regulation that would allow this to happen."

"The city will have to have some kind of zoning and some kind of planning that will put a limit to its growth in terms of expansion," he said.

"We are the last of the American cities with a chance to prevail as a kind of human community that makes sense, but we only have five to 10 years left," he said.

"We still are an economically vital community for which such things as transportation systems, development of human services and a kind of more bounded growth can be implemented successfully," he continued.

"There isn't another city in the country, maybe in the world, that has that opportunity."

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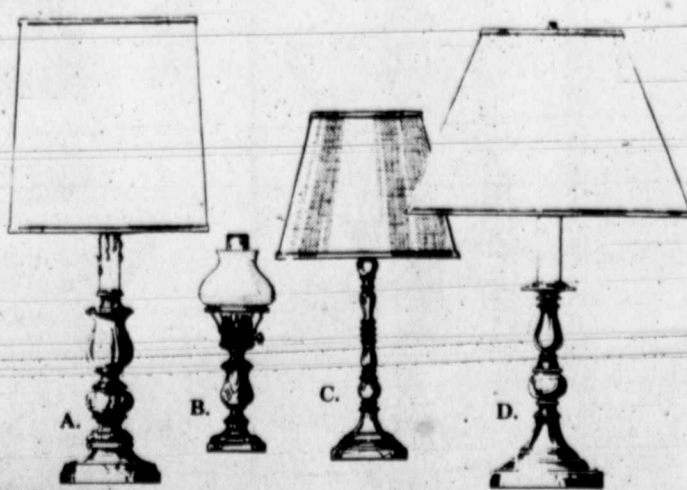
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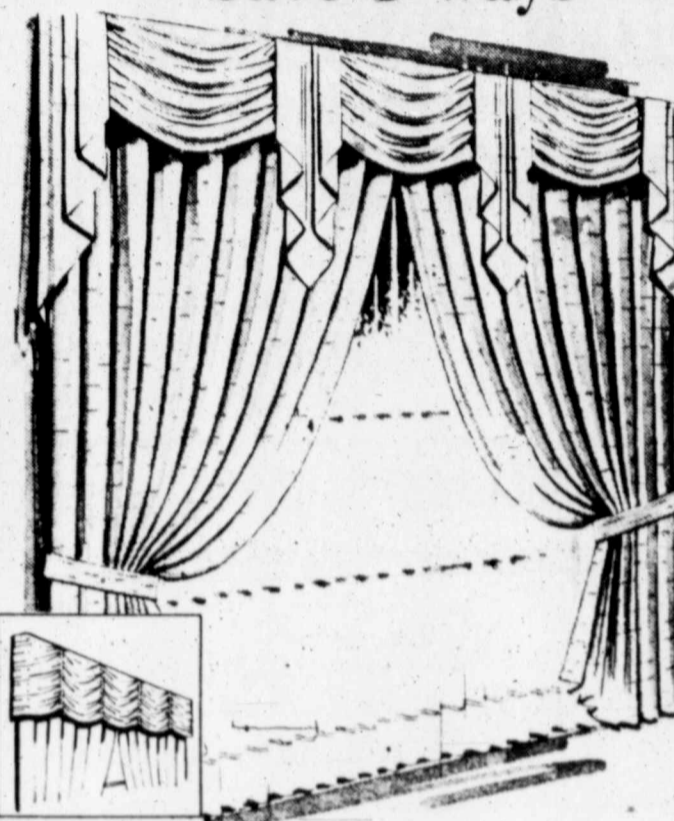
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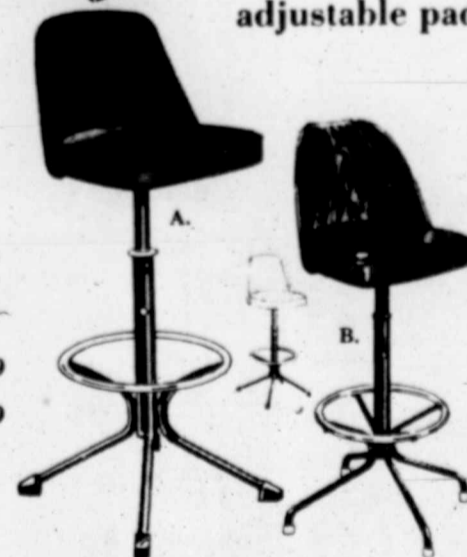
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# Legal Services offer aid for civil cases

By LINDA HILL  
Staff Writer

When a poor person is accused of a crime, the state provides him an attorney. But what happens when he's been unfairly evicted or cheated on a loan agreement?

With West Texas Legal Services, he can call his lawyer.

**THE SERVICE**, based in Fort Worth and soon to be in operation in Midland, is a law firm for poor people, said Michael Williams, managing attorney of the Midland office, which is to open in April or May.

West Texas Legal Services is a branch of Legal Services Corp., a non-profit corporation funded by the U.S. Congress.

## Schools ask for visitors to attend

Parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles and interested friends of Midland's public school children are invited to come to school this week to see how education has changed since they were in class.

Midland's 26 schools have been involved in intensive preparation for the week for some time now.

Invitations have gone out to parents to join their children for lunch, visit classrooms or attend an open house. Activities vary from talent shows to book fairs, a career day program or a spelling bee.

But primarily, educators are urging the community to see students in the classroom atmosphere.

Civic groups and other organizations are asked to call the Communications office at 683-6762 between 1 and 5 p.m. to arrange for their groups to have lunch with students in a school cafeteria.

Speakers from the public school speakers' bureau and a slide presentation featuring Midland school programs are available to clubs and organizations during Public School Week and throughout the year.

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within the income guidelines — basically, 125 percent of the poverty level — can go to the service for help on any non-criminal matter, except those that he could get a private attorney to take on a contingency fee basis, he explained.

That restriction eliminates the plaintiff's side in workmen's compensation and personal injury cases, he said.

Williams currently operates out of an office in Airport Plaza, doing preliminary work toward setting up the service here.

**THE ADVANCE** work, he said, includes determining the needs and priorities of the people to be served.

A series of community meetings began last week. At the meetings, those in attendance are asked to list all their problems — legal or not.

The problems will be turned into goals, he said, and then, at a later meeting, will be put in order of importance to the potential clientele.

The resulting list of priorities will influence what kind of training the staff will get and what kind of cases will receive the most attention when the office is functioning, Williams explained.

Those priorities might be problems in dealing with Social Security and other government agencies, landlord-tenant disputes, fraudulent loan agreements — or something else entirely.

But Williams emphasized that the staff, which ultimately will include four lawyers and three other employees, will not limit its services

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Stanton Walgreen Drug Store, 201 N. St. Peter St., 756-2175.  
John Brooks, KBST Radio, 608 Johnson St. in Big Spring, 267-6391.  
American Cancer Society Office in Midland, 601 S. Main St., 683-6374 or 563-0204.  
Tom Ed Angel will be the facilitator. He can be contacted by telephoning 756-2217.

**HE NOTED THAT** almost all of the other communities in which West Texas Legal Services have offices also have bar association legal aid offices.

In addition to the obvious service of an individual having an attorney to represent him in a specific matter, Williams said, the law office also will serve broader purposes.

Educational programs will benefit the entire community, he said.

"The office will be a source of dignity, a source of pride" for the people served.

Middle and upper class America have always had the power that comes from knowing a lawyer is available to protect rights, he contended.

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## Plane lost in blizzard

LIMON, Colo. (AP) — The pilot of a plane that burned beyond repair at a Kansas airport on Wednesday was one of two persons aboard a small aircraft reported lost today in a blizzard in eastern Colorado.

Grady Unglesby, 26, of Parker, had chartered the single-engine Cessna for his return trip to Denver because his own plane burned after refueling at the Coffeyville, Kan., airport, said Randy Trout, manager of Coffeyville Aircraft Inc. No one was injured in the airport incident.

The chartered plane, piloted by Mike Grewing, 26, a Coffeyville Aircraft employee, dropped from radar screens Friday night north of here.

# New Yemen fighting disregards cease-fire

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — Despite a reported cease-fire agreement, new fighting broke out today between Marxist South Yemen and pro-Western North Yemen, the official North Yemen radio reported.

The radio report, monitored here, came shortly after the official Iraqi news agency in a report from San'a, the North Yemen capital, quoted a North Yemen Foreign Ministry spokesman as saying the cease-fire was being fully observed by both sides.

"There has been no shooting since 8 a.m. this morning," he was quoted as saying. That was the time the cease-fire was to start.

The conflicting reports of a cease-fire and renewed fighting followed separate overnight appeals by both the North and South Yemeni presidents to their forces to comply strictly with the provisions of the truce.

The San'a radio statement that fighting was continuing for the ninth day was followed by a warning that South Yemen would be held fully responsible for its failure to observe the cease-fire and any repercussions that might follow. The station did not elaborate.

Both sides announced acceptance of the cease-fire Friday, following intensive mediation efforts by Iraq, Syria and Jordan to stop the border clashes that broke out Feb. 23.

The disengagement of the rival forces was to be worked out in a special meeting of Arab League foreign ministers in Kuwait on Sunday.

Unity efforts between the two Yemens over the past 10 years have been blocked by the political differences between the

Marxists and the still largely feudal and tribal north.

While the North is heavily backed by the neighboring Saudis, the South depends on the Soviet Bloc, which maintains large numbers of advisers in the country.

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# School zone hours vary for reason

By LANA CUNNINGHAM  
Staff Writer

Before the onset of elementary school busing in Midland, school zone times were fairly uniform and easily remembered by the public.

But since busing began a couple of years ago, trying to keep up with what times apply to which zones can be confusing to even a memory expert.

One school zone speed limit can apply continuously from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., another only to 4 p.m., and still another is from 7 to 9 a.m. and 3 to 5 p.m.

Busing children to schools across town is the primary reason behind the various times, said Fred Baker, director of public works for the city of Midland.

In addition, whether the zone adjoins or is only near a school affects the time the reduced speed limit, usually 20 mph, is in effect.

Before the latest desegregation plan went into effect, elementary, junior high and high schools had fairly uniform school zone hours, with the variations depending upon when each school began and ended, he said.

Now, some students are picked up at one school early in the morning and deposited back there late in the afternoon.

Other schools consist mostly of students within a short distance and therefore need shorter school zone hours.

"Some schools are heavily bused areas," Baker said. "They pick up the children shortly after 7 a.m. and bring them back about 4:30 p.m. Consequently, these kids are using the school zone crosswalks up to 5 p.m."

To make all school zones uniform within Midland would mean making the applicable times run from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., he said.

"But we vary the time because there is no need to subject the motorists to slowing down when there are no kids in those zones."

"These varied times also provide for better traffic flow" and reduce

frustration of motorists slowing down when they know there are no kids in the area, Baker said.

Day-long times, such as from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., apply to streets that are adjacent to a school.

Even though children may not be crossing the streets after school starts, Baker said, there are students out on the playground areas and, consequently, the chance of kids running into the street.

Streets close by, but not adjacent to, schools have zones where speed limits apply only for the morning and afternoon hours when students will be crossing them on their way to and from the schools.

Again, these times are determined by that school's hours and whether busing is involved.

"When we make a crossing survey, we (employees in Baker's department) get out there early in the morning and see what time the students start crossing streets and stay late to get a representative count," Baker said.

There is no fixed distance as to how far away school zones are designated, Baker said it depends upon that school's attendance boundaries.

The Texas Uniform Traffic Manual was adopted a couple of years ago for the state and applies to all Texas cities. Baker said it sets out what type of traffic control is necessary for streets adjacent to schools.

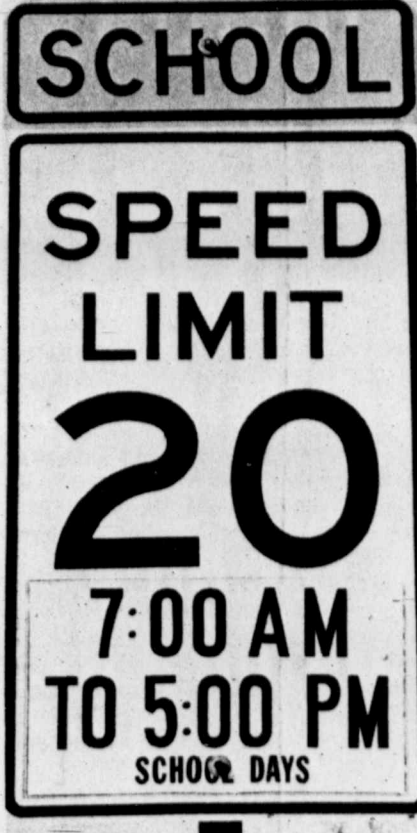
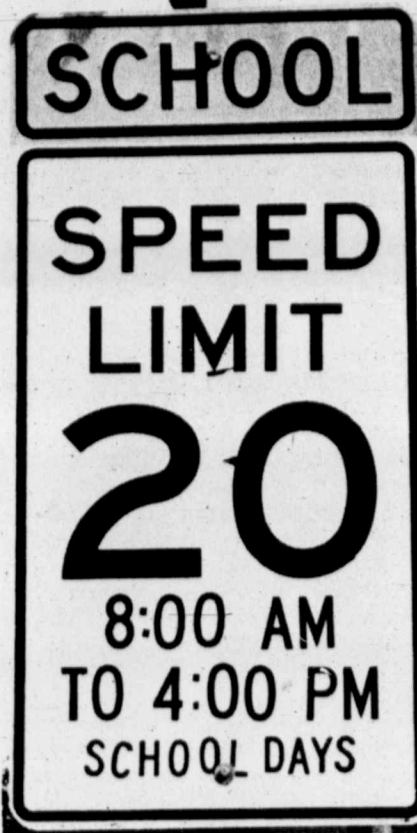
But the times are dependent upon school hours.

Whenever a zone is established in an area, there must be signs posted, and this is done in Midland, according to Baker.

If some zones appear not to be posted, Baker said, it may be the handywork of students.

He has found school zone signs removed from their steel posts, even though the city bolts and brads the signs onto the posts.

"If someone does discover a sign missing, I wish they would call and tell us so we can get the zone posted again," Baker said.



It may look like a mistake — but it isn't. School zone speed limits are enforced at varying hours based on when students use the zones, a city official says. (Staff Photos)

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Building permits for 1979 are keeping up with last year's record-breaking rate after getting off to a slow start at the first of this year.

A breakdown of building permits issued in February shows 123 were issued for a total valuation of \$5,793,150, about \$1 million above the February 1978 valuation figure of \$4,707,685.

This brings the year's total for 1979 to \$8,648,975, slightly below the figure a year ago of \$9,278,538.

The number of permits issued for February — 123 — is ahead of the 113 issued the same time a year ago. But only 200 have been issued so far this year, down from the 234 issued at this point in 1978.

Permits for 22 new single family homes were issued at a total valuation of \$1,185,850. Only one for a \$15,000 mobile home comprised the remaining residential permits.

Under the category of new commercial, 11 permits were issued for signs, \$32,000; one for a sun room, \$4,500; one for a used car sales office, \$6,200; one for a parking garage, \$1,562,800; one for an office building and bank drive-in, \$2,100,000; one for a chapel, \$374,000; one for a portable building, \$13,150, and two for warehouses, \$40,000.

Under alterations and repairs, 11 permits went to the commercial for a valuation of \$172,900, and 59 were for residences, \$268,750. This gives a total of \$459,650 in repairs and alterations to structures in Midland.

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**DEATHS**

**L.F. Smith Jr.**

**BIG SPRING** — Services for L.F. "Smitty" Smith Jr., 63, of Lubbock, son of Mrs. Howard Smith Sr. and brother of Howard Smith, both of Big Spring, were Saturday in Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home with the Rev. Elra Phillips of Big Spring officiating.

Burial was in Mt. Olive Memorial Park in Big Spring.

Smith died Thursday in his home in Lubbock of an apparent heart attack.

He had been a Lubbock resident since 1950, when he bought an interest in Commercial Refrigeration Service Co. He was a general manager of Plan-Ex Corp. for the last several years. He was a member of the Oakwood United Methodist Church. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias.

Other survivors include his wife, two sons, a daughter, a sister, a brother and seven grandchildren.

**Wilburn Adams**

**LUBBOCK** — Services for Wilburn T. Adams, 76, of Lubbock, brother of Mrs. Ervin Daniel of Big Spring, were Saturday in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Perry Threadgill, pastor of Canyon Baptist Church; Dr. William Fleming, pastor of St. Luke's United Methodist Church; and the Rev. J.T. Bolding, a retired Baptist minister, officiating.

Burial was in City of Lubbock Cemetery directed by Sanders Funeral Home.

Adams died Thursday in a Lubbock hospital after a brief illness.

The Smith County native moved to the Lubbock area from Hall County in 1922. He was a retired farmer. He was a member of Canyon Baptist Church. He was a member of the Idalou Masonic Lodge.

Other survivors include his wife, two sons, two sisters, two brothers, six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

**Tilda J. McDaniel**

**IRAAN** — Services for Tilda Jane McDaniel, 60, of Iraan will be at 2 p.m. today in First United Methodist Church here with the Rev. David Wyatt, minister, officiating, assisted by Bill Vandervoort and B.W. Ayers.

Burial will be in Restland Cemetery directed by Larry D. Sheppard Funeral Home of McCamey.

She died Friday in a Dallas hospital after an illness.

Mrs. McDaniel was born Aug. 11, 1918, in Boynton, Okla. She was married to Willard B. McDaniel. She was a Methodist.

Survivors include a son, Willard B. McDaniel Jr. of Fort Worth; a sister, Elvira Conner of Imperial; five brothers, Clifford Tension of Henryetta, Okla., Leonard Tension of Odessa, Herman Tension of McCamey, L.V. Tension of Crane and Grover Tension of Gainesville, and two grandchildren.

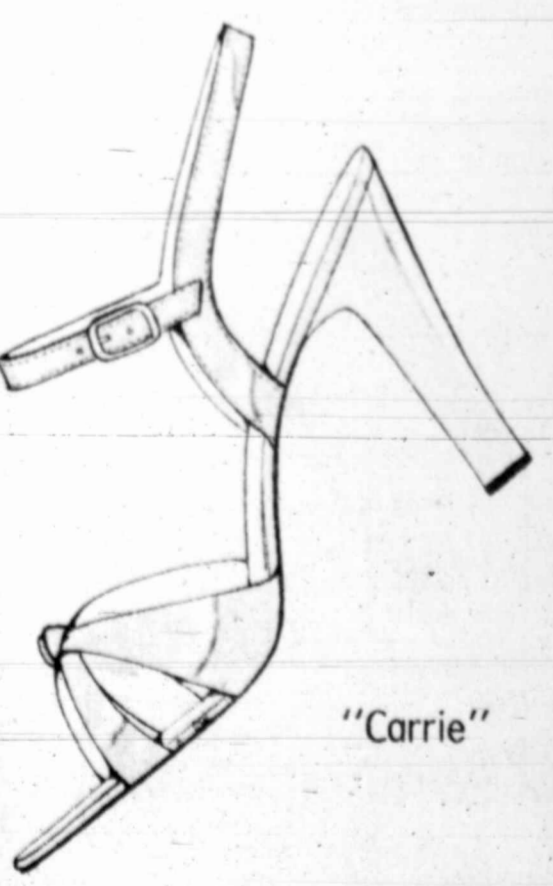
**Policemen shot to death**

**CHICAGO (AP)** — Two Chicago policemen were shot to death Saturday afternoon during an apparent gun battle on the far South Side, authorities said.

A youth investigator, who declined to be identified, said early reports indicated that the officers were ambushed as they were responding to a call.

After the men were shot, their assailants approached and shot both of them in the head, the investigator said.

Police recovered weapons apparently involved in the shootings, he said.



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**Billie Gilbert**

Services for Billie Gilbert, 74, of 1504 N. C St. will be at 2 p.m. today in the First Baptist Church with Dr. Daniel Vestal, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park directed by Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Gilbert died Friday at his home.

Survivors include his wife, Virginia; a daughter, Mrs. Parker (Pat) Humes of Midland; three brothers, Stacy Gilbert and Loyd Gilbert, both of California, and Kenneth Gilbert of Mineral Wells; three sisters, Mrs. N.H. Fyke of Fort Worth, Mrs. Wendell Riley of Dickenson and Mrs. H.N. Hatfield of Weatherford, and three grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Carol Herring of Mineral Wells, Elmer Glenn Herring of Louis, Gilbert Day of Deer Park, James Alvin Campbell Jr. of Albuquerque, N.M., Robert Wilkes of Brownfield and Jack Shelton of Midland.

Honorary pallbearers will be Sam Miller, Louis Fagan, Rice Forman, Jack Burnett, Rudy Wright, Thomas Worley, J.L. Edwards and Raymond Hatfield of Mineral Wells.

**Dillard James**

Dillard James, 90, of 1109 N. Midkiff Road died Saturday in a Midland hospital.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home with the Rev. E.M. Jones officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park.

James was born April 12, 1888, near Ozark, Ark., and was reared there. He was married to Nancy Maudie Richardson Sept. 20, 1908, near Durant, Okla. They celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary last September.

The couple moved to Midland in 1950 from Big Spring, where they had lived since 1937. He owned and operated a trucking and lumber business and retired in 1962.

Survivors include his wife, Nancy; three sons, O'Neil James of Midland, Cecil James of Buchanan Dam and Leonard James of Big Pine, Calif.; four daughters, Elsie Richardson of Midland, Eula Schuss of Oxnard, Calif., Mozelle Herring of Big Spring and Virgie Atkinson of Midland, 10 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

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**Varney B. Seal**

**MCALLEN** — Services for Varney B. Seal, 62, of McAllen, son of Mrs. Ollie Seal and brother of Geneva Sewell, both of Midland, were Saturday in Virgil Wilson Funeral Chapel in McAllen with burial in Valley Memorial Gardens in McAllen.

He died Thursday in McAllen.

He was born Aug. 20, 1916, in Coleman County. He was married to Florence Baum. He was a rancher and a farmer.

Other survivors include his wife, three sons, two sisters and three grandchildren.

**Robert V. Rogers**

**BIG SPRING** — Services for Robert V. Rogers, 57, of Big Spring will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday in Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home with burial in Trinity Memorial Park.

He died Friday in a Big Spring hospital after a short illness.

He was born July 1, 1921, in Grace-mount, Okla. He was married to Patti Gilbert in Sweetwater June 8, 1957. He was employed with KBNT in Big Spring as a radio announcer in 1957 and at KWAB television in Big Spring. He had been employed as a sales clerk for Gibbs and Weeks Mens Store for the past 10 years. He was a Baptist. He was an American Business Club member and was one of the original members of the Ambassadors Club of the Chamber of Commerce.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Chris Gilbert of Commerce; two brothers, R.E. Rogers of Ada, Okla., and Jack Rogers of Texarkana; two sisters, Mrs. John Stevens of Lubbock and Mrs. W.F. Splain of Big Spring, and a number of nieces and nephews.

**Ottie Martin**

**NEWBERRY** — Services for Ottie Martin, 88, of 2901 W. Ohio Ave. in Midland will be at 2 p.m. today in Newberry Cemetery directed by Guardian Funeral Home of Fort Worth. Midland arrangements were made by Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Martin died Friday in a Midland hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born Aug. 2, 1890, in Parker County and was reared there. She was married to J.E. Martin. He died in 1930. She lived in Parker County until 1949, when she moved to Midland. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include two sons, L.J. Martin of Andrews and O.E. Martin of Stephenville; two daughters, Kay Beauchamp of Midland and Margaret Gordon of Houston; a brother, Leslie Hines of Clovis, N.M.; three sisters, Mrs. Willie M. Hines of Salisaw, Okla., Lois Worley of Clovis and Gladys Rush of Houston, 11 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Cancer Society or Heart Fund.

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**Paula Clement**

**JUNCTION** — Services for Paula Lynn Clement, 36, sister of Wayne Hicks of Crane, were Saturday in the London community near here, with burial in London Cemetery.

Mrs. Clement died Thursday in a Houston hospital.

Mrs. Clement, a native of Ozona, was a resident of New Orleans before moving to Quito, Ecuador, about a year ago. She married Edward Clement June 10, 1959, at Jal, N.M. She was a Baptist.

Other survivors include two daughters, a son, her parents and two brothers.

Mrs. Clement died Thursday in a Houston hospital.

**Sue M. Sax**

Graveside services for Sue McCamant Sax, 58, of 2500 Frontier Drive in Midland will be at 11 a.m. Monday in Fort Bliss National Cemetery in El Paso.

A memorial service will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the First Presbyterian Church of Midland.

Mrs. Sax died Tuesday in a Tucson, Ariz., hospital after a short illness.

She was born Feb. 24, 1921, in El Paso. She was married to Norman "Jake" Sax in 1941, and spent 23 of the last 31 years in Midland.

During this time, Mrs. Sax was active with Girl Scouts, church and community work. With the help of former U.S. Rep. George Mahon, she initiated a Head Start program here for disadvantaged children. She taught school 16 years prior to her retirement for health reasons. She taught at Rusk, De Zavala and Ben Milam Elementary Schools.

Mrs. Sax was a chairman of the Children's Education League, one of the founding members of the Junior League of Midland Inc. and a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority.

Survivors include her husband, Norman; two daughters, Valerie Piper and Suzanne Sax, and two grandsons, Steve Piper and Jay Piper.

The family requests memorials be made to a favorite charity.

**Douglas Lambert**

**STANTON** — Douglas Eugene Lambert, 17, of Chaneyview and formerly of Stanton, died Saturday in a Houston hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church here with the Rev. Ed Carson, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery directed by Gilbreath Funeral Home.

Lambert was born Jan. 18, 1962, in Roswell, N.M. He had lived in Houston since 1974. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his father, Charles Lambert of Chaneyview; his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Al Horelica of Chaneyview; two sisters, Mrs. Ronnie Dickenson of Stanton and Debra Lambert of Pasadena; a brother, Randy Rhodes of Stanton; his maternal grandmother, Doyleene Baugh of Stanton and his paternal grandmother, Vera Sindt of Long Beach, Calif.

The family requests memorial be made to the Cystic Fibrosis Fund in care of G.M. Harrison, M.D., 1332 Moursund, Houston, 77030.

Services for Thomas Watson Jr., 71, of 405 South Lee St., will be at 11 a.m. Monday in Thomas Funeral Home.

Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Watson died Tuesday in a Midland hospital.

**Thomas Watson**

Services for Thomas Watson Jr., 71, of 405 South Lee St., will be at 11 a.m. Monday in Thomas Funeral Home.

**Alabama court orders execution of murderer**

**MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP)** — The Alabama Supreme Court has ordered that John Louis Evans III, a murderer, be put to death by electric chair on April 6 in what would be the second state-ordered execution in the United States in the past 12 years.

Evans, who is housed at Holman Prison on death row, has repeatedly requested that the execution take place and has said his decision is irrevocable. He told The Associated Press in an interview last week that he is "ecstatic" about his impending execution because "it means getting my freedom."

Evans' former attorney, John Carroll of the Southern Poverty Law Center, has said that there are numerous avenues of appeal open to Evans if he decides to challenge the death sentence.

The Alabama Supreme Court has upheld his conviction and death sentence, and the U.S. Supreme Court last week refused to hear his case. On Friday, the state Supreme Court set the execution date.

Evans, 29, of Beaumont, Texas, and Wayne Eugene Ritter, 24, were convicted and sentenced to death in April 1977 for the slaying of a pawn shop owner in Mobile.

Before their trial, the two Indiana prison parolers confessed to an eight-state, three-month crime spree that included 37 armed robberies, nine kidnappings and two extortions, as well as the murder.

Ritter's death sentence was overturned by the state Supreme Court pending a rehearing before the Alabama Court of Criminal Appeals. His case is pending before the state's highest court.

The last state-ordered execution occurred on Jan. 17, 1977, when Gary Gilmore, 36, was put to death by firing squad in Utah, breaking a 10-year moratorium on executions in the United States.

**Mrs. C.L. Wood**

Services for Mrs. C.L. (Alice) Wood, 74, of 212 N. Eisenhower St. will be at 4:30 p.m. today in Midland Lutheran Church with the Rev. David Hermann officiating.

Graveside services will be at 4:30 p.m. Monday in Luling Cemetery directed by Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wood died Friday in a Midland hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born Dec. 15, 1904, in D'Hanis and was reared there. She was married to C.L. Wood June 15, 1927, at D'Hanis. She moved to Midland in 1974 from Seguin, where she had lived since 1959. Before that, she lived 12 years in Freer, where she moved there from Luling. She had moved to Luling in 1927.

She was a member of the Midland Lutheran Church.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Larry Wood of Midland; two brothers, Louis Rothe of Prentiss and William Rothe of San Antonio; two sisters, Olga Kinnard of Austin and Erna Wetts of New Braunfels, and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Fred Chaney, F.L. Magee, Ben Greenfield, Dan Cotten, Floyd Abernathy and Ed Bowles.

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Billy Douglas of La Poynor ducks low to evade Vega's Lee Newbill in state Class A title game. See story on page 2B. (AP Laserphoto)

# Disputed call costs Rebels track title

By TERRY WILLIAMSON  
Sports Writer

PECOS — Midland Lee's heroic comeback here Saturday in the West of the Pecos Relays was stopped short of their second straight team title of the season by meet referee Waymond Griggs, who also happens to be head track coach of Odessa Permian.

Lee's Rebels went into Saturday's competition down by more than 20 points to El Paso Coronado, and head Lee coach Sam Volpe had dismissed any ideas of winning the team crown.

But by the time the 1600 meter relay came around, however, the Rebel hopefuls were making room for a championship trophy in their tote bag. They went into the final event of the day with a 105 1/2 to 95 point lead over Coronado and needing only a respectable finish in their strongest event.

THE REBELS rolled to a first place finish in the 1600 relay, only to find out that the race was being contested by Griggs.

In the third leg of the relay, Lee's Phil Carleton tried to pass Odessa Permian leader Jack Cotton on the inside. Cotton cut in and there was a second of bumping between the two runners. Carleton then backed off and let Cotton have the lead.

"The Permian guy (Cotton) had one foot in the second lane and I just tried to pass him on the inside," Carleton explained. "He cut in on me, but I let him have the track. If anyone should have been disqualified, it was Permian."

When the Lee coaches found out about the contested race, a furious battle began between Griggs and two Lee coaches. The argument went on for the better part of 20 minutes when Griggs finally announced, "I saw contact, and position had been established (by Cotton). I rule a foul on Lee and they are disqualified."

At that point, assistant Lee track coach Van Tom Whatley burst in and pointed a finger at Griggs while saying, "That's the only way you can beat us, Coach. You know that is a lousy ruling."

GRIGGS TRIED to calm Whatley down, but Whatley, after one of those expletive deleted statements, said, "You finally found a way to beat us, and I can't believe you're doing it."

Volpe tried to explain to Griggs that it was possible for Carleton to pass on the inside if there was room, and that Carleton let Cotton have the lead instead of fighting for it. It also disturbed Volpe that none of the corner judges for the relay made the ruling. Griggs, who was at least 50 yards away from the incident when it happened, was the only one to contest the

event. It was unfortunate that Griggs made the decision with Permian involved in the incident, but it was more unfortunate for meet director Jerry Millsaps to have placed Griggs as meet referee with a team in the competition.

Millsaps later said, "We learned a lesson that we shouldn't let a coach with a team involved be the meet referee. It would have been better all around if a neutral referee had made the decision."

Volpe later said, "Nobody but Waymond Griggs would make that call. I don't think Permian won an event all day, and he finally found out a way to beat us. He would do anything to beat Lee, and he proved that out there today."

In the end, Lee lost 20 points for being disqualified while Coronado moved up from second to first. Coronado won the meet over Lee by a 115-105 1/2 margin, a 29 point swing after the race.

IT WAS unfortunate that the dispute put a damper on what had been a competitive meet up to the final race because many of the runners were performing at peak levels.

In fact, Lee coaches were elated with the effort turned in as was Ed Nixon and Johnny Williams on the Midland High side.

Lee's Dwight Washington won the 200-meter dash with his best time of 21.99 and anchored Lee's winning sprint relay team, and anchored the ill-fated 1600 relay.

Midland High's Jeff Robnett ran a 10.69 in the 100-meter dash to stay in the top 10 in the state, and also finished second in the 200.

Lee's Carleton, who was involved in the 1600 relay incident, returned to form for the first time this year with a 50.33 in the 400 meters, beating Permian's Ray Crumley for the first time this year. And Lee's sprint relay team of Mark Landers, Carleton, Jody Sesson and Washington posted a 43.2 for their best mark of the season.

On Friday, Midland High's David Simmons jumped into the state's top 10 in the discus with a mammoth throw of 186-11, and Lee's Jeff McCowan won the shot put for the second week in a row. Lee's Herb Pearce and Rodney Taylor placed third and fourth in the shot while Midland High's James Lary was fifth.

MIDLAND HIGH'S "Diaper Brigade" continued to shock people. Robnett is a junior, and sophomore Billy Taylor pulled off a surprise second in the 100 with an 11.06. Taylor was also fourth in the 200. Also sophomore Jerry Zachry posted a 14.97 in the 110 meter hurdles for a second and a bright future.

Lee's Steve Hooper ran one of his best races in the 1600 meters with a 4:29.45 for a second place, and puts him well ahead of last year at this point in time. MHS' Bob Glenn placed sixth in the 1600 with a 4:33.51, his personal best.

Lee's Arthur Pertile is showing signs of becoming a major threat in the 800 meters with a second place 2:03.9, and Gary Butler ran his heart out for a sixth.

Lee senior Stewart Lauffer placed third in the 300 meter relay, and it was that event that brought the Rebels to within two points of the lead. Midland High's Gene Tuttle had a fifth in the 800.

Lee was disqualified in the 3200 meter relay also on Friday for running out of the proper lane, and lost two men in the 100 meter dash with false starts. It was amazing the Rebs even made a run at the title.

In the Division I competition, Monahan nipped Fort Stockton 107-106 for the team title while the Midland High girls made a good showing with 62 points for fifth place.

THE SURPRISE for the MHS girls was in the 1600 meter relay where Jana Troilinder, Nan White, Susan Shoemaker and Magaret Christian won the event with a 4:20.41. Troilinder, White and Christian have worked out only a week since the basketball season ended, and they thought about not running at all.

The Pack's Donna Repman won the mile 1600 run with a 5:46.48. Renee Ramsey was second in the 800 meter run with a 2:39.87 and Eleanor Scott was sixth. Karen Mays had a third in the 200 meters and the triple jump while Christian was second in the long jump.

Midland Lee's Lori Breeding, a sophomore, placed second in the 80 meter hurdles and Kerri Shaw was fifth.

In Division II, Fort Stockton was the day's easiest winner with 159 points to Pecos' 129. The AAA schools, however, saw all they wanted of Class A power Stanton as the Buffaloes finished third with 115 points.

Sophomore Lewis Henry paced the Buffs with victories in the long jump and 200 meters. Outstanding Stanton senior Todd Smith won the 400 meters and ran the anchor on both Stanton relay teams, which both finished second in the 1600 run.

## Amarillo, Coronado splash to Regional titles

Amarillo High and El Paso Coronado splashed their way to Class AAAA Region I swimming championships Saturday afternoon at the Mabee Memorial Pool as a total of nine new records fell during the finals and a total of 13 over the two-day period of diving and swimming competition.

Amarillo walked away with the boys crown, racking up 83 points to runnerup Midland High's 44 with Lee one step behind with 43 points while in the girls competition, Coronado had too much depth and swept past Amarillo High, 88-59 with Amarillo Tascosa a distant third with 35 points.

Midland High's girls finished seventh and Midland Lee in a tie for ninth with El Paso Irving.

Seven records fell in the girls division and two in the boys Saturday after four records were set on Friday.

One of the boys record went to Midland Lee's Carey Carrens in the 100-breaststroke race when he recorded a 1:02.29 in the finals to beat Amarillo's David Dean by more than two seconds. Dean had a second place time of 1:04.73.

The first two places in all events qualify for the state meet in Austin. While Carrens was setting a new

standard in his specialty, Midland High's potent boys diving team, duplicated the District 5-4A showing by finishing one-two-three-four. Paving the way for the Bulldogs was Ricky Morton followed by Mark Krauss, Charley Corbin and Randy Peets, giving the potent Tall City foursome a total of 20 points in that one event.

The other record in the boys division went to Amarillo High's 400-freestyle relay which had a winning and record-setting time of 3:22.35. Midland Lee also qualified its 400-free relay team for state with a clocking of 3:24.04.

El Paso Coronado's girls 400-free

relay team also set a standard with a time of 3:49.28 with Amarillo second with a 3:52.46.

Sara Guido of Coronado set two new records in the girls 200-IM and 100-breast races with times of 2:14.91 and 1:10.09.

Debbie Kauffmann didn't want to be left out either, so she set a record in the girls 50-freestyle race for Coronado with a clocking of 25.14 and that came in the prelims. In the finals, Miss Kauffmann had a time 25.18.

In other record-setting performances, San Angelo Central's Janie James won the 100-backstroke with a time of 1:01.79 with Odessa Per-

mian's Renee Yielding second with a time of 1:05.06 while Coronado's Marks set a standard in the 100-freestyle race with a time of 54.35 in the prelims and a time of 54.86 in the finals.

Permian's Colleen Keibler set a regional 1-meter diving mark with a 375.60 with teammate Alissa Jenkins second with 323.20.

Midland High's Clay Spears qualified for state with a winning time of 1:48.73 in the boys 200-freestyle while Carrens, besides setting the record in the 100 breaststroke, also qualified in the 200 IM with a second place time of 2:02.68.

## Hogs slow down Steers, 39-38

HOUSTON (AP) — All-America guard Sidney Moncrief converted a critical technical foul free throw and hit a layup with 16 seconds to play Saturday night as the ninth-ranked Arkansas Razorbacks captured the Southwest Conference Post-Season Basketball Classic championship with a 39-38 victory over the 14th-ranked Texas Longhorns.

The Razorbacks and the Longhorns tested each others' nerves with deliberate passing tactics before the game exploded in the final minutes on a controversial call.

Arkansas, which gained an automatic bid to the NCAA playoffs, owned a 35-34 lead when Texas star scorer Tyrone Branan was whistled for fouling U.S. Reed on a scramble for the ball. The referees also whistled Jim Krivas for a technical foul when he said something to one of the officials.

REED MADE one of two free throws and Moncrief sank the technical for a 37-34 Arkansas lead with 1:31 to play.

Branan connected on a jump shot with 43 seconds left to narrow the count to 37-36.

Then, Reed stole the ball and fed Moncrief for a layup and a 39-36 Arkansas lead.

Phillip Stroud scored an uncontested layup at the buzzer for the Longhorns.

The Longhorns, who are 21-7, were expected to get an NCAA bid as an at-large team.

Arkansas, which was the regular season co-champion along with Texas, raised its record to 23-4.

Arkansas started the game by

passing 27 times before taking a shot against Texas' sticky matchup zone defense.

The Razorbacks held an 18-15 half-time lead and stretched it to 20-15 before Branan, who had a game-high 21 points, made four consecutive buckets.

TEXAS TWICE tied the game before freshman Scott Hastings put Arkansas ahead by four with a bucket and two free throws. Hastings finished the night with 12 points before he fouled out with a minute to play.

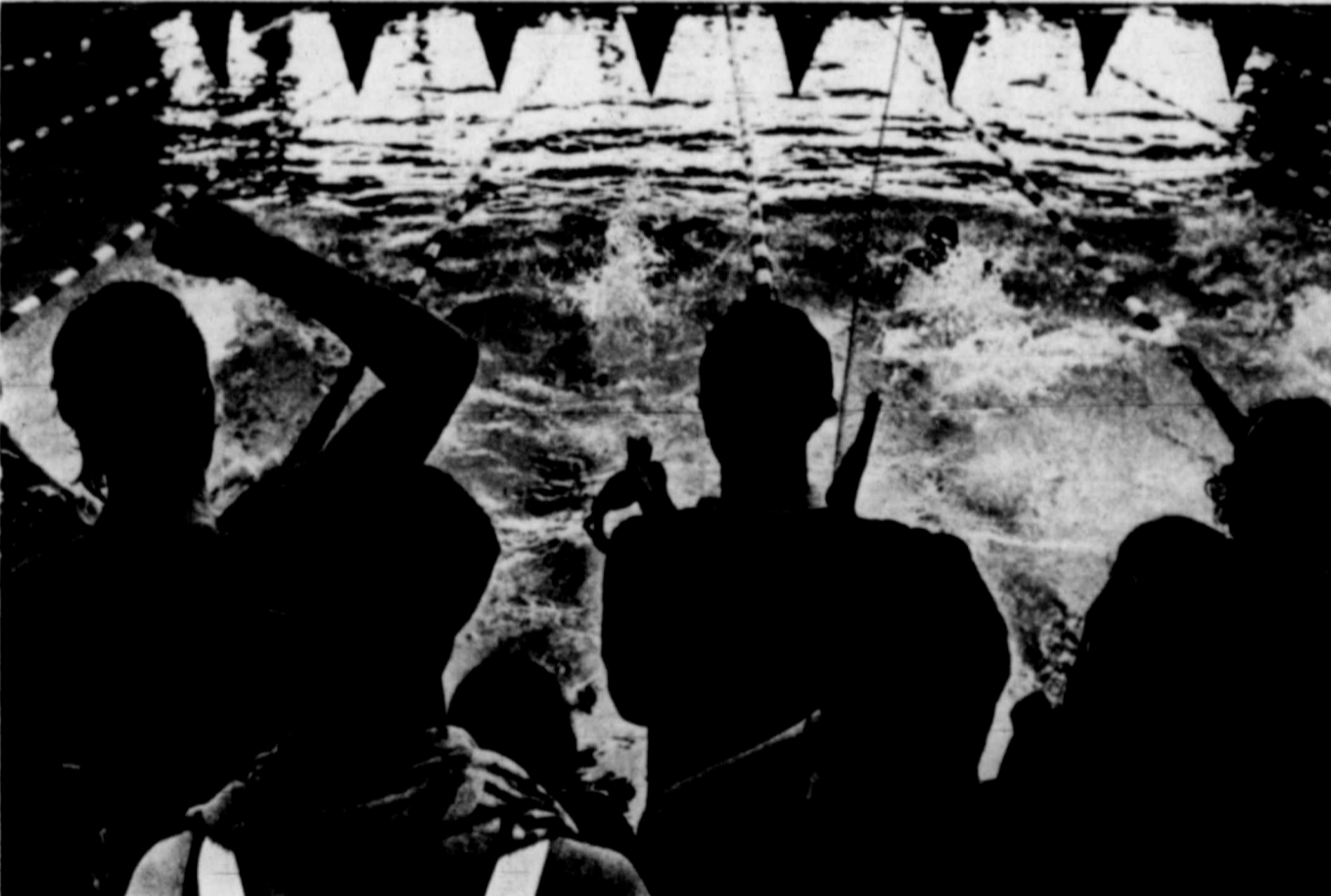
Texas lost guard Johnny Moore, who fouled out with 2:45 to play.

Moncrief, who shot sparingly, was high for the Razorbacks with 13 points.

ARKANSAS (38): Hastings 2-2-12, Zahn 2-0-4, Schall 2-0-1-4, Moncrief 2-2-13, Reed 2-2-4, Young 0-0-0. Totals 18-30-20.

TEXAS (38): Branan 9-2-21, Stroud 2-0-4, Krivas 2-0-6, Moore 2-1-2-5, Danks 0-0-0. Totals 18-30-20.

Halftime—Arkansas 18, Texas 15. Fouled out—Moore, Hastings. Total fouls—Arkansas 13, Texas 15. Technical—Krivas. A—1,469.



Excitement ran high in the Regional swim meet at Mabee Pool Saturday as teammates cheered on their representatives in 100-yard men's butterfly event. (Photo by Brian Hendershot)

## Bulldogs wallop Lubbock, 17-6

LUBBOCK — Coach Larry Peel's Midland Bulldogs had their hitting shoes on again Saturday as they swept past the Lubbock Westerners, 17-6, in a wind-blown baseball contest at McKenzie Park.

It was originally set up for a doubleheader, but the two teams agreed to play one game with the wind and cold weather.

Mike Mowles and Tracy Gann powered homers for the Bulldogs who

now stand 2-0 on the season. Gann smacked a three-run homer in the third inning and Mowles unloaded a grand-slam in the sixth inning as Midland pounded four Lubbock pitchers for 15 hits.

Besides the home run power at the plate by Gann and Mowles, catcher Tommy Munoz went four-for-five while Mowles and Gann had three hits each and Sam Driskill added a pair of hits. Jimmy Zachry started and picked up the win on the mound and

also contributed a double for the winners.

Midland scored two runs in the first and added four in the second and three more in the third to get off to a quick 9-0 lead before the Westerners scored.

Midland plays its home opener at the Memorial Stadium diamond on Tuesday when it entertains the Class AAA Snyder Tigers.

"I have really been pleased with the hitting of the team so far," said Peel

Saturday night. The Bulldogs had 14 hits in Friday's 16-12 win over Lubbock Monterey here and in that game, Munoz hit a homer for the Tall City nine. "We haven't really faced any tough pitching yet, but I am happy over the start of the season thus far," added Peel.

Score by innings: 243 134-11 11 2 001 500-4 1 3  
Midland: Zachry, Lilly (4) and Munoz; Rush, Garcia (2), Vasquez (2), Jamie (4) and Ramos. 2B-Zachry (Midland), RB-Gann and Mowles (Midland). WP-Zachry. LF-Rush.

## Vols defeat Kentucky, 75-69

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP) — A free throw by Chuck Threats and a three-point play by Reggie Johnson in the first 19 seconds of overtime put Tennessee in control Saturday night as the Volunteers defeated defending national champion Kentucky 75-69 in the finals of the Southeastern Conference basketball tournament.

The victory earned Tennessee, which finished second in the conference race, a berth in the NCAA tournament beginning next week.

Tennessee thus became the first team to defeat Kentucky three times in a season since the Vols did it in 1920.

## Lee, Coronado divide twinbill

LUBBOCK — Sophomore Allan Koontz went all the way to pitch a five-hitter for Midland Lee and give the Rebels a split in their doubleheader with Lubbock Coronado with a 10-3 win in the nightcap.

Wade Cartwright hit a triple as Lee used nine walks and a hit batsman to make the most of their four hits.

In the opener, Coronado defeated Lee, 8-5, in a game of heartbreaks for the Rebels. Lee hit into two double plays and a game-ending triple play while two of Lee's seven errors came on potential double play balls.

The big blow for Coronado was a three-run double by Jim Arterburn in the four-run third, erasing a 4-0 Lee lead. John White hit a triple for Lee.

Lee's JV also split here Saturday, losing the nightcap after winning the opener 18-7 as generous Coronado pitchers issued 14 walks. Randy Velarde had a double in that game and Clay Bateman pitched the victory. Bryan Erxleben was the loser in the night cap as Jeff Hicks hit a double for Lee.

Lee takes a 3-1 record into Monday's game with Pecos on the road.

Midland Lee 004 010 0-5 7 7  
Lubbock Coronado 004 202 3-8 10 5  
Loser—Johnson. Winner—Fusler. 2B—John White, Lee, Crass, Coronado. 2B—Arterburn, Coronado.

Midland Lee 004 202 3-8 10 5  
Lubbock Coronado 004 202 3-8 10 5  
Winner—Koontz. Loser—Powell. 3B—Cartwright, Lee.

Bullpups win 11-1 over Ector

Coach J.C. Gotcher's Midland Bullpups took an impressive 11-1 victory over Odessa Ector Saturday in a junior varsity baseball game at the Memorial Stadium diamond.

Steve Miller and Doug McLain combined to scatter fourths for the Bullpups who were opening their season. Midland had eight hits, but they were timely ones with Daniel Goodie hitting a single and tripe. Scott Yo-

Second Game 211 028-10 4 1  
Midland Lee 004 202 3-8 10 5  
Lubbock Coronado 004 202 3-8 10 5  
Winner—Koontz. Loser—Powell. 3B—Cartwright, Lee.

cham added a pair of hits while teammates Ted Bartley and Richard Wickman also hit well. Bartley added a two-bagger while Wickman had a single and double.

Miller struck out four Eagles in the four innings on the mound with McLain throwing in the final three innings.

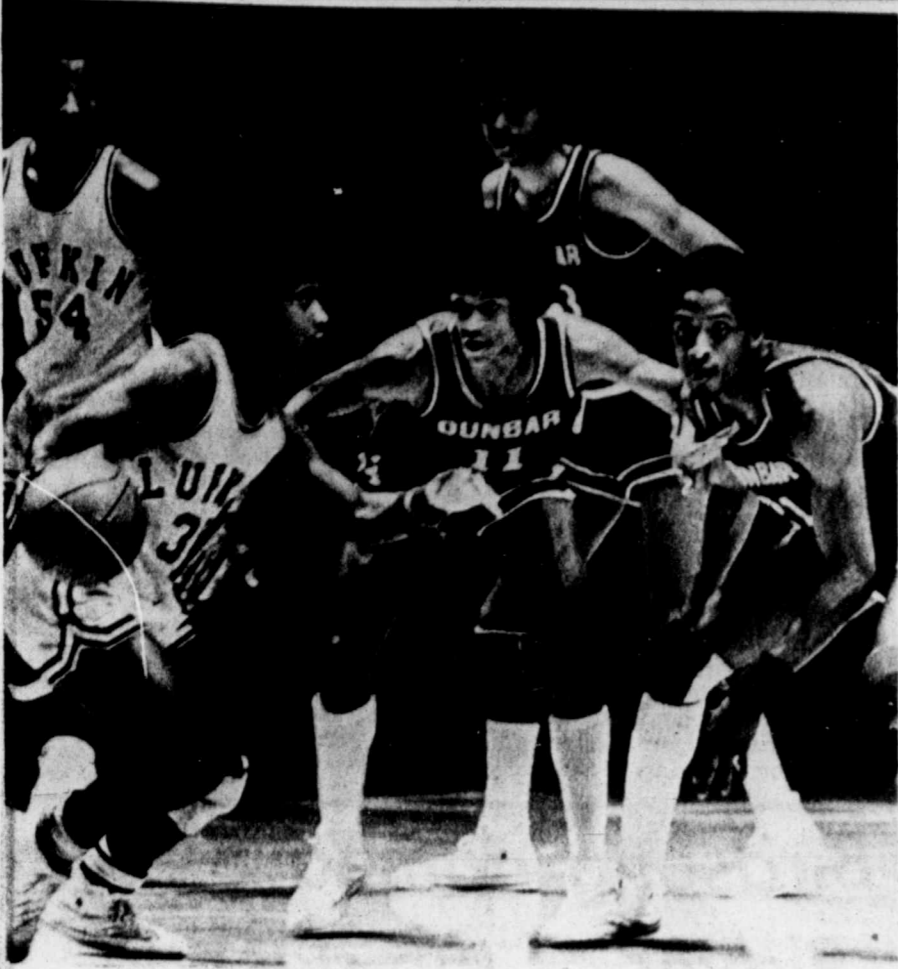
The Bullpups travel to Snyder Tuesday for their next outing, according to Gotcher.







# Lufkin, Seminole claim titles



Lufkin's Ronnie Blake drives for basket in AAAA championship game against Fort Worth Dunbar at Austin Saturday. (AP Laserphoto)

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Ronnie Blake, a 5-foot-7 guard, maneuvered through three much taller defenders to hit a driving jump shot with two seconds left in the game Saturday as Lufkin nipped Fort Worth Dunbar, 75-74, for the Class 4A schoolboy basketball championship.

Blake finished with 21 points and teammate Larry Davis had 22. Darrell Browder scored 21 for Dunbar.

It was the first championship for Lufkin, which made its seventh appearance in the tournament and had a one-point loss in the 1948 championship game.

Dunbar took a 74-71 lead on two free throws by Browder with 28 seconds remaining, and Lufkin called time out.

Davis then crammed in a short shot, and Andre Allen threw the ball away for Dunbar. With nine seconds remaining, Lufkin brought the ball in, and Blake dribbled through the Dunbar defense for the crucial shot.

SNOOK squeezed past Krum, 57-56, in a dramatic, emotionally wrenching game and Seminole upset Altair Rice, 56-49, in other title games.

The Snook-Krum game in Class B was historic in that it matched two defending state champions for a title for the first time in the 59-year history of the state tournament. Krum won B last year and Snook took A.

The loss broke a string of Krum victories that had reached 50 over the past two seasons. Krum was 44-0 this year.

Snook raised its record to 45-2 as James Washington swished a six-foot SEMINOLE (56)—Wrenn 8 5-7 21, Grass 3 6-12, Villalva 2 1-7, Stewart 1 4-4, Moore 5 9-10, Kirk 0 0-0, Rives 0 0-0, Herring 0 0-0, Shaw 0 0-0, Johnson 0 0-0, Greene 0 0-0. Totals 20 16-23 56.

ALTIR RICE (49)—Axel 1 0-2, Grammer 11 2-3 24, D. Bluntson 2 0-4, Hayes 4 0-4, L. Bluntson 1 1-2 11, Spaniel 0 0-0, Appell 0 0-0, Davis 0 0-0. Totals 23 2-5 49.

SNOOK (57)—Washington 8 2-4 18, Kovar 1 0-1 2, Butler 1 2-4, Jones 13 1-31, Fidler 1 0-1 2, Kerr 0 0-0, Carter 0 0-0. Totals 26 5-11 57.

Krum Snook 18 14 11 13—56 11 14 14 15—37 Fouled out—None. Total fouls—Krum, 13; Snook, 21. Technicals—None.

LEFKOWITZ (74)—Hall 2 0-4, Mainer 2 0-4, Blake 9 3-21, Edwards 3 1-11, Davis 10 2-22, Orimes 4 3-11. Totals 32 8-33 74.

FW DUNBAR (74)—Browder 8 3-21, Nealy 7 0-14, Ware 6 0-12, Ashley 2 0-4, Allen 4 3-11, Collier 5 0-10, O'Neal 1 0-2. Totals 34 9-74.

Altair Rice Snook 18 14 11 13—56 11 14 14 15—37 Fouled out—None. Total fouls—Lufkin 12, Dunbar 14. Technicals—Ashley, A—13, 210.

shot with only 26 seconds left in the game for the winning goal.

CHUCK WALL misfired for Krum with 15 seconds remaining, and Snook controlled a jump ball but Snook's Clifton Butler traveled to give Krum possession again with four seconds left.

June, a burly junior who made all-tournament last year, poured in 31 points for Krum and hauled in 15

rebounds. Washington scored 18 and had 10 rebounds.

Krum's whirlwind guards, Hall and Dadd — another 1978 all-tournament choice — scored 21 and 20 points respectively.

ALTAIR had ousted defending champion Whitehouse in the semifinals and was favored over Seminole, but Seminole took advantage of Altair's poor first half shooting — 23.5

percent — to take a 27-17 lead and closed with a string of six free throws to win its first state title since 1955.

Grammer, who made the coaches' all-state team as a junior, had a game-high 24 points but made only 11 of 33 field goals. Danny Wrenn tallied 21 for Seminole and had 13 rebounds.

Seminole had only 20 field goals to 23 for Altair but made 16 of 23 free throws. Altair had only five free throw chances and made three.

## Midland Cubs switch spring training to plush Mesa layout

MESA—When the Midland Cubs open spring training here in two weeks, it will be in plush quarters across the dry Salt River bed, 20 minutes drive from Scottsdale, home base of the Chicago Cubs since 1967.

Chicago decided to switch operations when it was feared the new minor league facilities at Scottsdale would not be completed in time for use of the Cubs' minor league farm clubs this spring. And as it turned out, they were right. Winter rains delayed work on the complex and the Oakland A's minor leaguers, who switched sites with Chicago, must work out and play in the inadequate, makeshift Eldorado Park complex.

Midland, Wichita, Quad Cities and the two Rookie League clubs will prepare for the 1979 season in Mesa's Fitch Park, complete with three diamonds, modern clubhouses and just a few blocks from the Chicago Cubs' headquarters at two-year-old Ho Ho Kams Park. Chicago will play a 14-game schedule at Ho Ho Kams, starting with Seattle Friday.

Ho Ho Kams even has one feature that Chicago's Wrigley Field doesn't have, lights, but the Cubs, true to their tradition, do not plan to turn them on.

That's what will greet the Midland Cubs-Chamber of Commerce group that will come to Arizona in late March, although the spring training tourists will continue to lodge in Scottsdale.

Randy Hundley, recently named manager of the Midland



Randy Hundley

Cubs, will greet his charges March 15 to begin preparations for the Texas League season. Randy, however, will be on hand when the Midland candidates arrive, helping out with the big club before hand.

Meanwhile, back in Midland, General Manager Bill Rigney, Jr., is busy preparing for Midland's arrival April 9, a couple of days before the Texas League season's opener. "We've just about wrapped up the scorecard and fence advertising and we've sold 750 box-seat season tickets." That's closing in on the record of 817 set last year.

"Only Nashville (400,000 population) sold more seats on the double-A level last year and they were returning to baseball after a 15-year absence," Rigney notes.

One of the new features at Cubs Stadium this year will be a new scoreboard, to replace the balky old one. "The fans should appreciate this one," Bill points out. "It's a marked improvement over the old one, which I understand originally was intended for a ball park in Japan and they had to change the lettering to make it understandable here." One could almost detect a faint hint of a grin as Bill referred to the early-day problems with the old board.

## Rookie Byman slips by leaders in Citrus golf

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Rookie Bob Byman slipped past the faltering pacesetters with a wind-blown 1-under-par 70 to assume the third-round lead Saturday in the \$250,000 Bay Hill Citrus Golf Classic.

Byman, 23, who won three national open titles in other countries before gaining his American playing rights, had a 54-hole total of 207, six shots under par on the Bay Hill Club course that, to the obvious and ill-concealed delight of owner Arnold Palmer, snapped back at golf's premier touring pros.

JOHN SCHROEDER, who had a share of the lead when the national television cameras ended their coverage for the windy day, bogeyed the final hole for a 72 and a 208 total, 1 stroke behind Byman. He was tied for second with Ed Snead and Rex Caldwell.

## Greenwood to hold meeting for baseball

GREENWOOD — The Greenwood Junior Baseball League will hold a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Greenwood High School cafeteria.

Parents of boys and girls ages seven through 12 who are interested in playing baseball this year are asked to attend.

Policies of the league will be discussed. Registration and tryout dates will also be announced.

well. Snead shot a 73 and Caldwell had a 68.

"Well," said the disgruntled Schroeder, who limped home double-bogey, bogey, "at least I finished without falling in the water."

THERE WAS Andy Bean, the big guy who led through the first two rounds. He watched in dismay as his lead diminished and eventually vanished in the whipping winds.

He collapsed on his back on the par-3 17th when his tee shot found the water.

"The wind changed while the ball was in the air," he said. "It was such a good shot it just turned my stomach when it went in the water."

It also led to a double bogey. Bean finished with a 76 for 209. He was tied with Dave Edwards, who shot a par-71.

And there was Lee Trevino. He pumped three consecutive shots into the huge lake on No. 6.

"Got so damn many balls in the water the lake overflowed," Trevino snorted.

He scored an incredible 11 on the hole, finished out his 78 and pulled out of the tournament.

Jack Nicklaus avoided the water but found a tree that produced a double-bogey 6 on the eighth hole. Still, Nicklaus was able to get in with a 72 that left him in strong contention at 210, only three strokes back.

## Sally Little, Dale Lundquist share lead

SARASOTA, Fla. (AP) — Sally Little and two-year pro Dale Lundquist shot par 72s Saturday to tie for the third-round lead with 211s in the \$100,000 Bent Tree Golf Classic.

Just a stroke back were second-round co-leaders Nancy Lopez and Donna Horton White and Hollis Stacy. Lopez and White shot 2-over-par 74s, while Stacy had a 72.

Lundquist, of nearby Tampa, birdied the first and second holes, sinking putts from six and 10 feet, then bogeyed on 12 and 13.

LITTLE BOGEYED the fifth, eighth and 10th holes, then had to scramble with birdies on seven, nine and 14 to save par.

The other second-round leader, rookie Lori Garbach, faltered to a 79 to fall back to 217.

Tied for fifth place at 213 were JoAnn Washam, Pat Bradley and Judy Rankin.

For Lundquist, this was the first time she led a tournament. Her best finish was a fifth place last year at Detroit.

"I wish the tournament was over right now," she said. "I would gladly accept a tie. I just can't believe this is happening to me. Here I am playing

with Lopez and (Judy) Rankin and I'm up there. Somebody pinch me, please."

MANY OF the other golfers had problems with the wind, but Lundquist, a former golfer at the University of South Florida and Miami-Dade Community College, said, "I went to college down here and I'm used to playing in it."

### SPRING TRAINING NOTES

## DeJesus set to sign

MESA, Ariz. (AP) — Shortstop Ivan DeJesus arrived at the Chicago Cub camp Saturday, bringing the total complement to a full 47 players.

DeJesus also agreed to sign a five-year-contract for an estimated \$1 million.

DeJesus immediately went to work with new second baseman Ted Sizemore, acquired from the Philadelphia Phillies in last week's eight-player trade involving Cub second baseman Manny Trillo.

The deal broke up Chicago's double play combination but DeJesus said Sizemore turns the double play as effectively as anyone in the league and added, "I'll get the ball to him, he'll do the rest."

The first practice pitch to DeJesus by Ray Burris was at his head. "That's for being late," said Burris laughing.

Rookie infielder Steve Davis also signed his contract, leaving only Jerry Martin, another ex-Phillie player, and Steve Ontiveros unsigned.

## Pina declines Phillies invitation

CLEARWATER, Fla. (AP) — Pitcher Horacio Pina has declined an invitation from the Philadelphia Phillies to attend spring training and will play for a Mexican baseball club this season, a Phillies spokesman said Saturday.

The Phillies extended an invitation to the 33-year-old right-hander following his performance in two games with the National League club last September. He pitched against six batters, striking out four of them, Phillies spokesman Larry Shenk said.

Pina was 21-4 with the Mexican League baseball team, called the Aguascalientes Club.

Injured pitcher Larry Christenson arrived in camp Saturday afternoon. Phillies trainer Don Seger indicated that within two or three days the right-hander would have a new and lighter cast placed on his right shoulder.

Christenson broke his collarbone in a bicycle mishap last month while on the Tug McGraw Bike Caravan for Muscular Dystrophy.

## Royals go with Busby in opener

FORT MYERS, Fla. (AP) — Right-hander Steve Busby, attempting a comeback after surgery more than two years ago, will be the Kansas City Royals' starting pitcher in their exhibition opener Friday against the New York Yankees in Fort Lauderdale.

"Then we'll start Dennis Leonard Saturday and follow with Paul Splittorff, Larry Gura and Rich Gale the next three days," said Manager Whitey Herzog. "Busby will start against the Yankees again the next Wednesday in Fort Myers."

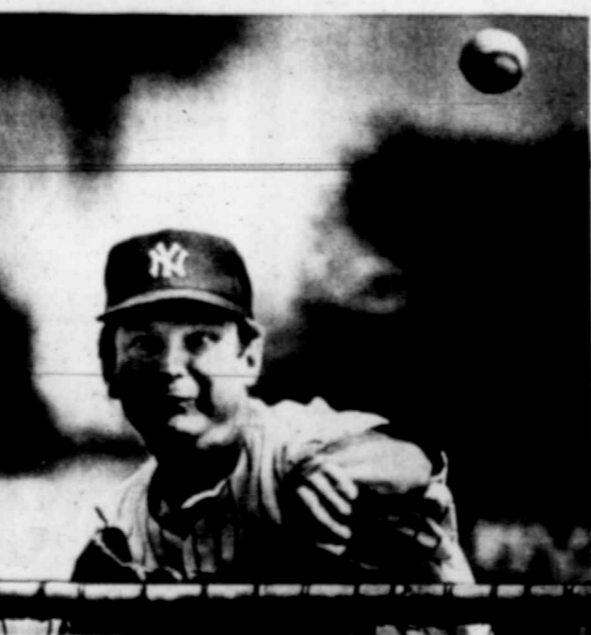
## May returns to Reds' firing line

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Davis May, a non-roster pitcher with the Cincinnati Reds, began throwing again Saturday after sitting out two days of spring training with a pulled hamstring muscle.

However, third base candidate Harry Spilman was not in uniform because of a back sprain suffered Friday.

## Old injury plagues Campbell

WINTER HAVEN, Fla. (AP) — Relief pitcher Bill Campbell's comeback from an old shoulder ailment



Yankees' Tommy John rounds into shape at St. Petersburg, Fla.

suffered a setback Saturday when he was unable to pitch batting practice in the Boston Red Sox' training camp.

"It was too sore for me to throw," the 30-year-old right-hander said. "The pain is similar to what I've had in the past, but sometimes now I think it's in a different spot."

"The shoulder is hurting him again," Boston Manager Don Zimmer said glumly. "We'll have to wait and see what the doctor says."

Campbell, the American League's 1977 Fireman of the Year, was plagued by the right shoulder ailment last season, pitching only 50 innings. Surgery was ruled out and he has been on a special exercise program to build up the muscles.

## Capra's comeback almost ends

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Pitcher Buzz Capra's 3-year battle to come back from arm surgery almost came to a sudden end Saturday when the 31-year-old right-hander took a line drive on the elbow of his pitching arm.

"The ball hit me on the funny bone," Capra said following the Atlanta Braves' Saturday spring training workout. "I'll be okay."

It was the second time in two days that a Braves' pitcher has tried to block a line drive with something other than a glove. On Friday, relief pitcher Dave "Chopper" Campbell was hit in the head by a liner, but escaped with only a goose egg-sized bump.

Capra, who was 16-4 and led the National League with a 2.28 earned run average in 1974, has been trying to rebound from surgery he underwent to correct a 1975 arm injury. Capra was cut by the Braves at the end of spring training last year and invited back to camp this spring as a free agent.

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Yankee outfielder Mickey Rivers, a guy known for his larcenous tendencies on the bases, figures it's just good public relations to make friends with policeman Gary Ciani, who patrols playing fields at spring camp in Fort-Lauderdale, Fla. (AP Laserphoto)

## Chaparrals land playoff berth

Odessa College clung to second place in the final Western Junior College Conference standings by following up a 104-101 double-overtime win at Amarillo College Thursday with an 89-87 win over Frank Phillips at Borger Friday.

Midland College as a result settled for a third place tie with New Mexico Military Institute, but will receive an uncontested spot in the Region V Junior College tournament at Big Spring later this week because of a higher power rating than the Broncos from Roswell.

NMMI will have to play off against the Northern Conference fifth place winner and New Mexico Junior College, the final

WJCC qualifier faces the Northern Conference fifth place winner in games Wednesday preceding the tournament, which begins Thursday and ends Saturday.

Western Texas College captured the championship again with glossy 16-2 record, followed by Odessa's 13-5. MC and NMMI each were 12-6. However, Coach Jerry Stone's Chaparrals were very impressive in their final three games of the season, concluding with the 98-88 win at Levelland against South Plains Thursday.

Friday, Odessa was outscored 37-26 from the field, but won by outshooting FPJC 37-13 at the free throw line as Kelly Kitchens

converted 14 attempts. Billy Ray Ennis scored 31 points to lead the Wranglers.

Western Junior College Conference		
Team	Conf.	Season
Western Texas College	16-2	28-3
Odessa College	13-5	23-8
Midland College	12-6	20-11
NMMI	12-6	20-7
New Mexico JC	10-8	19-12
Amarillo College	8-10	12-14
South Plains College	8-10	13-17
Frank Phillips	7-12	9-17
Howard College	4-14	11-23
Clarendon	0-18	9-21

Thursday's games  
 Midland College 98, South Plains College 88.  
 Western Texas College 73, NMMI 62.  
 Howard College 83, Frank Phillips 69.  
 Odessa College 104, Amarillo College 101, 2 ot.

Friday's score  
 Odessa College 89, Frank Phillips 87.

# Colleges hold breath as NCAA ponders teams

By DOUG TUCKER

MISSION, Kan. (AP) — Nine men under pressure will announce on national television today their choices as the top 40 college basketball teams, plus seedings, pairings and first-round byes in an expanded NCAA Basketball Tournament.

For many teams, the difference between a successful season or failure will be riding on their decisions. Wayne Duke, chairman of the Division I Basketball Committee, will make the announcements from NCAA headquarters at 2:30 p.m.

The tournament has enlarged by eight teams this year to 40, but there are more significant developments. Teams will be seeded for the first time ever, 24 will get free passes into the second round, and the committee is free to ship out anybody it wishes to any of four regional competitions. In addition, they will award 17 at-large bids.

"All these changes will impose additional burdens on the committee, no question about it," said Duke. "But they were wise and necessary moves and we're willing to accept the inevitable criticism in the interests of providing a well-balanced tournament."

**THE TOURNAMENT** opens March 9 at four sites, with the No. 7 seeds in each region meeting the No. 10 and the No. 8 seeds going against the No. 9. Second-round competition will be held March 10 and 11. The four regional champs will move to the nationally televised semifinals and finals March 24 and 26 in Salt Lake City.

Twenty-three conferences automatically send either their league champion or post-season tournament winner. Sixteen of those from conferences with the best won-loss record in tournament play the past five years will receive first-round byes. The committee decides who gets the other eight byes. The 17 at-large entries will be independents or second teams from conferences. To the consternation of powerful basketball leagues such as the Atlantic Coast Conference and Big 10, no conference can send more than two.

Committee members, who have been in contact with regional advisory panels for almost a month, began meeting in Kansas City Friday, and Duke predicted they would work "far into the night" Saturday.

"THE FIRST thing we'll do is select 40 out of about 250 Division I teams," said Duke. "Then we will attempt to balance the brackets through the seeding process and assigning teams to various regions."

What will they look for in sizing up teams? The various all-America squads and the two news service polls voted weekly by writers and coaches will be largely ignored.

"In all sincerity, I think the basic criterion used in the polls is the won-loss record," Duke said. "We'll have a lot more information available to us. In effect, we'll make a poll of our own."

Throughout the season, the NCAA's computerized statistical service has been turning out, for the perusal of the committee, "reams and reams" of facts of which few basketball fans are aware.

"A tournament bid will not go on a simple won-loss record," Duke said. "We'll know your won-loss record and the caliber of your opposition...who you played and the strength of your schedule."

"We'll look at something else which the average fan doesn't look at, the record of the teams they got beat by. And we'll have a breakdown on where they played."

SINCE THE tournament began mushrooming in popularity and financial rewards several years ago, Duke said, many schools have padded their schedule with pushovers.

"And they schedule games at certain sites, preferably at home, to achieve good won-loss records to get into the tournament." A 20-victory season used to be an "unwritten barometer" for landing a tournament bid, Duke said.

"But last year we had 34 Division I teams with 20 or more wins. There's no question but what the follower of every 33rd team last year thought his team got overlooked. And the follower of every 41st team this year will feel the same. But there are very few teams, besides Indiana State, with really overpowering won-loss records. There are going to be teams with less than 20 wins in the tournament. Not because we've increased to 40, but because college basketball is

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becoming much more competitive." In addition to expenses, teams playing one tournament game will receive more than \$40,000. Making it to the regional competition will be worth more than \$120,000 and an appearance in the final four will bring each team about \$250,000.

**WITH DUKE** on the committee are Larry Albus, commissioner of the Metro Conference; Ladell Anderson, Utah State athletic director; Willis Casey, North Carolina State athletic director; Andy Geiger, Stanford athletic director; Ken Karr of San Diego

State, Russ Potts, SMU athletic director; Vic Bubas, commissioner of the Sun Belt Conference, and Dave Gavitt athletic director and head coach at Providence.

The 16 conferences that will receive first-round byes are the Atlantic Coast, Pac 10, Big 10, Big 8, Southwest, Southeast, Sun Belt, Eastern Athletic Association, Western Athletic Conference, Mid-American Conference, West Coast Athletic Conference, Metro, Southern, ECAC-New England, Missouri Valley and the Pacific Coast Athletic Association.

## Birdsong named SWC Player-of-the-decade

HOUSTON (AP) — Otis Birdsong, a University of Houston All-American who compiled a career scoring average of 28.1 points per game, has been named Southwest Conference basketball player of the decade in a poll of SWC sports writers and sportscasters.

Birdsong, who played for the Cougars in 1975-77, received 22 of 43 first place votes in the balloting, announced during the SWC post-season basketball tournament at the Summit.

Arkansas' Sidney Moncrief and Ron Brewer tied for second

place in the voting with a total of 279 points compared to Birdsong's point total of 389. Moncrief, named last week to the Associated Press All-American team, had 10 first place votes and Brewer had six.

Rounding out the top 10 in the balloting were: Rick Bullock, Texas Tech, 231 points; Gene Phillips, Southern Methodist, 221; Sonny Parker, Texas A&M, 205; Ira Terrell, SMU, 195; Larry Robinson, Texas, 146; Vinnie Johnson, Baylor, 106 and Marvin Delph, Arkansas, 91.

## Mattioli defends crown against British challenger

SAN REMO, Italy (AP) — Rocky Mattioli of Italy makes his third World Boxing Council junior middleweight title defense tonight when he takes on left-hander Maurice Hope of Britain.

"I've never seen Mattioli fight except on film," said Hope, a 27-year-old

native of Antigua. "They say he has vicious punches. We'll see tomorrow night if that's true."

"Mattioli obviously has a great advantage because he's got the fans behind him," Hope added. "But I am in optimum physical condition. I predict a quick verdict."

# Guidry, Lopez attain star status overnight

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Nancy Lopez and Ron Guidry are two young athletes with a lot in common. They soared to superstar status overnight. And now they're finding instant success has its price.

For Guidry, the hard-throwing Yankee pitcher who led to New York to 1978 World Series championship, stardom has cost his free time — time he spent on friends, family and hunting in the Louisiana backwoods.

For Lopez, who catapulted women's pro golf to new heights in her sensation rookie year, there is a tremendous burden of pressure to stay at the top.

She played a grueling schedule of 25 tournaments last year on her way to record-shattering finishes on the Ladies Professional Golf Association tour. The pace was so hectic and demanding, she said, that at the end she tired of the game for weeks. This season she's going to ease up and skip some events.

Success came fast for the 22-year-old Lopez — the instant she turned pro — and for Guidry, 28, as he pitched his first full season as a starter in the majors.



Ron Guidry and Nancy Lopez are all smiles after receiving their AP athlete-of-the-year awards Friday. (AP Laserphoto)

**SPORTS WRITERS** and sportscasters across the country overwhelmingly chose them as The Associated Press male and female athletes of the year.

"I had a great year," said Guidry. "And I thought I was going to have a lot of privacy. I was wrong. I've been on the go a lot. It was enjoyable, but I don't want to do this every year. I like to spend my free time at home with my friends, hunting and relaxing."

The sudden thrust into the limelight really hasn't affected Guidry, a down-home tobacco-chewing Cajun with a drawl.

The slender southpaw was on the verge of quitting baseball out of frustration three years ago. He signed with the Yankees in 1971 wanting to be an outfielder. But he was converted to pitcher instead and in five years had made it no further than a reliever in the minors.

"In 1976 I felt I had to quit," he said. "I was fed up. I was 25. I felt I had to get into something else, something promising."

"It was a quick sentence from my wife that turned it around. She said: 'You've never quit anything in your life before. Are you sure you want to do this?'"

**GUIDRY STAYED** in baseball and he made it big. He went from minor league relief pitcher to Yankee fill-in to superstar. He closed 1978 with a fantastic 25-3 record, including a 5-4 victory over Boston in a division-clinching playoff.

He got off on a 13-game winning streak and 15 of his victories followed Yankee losses. He set a club record for strikeouts with 248 in 2732-3 innings and his .893 winning percentage was the best ever for a 20-game winning in the American League.

His 1.74 earned run average was the best by a left-hander since 1914 and his nine shutouts tied Babe Ruth's record set in 1916.

"What made me do it?" he said. "I just wanted to win."

"I'm afraid they're going to expect this now," he said. "There's no way I can top it."

Lopez feels the same way about her success.

"Last year was rough for me," she said. "As an amateur I made it to the top. Professionals usually work a few years to get there. Now there's not anywhere to go. There's the pressure to stay at the top."

Lopez dragged women's golf from a stepchild status into the big leagues in the sports world, piling up nine tournament victories last year. She became the first woman pro ever to earn more than \$200,000 in a single season and coveted dual LPGA titles as Player of the Year and Rookie of the Year.

She has been bothered by tendinitis in her arm this year and sat out the recent LPGA event in St. Petersburg, Fla.

"But it seems better now," she said. "I'm going back to the doctor next week."

## Wirnsberger, Denney ski winners

LAKE PLACID, N.Y. (AP) — Peter Wirnsberger of Austria claimed his second World Cup downhill victory of the season today, beating Swiss Peter Mueller by three one-hundredths of a second.

Wirnsberger, second in the World Cup downhill standings to Mueller, was timed in 1 minute, 42.88 seconds over the 3,028-meter Olympic course.

Mueller was clocked in 1:42.91. The race turned out to be a disappointment for Phil Mahre of White Pass, Wash., second in the overall World Cup standings. Mahre had hoped to gain ground on World Cup leader Peter Luescher of Switzerland in this race.

However, Mahre had a slow time of 1:47.55 in the race.

LAHTI, Finland (AP) — Soaring two perfect jumps, Jim Denney of Duluth, Minn., scored his biggest victory so far in the 70-meter special hill jumping of the annual Lahti Ski Games Saturday.

The 21-year-old Denney jumped 84 and 84.5 meters, good for 245.5 points to outdistance a field of over 80 competitors.

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# Even \$800,000 per year can't slow Charlie Hustle

By THOMAS BOSWELL  
The Washington Post

CLEARWATER, Fla. — Pete Rose arose before the sun Wednesday. At 6:30 a.m. he stood outside the Philadelphia Phillies training complex here — proving a point and winning a bet.

For years, Larry Bowa has been the first Phil to report on the first day of training camp. The little insomniac shortstop often appeared at the Clearwater gates at 8 a.m. for the 10 a.m. workout.

That was Bowa's hustling, scrappy style, a mode of operation he proudly admitted he had stolen from his only baseball hero — Pete Rose. "I'll be the first Phillie to report this year," Rose said casually a few days ago.

"I bet you won't," answered the feisty Bowa as he, Rose and a couple of other Phils headed for Las Vegas for the final offseason holiday.

Bowa returned from Vegas early just to keep his vow.

Rose called him from the Strip Tuesday night at midnight. "You can relax," said Rose to Bowa. You win. You'll be there before me."

SO WHAT happened? When Bowa wandered into the deserted Phils' clubhouse at 7:40 a.m. — 20 minutes earlier than ever just to make sure — who was standing by Bowa's locker, in his new Phillie garb, but a red-eyed, grinning Pete Rose.

"Geez, it ain't fair," said Bowa. He must get here by 6 a.m.

Well, almost. Rose grabbed an early all-night non-stop flight from Vegas to Tampa — landing as Rose put it, "about two minutes late at 5:23 a.m."

"I went and changed clothes," said Rose, "then figured I'd wander on out to the park... didn't have nothin' else to do. Got here about 7:30... just a couple minutes before that crazy Bowa, I guess."

Come again, Pete? "Rose was here at 6:30, at least, said an amused veteran Phil official. When the trainer got here to open the place, Pete was waiting outside."

Since the day Rose signed a four-year, \$3.2 million contract with the Phils in December, he has sworn that he would demonstrate to them how to be world champions.

OTHERS MIGHT worry about joining a new team and stepping on toes — big toes like those of Mike Schmidt or Greg Luzinski. Rose simply has assumed he is the team's emotional leader. "Don't talk about it, don't think, just follow me," Rose said about his pre-dawn arrival. "I've been there."

"We all kid around," said Rose. "But these guys know my utmost goal. They know what my message to them is. The damn Phils ain't never won it all in a hundred years, but then I ain't never been here," he joked. "This year, we win it all."

The 37-year-old Rose, of course, was the first on the field, the first in the batting cage and the last man running wind sprints in the outfield after everyone else was long in the shower.

At bat, Rose looked feeble until some of the 2,000 ogling fans (who caused a huge unexpected traffic jam) started teasing him.

"You think you can do better?" snapped Rose, pretending to hand his bat to a fan. "Watch this."

ROSE WHISTLED three consecutive line drives into center field. "Three-for-three," grinned Rose. "What's that divide out to?"

"About time, drawled the fan, introducing Rose to Philadelphia's traditional standard of baseball generosity.

"This isn't no \$800,000 swing you're seeing today," laughed Rose.

At the end of the workout, Rose ran his outfield sprints in stocking feet while several hundred fans stood on the foul line — chatting with him, swinging his bat, fondling his glove and even trying on his size-9 1-2 spikes.

"Pete's got real small feet," said an old man who never thought that heaven would turn out to be a pair of

smelly shoes. Naturally, the Phils' acceptance of Rose was total. Rose wouldn't allow anything less. The one Phil with reason to dislike him — Richie Hebner, who still expects to be traded for a pitcher by opening day to make room for Rose at first base — has the locker next to Rose.

"Pete'll win him (Hebner) over," said one Phil.

As usual on his symbolic, landmark days, Rose's brain was short-circuiting from an "overload." The Phils, wisely strapped a body microphone on Rose throughout the workout.

ROSE ALREADY has improved the Phils' sullen clubhouse atmosphere, long the most dour in baseball.

"You can come to dinner with me," Rose told one Phil, "but you'll just have to sign autographs all night."

"Hey, Bowa, tell 'em about Vegas," continued Rose. "Before I came here, the only way Bowa could get his name in lights was to sign lampshades. Now I got him and (Gary) Maddox on the marquee of the Dunes."

Let anyone doubt his new allegiances, Rose took a few quick rips at the Cincinnati Reds.

"I'm not that close to the Reds. None of 'em called me when I signed to wish me well... well, Sparky (Anderson) did and Mike Lum and Bill Plummer. I ain't gonna go out of my way to see those guys. But I'm not gonna bypass them at the dog track, either."

"There were guys in Cincinnati who got mad at me cause I played every day... imagine that," said Rose. "Sparky'd write my name down on the line first, then he'd have to think about the rest of them to see who was injured that day. In nine years with Sparky, I was out of the lineup nine times."

EVERY MENTION of the Reds costs Rose pain.

"You know, to this day I have never gotten to talk to the owner of the Reds about contracts. Louis Nippert owns 89 percent of the team and I've never

discussed it with him.

"Dick Wagner (general manager) said, 'You can talk to him, but not about money,'" said Rose. "Well, what the hell else would I have wanted to talk to him about?"

"We toured Japan after the season and Sparky and Mr. Nippert were receiving bouquets of flowers at home plate before every game. Then we fly back and they fire Sparky right away."

"Them Japanese must think we're crazy. They must wonder how we won the war."

"The Reds broke Sparky's heart but they're gonna make him a pot of money, just like they did me. All Sparky has to do is read the box scores and listen for the phone to ring."

"Sparky and me might be the two best-sellers of baseball. We know how to sell. And the Reds let us both go. Is there a message in there?"

Some in baseball think Rose will get a message he does not wish to hear once he leaves parochial Cincinnati for Goldfish-bowl Philadelphia.

"The Reds have covered up scrapes for Pete his whole career," said Baltimore General Manager Hank Peters. "He's always been in some little jam... They've done a good job of protecting his image. We'll see how the Phillies do."

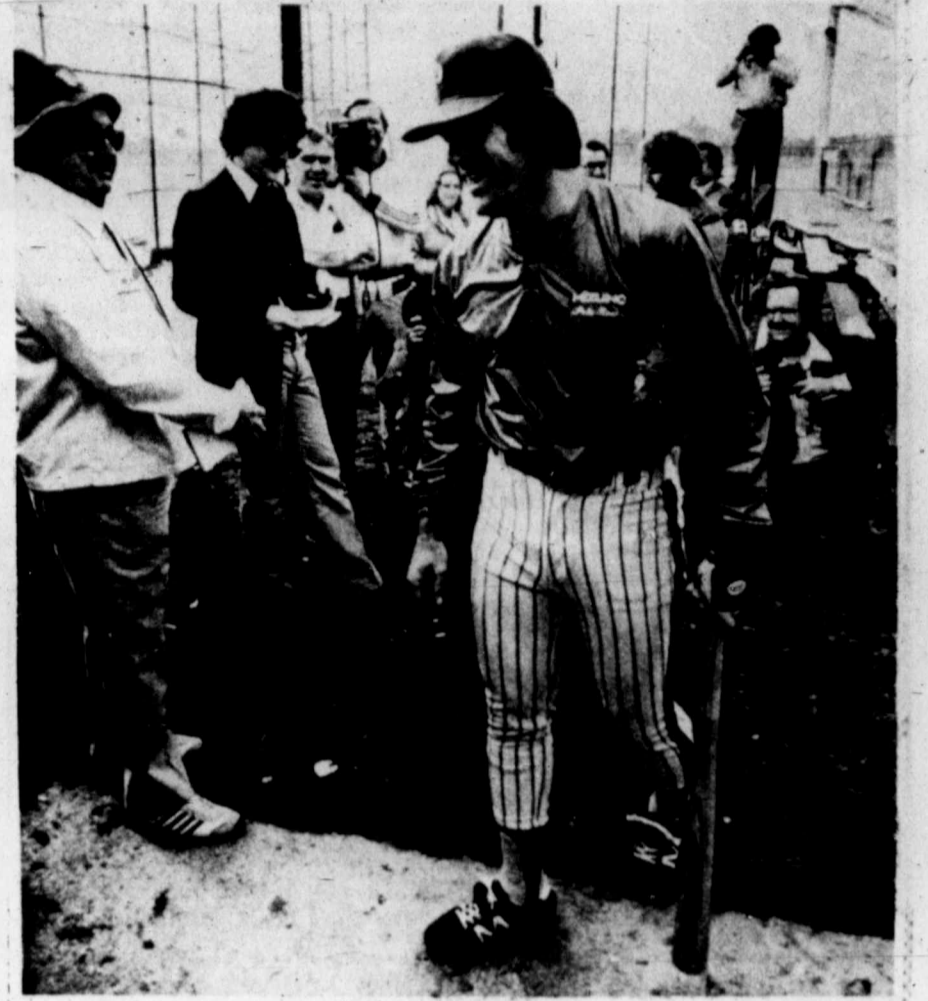
THE MOST recent jam is a paternity suit.

Rose is voluble on all subjects except that suit. Mention it and Charlie Hustle reemits an urgent appointment in the shower.

A 15-year friend of the Roses actually cites the recent suit as a good sign in the often stormy marriage.

"The suit means that 'the other woman' has given up trying to get Pete away from Karolyn," said the friend. "Karolyn looks on it as an old-fashioned woman-over-woman victory."

Possible evidence of this is that the Roses, separated last summer, are back together.



Pete Rose sneaks home first ahead of Bowa.

THIS WEEK, at least, Rose was too exuberant for any problems. As he ran in the outfield, Rose suddenly found a huge man grabbing him around the throat. It was the Phils' fitness specialist, Gus Hoefling — stopwatch in hand — feeling for a throat pulse to measure players' "recovery time" from exertion.

"I almost swallowed my chaw," Rose said.

"Hey, Gus," teased Bowa, "come

put the sleeper hold on Pete. Turn him into an \$800,000 vegetable."

"Pete Rose," said Hoefling with icy, medical dignity, "has the cardiorespiratory system of a 32-year-old."

"Hear that Here that!" bellowed Rose. "Geez, that gives me eight more years..."

Then a thought came to him. "That means, 'beamed Rose,' Ruly Carpenter (Phillies' owner) has gotta go through all this again."

## SPORTS WITH A LIVING ROOM VIEW

### In the sky, it's a man, no, it's a Super Bird

By HOWARD SMITH  
AP Sports Writer

On Saturday Indiana State was ranked No. 2 in the nation and Larry Bird was a basketball player many had heard about but few actually had seen.

On Monday Indiana State was ranked No. 1 and Bird was being hailed as the greatest college player in the country, bar none.

What happened in between? National television happened.

Last Sunday NBC televised Indiana State's game with Wichita State to most sections of the country. It was the first national exposure for the Sycamores and it did wonders for the school.

"Television was a definite factor in the polls," says Indiana State rookie Coach Bill Hodges. "It did more than just help. It made the people who do the voting realize that regardless of our schedule we have a very good basketball team."

NATIONAL TELEVISION exposure probably is the most sought-after commodity in the sports world these days. It can do more for a program than a 7-foot center, a blue-chip running back or a new athletic dorm.

Those that have it in great amounts, like the National Football League, prosper. Those that don't, like the National Hockey League, spend their time trying to figure out how to get it.

Indiana State got immediate dividends in the form of No. 1 ranking. But the team also will get long-range benefits as well. It's easier to recruit a kid from New Jersey who just watched the team play before an adoring, vocal student body on TV. The alumni puff up their chests and make their contributions more generous than usual.

"It will also help our appropriations," says Hodges. "Our legislators in this state, they watch it too."

It helps, of course, to win and Indiana State made the most of its opportunity, winning big. Bird picked national TV to score a career-high 49 points and that will force some pro team to dig a little deeper into its coffers when contract time comes around.

Hodges says that everyone at the school was aware the game was to be nationally televised but neither he nor his players said anything about it. "This group is like that. They're just everyday kids. Very low key."

"Al McGuire said our kids are a little naive. I told him I prefer them that way. I'd rather call it humble."

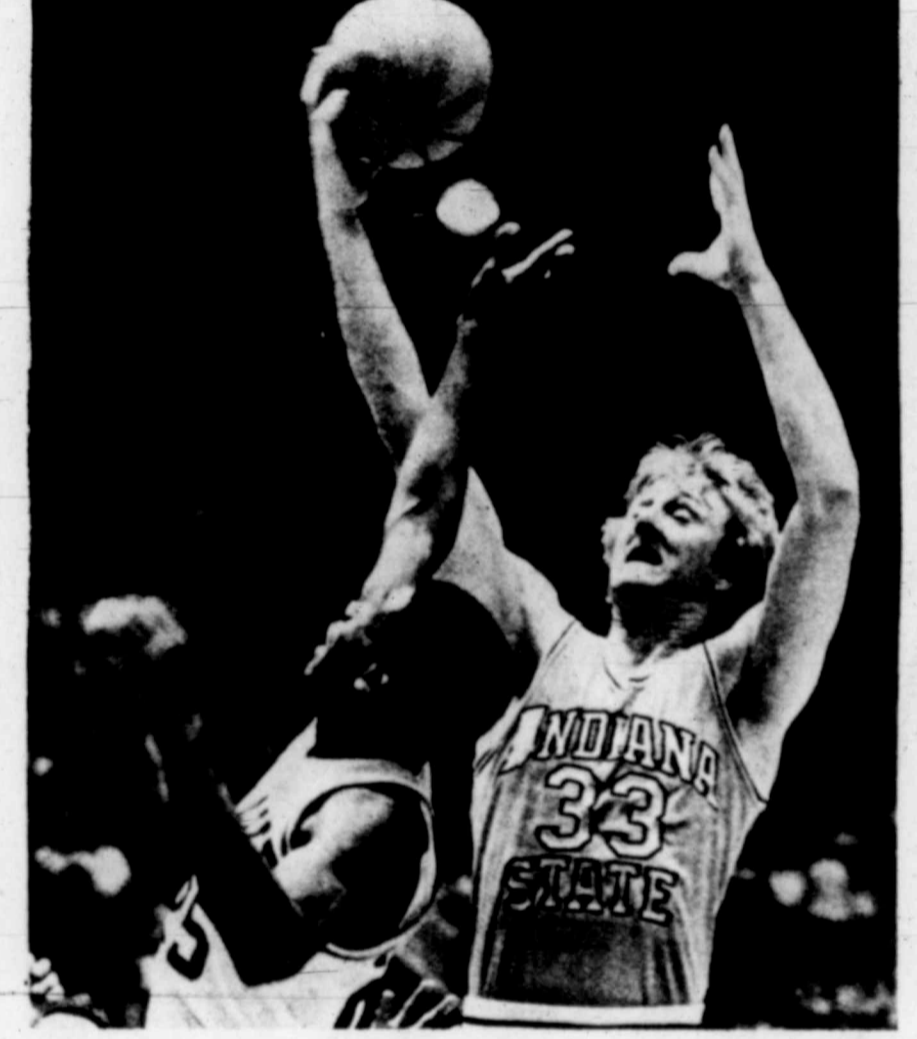
MCGUIRE, ONE of NBC's basketball commentators and the former coach at Marquette, has a big following in Terre Haute, Ind. McGuire and Billy Packer, the other NBC basketball analyst, have had a running dispute this year. McGuire claims Indiana State should be No. 1. Packer disagrees, saying the Sycamores' schedule is too easy.

Packer, a respected basketball man nationally, is not very popular in Terre Haute.

"He brought it on himself," said Hodges. "Mr. Packer is very localized. He's from 4-corner country (The Atlantic Coast Conference). He doesn't get west of the Ohio River. He's never seen us play or seen anyone we play."

"McGuire has been in this situation before. Al's been to Las Cruces. He knows how tough it is to win there. His team's how tough it is to win there. He knows how tough Creighton can be at home."

NBC SENT McGuire and Jim Simpson to cover Indiana State Sunday while Packer and Charlie Jones were dispatched to Louisville for the USSR national team's game against Louisville, the first half of the NBC double-header.



Larry Bird (33)...TV exposure helps.

### Indiana State keeps string going with title

TERRE HAUTE, Ind. (AP) — Indiana State is composed of "excellent parts, which makes them an outstanding whole," said New Mexico State Coach Ken Hayes Saturday after the top-ranked Sycamores defeated the Aggies 69-59 in the nationally televised Missouri Valley tourney championship game.

"They're an excellent, intelligent, well-coached team," he added. "When their star (Larry Bird) was hurt, they knew right away to control the ball and run the clock down."

Bird, a two-time All-American, scored 20 points and pulled down 10 rebounds despite sitting out more than six minutes with an injured thumb.

"He gets most of the publicity, but they're not a one-man show," Hayes said of Bird.

Sycamore Coach Bill Hodges, who took over for ailing Bob King in October, said his team is built on "loyalty and respect."

"We really like each other. Coach King told me when I was his assistant you build a club when you recruit. I know now what he meant. You don't teach a player some things like loving basketball. They've got to have that when they come here."

The victory over the Aggies earned an automatic bid to the NCAA tournament for the Sycamores, now 29-0.

Hodges said he was told his Sycamores will be going to Midwest Regional at Lawrence, Kan., although the NCAA will not make its pairings official until Sunday afternoon.

NEW MEXICO STATE (89)—Gunn 14-14, Currier 9-13, Jones 6-12, Webb 3-3-4, Myers 1-0-2, Currie 0-0-0, Pate 0-0-0, Goolsby 1-0-16, Clement 3-0-16. Totals 36-24-28.

INDIANA STATE (69)—Gilbert 1-0-16, Miller 0-0-0, Bird 2-2-20, Nicks 1-1-13, Reed 1-0-0, Stacy 1-0-16, Heston 2-2-4. Totals 30-9-15-80.

Half-time—Indiana 31-41, New Mexico 21-21. Fouled out—None. Total fouls—New Mexico 19, Indiana 13. A-16, 201.

### San Diego State cage program under probe

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Dr. Thomas Day, president of San Diego State University, says an investigation has begun into allegations of recruiting violations leveled against basketball Coach Tim Vezie by three former players.

A variety of charges were made against Vezie and his coaching staff Friday by former Aztec players Dan Teague, Will Connelly and Howard Avery.

They included allegations that all three players received cash from Aztec coaches or unnamed "alumni;" that Connelly and Avery were both given free airline tickets to visit their homes in New York City and Portland, Ore., respectively; an assertion by Teague that San Diego State "or somebody" paid for his move from Iowa, where he attended junior college, and a charge by Avery that he received three units of academic credit last summer without attending the credited class and before he enrolled in school.

"I DON'T automatically assume where there's smoke there's fire," said Day of the allegations, which likely will be investigated by the National Collegiate Athletic Association.

"But if these things are true, we'll do something about them," he said, adding that an internal investigation directed by the athletic department's faculty representative, Jim Malik, was under way.

### American surprise leader at Singapore

Singapore (AP) — Fritz Gambetta of the United States was the surprise leader going into the final round of the Singapore Open Golf Championship Saturday.

Gambetta equalled the course record of 65 for a three-round total of 209 and two-stroke lead over five players including Hsieh of 65, the lead for the first two rounds who shot a 72 Saturday.

Rain interrupted play on the 6,645-yard, par 71 Bukit course 1 hour, 45 minutes and the last group of golfers had to play in the continuing drizzle under flood lights.

### Bosox threaten to leave Boston

BOSTON (AP) — Will they ever talk about the fierce rivalry between the New York Yankees and the New England Red Sox? Or maybe the Wilmington Red Sox?

It's possible, should the Red Sox leave Fenway Park for the suburbs, a move that the owners of the American League team reportedly are considering unless they get a tax break from the city.

According to a report in Saturday's Boston Globe, Red Sox Vice President Edward G. "Buddy" LeRoux met with Mayor Kevin H. White sometime last week and asked for: (1) a Chapter 121A tax break, and (2) possible acquisition of streets along side the park for the construction of 5,000-6,000 more seats.

Fenway, the oldest park in the major leagues, now seats 33,389. It was constructed in 1912 and rebuilt in 1934.

George Regan, spokesman for the mayor, said LeRoux and White met early last week. He said it was a "private meeting," and the mayor will not discuss what was said.

LeRoux could not be reached for comment.

THE GLOBE report said that the Red Sox owners, if they left Boston, would build a new stadium somewhere in the Route 128 belt around the city, possibly linking up with a major indoor sports facility planned

for the suburb of Wilmington.

However, the people involved with the Wilmington plans say they have not been approached by LeRoux, the Globe said.

The Red Sox pay between \$400,000 and \$500,000 a year to the city in property taxes. Generally, a Chapter 121A tax break is given as an inducement to have businesses build in the city.

LeRoux reportedly told White he wanted the tax reduction only if the Red Sox could take Yawkey Way and Van Ness Street, running behind the first and third base lines. A 5,000-6,000 seat second deck, costing approximately \$8 million, would be built, and then the Red Sox would want the tax relief to insure that the club would stay in Fenway for 20 to 25 more years.

A 1977 appraisal report, compiled for the Red Sox by R.M. Bradley and Co. Inc. of Boston, said the primary structure would last 5-10 more years, but major repairs are necessary.

According to the Globe, White said he would talk with Robert Ryan, director of the Boston Redevelopment Authority, before meeting again with the Red Sox ownership.

Syracuse wins COLLEGE PARK, Md. (AP) — John Duren tossed in 17 points Saturday to pace 16th-ranked Georgetown to a 66-58 upset victory over No. 6 Syracuse to win the ECAC Uprate-Southern championship and a bid to the NCAA tournament.

Duren, who got 11 points in the second half, and Eric Floyd, who was the Hoyas' second highest scorer with 14 points, were aided in the victory by a dry-shooting spell by Syracuse early in the second half.

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JIM MURRAY

# Vegas tougher than KGB

Los Angeles Times Syndicate

The word "defection" has a dread sound to it. It conjures up visions of guys tunneling under the Berlin Wall by candlelight with a lookout posted for the feared Vopos or "People's Police," of guys fleeing through barbed wire in a hall of machine gun bullets, or going to Siberia simply because they applied for a visa to Vienna.

But Mircea Simon, the Romanian fistfighter, found it as easy as pushing a button — the "L" button on an elevator panel at the Sahara Hotel in Lake Tahoe on Jan. 9, 1978. There were no shootouts, no scuffles in the corridor, no James Bond heroics.

Of course, the Romanian security men could be pardoned for thinking Mircea would never get through that lobby alive — or, at least, solvent. You see, it was booby-trapped with blackjack tables, slot machines and crap games, diabolical Western inventions Mircea found as impenetrable as Checkpoint Charlie.

The Romanians figured they had nothing to fear from Mircea. Off past performances, he would probably be naked by the third blackjack table and removing his wristwatch to hand it to the dealer and say "Hit me!" Some fighters are suckers for a left hook. Mircea goes down from a "19" he tries to improve — and busts.

**BUT, FOR** once, the pug fooled the gumshoes and walked thought the lobby carrying his

bags to freedom. Mircea (it's pronounced "Mirsha" and is the name of a medieval folk hero in Romania who booted the remains of the Holy Roman Empire out of the Balkans) went to a motel owned by another Romanian expatriate and it was "Goodbye Bucharest" from the man who won a silver medal in boxing for Romania at Montreal in 1976, losing the heavy title to Teofilo Stevenson, thus joining a long line of pugilists who have fallen to Terrible Ted.

The Romanians sicked the FBI on Mircea. They were sure it was foul play. But the G-men soon established it was fair play. Mircea was a born craps shooter and there's no room in that workers' paradise over there for guys who don't stand on 19, and guys who want to vote "No" once in a while. The people are so happy over there, they build a wall so that none of that joy will leak out to the rest of the world.

Mircea was pretty well treated in Romania. They gave him a car, but he couldn't afford the petrol for it. They gave his father a government clerk job. Also, they saw to it there wasn't a crap table in sight.

**I ALWAYS** thought the principal export of Transylvania, which is a big part of Romania, was vampires in tuxedos, monsters with bolts in their foreheads, moppets on parallel bars and nasty-tempered tennis players.

But Mircea is about as scary as Santa Claus. He is blond, blue-eyed. True, he soars several feet in the air and weighs 225. He also swings a

50-pound sledgehammer to stay in shape.

Also, he's an honest sort. He admits he lost 10 of his 120 fights as an "amateur" in Europe. Usually, when an import in the ring business comes from half a world away, common practice is to say he is, at least, undefeated. I mean, who's going to Transylvania to find out — and risk having your car break down in a thunderstorm outside Count Dracula's castle?

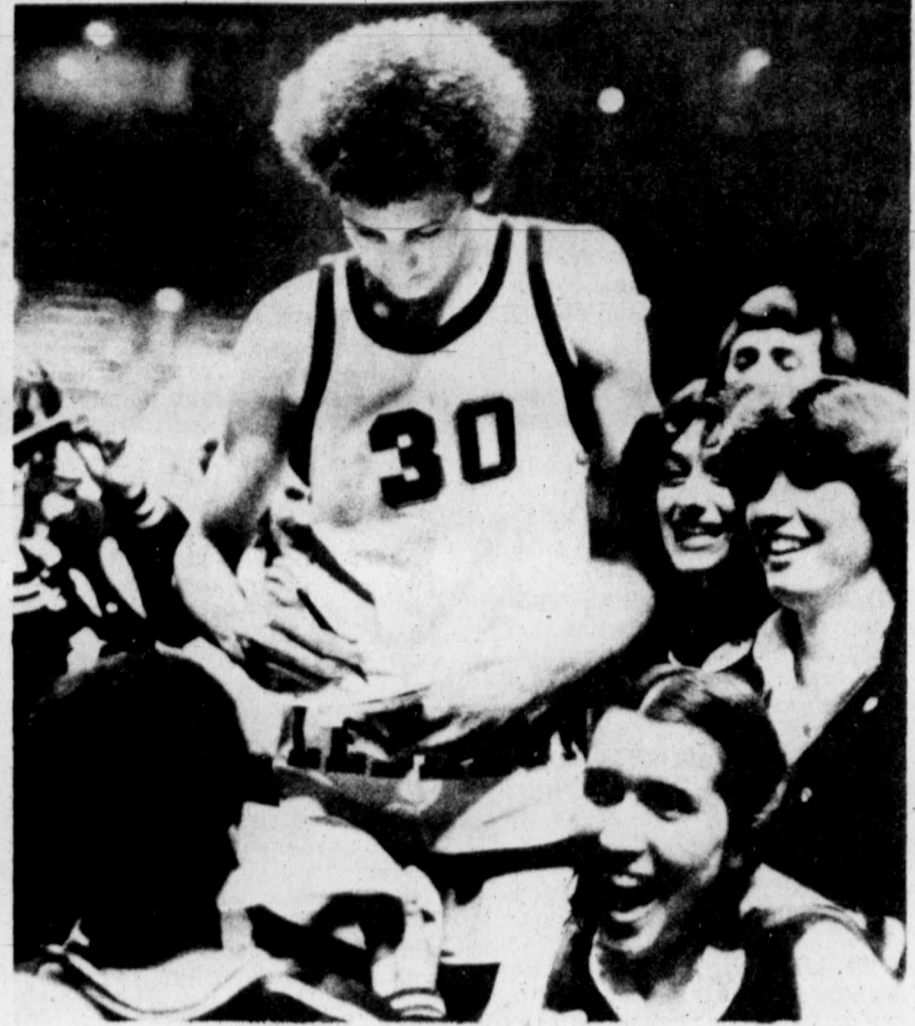
Mircea has had eight pro fights and won all of them, seven by KO. In fact, the eight total 22 rounds, or an average of fewer than three rounds a fight. Boxing is as simple as defecating for Simion.

**ONE OF** his pro fights was in Las Vegas, though, and Mircea only got a draw. Oh, he won the fight OK, but the tables slapped him around. In fact, the tables got the full purse, \$1,000.

Mircea toured two casinos to blow the wad. The bare ladies on the stage didn't interest him at all. There are lots of bare ladies in Romania — in fact, King Carol II once kept one right in the same palace as his queen — but no blackjack dealers.

Mircea lives in Laguna Beach, Calif., in the home of Don Pauna, another defector who left the Romanian air force eight years ago and didn't stop running till he hit Disneyland.

Now, usually, it takes three generations to go from Bucharest to Laguna Beach. But Mircea made it in a little over a year.



Sam Bowie, 7-1 basketball star, signs autographs for rival Chambersburg, Pa., high school fans. Bowie, a senior, is the apple of college recruiters' eyes. (AP Laserphoto)

# Bowie biggest thing to ever happen to Lebanon

By GARY BINFORD  
Newsday

LEBANON, Pa. — It is a steel and textile, Pennsylvania Dutch town of fewer than 30,000 people, many of whom pride themselves in working hard, being conservative, avoiding the problems that confront the big cities and spending entire lifetime here. The houses are packed close together, the streets are tight, there is one motel and a restaurant or two of note. Lebanon, about a half hour east of Harrisburg, has wagon crossing signs and a few gas stations that are also general stores. It certainly isn't disco city.

A small sign posted on the front window of a local grocery store reads: "No More Than Two Students Allowed In This Store At The Same Time. So they line up outside. However, that isn't a problem at the Southwest Store, where they sell packaged food, newspapers, magazines and buttons. Lots of buttons.

"I have Superman buttons, Elvis buttons, buttons of the five starters on Lebanon's basketball team," said Jeffrey Seyfert, the store manager,

who has spent his 29 years in Lebanon.

**AND THEN** there are the buttons, the ones picturing Sam Bowie. Slamming Sam Bowie, that is. Long, lanky, 7-1, 205-pound Sam Bowie. The dominant dunker, the savior of the high school basketball program, the grand one to the girls, the city's celebrity, the biggest boom to hit Lebanon in quite some time. Maybe even ever. Perhaps he's even the finest talent in high school basketball.

Bowie, one of few blacks in the community, has become the city's idol. Although quiet and certainly not a braggart, he has attained a stature in this community that could rival John Travolta. He is always signing autographs and posing for pictures. He is recognized everywhere. People come from other counties just to see or touch him. To the townspeople, Lebanon is "Sam Bowie's town."

It's almost as if Sam Bowie and Lebanon were synonymous. "He's like the goodwill ambassador of Lebanon," said coach Chic (don't call him Charles) Hess, who publicizes his player at every opportunity.

The buttons, featuring Bowie's smiling face, cost \$1 and are everywhere. Seyfert, who has a monopoly on them, said they outsell all the other buttons, six to one.

**SEYFERT FIGURES** the Bowie button business will pick up as Lebanon nears the state playoff. That's when Bowie mementoes sell quickly. Mildred Sheetz, the manager of the Penn Corner Store, which usually sells 30 copies of the Philadelphia Bulletin a day, sold 200 copies of the Jan. 29 paper which contained a lengthy feature on Bowie. "The local paper (Lebanon Valley News) asked for an extra 1,000 copies," she said, "and they (bulletin) didn't have them, so they printed 1,000 (special copies) for them."

But Slammin' Sam is known to coaches and recruiters from coast to coast. Most knowledgeable basketball followers say he is one of the top three big men in high school basketball, along with 7-3 Ralph Sampson of Harrisonburg, Va., and Earl Jones, a 6-11 junior from Mount Hope, W. Va. Some have favorably compared him, at similar stages, to Lew Alcindor

(Kareem Abdul-Jabbar) and Wilt Chamberlain. Almost all have called him a franchise player.

"He's an outstanding talent, he has great ability," said UCLA coach Gary Cunningham, echoing what seems to be a majority opinion. "He can play anywhere in the nation. He's a program turner. He can make anyone's program. We think he's that good."

**BOWIE EQUATES** his situation with one he encountered years ago, when he traveled to Hershey to watch Abdul-Jabbar play an NBA exhibition game. "I used to just stare at him and think, wow, I get to see him," he said.

"I'm used to it," he said. "They say a lot of people that got recognition let it go to their head and they think they're this and that, but I'm trying to approach it like I'm just an average 17-year old kid just trying to have fun like everybody else."

So confident is Bowie that the thought of not making it big on the college level has yet to cross his mind.

Hess' constant promotion of Bowie is a reason his confidence remains at

a high level. It also could be inflicting inner pressure to produce, to always look good.

"In my opinion, he's potentially the best player who's ever played," said Hess, who envisions Bowie as a college forward, not a center. "Now, I'm not saying he is the best or he will be the best. I'm saying to the best of my knowledge, and I've seen most of the great players, potentially he could be the best..."

Lebanon, as a team, isn't great. Hess said he has average players who have taken to Bowie, who makes them play better. The team's weaknesses were exposed in December, when it was beaten, 74-53, by undefeated (24-0) Lexington Lafayette of Kentucky. Bowie scored 28 points and blocked 14 shots, but coach Jock Sutherland's "jailhouse junk defense" shut Lebanon's offense down. "He's the most intimidating big person I've ever seen," Sutherland said of Bowie. "But when you get past him, their talent slips a lot."

This is something Hess has been trying to help Bowie understand.

"He's at them for getting better, to do the job," Hess said. "They accept it."

**HE HAS** helped them dominate the Lancaster-Lebanon League, which isn't as competitive as the Pittsburgh and Philadelphia areas, or the neighboring Central Penn League. "Last year we played these teams and beat these people," Hess said. "We didn't run all over them, but we beat them."

The only time Bowie seems to get into trouble is when he tries to run all over, to showcase all his talents. He is considered exceptional because he has the quickness and moves of a small forward, the shooting touch, passing ability, court sense and range of a guard and the size of a center.

If there is a negative aspect to Bowie's fame, it's that he had to grow up before his time. There are times when he would like to be 17, to act immature like his friends do, to clown around, or act foolish. But Sam Bowie just can't be 17 anymore.

# Those desperate dashes are over

By HAL BOCK

NEW YORK (AP) — If you're a railbird who occasionally invests a bob or two in the improvement of the breed, here's some good news. You can forget those frantic last-second dashes for the \$2 win counter or the \$5 show window to place your wagers. At many tracks, the mad rush no longer is necessary.

Computer technology has made betting, and hopefully collecting, easier than ever with single parimutuel windows handling all of the business that bettors transact at the track.

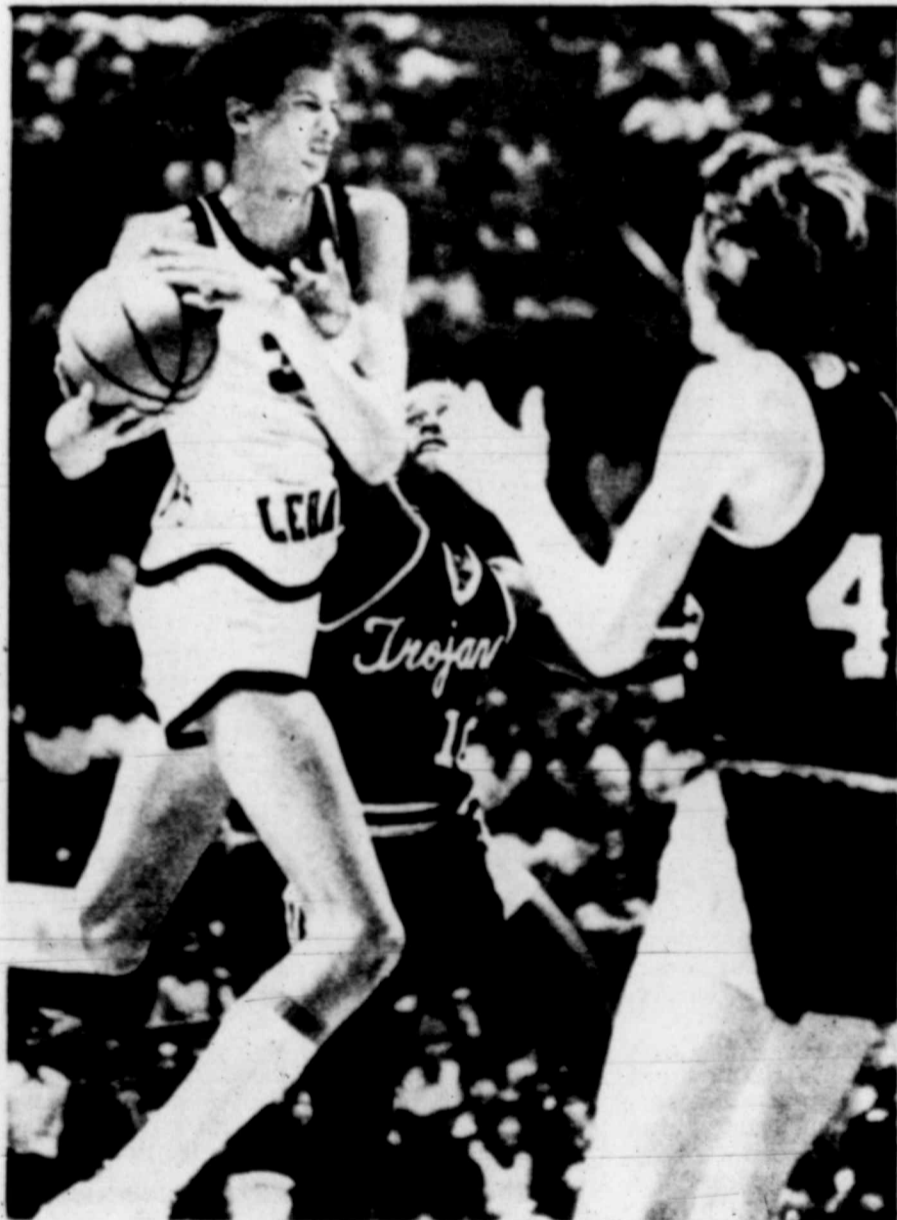
The innovation is a product of the American Totalisator division of General Instrument Corp. and Chicago's Sportsman's Park last week became the seventh major track in North America to adopt the system.

**FOUR CANADIAN** tracks got the sell-cash single window concept started some 18 months ago and since then, Fair Grounds in New Orleans, and Gulfstream in Hallandale, Fla. as well as Sportsman's Park have gone that route. Next in line are Hollywood Park in Inglewood, Calif., Arlington Park in Chicago and the New York Racing Association's Belmont Park, all scheduled for the switchover this spring.

"Before, tracks were making relatively inefficient use of their manpower," said John DeVries, senior vice president for data systems and services at General Instruments. "When the cashiers were busy, the sellers were idle and when there were long lines at the sellers' windows, the cashiers were standing around. Now, with all windows handling all business, the lines are shorter and the workload is more evenly divided. With this system, the tracks get maximum productivity out of the people they employ."

**A SIDE** benefit of the shorter lines is that fewer customers are closed out from placing their bets.

The system is so sophisticated that it can handle split accounts for the customers.



Even when double-teamed, as Chambersburg tries here, Sam Bowie proves hard to handle. (AP Laserphoto)

# Sparky lost job because Reds stopped hustling

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Sparky Anderson was fired because his 1978 Cincinnati Reds quit hustling. Pete Rose wasn't signed because of his age and what he was asking, but President Dick Wagner believes his only failing was not signing Tommy John.

Wagner refuted the events that placed him in the role of a villain in a copyright story in Friday's edition of the Dayton (Ohio) Journal Herald.

Wagner said the club received a stream of mail in at the end of last season from fans complaining about the lackluster play of the Reds, which triggered his decision to fire Anderson. "I take the blame for not signing Tommy John," he said, referring to the veteran Dodger pitcher who wound up signing with the World Champion New York Yankees.

"**FIRING SPARKY** is still one of the hardest things I've ever had to do in my life," Wagner said. "But it was something that had to be done. I was looking at a steady

stream of mail from our fans who were complaining about the lack of effort on the field.

"When your fans start writing they aren't getting their money's worth in effort on the field, you'd better do something about it. People complain about a lot of things, some of which no one can control. But a lack of hustle is not one of them."

Wagner said he got a late start negotiating with John because of the Reds' tour of Japan. "They were asking for some things that I wasn't able to calculate the cost of and I told them I'd get back to them the next morning with a specific offer."

"By the time I did, they were practically on their way to New York. They called off a negotiation meeting with the Kansas City club. I don't think it was the money. I think Tommy had already been sold on the idea of pitching for the Yankees in New York."

**AS FOR** Rose, Wagner said that had the club kept the veteran third baseman, there would have been six 1979 starters over 30.

# UTEP seeks fifth indoor title

By BERT ROSENTHAL

DETROIT (AP) — Powerful Texas El Paso, led by a contingent of foreigners, including distance runners Suleiman Nyambui and Peter Lemashon, will be shooting for its fifth team title in the past six years in the NCAA Indoor Track and Field Championships this week. But the Miners will have to ward off a strong challenge from Villanova to retain the crown.

The 18-event extravaganza begins Friday with a full program of qualifying and seven finals — in the triple jump, the three-mile, the shot put, the long jump, the 35-pound weight throw, the 440 and the 880. And it concludes Saturday with semifinals and the remaining 11 finals.

All the events will be at Cobo Arena, except for the weight throw, to be held at Eastern Michigan in nearby Ypsilanti.

Texas-El Paso, with only one victory — James Munyala in the mile —

still had enough depth to accumulate 44 points last year, under the new 10-8-6-4-2-1 scoring system, in beating runner-up Auburn by six points for the team championship. Villanova was third with 35 points.

**THE MINERS**, also team winners in 1974, 1975 and 1976 before being dethroned by Washington State, again are a deep, talented squad.

Heading the list are Nyambui, the 25-year-old freshman from Tanzania, and Lemashon, a sophomore from Kenya, both of whom plan difficult doubles.

Nyambui, who has run the mile in 3 minutes, 58.7 seconds and the two-mile in 8:24.3 this year, will go in both events Saturday, provided, of course, that he qualifies for the mile Friday night. There is no two-mile qualifying, with the field comprised of the runners with the eight best times in the nation this season. The mile and two-mile finals are scheduled about 50 minutes apart.

Lemashon's task in the finals is not as tough as his teammate's. His 880 final is scheduled Friday night and his 1,000 final Saturday.

The Miners also are counting on points from Jerome Deal in the 60, Michael Musyoki and Kip Sirma, both from Kenya, in the three-mile, Joel Laniyan of Nigeria and freshman Keith Connor of England in the triple jump, Svein Walvik of Norway and freshman Carlos Hill in the shot put, freshman Spencer Scott in the high jump, and Thommie Sjolholm and Richard Olsen, both of Sweden, in the weight throw.

**IN ADDITION**, Texas El Paso is dangerous in the relays.

"We have more qualifiers for the NCAA than we expected," said Miners' Coach Ted Banks, the man mostly responsible for the school's dominance in indoor track and field.

Villanova, the NCAA indoor champion in 1968 and 1971, is not as deep as Texas-El Paso, but the Wildcats have

quality, led by 1,000-yard runner Don Paige.

The Wildcats also expect point production from miler Sydney Maree of South Africa, Amos Korir of Kenya in either the 1,000 or the mile, Anthony Tufariello in the 600, Tim Dale in the 440, Nate Cooper in the triple jump and their outstanding relay teams.

Paige is one of seven returning individual champions. The others are Curtis Dickey of Texas A&M in the 60, Walter McCoy of Florida State in the 600, Renaldo Nehemiah of Maryland in the 60-yard hurdles, Franklin Jacobs of Fairleigh Dickinson in the high jump, Al Ogunfeyemi of Ohio University and Nigeria in the long jump, and Scott Neilson of Washington in the weight throw.

In addition to Nyambui and Lemashon, others with chances of doubling are Ajayi Agbekaku of Missouri and Nigeria in the long jump and the triple jump, and 1976 Olympic 400-meter relay gold medalist Harvey Glance of Auburn in the 60.

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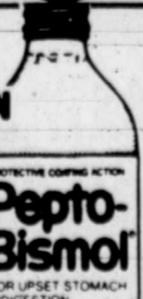


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The Bayanihan Dance Company from the Philippines is one of the attractions booked for the 1979-80 season of Midland Community Concerts Association.

The association currently is in the midst of its annual season membership campaign.

## Showblockers a pain in the neck

By JAY SHARBUTT  
AP Drama Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Wild Bill, my brother, went grousing the other day about Showblockers. They're the guys who always seem to sit in front of him at Broadway shows and block his view of same.

Showblockers, he said, are too tall, or sit too tall, or have very big heads. If the head is tiny, the shoulders under it are huge and obscure the view. Or the head in front has way too much hair.

I know whereof Wild Bill speaks. Last week, I was at a nifty show here, "Coquelico," when a quiet old man in a blue business suit came in late and sat down in front of me.

He didn't look tall, maybe 5-foot-8. But he was a bonal Showblocker. He sat tall, maybe 6-foot-2 from the seat up.

Worse, he was one of those guys who knows your next move without even turning around. You lean left, he leans left. Lean right, bam, same thing happens. You know the kind.

This party was taken care of by the simple expedient of waiting until intermission, then removing all the screws in his theater seat while he was out in the lobby having a smoke.

He returned late during the second act, sat down and disappeared from view with a muffled cry.

But you cannot do this with guys who actually are tall, the ones who stand at 6-foot-2 and sit at 7-foot-9.

You tinker with their seat, not only will they not disappear from view with a muffled cry, they will turn around and make you disappear from view with a muffled cry.

Same goes for guys whose heads aren't big but whose shoulders re-

semble Mt. Everest in tweed. They usually are dentists who played college football, usually guard for USC.

You tinker with their seat, they tend to commence much gnashing of teeth. With your teeth.

On the bright side, Showblockers with very big heads don't often sit in front of you. They sit in front of your date. The polite thing here is to ask this Showblocker if he'd kindly remove his head.

If you are chicken, which is nothing to be ashamed of, just shrug and tell her, "You aren't missing anything." Or ask the management why there is this very big head blocking her view.

Never offer to exchange seats with your date, though. It is bad form. So is a muttered threat to set fire to the huge ball of fuzz atop the noodle of the furry kind of Showblocker.

## Community Concerts Association conducting membership campaign

Midland Community Concerts Association is conducting its annual membership campaign.

The drive to sign up new members for the association's 1979-80 entertainment season will continue through Saturday noon.

Campaign headquarters are in Mid-Texas at Midland, 2400 W. Michigan Ave. The headquarters telephone number is 683-1071. Russell Stipp is campaign chairman.

As in past years, the coming season will present top artists and ensembles for members. The attractions booked for 1979-80 include violinist Stephane

sociation has been a major cultural and entertainment force in the city for well over 30 years.

In past seasons, the organization has brought to Midland such attractions as guitarist Carlos Montoya, pianist Peter Nero, pantomimist Marcel Marceau, folksinger Angus Godwin, duo-harpists Longstreth and

Escosa, the Preservation Hall Jazz Band from New Orleans, the "Great Stars of Jazz." The Young Americans singers and dancers, the New Christy Minstrels, the Texas Opera Theater, the Dallas Symphony Orchestra, the "Little Angels of Korea," the Hungarian Folk Ballet, the Prague Chamber Orchestra and many, many others.

### ENTERTAINMENT

Chase, famed duo-pianists Whittemore and Lowe, the Bayanihan Dance Company from the Philippines and the "Big Band Festival of the Fabulous Forties."

Membership dues are \$14 for adults and \$7 for students. Memberships are available only during the annual campaign, and admission to concerts of the association is by season membership card only.

In addition to the Midland attractions, members of the Community Concerts Association may attend events presented by concert associations of several area cities, including those of Hobbs and Roswell, N.M., as well as Lubbock, Odessa and Big Spring, under a reciprocal attendance arrangement with those groups.

Midland Community Concerts Association leaders are confident the current campaign will result in a sell-out, and they are urging all persons interested in joining the association for the first time to contact association headquarters as soon as possible.

Several dozen MCCA members are working in the current campaign to sell memberships to newcomers here as well as to persons who have been MCCA members in the past.

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New England actor Christopher Childs will be seen and heard as Henry David Thoreau, famed 19th Century naturalist and philosopher, in a special program at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

## Thoreau show set Thursday

In the tradition of Hal Holbrook as Mark Twain or Emlyn Williams as Charles Dickens, actor Christopher Childs will impersonate American naturalist-philosopher Henry David Thoreau in a special program Thursday night in Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

The 7:30 p.m. event will be in Theatre Two, the smaller, more intimate stage area inside the Midland Community Theatre building. Tickets, priced \$4, will be on sale this week at the box office. There are no reserved seats.

Childs' program, titled "Clear Sky, Pure Light: An Evening With Thoreau," is lively, humorous and thought-provoking.

Childs, New England born and bred, has been touring as Thoreau for the last several years. He currently is on a performing tour to colleges and universities across the nation.

Childs has worked with the New Hampshire Shakespeare Company, the Phoenix Stage Ensemble, the Groton Summer Theatre and the Boston Repertory Theatre.

Critics have hailed his "Evening With Thoreau" program as "thoughtful and dignified," "genuine and inspiring," "a fine evening of theatre."

Student groups may attend the Thoreau event at special rates, it was announced. Additional information may be obtained by telephoning 684-4557.

## Festival open to public

The annual Student Art Festival currently under way at the Museum of the Southwest will be open to the public this afternoon.

The museum's Turner Gallery, 1705 W. Missouri Ave., will be open between 2 and 5 p.m. Admission is free.

The art festival, showcasing the creativity of art students in the city's public and private schools, is sponsored cooperatively by the museum, the Midland Independent School District, the PTA City Council and the Junior League of Midland Inc.

Currently on display are art works created by students in the city's public and private elementary schools.

Scheduled to go on display March 19 are works created by secondary school students in Midland.

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# British smallpox tragedies caused by laboratory error

**EDITOR'S NOTE** — Many laboratories work with lethal substances, and safety measures are supposed to operate with the precision of a mathematical formula. Usually they do. But things can go wrong — and they did, remarkably and tragically, in a British lab handling smallpox virus.

By GRAHAM HEATHCOTE

LONDON (AP) — Epidemic smallpox was wiped from the face of the Earth, but the virus has caused three outbreaks in Britain in the past 12 years, and the last time it left tragic melodrama in its wake.

Both the first and third time it happened at the University of Birmingham Medical School. The latest case history:

Janet Parker died from smallpox. Her father died from shock. Henry Bedson, the distinguished virologist who ran the lab, committed suicide by cutting his throat. He left a note saying he had let everybody down by ignoring basic safety procedures.

The medical school held stocks of the smallpox virus for study. Mrs. Parker worked as a photographer in the anatomy department.

**THE FIRST OUTBREAK** in 1966 was also at the medical school and it was another photographer who was infected. He survived, as did five other people infected by him, but he was never named and there was no official inquiry that might have helped to improve safety standards.

In 1973, the second outbreak claimed two lives: Thomas Hurley and his wife died after visiting a relative in a hospital near London, where a suspect carrier of smallpox was being treated. The Hurleys were never checked.

An inquiry into the Hurley deaths found the virus escaped from the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, a world-renowned disease study center. As a result, a new government arm was set up, the Health and Safety Commission, and the Dangerous Pathogens Advisory Group was established.

The labor union to which the 40-year-old Mrs. Parker belonged says all the experts fell down on their jobs. It demands a drastic shakeup of laws covering health and safety at work.

**A SMALLPOX VIRUS** is so tiny that 300 million would fit into a square-tenths of an inch across. The disease is transmitted by breathing; the Birmingham outbreak is the first known case of airborne spread from lab cultures.

To be effective, vaccination must be renewed every three to five years. Although Mrs. Parker worked in a building containing the virus, she had gone 12 years since her last shot.

In 1967, with 2.5 million smallpox cases occurring in more than 40 countries, the Switzerland-based World Health Organization began mass vaccination to rid the world of the affliction, the first such attempt in history against a disease. One smallpox study center supervised by WHO was the Birmingham medical school.

By 1977 the campaign was so successful that WHO reported from East Africa the world's last natural infection of smallpox: Ali Maow Maalin, a 23-year-old hospital cook, survived after being infected by a child who died, in Merka, Somalia. All set to announce the end of the disease in 1978, WHO was stunned by the outbreak in Britain.

**PROFESSOR REGINALD A. Shooter**, a bacteriologist at London University, was appointed by Health Secretary David Ennals to investigate the outbreak.

Shooter eventually reported that on July 25, when Bedson's lab was handling a smallpox strain named Abid, Mrs. Parker—who was never known to have visited the smallpox lab — used a telephone on the floor above and directly overhead. Shooter concluded the virus most probably escaped by a service duct and Mrs. Parker inhaled it.

Mrs. Parker became ill Aug. 11 but did not enter East Birmingham Hospital until Aug. 24. Later that day, Bedson diagnosed her illness as smallpox of the Abid strain. She was transferred to an isolation hospital and some 250 people, including her husband, parents, other relatives, friends and contacts were swept into quarantine for five weeks.

**ON SEPT. 1**, Bedson's wife found her husband near death in a garden shed, his throat cut by his own hand. On Sept. 5, Mrs. Parker's 77-year-old father died of a heart attack, the subsequent inquest being told that he never recovered from the shock of the events and his quarantine. On Sept. 6 Bedson died. On Sept. 11 Mrs. Parker died. On Sept. 14 her mother was diagnosed as a smallpox case, but she survived.

The Shooter report revealed that Bedson, 49, regarded as one of the best virologists in Britain, was corresponding with WHO about the safety of his lab. On April 14, Dr. Iao Arita, head of the smallpox eradication campaign, assured Bedson that "the expected benefit of your study far exceeds the minimal risk which is currently present in your laboratory."

However, an American had his doubts. After an inspection of the lab for WHO on May 4, Dr. J.H. Richardson, director of the Office of Biosafety at the federal Center for Disease Control in Atlanta, Ga., wrote: "The laboratory falls short of the WHO standard and should be upgraded to meet the standard or discontinue work with variola smallpox at the earliest possible date."

**BEDSON REPLIED** that "the risks must be minimal" and as his smallpox work was being wound down it would be "expensive and very costly in time" to upgrade safety. His letter was misleading. He had just received 22 additional strains of virus to study, causing the work of his lab to increase tenfold.

Only hours before he diagnosed smallpox in Mrs. Parker, Bedson mailed a letter to WHO promising to do what he could to improve lab safety but reiterating he could not meet WHO standards.

The Shooter report found that "only change" and efficient control measures prevented a much worse outbreak of smallpox in Birmingham, and there was a breakdown in liaison between local, national and international agencies intended to guarantee public and personal safety.

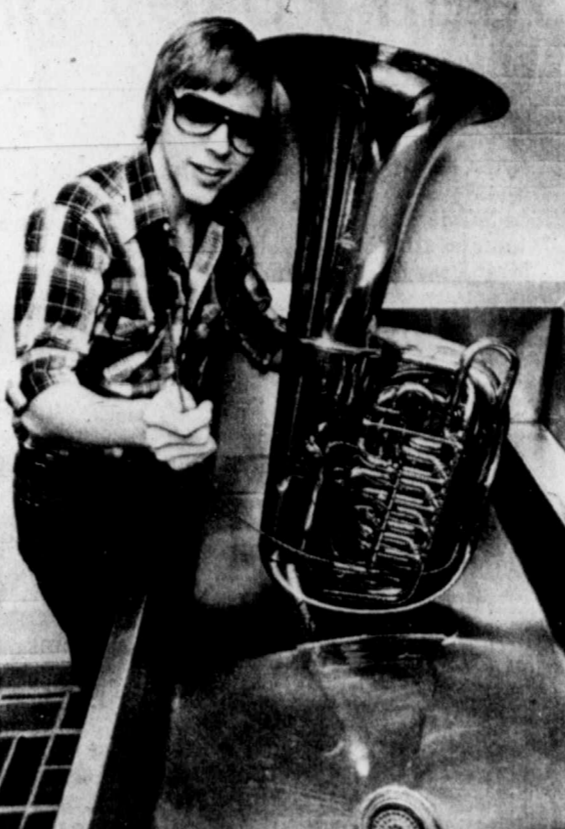
Shooter said unsafe practices in Bedson's lab included handling smallpox virus outside a safety cabinet, no air lock on the door to prevent virus escaping into a corridor, no showers or changing facilities for staff handling infected cultures, inadequate sterilization and wearing contaminated clothing.

**THE REPORT SAID** the Dangerous Pathogens Advisory Group, of which Bedson was a member, was never informed of the extra strains sent to the lab, and the safety committee chaired by Bedson had not met for 18 months when Mrs. Parker was infected.

The Shooter report was not published by the Department of Health, on grounds it could prejudice hearing of an official summons against Birmingham University for neglecting the health of employees. But Secretary Ennals gave it to Clive Jenkins, who runs Mrs. Parker's union, the Association of Scientific, Technical and Managerial Staffs. Jenkins leaked photocopies to the press on Jan. 3.

Stories multiplied of other carelessness with deadly germs. One example: an unidentified microbiological lab in Britain was said to have received the deadly lassa fever virus in an ordinary airmail envelope from Africa.

After the smallpox outbreak, the Birmingham lab was closed and Britain's remaining smallpox center is St. Mary's Hospital Medical School in London.



Carl Kleinstueber of Denton, one of North Texas State University's 20 tuba majors, washes his instrument in a special sink installed in the new \$6.5 million addition to the School of Music. Before this, owners had to use bathtubs or showers in their homes to clean the tubas. Average price for a tuba is about \$4,000, so the owners take special care of their horns. (AP Laserphoto)

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J.C. Kennedy of Lawton, chairman of the Oklahoma Transportation Department for four years before resigning in January, announced the designation here.

interstate highway will be erected when work has been completed on the Rogers Lane interchange in Lawton.

That interchange and the east bridge over the Red River were the two main obstacles to the interstate designation, Kennedy said.

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# Jean Posey broadening artistic horizons

By ROGER SOUTHALL  
Staff Writer

Artist Jean Posey is best-known hereabouts for her original and attractive pottery pieces, but this longtime Midland resident definitely doesn't believe in "standing still," creatively speaking.

Mrs. Posey also produces attractive spray paintings and, more recently, has broadened her artistic horizons to include fiber art.

She firmly believes that, since the "artistic urge" is an ongoing thing, the artist needs to continue broadening his or her scope of creative activi-

similar pieces.

"I love the idea of combining the fiber and the clay, they work so effectively together," she points out.

Mrs. Posey recently joined with more than a dozen other Midland artists and craftspeople in assembling a show of their fiber works at Odessa College, and the exhibit later was on view in the McCormick Gallery at Midland College.

Mrs. Posey and husband Don have been Midland residents for the last 22 years, moving here from Houston. She began her pottery work after moving here, while her two children were small.

However, the "creative urge" has been with her all her life. "I've played with clay ever since I was a little girl," she recalls. "When I was small, I loved making things out of that good old Iowa clay — I particularly loved molding horses heads."

The Iowa native grew up at Fort Dodge and went to junior college in that city. Later, she attended Iowa State University at Ames, where she received a B.S. degree in textiles and clothing.

She tried her hand at journalism while attending junior college, working as a reporter for the Fort Dodge Messenger and Chronicle. After graduation from Iowa State, she became a legal secretary.

She had her first formal training in art while enrolled in the university, studying sculpture with a noted sculptor who at the time was artist-in-residence at Iowa State.

In later years, she has had special study with various professional potters and artists. She became seriously interested and involved in fiber art when she took one of Sara Gilstrap's first fiber art courses at Midland College some years back.



Midland artist Jean Posey shows off one of her newer fiber art works which was included in a recent exhibition in the McCormick Gallery at Midland College. The dramatic wall hanging reflects Mrs. Posey's two special artistic interests, clay pottery and fiber. (Staff Photo)

## spotlight on the arts

ty. "Who wants to keep on doing the same thing year after year, no matter how much you enjoy it?" says she.

Not that she has given up her pottery work — far from it. Mrs. Posey recently built a new studio at her home at 2501 Camarie Ave., where she continues to produce her eye-catching, often-unusual clay pieces.

In addition, she teaches handbuilding pottery in Midland College's community services division, the MC adult education outreach.

And, the artist makes good use of her expertise and imagination as a potter in creating fiber works, often combining pottery and fiber in her wall hangings and

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**OCS sets plans for new season**

ODESSA — The Odessa Cinema Society is celebrating the successful completion of its first year by announcing the attractions planned for its spring season coming up.

Membership in the organization is open to all interested persons in the Odessa-Midland area. Inquiries should be directed to P.O. Box 2162, Odessa 79760, or persons may telephone 337-2811, extension 3198, for additional information.

The Odessa Cinema Society is a non-profit organization which brings classic movies and non-commercial films to residents of this area. Although sustained by dues from members, who receive special attendance discounts, the film screenings are not restricted to members only. The public is invited to attend at a reasonable admission fee.

On the film society's spring season are a 1941 film, "Notorious," directed by Alfred Hitchcock and starring Cary Grant and Ingrid Bergman, scheduled for presentation March 9; a 1960 epic, "Lawrence of Arabia," featuring actor Peter O'Toole as the legendary T.E. Lawrence, to be shown April 21, and the 1935 Academy Award winning classic, "Lost Horizons," starring Ronald Coleman and Jane Wyatt, due for screening May 11.

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**AFI salute to Hitchcock set**

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — James Stewart, Ingrid Bergman, and French director Francois Truffaut will be among the celebrities who will pay tribute to Alfred Hitchcock at the American Film Institute Salute on March 7.

The AFI Salute will be telecast by CBS on March 12.

Miss Bergman starred in Hitchcock's "Spellbound," "Notorious," and "Under Capricorn." Stewart was in "Rope," "Rear Window," "The Man Who Knew Too Much," and "Vertigo."

**Public Radio hires Cohen**

WASHINGTON (AP) — Barbara Cohen, managing editor of The Washington Star, will become director of news and information for National Public Radio on March 19, NPR President Frank Mankiewicz announced Friday.

Mankiewicz said Ms. Cohen will be responsible for all news and information programs produced by the network.

**Matinee of 'Camelot' set today**

ODESSA — "Camelot," the season-opening attraction of the Globe of the Great Southwest, will have a matinee presentation at 2:30 p.m. today.

The famous musical by Lerner and Loewe, based on T.S. White's "The Once and Future King," will have additional performances March 10, 11, 15 and 17.

Reserved seat tickets for all presentations are now on sale at the box office of the theater at 2308 Shakespeare Road, on the south edge of the Odessa College campus.

"Camelot" has been staged and directed by Jeryl Hoover. Dave Skinner designed the sets and costumes were done by Carolyn Jacobs and Hattie English.

Pivotal cast members include Hoover as King Arthur, Suzanne Medlin as Queen Guenevere, Frank Varro as Sir Lancelot, Dick Evans as the magician Merlin, Bill Weir as King Pellinore and Zack Harwell as Mordred.

Following "Camelot," the Globe's 1979 season will include two Shakespearean dramas during the annual Shakespeare Summer Festival, a production of the acclaimed drama "Abe Lincoln in Illinois" next fall, and a Biblical drama at the Christmas season. Globe season tickets are now on sale at the box office.

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**NASHVILLE SOUND**

**Tootsie's Orchid Lounge lives on with atmosphere**

By JOE EDWARDS

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — It is not a pretty place. Rather, it is un-presumptuous, crowded between a gift store and a music shop in a sagging section of the city. Ah, but it's special — like a favorite easy chair. It drips with atmosphere and beckons a visit, or a return.

Tootsie's Orchid Lounge, Nashville's legendary beer joint just a few steps from what once was the Grand Ole Opry house, has endured the laments of the downtrodden and tolerated the eccentricities of the famous for about 20 years.

It greets tourists and local musicians with a tall, cool one to exercise the elbow and camaraderie to soothe the loneliness.

Its jukebox referees selections by celebrities like Loretta Lynn and aspiring artists like Dan

Hoffman, Tom Stanley and Mack Brine.

With stars glowing in their eager eyes, the young ones bring in their records — and manager Mary Williams and the willing jukebox become co-conspirators in advancing careers.

"They bring 'em in and I put 'em on," said Ms. Williams, who's been drawing brew for seven years at Tootsie's and 21 years at less celebrated places.

Of course, there's a band on weekends — Del Gray and the Orchid Loungers. Gray's been promoted from bartender.

The walls explode with pictures — cornfield-like rows of black-and-white 8-by-10s, 5-by-7s and 3-by-5s that owe their public prominence to thumb tacks.

For the last year, though, something has been missing. Tootsie, Cancer claimed her life, but her palace prospers.

"The only thing that's changed is you don't see her," Ms. Williams said as a young man nursed his Sterling at the end of the bar.

The beer still costs 75 cents, plus 6 cents tax. Tootsie's is an inflation-fighter.

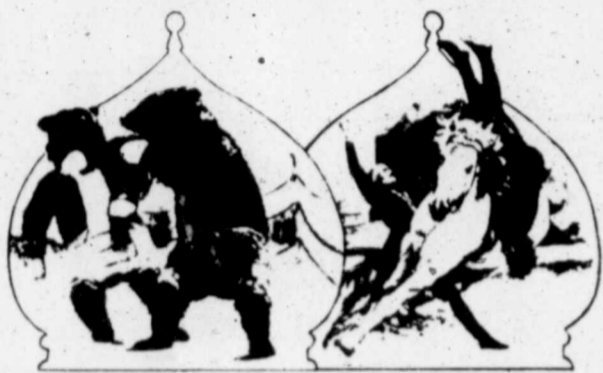
Howard Dodson, Tootsie's son, is the new owner. His instructions to the four employees: "Do just what you did for Mama."

Now that Tootsie Bess is gone, the stars don't flock here like they used to. The first time Opry star Justin Tubb returned, he almost turned on the spot and left.

"It was hard on him," Ms. Williams said.

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**'Fast Break' scores high in enjoyment**

By BOB THOMAS

"FAST BREAK" scores high in enjoyment, low in credibility, but remains a winner nonetheless. The filmmakers ask us to believe that a Brooklyn delicatessen cashier could take four ghetto basketballers to an unknown Nevada college and coach a ragtag team to victory over a giant university. What's more, one of the transplanted athletes is a girl nicknamed "Swish." Logic aside, the modest film affords a sizable score of laughs and on-court excitement. Jack Smight directed the young and talented cast with verve and a good sense of basketball action. Gabriel Kaplan ("Welcome Back, Kotter") makes an impressive film debut as the never-say-die coach. Rated PG, with a modicum of locker-room language.

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**Schooley exhibition opens in Roswell**

ROSWELL, N.M. — Opening this afternoon in the new Horgan Gallery of the Roswell Museum and Art Center is an exhibition of paintings by Elmer Schooley, an artist well-known to residents of the eastern New Mexico-West Texas region.

The artist will be honored at a reception between 3:30 and 5 p.m. today at the museum, hosted by the museum staff and the Roswell Assistance League. The public is invited to attend.

Works in the exhibition were produced by Schooley during a one-year invitational Artist-in-Residence program which Schooley completed at the Roswell museum several months ago.

The show will hang through April 15, open to the public daily.

A native of Lawrence, Kan., Schooley is married to well-known artist Gussie DuJardin. In the past 29 years, Schooley has participated in more than 160 print and painting exhibitions across the country.

He has received numerous prizes and purchase awards. He is represented with works in the permanent collections of the Museum of Modern Art, the Brooklyn Museum of Art, the Library of Congress, the Dallas Museum of Fine Arts, the Museum of New Mexico at Santa Fe, the Wichita Art Association of Wichita, Kan., and the Roswell Museum and Art Center.

**Archaeological Society sets Monday meeting**

The Midland Archaeological Society will hold a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Reddy Room of Texas Electric Service Co., 123 N. Colorado St.

Guest speaker at the gathering will be John Runyan of Hobbs, N.M., whose topic is to be "The Movement and Type of Pottery in the Jornada Branch of the Mogollon Culture."

Runyan is a geologist for the oil conservation division of the Oil Commission of New Mexico. He has done extensive work in pottery analysis of the Mogollon culture in this region.

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Dear L.L.K.: There is indeed a safe and effective vaccine against many of the most dangerous kinds of pneumonia. It has only recently come on the market—it is called Pneumovax. And it is recommended for older people, and other groups that might be especially vulnerable to pneumonia, so I think your concern about your parents is very sensible.

Let me explain exactly what the new vaccine does and what it does not do. Pneumonia, or inflammation of the lungs, is a very broad term, and there are dozens of different things that can cause it. These may be bacteria, viruses or chemicals. However, the most frequent and important variety of pneumonia is bacterial.

Among the many strains of bacteria that cause pneumonia the big villain is the pneumococcus, and there are numerous subvarieties of this obnoxious germ. The new vaccine protects against 14 of them—including those forms that most often cause a serious infection.

The vaccine does not protect against various other less frequent kinds of bacterial pneumonia. And it doesn't confer immunity against what is called "atypical" pneumonia—which is caused by viruses or other organisms that are not bacteria. Atypical pneumonia can drag on, but it is not as dangerous as bacterial pneumonia.

The pneumococcal vaccine has been recommended for just about everyone who is at high risk. That includes, in addition to the elderly, people with heart or chronic lung disease, diabetes, alcoholic cirrhosis and sickle cell anemia.

Children with a disorder known as the nephrotic syndrome (or Epstein's syndrome) are also pneumonia risks. The vaccine is not recommended for youngsters under two or for pregnant women though.

Side effects are reported to be very mild, as a rule. There is a little local soreness and redness, and sometimes a slight fever for anywhere up to 24 hours.

The vaccine is an important new measure of preventive medicine. Many people have gotten the mistaken idea that pneumonia is nothing to worry about in this age of antibiotic medicine. But we still have 200,000 to one million cases of pneumococcal pneumonia each year in the United States, according to estimates, and some 25,000 deaths related to it.

If I were you, I would certainly ask your parents to check with their doctor and see if he doesn't think it would be a good idea for them.

## U.S. laws slow police cars

By PAUL CARPENTER

HARRISBURG, Pa. (AP) — The high-speed police chase, dramatized in movies and TV cop shows, is wheezing now because anti-pollution devices and a federal push for better mileage have bogged down new patrol cars.

Many older cars or souped-up newer ones in the private sector can outperform police cars. And state troopers and other law enforcement officials, tired of being left in the dust, want Congress to help reverse the trend.

"This is an unfortunate situation. The state police in Pennsylvania is not alone in this ... This is a common problem — power," said Francis Wolfe, head of the Pennsylvania State Police transportation division.

Trooper Tom Parker of the Pennsylvania State Police was asked to demonstrate the performance of his new Ford cruiser, one of slower Fords purchased last year. They are considerably slower than the larger-engined Fords and Plymouths used in the past.

"Here, I'll show you the acceleration," he said, jamming the gas pedal to the floor. About 13 seconds later, the Ford's engine screeching in protest, the car hit 60 mph.

"That's it ... You want to get out and push?" Parker said. The performance of new cars can be improved only with changes in federal laws, which will be getting even more stringent on emissions and mileage standards over the next few years.

"We'll be looking at a four-cylinder police car by 1985, and then a lot of violators will be getting away," said Warran Woodfield, an analyst for the International Chiefs of Police Association.

Woodfield said the association was urging Congress to exempt police cars from laws that say garages may not change emission controls or install four-barrel carburetors, special ignition systems, dual exhausts and other high-performance devices.

But any self-styled mechanic can drastically increase horsepower by equipping engines with turbochargers, while police can't.

"An individual citizen can do it. They can sell you the stuff and you install it. But it's against the law for a garage to do it, including a municipal or police garage," Woodfield said.

Actually, the trend in recent years has been to discourage high-speed chases and to rely instead on radios, radar and aircraft. The Pennsylvania State Police Academy, for example, gives cadets more training in horseback riding than it does in pursuit driving.

In that sense, one Harrisburg speed-shop owner said even the driver of a hot car would be stupid to try to run from a police cruiser.

"My money's on the state police. They outnumber you 50 to 1, and you can't outrun those radios," said John Maxwell of Maxwell Racing Enterprises. "State police cars are no poodles. They definitely are not dogs."

But Joe O'Connell, manager of the Bash Speed Shop in Philadelphia, said Pennsylvania's police cars were hopelessly outclassed.

He said a 1968 Camaro, with a little help from special manifolds and a four-barrel carburetor, could hit 60 mph. in six seconds. And its top speed is a blurring 140.

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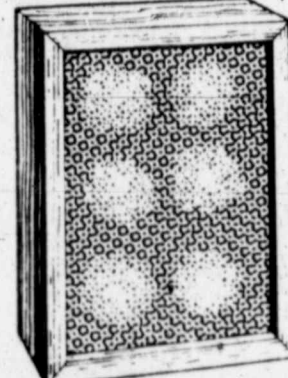
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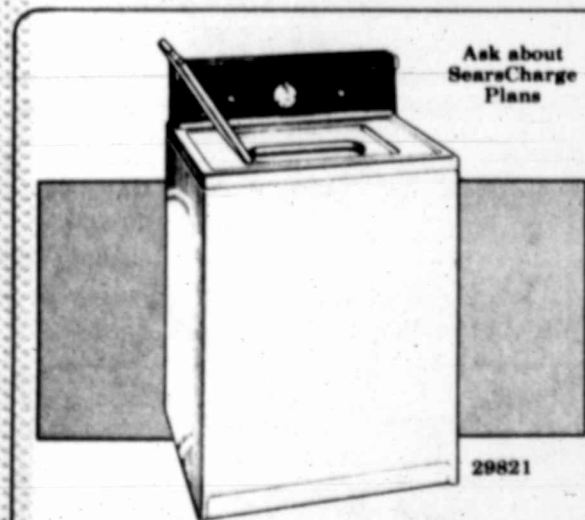
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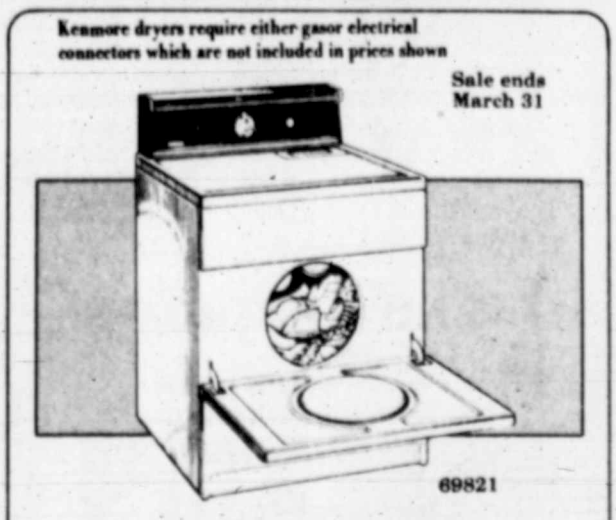
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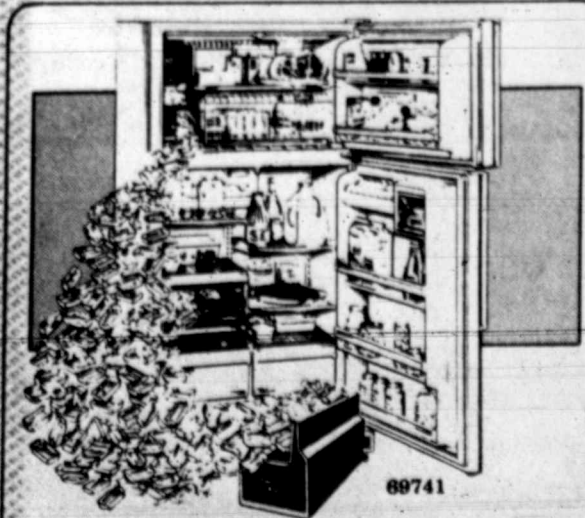
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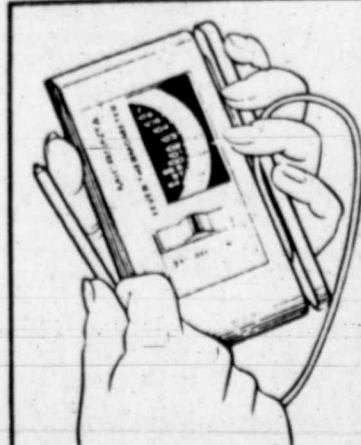
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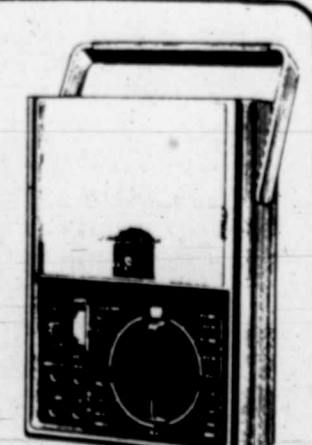
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# Chicago authorities claim days of The Loop numbered

**EDITOR'S NOTE** — The Loop is synonymous with Chicago. But it may not be much longer. For the umpteenth time, there's talk about tearing down the elevated tracks that encircle the downtown business district.

By ARTHUR H. ROTSTEIN

CHICAGO (AP) — The Loop, perhaps Chicago's best known landmark, may be doomed.

For 82 years, trains have whooshed and roared around the elevated tracks that mark the borders of downtown. They lurch around 90-degree turns, third rail flashing, cement canyons magnifying shrill screech of metal on metal, assaulting eardrums, smothering conversation.

The Loop has been as symbolic of Chicago's identity as Lake Michigan. It's a survivor, a utilitarian device uniquely delineating the city's business and financial hub and carrying the public there in unequalled numbers.

It's been loved and hated, its demise predicted since its inception. Now the latest threat: City Hall wants to tear down the two square miles — 11,000 tons — of 25-foot-high riveted plate steel, sometimes compared to a huge erector set. Merchants long have howled that it's an eyesore, a nuisance, a blight, a deterrent to business.

**THE CHICAGO URBAN** Transportation District says the Loop is doomed. It will take about \$400 million to build a partial replacement, a subway businessmen insist will spur more than \$1 billion in new development west and northwest of the Loop.

And so the brouhaha: "The Elevated and the Loop are as much a part of Chicago as the cable car is to San Francisco," says architect Doug Schroeder.

"If anybody is interested in preservation of the elevated structure for historical purposes, we have some sections of it on 63rd Street I'm sure we could keep," says Mayor Michael Bilandic. "But downtown, clearly the best thing we could do is to take it down."

Since the Union Loop Elevated was completed by Charles Tyson Yerkes in 1897, an estimated 2.7 billion passengers have ridden the "iron collar" around a 7-by-10-block downtown area — The Loop.

**YERKES WAS** a wheeler-dealer who left Philadelphia in the 1880s after financial maneuvering got him into legal trouble. He came to a booming Chicago, and fit in well, buying competing local railways and obtaining street franchises — usually through bribes to aldermen.

He owned the construction firm that helped build his lines, and he commanded almost all the city's north and west side transit systems.

Then he devised the Loop, bringing rail lines from north, south, west into common circling trackage above the congestion. For real estate and businessmen, it meant more shoppers and land development.

But it also brought dire warnings: of rush-hour trains stacking up at its ridiculous 90-degree curves, of packed behemoths plunging into streets teeming with pedestrians, cars, trolleys and trucks.

**AND IT QUICKLY** brought complaints about light blotted out and noise that made thinking impossible. But Yerkes scoffed at suggestions of replacing the

elevated with subways like New York's or Boston's.

Now the merchants were complaining about the Loop. It stifled already-jammed streets, magnifying the tumult, not to mention providing a haven for deadened pigeons.

In 1916, the Chicago Traction and Subway Commission was ordered to extend the transit system by "elevated lines rather than by subways." It noted: "A subway costs about four times as much per mile as an elevated railroad and will furnish no more passenger carrying capacity, speed or other advantages."

Business interests, and mayors — Ed Kelly, Richard J. Daley, Bilandic — said most of the Loop could or would be removed. But the general manager of the Rapid Transit Lines, predecessor of the Chicago Transit Authority, said in 1940: "The Loop occupies only 8½ percent of the street area in the downtown business center and is the greatest asset the other 91½ percent has. It is the greatest passenger pickup system in the world."

**THE PRESENT PLAN** stems from a 1968 study that includes a \$750 million program for an underground replacement and an east-west line past major railroad terminals. The CUTD was set up in 1970 to carry it out. But there wasn't enough federal money, so the agency trimmed its plans to intersecting axes along Franklin Street (north-south) and Monroe Street (east-west).

At \$50 million to \$100 million a mile, there's enough money now only for the Franklin line. It would run 4.65 miles, 3½ underground, from northwest of downtown to a few miles south. If it's built, there will probably be no money for a Monroe leg.

Meanwhile, Harry Weese, an architect, nominated the Loop for the National Register of Historic Places. He contends it "ranks with the original Ferris Wheel and the Eiffel Tower in its rivets tracery, canopied stairs, railings, girders and laced columns." The Illinois Historic Sites Advisory Council rejected it, but the national Advisory Council on Historic Preservation is studying it to determine if there are alternatives to demolition.

**MEANWHILE**, the Urban Mass Transit Administration is studying to see if the service will be worth the estimated \$490 million. Subway projects in San Francisco and Washington have led to huge cost overruns and some transit experts now see subway as too costly.

The CUTD's environmental impact statement said the proposed subway under Franklin, on the downtown area's western edge, "would not be a significant catalyst to major new development."

And it noted: the proposed system would bring "an increased reliance on motor vehicle transportation" with noise, pollution, accident and energy problems.

Defenders say the Loop has few marks against it. Although a crash in February 1977 killed 11 people and injured 189, the National Transportation Safety Board determined that the cause was human error, not the structure. During January's blizzard, which disrupted most transportation, the Loop elevated functioned 24 hours a day.



Flames and smoke fill the air southeast of Edmonton, Alta., Friday after a gas pipeline leak set off a series of explosions and fires. The blazes from the liquefied petroleum gas line forced the evacuation of about 17,000 residents. (AP Laserphoto)

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# Sailing vessel on scientific voyage around globe

By GENE SCHROEDER

NEW YORK (AP) — Some 400 years after Sir Francis Drake sailed his galleon around the world, another British sailing ship has set forth on a voyage which also will circumnavigate the globe.

But this time the goal is scientific exploration rather than discovery. The vessel, a 150-ton brigantine named "The Eye of the Wind," sailed out of Plymouth, England, last October on a two-year voyage linking a series of land-based expeditions in Panama, Papua New Guinea, the Galapagos Islands, Indonesia and the

Red Sea. At the tiller for a few hours as the ship left the same harbor from which Drake sailed in 1577 was Prince Charles, patron of "Operation Drake," as the modern-day voyage has been dubbed.

Described as the most ambitious seafaring adventure of its kind ever launched, "Operation Drake" was conceived to provide young explorers from various walks of life with a chance to experience, as Prince Charles expressed it, "some of the challenges of war in a peacetime situation."

The adventure, estimated to cost

about \$1 million, is being underwritten by various sponsors, including the Explorers Club of New York. Walter H. Annenberg, former U.S. ambassador to England, contributed \$100,000.

The voyage will link up with a series of land-based projects studying such diverse subjects as rare animals, birds and flowers, a sunken treasure ship, and the rapid spread of an infamous coral-eating starfish.

According to a spokesman, the young explorers will tackle "rushing rivers never before navigated and dense jungle seldom penetrated."

The steel-hulled brigantine serves as a floating laboratory base at each

anchorage.

During each of nine three-month phases, an international crew of some two dozen youths will serve aboard.

Each crew will be made up of adventurers ranging in age from 17 to 24 under the command of an experienced master and watch leaders. The youths were selected from applicants in several countries, including about 70 from North America.

The first major stop was Panama's Caledonia Bay, where the young adventurers are probing the site of an ill-fated, 17th-century Scottish colony named New Edinburgh.

The Panama phase also calls for a diving team to search for the wreck of the "Maurepas," a 42-gun French merchantman that sank on Christmas Eve, 1698, with a cargo of silver coins valued now at an estimated \$16 million.

Later this spring, the vessel is scheduled to leave Panama for the Galapagos Islands, where the emphasis will be on marine biological research and community aid projects.

The "Eye of the Wind" will stop in turn at Fiji, New Guinea, Indonesia, Singapore and Port Sudan on the Red

Sea, where the explorers will take part in a project attempting to discover the reasons behind the enormous increase in coral-eating starfish, which threaten to destroy many coral reefs of the world.

The voyage is scheduled to end back at Plymouth in October 1980.

The expedition's leader is a world-famous explorer, Lt. Col. John Blashford-Snell, whose experiences have included being bitten by a vampire bat in Central America and watching one of his boats on an African adventure being eaten by a hippopotamus.

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Congressman Harold Runnels of Lovington, N.M., second from left, spins a yarn during the social hour Friday night preceding the joint meeting of the Permian Basin Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute and the Permian Basin Chapter of the International Association of Drilling Contractors. With him are, from left, Ed Hayes, API chapter third vice chairman; Randy Randerson, API chapter first vice chairman, and Gordon Marcum, president of the Permian Basin Chapter of IADC.

## Congressman Runnels pulls mild 'surprise' at Midland meeting

U.S. Representative Harold Runnels of New Mexico pulled a mild "surprise" Friday night as the guest speaker for the annual joint meeting of the Permian Basin Chapters of the American Petroleum Institute and the International Association of Drilling Contractors.

No doubt the majority of the approximately 150 persons seated in the Midland Country Club expected the congressman to let go with one of his familiar speeches on the energy situation.

Instead, the title of his talk was "Forgotten Factors in American Inflation."

He didn't even mention the word energy—or oil or gas. He stuck with his subject.

"When I started getting ready for this appearance, I got to looking over some old speeches I had made years ago. I came across one from 1974 that fits our situation today," Runnels said.

"IN 1974, inflation was the number one problem. Now, five years later, nothing has changed," he said.

Runnels pointed out that the consumer price index has risen more than 50 points since 1967. "Remember, then, a six pack cost \$1. In 1974 it

cost \$1.47. Now, it's \$2.02." "We all know what inflation is, how it affects us personally and many of us have our own ideas on what should be done to curb it. Most of our thinking centers around a sound fiscal policy. When you talk about inflation, consider our failure to balance the budget, and the interest on our national debt."

The congressman pointed out that our national debt is more than \$850 billion. The interest the government pays on that debt is in its self a fantastic figure, he emphasized.

"WE MUST CUT back our spending. Too often people are willing to accept cuts only if it doesn't affect them."

"Some factors are beyond our control. We can't do much about the inflation abroad, or the shortage of a vital number of commodities, but we can curb our own spending," he said.

Runnels laid many of today's woes on another era.

"Franklin Roosevelt was elected president 40 years ago. He took office with a mandate from the people to get the economy moving. We had just experienced the severest depression

in history. The New Deal was born. It was a new type of economics.

"The system relied on taking money from the treasury in order to put it into circulation, so people would have jobs and the banks wouldn't collapse. We started subsidizing the farmer and foreign trade was developed.

"Of course, taxes had to go up. If the taxes couldn't foot the bill the treasury would go into debt.

"TO JUSTIFY THE program, we used two provisions of the constitution — Congress' power to lay and collect taxes and to regulate commerce.

"With the help of the courts, the constitutional provisions were broadened, and when Roosevelt was challenged by the conservatives and lawsuits were filed the Supreme Court handed down many revolutionary decisions."

Runnels said those Supreme Court decisions became the basis of big government. "In 1937, the Helvering case upheld pensions; the supreme court ruled Congress has the right to spend in aid of general welfare, and the court put its official okay on big government financed by taxpayers."

The congressman said World War II offered a tremendous impetus to big government, and bigness has continued ever since.

"One of the cleverest schemes ever devised to finance big government is the withholding tax which was fathered by Ruml. Washington takes your money from your paycheck before you ever see it. That scheme to finance the war was supposed to be a temporary device. But, as you know, in Washington, temporary often becomes permanent.

"So, from before the way, when the national budget was \$10 billion dollars, we now have a \$532 billion budget before the Congress," Runnels said.

**THE REPRESENTATIVE** from Lovington said this country needs strong new anti-trust laws in order to drive down prices, stimulate competition and break up existing concentration.

"Now before you get the wrong impression, I am not against bigness. I believe in the free enterprise system and I believe any company should be able to get as big as it wants, but through free competition.

Runnels pointed out that the first month of the 96th Congress 42 proposals dealing with anti-trust were presented, ranging from soft drink marketing to professional sports, energy marketing, insurance and many others.

He used the automobile industry as an example of how the big giants of industry have taken over.

"We used to have 88 firms making automobiles in this country. Now there really are only four. General Motors, Ford and Chrysler manufacture 97 percent of all U.S. One economist has estimated that non-competitive nature costs the public \$1.6 billion a year."

His next example of a giant taking over, killing competition, was the computer industry.

"We have come to depend on computers in many ways — to sort our mail, schedule airlines, process checks, control electric power, send our bills. Business and governmental activities would grind to a halt without computers. But, as vital as they are, one firm dominates the field — IBM. In the 1950s there were 12 competitors. Today, IBM controls more than 75 percent of the industry. Not one competitor has been able to gain more than 10 percent of the market."

After citing several other examples, Runnels said the "concentration of industry is not new, but we must take steps to make sure it is not enhanced. The economic battle against inflation demands no less than that.

## Synthetic crude plays major role in energy

By MAX B. SKELTON  
AP Oil Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — Synthetic crude production from its vast deposits of oil sands holds a major role in Canada's energy self-reliance objectives.

One of the objectives is to limit oil imports by 1985 to one-third of domestic demand or to 800,000 barrels a day, whichever is the smaller.

Synthetic crude production from Alberta's Athabasca oil sands deposits this year is expected to approximate 150,000 barrels a day and the 1978 oil supply report by Canada's National Energy Board indicates steady growth in the years ahead.

While assuming all currently operating and announced projects and two undefined projects are operational, the board forecast the synthetic output could reach 755,000 barrels a day by 1995. This would be about one-third of projected demand for 2.3 million barrels of oil a day.

A report on the current status of the Canadian operations has been published by the Institute of Gas Technology as a supplement to its International Gas Technology Highlights publication.

The Canadian oil sands deposits cover about 16,000 square miles of central and northern Alberta. Four major deposits are believed to hold an estimated 1 trillion barrels of oil in place.

The Alberta Energy Resources Conservation Board estimates some 23 billion barrels to be recoverable through existing surface mining methods and recovery technology, another 17 billion barrels as ultimately recoverable with improved mining technology, and as much as 150 billion barrels as eventually recoverable from deeper deposits through use of in-situ methods nearing commercialization.

The IGT report says some experts predict the oil sands deposits could ultimately support 20 to 30 plants, each producing more than 100,000 barrels a day.

This year's production from the Athabasca deposits near Fort McMurray is expected to run 45,000 to 50,000 barrels from the Great Canadian Oil Sands Ltd. plant and about 100,000 barrels a day from the Syncrude Canada Ltd. plant.

Oil sands deposits, primarily in Utah and Wyoming, have been estimated to have ultimately recoverable resources approximating 26 billion barrels but the IGT report says development progress in the United States has been very slow when compared with Canada.

"In the United States, by contrast, despite decades of research and development on oil sands, oil shale, coal liquefaction, and coal gasification, not a single plant has yet been commercialized, nor, for that matter, has a demonstration plant been built," the report said.

"And the prospects for the near future do not appear particularly encouraging in the light of government failure to provide the incentives industry considers essential before pro-

## Candidates announced

The West Texas Geological Society has announced the 1979-80 candidates for president and other offices of the organization.

Running for president are Johnnie Brown, Wichita Industries, and Harry Miller, independent.

For president elect are Jon Edmondson, C&K Petroleum, Inc., and Bill Thorsen, Maralo, Inc.

The two candidates for first vice president are A. T. Carleton, independent, and John Kullman, Woods Petroleum Corp.

Running for second vice president are Wayne Gibson, Texaco Inc., and Hugh White, Terra Resources, Inc.

Treasurer candidates are Gail Kettnerbrink, NRM Petroleum Corp., and Mary Vanderloop, Mionsanto Co.

Ron Johnson, Mabec Petroleum Corp., and Keith Wiersum, HNG Oil Co., are trying for the secretary post.

Ballots will be mailed between March 15 and April 1. All ballots will be returned on or before May 1, according to Forest F. Spry, president of the society.

## City officials to be guests

Mayor Ernest Angelo Jr., City Manager Jim Brown, and Richard Hennessey, chairman of the Midland Planning and Zoning Commission, will be guests of ARCO Oil and Gas Co.'s chapter of the Civic Action Program Tuesday.

The luncheon will be at 11:45 a.m. in the conference room of the company's offices in Midland.

The topic of the trio's comments and discussion will be "The Plan for Midland's Growth and Development." Attendance is limited to employees of ARCO Oil and Gas.

ceeding with commercial-scale facilities."

The report said the main barriers to the commercialization of synthetic fuels in the United States have not been as much technological as environmental, economic, and institutional.

"In Canada as well, the two existing oil sands projects encountered initial difficulties," the report said, adding that for a while it looked as if the Syncrude plant would not see the light of the day while the GCOS plant still shows an overall financial deficit after 8 years of operation.

"But the major barriers have been removed, thanks to a high degree of industry-government cooperation and a strong commitment to oil sands development," the report said.

"On the government's part, this has meant a willingness to permit the world oil price for the product and to

allow favorable income tax treatment to synthetic crude projects, direct financial support in the form of equity participation in the Syncrude project, provision of a reasonably stable regulatory climate, and funding by the province of Alberta of a massive research and development effort."

Industry meanwhile was said to have shown a willingness to meet and even surpass stringent government, social, and environmental requirements, and to cooperate with government on all levels.

"In the relatively harmonious atmosphere that now exists, two more commercial-scale plants have been proposed and are now awaiting government approval," the report said.

"In addition, some 16 in-situ pilot projects are in operation in Alberta, one or several of which could prove commercially feasible in subsequent years."

## Institute now accepting scholarship applications

AUSTIN — The newly established Texa Mining and Mineral Resources Research Institute at The University of Texas at Austin is accepting applications for scholarships, fellowships and research grants, Dr. Willem C.J. van Resburg, institute director, has announced.

Deadline for submission of preproposals for research grants is March 15. Scholarship and fellowship applications are due March 31.

The institute at UT Austin is one of 22 such organizations throughout the country established under Title III of the 1977 Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act. The Texas institute is an administrative unit of the Bureau of Economic Geology and operates under a cooperative agreement with the UT System and the Texas A&M System.

Scholarships, fellowships and research grants will be awarded for studies in several broad areas: mineral exploration, extraction, processing and development; mining and mineral technology; mineral supply and demand; conservation and best use of available supplies of minerals and other resources affected by mineral extraction; the economic, legal and social aspects of mining; reclamation, and mineral research and demonstration projects of industry-wide application.

Scholarships and fellowships will be awarded on merit. Preference will be given to applicants following a training program designed to qualify them in areas of particular interest to Texas and the Southwest, such as the provision of adequate supplies of minerals, better utilization of mineral resources and improved technology for the location, extraction, processing and optimum utilization of such minerals.

College students who will be classified as seniors for fall 1979 are eligible for scholarships. They will be awarded on a nine-month basis, amounting to \$1,000 to \$1,500 per year.

Graduate fellowships for students who have not yet obtained their master's degrees will amount to \$4,000 per year of a nine-month basis. Fellowships for graduate students with a master's degree or equivalent training will amount to \$4,500 per year over nine months. Postdoctoral fellowships will be \$1,000 per month for one

## Basin rig count logs another slight decrease

A survey of weekly drilling activity, conducted by Reed Drilling Equipment in the Permian Basin of West Texas and Southeast New Mexico, showed 217 rigs making hole.

Activity dropped three units from the previous weeks tally of 220 and showed a substantial drop from a year ago at this time as 311 units were spotted turning to the right.

Lea County, N.M., took first place on the survey for the first time as 26 units were counted, gaining two rigs from the previous week.

Eddy County took second on the survey as 25 rigs were spotted, decreasing its activity by two rigs. Pecos County, the West Texas leader, reported 14 rigs going, having lost one rig from the last count of 15.

Crockett County followed with 11 units working, while Ward County was the scene of 10 operations. Hockley and Sterling counties reported gaining activity as 9 rigs were counted on the survey.

Complete drilling activity as recorded on the Reed survey is listed in the table below.

County	3/02	2/23
Andrews	5	6
Borden	2	2
Bailey	1	1
Chaves	2	2
Crane	5	5
Cochran	2	2
Coke	3	3
Crockett	11	11
Crosby	2	1
Culberson	1	1
Dawson	1	3
Dickens	2	0
Ector	3	4
Eddy	25	27
Floyd	1	1
Gaines	8	8
Garza	3	4
Glasscock	1	2
Hockley	9	9
Howard	4	6
Irion	5	5
Jeff Davis	1	1
Lea	26	24
Loving	2	2
Lubbock	1	0
Martin	2	4
Menard	1	0
Midland	0	2
Mitchell	2	2
Pecos	14	15
Reagan	3	2
Reeves	4	4
Roosevelt	1	1
Schleicher	5	4
Scurry	4	4
Sterling	9	7
Sutton	4	2
Terrell	3	3
Terry	5	5
Tom Green	3	3
Upton	5	5
Val Verde	2	2
Ward	10	12
Winkler		
Yoakum		
Total	217	217

## Michel T. Halbouty honored by academy

Michel T. Halbouty, internationally renowned earth scientist and petroleum engineer, of Houston, has been elected a member of the National Academy of Engineering.

Election to the Academy represents the highest professional distinction in the field of engineering. It honors those who have made important contributions to engineering theory and practice or unusual accomplishments in the pioneering of new and developing technologies.

During a career which has spanned four decades, Halbouty has contributed much to the scientific and technological developments in the energy and mineral resources fields. He began a continuing study of salt domes in 1931 which brought him recognition as the foremost authority on this geological

phenomenon and led to the discovery of scores of oil and gas fields, particularly in the Gulf Coast section of Texas and Louisiana.

His book, "Salt Domes—Gulf Region, United States and Mexico," published in 1967 and revised in 1979, is acknowledged as the definitive publication in this geological field.

Early in his career Halbouty discovered the chemicals-clay formula which allowed drillers to overcome the "heaving shale" formation which slowed down drilling activities in many Gulf Coast oil fields and threatened to halt exploration entirely in a few.

He was also a pioneer in the field of remote sensing (land satellite images) to detect indications of hidden geologic structures. His paper, "Application of Landsat Imagery to Petroleum and Mineral Exploration," is considered a classic in the field. For his contributions to the practical industrial use of remote sensing, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration and the United States Department of the Interior presented him with one of their highest honors, the William T. Pecora Award, in 1977.

Halbouty received both his B.S. degree in 1930 and M.S. degree in 1931 from Texas A&M University in both Geology and Petroleum Engineering. In 1956 he received the Professional Geological Engineering degree from Texas A&M University. In 1977, the University honored him by naming its geoscience facility The Michel T. Halbouty Geoscience Building.

He is a member of numerous worldwide scientific, engineering and technical societies. He has served on the board of directors and held various offices and assignments in organizations such as The American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical and Petroleum Engineers, The American Association of Petroleum Geologists, The American Petroleum Institute, Geological Society of America, National Research Council of the National Academy of Science, National Petroleum Council, State of Texas Energy Advisory Council, and Texas A&M University.

In addition to managing his many enterprises headquartered in The Halbouty Center in Houston, he is president and chairman of the board of the Halbouty Alaska Oil Co., known as Halasko.



Ab R. Ellis Jr.

## D&D meet scheduled

The Desk and Derrick Club of Midland will meet Thursday in the Midland Country Club.

The speaker will be Ab R. Ellis Jr., district developmental geologist for Texaco Inc. in Midland. He will talk on "The Geological Role in Oil Finding."

He holds a B.S. degree in Geology from The University of Texas at Austin.

The meeting will start at 7 p. m.





Oren Albright, standing left, has been elected 1979 chairman of the Permian Basin Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute. Seated, from left, are Dee Rust, treasurer; Luther W. Randerston, first vice chairman, and Ed Hayes, third vice

chairman. Standing, from left, are Albright; Travis Bond, secretary, and Sam F. Harrill, second vice chairman. (Staff Photo by Brian Henderson)

## Aminoil concentrating search for oil in Williston Basin

DENVER, Colo. — Winter may occasionally slow the search for domestic energy, but it seldom stops it.

Harsh winter weather is just another obstacle to contend with in the search for oil and gas in the northern part of the country.

Increasingly, that search has been concentrated in the Williston Basin, a vast portion of the upper Midwest that includes parts of North and South Dakota, Montana and Canada.

The tremendous petroleum potential of the Williston Basin has been proved time and again by energy companies such as Aminoil USA, which, along with its partners, discovered significant oil deposits at Lone Tree Field in 1978 and at Clear Lake Field in 1977.

These and other discoveries have been made despite winter temperatures which often plunge below zero and winds which whip viciously across the open, rolling landscape, making it difficult for seismic and drilling crews to work efficiently.

Unfortunately, it is during the dead of winter, when these conditions are at their worst, explains Aminoil Geophysicist Marshall Scherba, that most of the work connected with seismic exploration must be done.

"You can't get much done in the summer," explains Scherba, "because farmers have their crops in the field and getting to and from locations where we're doing seismic work will

damage them. In the spring it rains quite a lot and the roads get so soft and muddy that vehicles and equipment can't be moved. That leaves the late fall and winter, when it's vital to make use of every daylight hour when the weather is good."

Despite difficulties imposed by the weather, Scherba estimates that there are currently as many as 50 seismic crews working in the Williston Basin, while five years ago there were probably not more than 1.

This area has established a track record in recent years, notes Scherba, that gives Aminoil and other companies confidence that it will continue to yield significant reserves.

This confidence has led Aminoil to become involved in a major exploration effort in several areas of the basin. In addition to an ongoing seismic program, the company has a drilling rig under contract to drill continuously for a year on prospects which are currently being developed.

The rig has drilled two wells since September of last year and is currently drilling a third in Montana.

"It has taken us a while to become active in the Williston Basin," says Scherba, noting that the company began to do seismic work in 1975. "Progress has been slow because we've found that the seismic data obtained here can be misleading. Many of the prospects we're trying to

identify are very subtle. You need detailed, high quality seismic data to be absolutely certain that you have picked the best location to drill a well."

Geophysicist Ken Grubbs notes that a typical well drilled in the basin can cost \$600,000 or more because it must be drilled deep to reach potentially productive structures and because it will often encounter resistant rock formations.

"We've done our homework, though," he continues, "and are at a point where we feel confident that we know what we're doing up here."

Some of that assurance has come about as a result of significant developments in seismic technology which has made it easier to identify bona fide structures, the Aminoil geophysicists agree.

Pinpointing structures in the Williston Basin is especially important, Grubbs notes, because so many of the prospects are relatively small — in the two to five million barrel range. This means that an exploratory well positioned just marginally off structure may come up dry while another drilled nearby might find oil or gas.

The importance of finding just the right spot to spud a well is one reason geophysicists must get into the field to monitor the progress of seismic work, says Grubbs. "It is the only way to learn for certain whether you're getting good quality data."

So even though it means driving over rutted, snow-covered pastures and braving the frigid blasts of arctic air that sweep in numbing waves across the basin, Aminoil foresees a long-term commitment to the Williston Basin. Or, as Ken Grubbs simply puts it, "We'll be here for a while."

## Global crude yield increases during 1978

TULSA — Global crude production increased slightly to a record 60.3 million barrels per day during 1978, a year that reminded an industrialized world how vulnerable it is to supply interruptions.

During most of 1978, reports the Oil Gas Journal's Feb. 27, issue, crude supply exceeded demand as production increased in the North Sea, Alaska's North Slope, and Mexico. This backed out production in the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries, whose members trimmed prices.

OPEC oil production declined 3.8 percent to average 29.9 million barrels per day.

Conservation efforts in consuming nations yielded to some extent to complacency about oil supply.

Then, at year-end, a political revolution chopped exports from Iran, OPEC's No. 2 producer, the international crude market lost about five million barrels a day, much of it light, low-sulfur oil that many refiners — most of them in the U.S. — desperately need.

Now the so-called crude glut of just a few months ago seems like ancient history.

Countries that relied heavily on Iranian crude are scrambling for other supplies and drawing on storage. Companies are cutting deliveries to customers.

The supply disruption looks a little like the Arab embargo of 1973-74. In fact, U.S. Energy Sec. James Schlesinger has said the Iranian crisis could become worse than the embargo because it could last longer. That may be overstating the problem's dimensions — at least for now.

Iranian problems not withstanding, oil production last year was up in five of seven non-Communist regions. The greatest increase was in Europe, which boosted output 28.1 percent to 1.7 million barrels per day, followed by the U.S., up 6.1 percent to 8.7 million barrels per day, Latin Ameri-

ca up 5.8 percent to 4.8 million barrels per day, Asia-Pacific up 0.6 percent to 2.8 million barrels per day, and Canada up 0.2 percent to 1.3 million barrels per day.

The non-Communist regions with decreasing output in 1978 were the Middle East, down 4.5 percent to 21.1 million barrels per day, and Africa, down 1.6 percent to 6.1 million barrels per day.

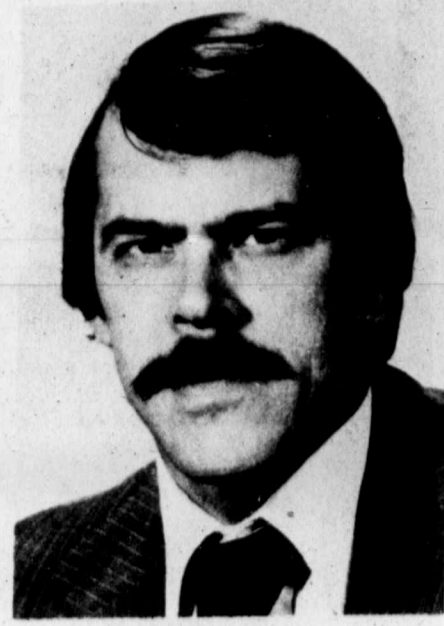
Worldwide Communist production increased 4.9 percent to 13.8 million barrels per day. Output in the Soviet Union — the world's No. 1 producer — averaged 11.428 million barrels per day, up 4.7 percent from the year before. Chinese crude production increased 7.2 percent to 1.917 million barrels per day, and Romanian production 1.7 percent to 1.917 million barrels per day. Other Communist countries produced 110,000 barrels per day.

Consuming nation attention now focuses on the spare productive capacities of exporting countries. Saudi Arabia has the most spare capacity of any nation in the non-Communist world. It is operating under a ceiling of 9.5 million barrels per day during the Iranian crisis — one million barrels per day more than its normal ceiling.

According to the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency, Saudi maximum sustainable productive capacity is 10.4 million barrels per day.

In the U.S., the Iranian cutoff has hurt small refiners who relied on Iranian imports or need light crude. And it has revived industry cries for world crude prices to spur domestic production.

The U.S. government has granted emergency purchase allocations to a number of small refiners and has issued, but not implemented, a standby petroleum product allocation and price program.



Gary A. Trainer

## Manager appointed

Gary A. Trainer has been named manager of Technical Sales for the Midland Division of The Orloff Corp., reports Donald N. Ewan, vice president of Sales.

Trainer has 12 years of engineering and sales experience in the petrochemical, power and manufacturing industries.

In his new post, Trainer is responsible for sales of Orloff's engineering and construction services to the hydrocarbon processing industry.

Trainer received his B.S. degree in Mechanical Engineering from Texas Tech University. Following graduation, he was employed by Collins Radio as a mechanical design engineer. He later worked as an equipment sales engineer for Ingersoll-Rand Co. four years and Bingham-Willamette Co. six years.

Prior to joining Orloff, Trainer was district sales engineer for Ecodyne's MRM Division.

He is a member of the Gas Processors Association and the Process Heat Exchanger Society.

## Judge rules conspiracy

JACKSONVILLE, Fla.

(AP) — A federal jury said Saturday that four Texas oilmen conspired to illegally raise the price of oil sold to the Florida Power Corp. during the fuel crisis of 1973-74, but the jury judge delayed adjudicating guilt.

A fifth defendant, former FPC senior vice president Richard Raymond, 63, was cleared on all charges.

Convicted by the jury on the conspiracy charge and six charges of mail fraud were James R. Clark, 49, John L. Burns, 50, Walter L. Ballard, 59, and Ronald Pruitt, 37, all of the Houston area at the time the oil sales were made.

U.S. District Judge Terrell Hodges ordered pre-sentencing investigations on the four while delaying adjudication. He offered no explanation of the delay. But he has not yet ruled on defense motions for directed verdicts of acquittal.

The government charged the five with conspiring to pass oil shipments through a "daisy chain" of companies, raising prices to enrich themselves, before selling to the St. Petersburg company. Raymond was also accused of taking kickbacks. All

denied the charges.

Related charges of wire fraud were dismissed during the trial, which was held here because of heavy pre-trial news coverage in the St. Petersburg area.

The jury returned the verdict at about 11:30 a.m. after deliberating more than 12 hours over a three-day period.

The four Texans listened impassively as the verdicts were read. Raymond's verdict came last and he, too, remained impassive until he learned of his acquittal. He then shook hands with his lawyer, Ronald Cacciatore of Tampa, and bear-hugged him before going back to his impassive stance.

Part of the charges against Raymond had stemmed from a letter he wrote to Houston oil

broker Ray Granlund, authorizing him to accept payments for any oil located for Florida Power. Asked why he ever wrote the letter, he replied: "We needed oil, and we had to get it."

When asked if he would write such a letter again, he said "the situation is different now, and I don't know what I'd do."

Asked about his future, Raymond responded quickly: "I'm going to be fully retired, just like I was before."

The four Texans remained free on bond.

Two other men indicted in the case weren't in court. Angel Perez, 70, former FPC president, pleaded guilty to a count of conspiracy and testified for the government. The trial of Granlund, 72, was severed because he was ill. He is due for trial later.



Eunice E. Chapman

## Retirement revealed

Eunice E. Chapman, staff assistant in the Midland Region office of BJ-Hughes Inc., has announced her retirement.

She joined the company in 1956 and has held the positions of secretary and region clerk. She was promoted to staff assistant in 1977.

She has authored several manuals used within the company.

Mrs. Chapman is a graduate of Oklahoma State University with degrees in Business Administration and Commercial Education.

The Chapmans moved to Midland in 1942 from Stillwater, Okla.

## Crutchfield quits firm after 42 years service

T. J. Crutchfield of Midland, head of El Paso Natural Gas Co.'s Permian Division since 1965, has retired after more than 42 years with the company.

R. H. Barnett, also a resident of Midland, succeeded Crutchfield as division superintendent. Division headquarters are in Midland.

Born in Admiral, Texas, and reared in Clyde, Crutchfield has been a resident of West Texas — and an employee of El Paso Natural — most of his life.

He directed gas pipeline activities for El Paso in an area that is geographically as large as New York, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, Vermont and Massachusetts combined.

The Permian Division is one of three El Paso Natural operating divisions.

Crutchfield began his career with El Paso Natural soon after the company was founded. "The company's first pipeline was laid in 1929 in what is now the Permian Division, he said. "It ran from Jal, N.M., to El Paso. At that time, the gas supply for this line came from eight wells located within five or six miles of Jal."

"I joined the company in 1936 as an oiler at Compressor Station No. 1, near Malaga, N.M. The station is closed down now," Crutchfield said. "The next year he was promoted to operator and transferred to Compressor Station No. 4 near Gage, N.M. He stayed there until he went into the Seabees in 1942."

Three years later, Crutchfield returned to Jal Plant No. 1 as chief maintenance mechanic. In succeeding years he has occupied posts of increasing responsibility, including compressor engineer, assistant division compressor superintendent, division compressor superintendent, assistant division superintendent, and, since 1965, division superintendent.

Today the division obtains gas from more than 40,000 oil and gas wells,



T. J. Crutchfield

and there are several thousand miles of pipeline of various sizes comprising the gathering and transportation system," Crutchfield said. "Fifty-six plants condition and compress the gas for shipment to market."

The division's 1,300 employees work in an area that stretches from the Pecos River on the west to Kansas on the north, and as far south and east as the pipeline system extends — to the J.M. field on the south and beyond Sonora on the east.

Crutchfield has been active in industry associations and organizations. His memberships include Natural Gas Processors of America, Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, Southern Gas Association, American Gas Association, Independent Petroleum Association of America, and Natural Gas Men of the Permian Basin.

He also has served on the Permian Basin Oil Show board of directors, and is a Mason, a Shriner and past master of Masonic Lodge No. 65 in Jal.

## Iranian oil on move

NEW YORK (AP) — A supertanker loaded with Iranian oil — the nation's 15th largest oil company with sales totaling \$5.4 billion last year, were tight-lipped about how they negotiated with the Iranians, saying only that the government's oil company had "selected it."

Ashland said Friday it has become the first American company to resume buying oil from Iran. It said its tanker would be loaded Wednesday.

The tanker's destination has not yet been determined, Ashland chairman Orin E. Atkins said in a telephone interview from Houston.

The oil agreement is an apparent coup for Ashland, which is not a member of the 14-company consortium that marketed 80 percent of Iran's oil for the past 25 years.

Earlier this week, Hassan Nazih, the new Iranian oil chief, said Iran no longer would deal with the consortium, whose members include British Petroleum, the Royal Dutch-Shell Group of Companies and Exxon Corp.

But he said the government-owned National Iranian Oil Co. was prepared to deal with foreign oil companies individually. The country's oil industry has been shut down or on limited production for four months.

Officials of Ashland, the major oil companies are now paying to obtain crude supplies.

The basic Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries price is \$13.35 a barrel for light crude oil from Saudi Arabia. OPEC prices normally fluctuate around this benchmark on the basis of quality and on demand in the spot market.

However, because of the Iranian oil shutdown, several oil producers have boosted prices by 5 percent to 10 percent above the base level.

Prices in the spot market for crude oil, where the small amount of oil not covered by long-term contracts is traded, have risen above \$20 a barrel recently, as buyers tried to make up for shortages caused by the loss of Iranian oil supplies.

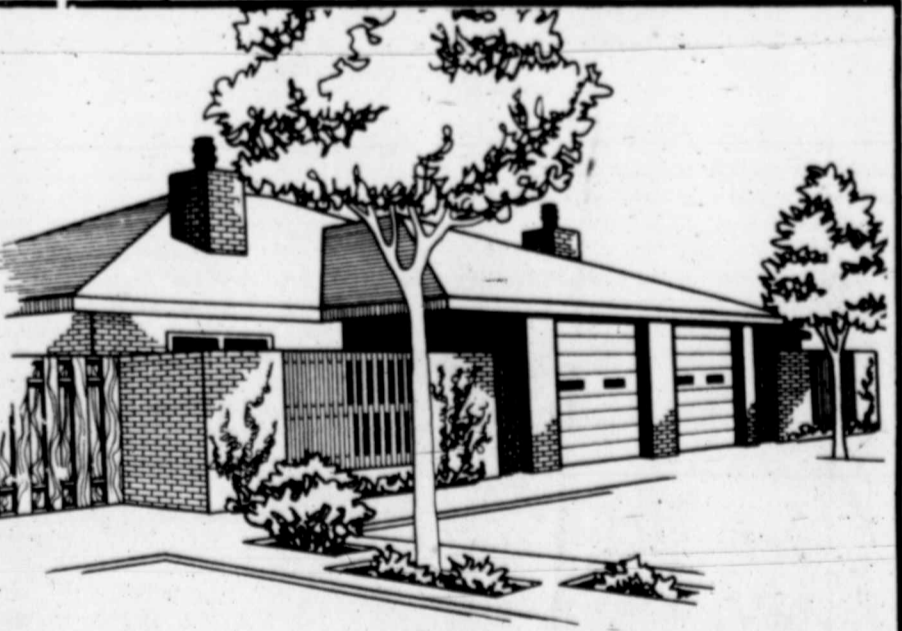
Before the shutdown, Iran produced 10 percent of the world's oil and 5 percent of the U.S. oil supply.

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# Oil Industry Notes

**FINDLAY, Ohio** — James F. Huff, advanced senior geophysicist in the Houston Offshore Exploration District for Marathon Oil Co., has been appointed Houston division geophysicist.

Ronald E. Pohle, senior geophysicist, Houston Offshore Exploration District, has been named Houston onshore district geophysicist.

**MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.** — Apache Corp. announced its board of directors has named Raymond Plank chairman of the oil and gas exploration firm. Plank, who had been president of Apache since its founding in December 1954, will remain chief executive officer.

The board also elected John A. Kocur, former executive vice president, to succeed Plank as president and serve as chief operating officer.

**SHREVEPORT, La.** — Crystal Oil Co.'s board of directors has elected James W. Doyal and Donald R. Neumeyer to the new position of assistant vice president.

Doyal becomes assistant vice president with responsibility for Crystal's Energy Regulation Compliance Division. He was formerly manager of ERC.

Neumeyer becomes assistant vice president with responsibility for Crude Oil/Gas Liquids Supply. He joined Crystal in Sept. 1978 as manager of Crude Oil Purchases and Sales.

**HOUSTON** — Richard B. Hohlt has been appointed assistant vice president and exploration manager in charge of the Houston district office of Border Exploration Co.

Additions to the staff for the Houston office are Joe O. Wolfe, Houston District geologist; Hugh W. Heidrick, Dallas District geologist; K.C. Whittemore, geologist; Joe Samuels, senior geophysicist; Dan Densford, senior landman; and Carol A. Miller, landman. Ron Brock has been appointed land manager for both the Houston and Dallas districts.

Hohlt, an independent consultant from 1960 until joining Border in 1978, has extensive experience in exploration geology in the Gulf Coast and the Williston Basin.

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**HOUSTON** — Ralph S. O'Connor, president of Highland Resources, Inc., Houston, announces the appointment of Richard J. Callaway as manager of exploration.

Callaway's past affiliations have been with Aminoil, Burmah, Signal and Chevron.

**HOUSTON** — Technical Drilling Tools, Inc., has announced the appointment of Lowell Montgomery as vice president of finance and Herbert Brooks Jackson Jr. as product engineer.

Montgomery served most recently as controller for the Johnson Division of Schlumberger. Jackson was product engineer for Drlico Division of Smith International, Inc., before joining Technical Drilling.

**HOUSTON** — Frank Richardson has retired from Monsanto Co. after serving since 1963 as director of the company's Production and Exploration Department in Houston. He has been succeeded by Frederic A. Tietz.

The company also announced that in a reorganization of the exploration function, effective March 1, all domestic exploration encompassing the lower 48 states, Canada and offshore Gulf of Mexico, will be headed by a domestic exploration director, and all other exploration will be headed by an international exploration director.

J. William Soderman, chief geologist, has been appointed to head domestic exploration, and V. M. Basil, exploration manager, international, has been appointed to the international post. Basil is a former resident of Midland where he served as regional manager.

**DALLAS** — Texas Oil & Gas Corp. has announced the promotion of Gary W. Judd to District Drilling Engineer for the Gulf Coast District in Corpus Christi. He joined the company in January 1978 as a drilling engineer. He received a bachelors degree from Texas Tech University.



Sherman L. Callaway



A. D. Kloxin

## Service awards made

Atlantic Richfield Company has presented service awards to two of its West Texas employees.

A. D. Kloxin of Midland, district production and drilling superintendent in the Production & Drilling, North-Midland, was given a 30-year award Thursday by C. E. Cardwell Jr., vice president.

He was employed by the company March 1, 1949, in East Texas. He held assignments in Corpus Christi and Dallas before serving eight years in Casper, Wyo., and 11 in Roswell, N. M. He moved to Midland in 1972 as district production and drilling superintendent.

Sherman L. Callaway of Denver

City, truck driver in the Administration-Materials department, was honored for 25 years service with the company. His presentation was made recently at a safety meeting in Denver City by Ron Adams, material supervisor—North Area.

Callaway started his career with the company Dec. 14, 1953, at Freer as a roustabout. He served at Aransas Pass and in Corpus Christi and other cities in that area. He moved to Odessa in 1956 and in 1959 was transferred to Farmington, N.M. as a lease pumper. After an 8-month stint in Casper, he moved back to Farmington where he remained 10 years. He moved to Denver City in 1970.

## Alaska high on taxes

**JUNEAU (AP)** — An industry-sponsored study has concluded that Alaska again ranks highest in the nation for taxes on petroleum production — and that the gap has widened since a study last year.

The Alaska Oil and Gas Association-commissioned study said that the state taxes are about 65 percent steeper than the average of eight oil producing states surveyed.

It also said that the second-highest taxing state, Louisiana, had a burden of 75 percent of Alaska's annual oil taxes.

The study was done by the Arthur Andersen & Co., an international accounting firm, under the direction of Robert L. Moore, who says he has spent 25 percent of his career in oil and gas exploration, development and production and pipeline or utility industries.

The Senate Resources Committee was given a briefing on the study Friday, but members had few immediate questions.

According to the report, the corporate income tax passed by the last Legislature, and passage of Proposition 13 in California contributed to the 30 percent jump in Alaska's lead over the average of the other states since last year's study.

The study was based on taxes which would be paid by the major owners of the Prudhoe Bay field and trans-Alaska pipeline over a 25-year period. Alaska was compared to California, Louisiana, New Mexico, Kansas, Wyoming, Oklahoma and Texas.

In the 1978 study, California's taxes were 92 percent or 95 percent, depending on whether inflation in the price of oil or expenses was considered.

This year, the figures dropped to 50 percent and 42 percent, respectively. Texas taxed 54 percent of the Alaska level, the report said, while the other four states taxed between 60 and 64 percent of Alaska's rate.

"When reviewing the non-inflated studies alone, Alaska's total tax burden increased approximately 14.1 percent in the updated study, due to the income tax in Alaska increasing by \$1.8 billion, and the ad valorem tax (lower valuation for the pipeline) decreasing by about \$225 million," the study said.

"California's total tax burden, on the other hand, decreased by approximately 37.6 percent in the updated study due to Proposition 13 both lowering the ad valorem tax rate by more than one-half and limiting the effect of inflation on the valuation of property, including oil reserves, to 2 percent a year through 1982."

The study did not include Alaska's royalty oil tax of 12.5 percent, because Moore said it is looked at as a cost of a

Two new courses are being offered by the Permian Basin Graduate Center — "Principles of Oil and Gas Law," and "Stratigraphy of the Permian Basin."

"Principles of Oil and Gas Law" will be a five-session course from 7 to 10 p. m. Tuesdays from March 6 to April 3 in the PBGC Building, 105 W. Illinois St., Midland.

Corby Considine, attorney with Cotton, Bledsoe, Tighe & Morrow, will coordinate the course which will be team-taught by local lawyers who specialize in the different aspects of law.

The course is designed for geologists, petroleum engineers, independents, landmen, accountants, brokers and others who need to understand more of the legal aspects of the petroleum industry.

Tom R. Scott, with Bullock, Scott & Neisig, will present the first session on Oil and Gas Leases. Topics to be covered will include royalty and overriding royalty interests, commonly used oil and gas lease forms, lease terms, division and transfer orders, royalty provisions and implied covenants.

The other sessions will cover Rights in Property, Common Title Problems, Regulation of Investment in Oil and Gas, and Oil and Gas Taxation.

Fee for the course is \$125, or \$30 for individual sessions.

Stratigraphy of the Permian Basin" will be offered in six sessions from 7 to 10 p. m. Tuesdays from March 6 through April 10 in the PBGC Building.

The instructor will be Mary Louise Rhodes, consulting geologist-stratigrapher.

The course is a study of major stratigraphic intervals in the Permian Basin.

A compiled bibliography that relates the economic development of the Permian Basin to the geologic principles and interpretations that are made of the rocks will be given.

Miss Rhodes received her B.A. and M.A. degrees from The University of Missouri. Her experience while employed by Standard Oil Co. of Texas and Chevron Oil Co. include stratigraphic studies that recognized criteria for interpreting geologic history and thus delineated and often extended potential fairways for exploration.

She retired from Chevron in 1978 and now resides in Midland.

Fee for the course is \$150.

## Government, industry at odds over situation

By RICHARD BILL

**TOKYO (AP)** — The Japanese government and some petroleum industry officials are at odds over the seriousness of the current oil situation to their nation, which imports 99.7 percent of its energy needs. The government is optimistic; industry men are not.

"We see the situation as 'tis and it's not as serious as some people might claim," said a Foreign Ministry official, who declined use of his name. "Of course, we will have to use up some of our oil stockpile, but that's what emergency supplies are there for."

Japan was one of the nations which had a big stake in Iran's oil, supplies of which have been drastically cut because of the upheavals that led to the ouster of the shah and the installation of an Islamic revolutionary regime there.

Petroleum industry sources claim the Japanese government is overly optimistic and say serious shortages might not be far off if the government doesn't come to grips with the situation.

Yoshiharu Fujiya, finance chief of Nippon Petroleum, said: "I'm very scared because I fear another oil shock. The signs are there."

He added that Japan has supplies to last until next fall and that by next winter, when domestic demand is at its peak, serious shortages could arise.

"I can see another oil crisis coming," Fujiya said. "Japan is having to look for alternative sources of supply and shipments are being delayed by one month and sometimes more. Coupled with that prices will skyrocket."

The government has allotted funds in its budget for the new fiscal year to print ration coupons for gasoline and kerosene. But a spokesman for the Japan Petroleum Association said he doubts they'll be needed.

"The government is preparing itself for the worst possible emergency, just in case," he said. "Those coupons will never be used, though. The public wouldn't know what to do with them. The last time we experienced rationing was in World War II and I doubt if it'll ever happen again."

Having persistently stated earlier there would be no need to dip into the nation's 85-day emergency stockpile, the government now says it will have to use up about 10 days' worth to get through March.

Selichi Kondo of Japan's Natural Resources and Energy Agency said there is no cause for alarm but "it's going to be a very tight winter."

Japan, which got 20 percent of its

petroleum needs from Iran before strife there halted exports, has managed to make up the difference, mostly with increased purchases from Saudi Arabia, Kuwait and the United Arab Emirates, all in the Persian Gulf area. Iran has provided about 4 percent.

Japan's total crude oil imports for this year's first quarter, 70 percent of which comes from the Middle East and the rest from Indonesia, will total 456.35 million barrels, short of the target of 460.25 million barrels.

But a decision by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries to allow its member countries to hike the price of oil separately could affect the Japanese.

Japan's oil industry already has passed to the consumer a 14.5 percent price increase by OPEC which took effect Jan. 1. The four-phase price hike will raise the base price of oil to \$14.54 a barrel by Oct. 1.

Any moves by OPEC to push prices up even further could be "disastrous" for Japan, industry officials said.

The government has put into effect a voluntary conservation campaign, asking consumers to turn out lights and cut down on Sunday driving, but so far it has not placed any restraints on industry.

## Udang pool yield starts

**JAKARTA, INDONESIA** — Continental Oil Co. has announced the start of crude oil production from the Udang field, the first commercial production in the Natuna (South China) Sea.

The first development well, the 1-A Udang, has been completed and currently is producing 39 degree gravity, low sulfur crude at rates in excess of 5,000 barrels per day.

When the drilling of eight other producing wells is completed later this year, the planned production rate for the unit is expected to be 20,000 barrels per day.

The Udang field is located about 200 miles northeast of Singapore and more than 600 miles north of Jakarta. Because of the remoteness of the location, the unusual project combines production and offshore storage facilities.

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## Refinery runs increase

**AUSTIN**—Texas refineries processed 1,730,135,582 barrels of crude oil and hydrocarbon blends in 1978, according to their reports to the Railroad Commission.

This volume compares with 1,709,198,235 barrels in the previous year, the Commission's Administrative Services Division reported in a recapitulation of Texas refinery operations.

Texas refineries ran 1,595,947,513 barrels of crude oil last year, up from 1,461,929,064 barrels in 1977.

Products manufactured in 1978 totaled 1,726,615,055 barrels against 1,709,198,235 barrels, up from 685,584,818 barrels in the previous year. Output of home heating oil in 1978 amounted to 141,302,220 barrels, down from 172,473,425 barrels in 1977.

Fifty-seven Texas refineries processed 156,764,215 barrels of crude oil and hydrocarbon blends during December 1978. This volume compares with 146,758,313 barrels in the previous December. Inputs of crude oil and blends totaled 141,598,658 barrels in November 1978.

The refineries ran 131,773,791 barrels of crude oil in December compared to 125,645,640 barrels in December 1977 and 127,704,915 barrels in November 1978.

Products manufactured in December 1978 totaled 156,218,826 barrels, up from 147,766,948 barrels in the same month the previous year, and up from 150,663,826 barrels in November 1978.

December 1978 manufacture of motor gasoline totaled 66,321,287 barrels, compared to 59,014,696 barrels in the year-earlier month and 63,160,502 barrels in November 1978.

Texas refineries manufactured 12,975,381 barrels of home heating oil in December 1978—a decrease of 1,148,980 barrels from the year-earlier volume. November 1978 output was 14,053,216 barrels.

## Winners announced

The top 10 winners of the first game of the world Series of Exploration sponsored by the Permian Basin Graduate Center have been revealed.

They are: 1. Tom Oglesby, Exxon; 2. Neils Voldseth, Monsanto; 3. Herb Redders, Union Texas; 4. Saeed Afghahi, Ralph Viney & Associates.

And, 5. Mike Rhodes, Gulf; 6. Melanie Fuller, MGF; 7. Robert Richards, Union Texas; 8. Bill Dollar, Union Texas; 9. Allan Driggs, Union Texas, and 10. Jamie Thompson, Exploration Graphic.

They are the top finishers in the first of a three-game series to determine the winner of the \$1,000 J. C. Williamson "Young Explorationist of the Year" award.

The winner of the series will be the player who has the best collective standing at the end of the three games.

Starting with \$1 million, Oglesby was able to run it up to \$3,031,932 over the five-week period, after paying 25 percent of his profits weekly in capital gains tax and a \$50,000 per week overhead charge.

He had six winning bids, drilled four wildcats with a 50 percent success ratio, and drilled nine production development wells out of 10.

## ARCO cuts deliveries

**LOS ANGELES** — Atlantic Richfield Co. announced that, primarily because of the loss of Iran as a source of crude oil, it now is necessary to allocate available supplies of gasoline to its customers on a basis of 95 percent of their entitlement.

In addition, diesel fuel, heating oil and kerosene is being limited to minimum contract volumes.

The shutdown of Iranian exports has cut off nearly 100,000 barrels per day of Atlantic Richfield's normal supply sources, a loss of almost 12 percent of the 800,000 barrels-per-day capability of the company's refineries, said George Babikiam, senior vice president of ARCO Petroleum Products Co., a division of Atlantic Richfield.

"We have been able to maintain the refinery production at near normal levels by drawing down our own crude oil inventories," he noted, "but these inventories are now approaching minimum levels."

"Fortunately, we are in the final period of the winter heating season and our heating oil output should see us through," Babikiam said. "Therefore, we are beginning to maximize gasoline production in an effort to build as much gasoline inventory as possible for the summer season."



W. M. Hiddleston

## Hiddleston promoted

**ODESSA** — W. M. Hiddleston has been promoted to group vice president-Operations by Oil Industries Manufacturing and Engineering in Odessa.

Hiddleston joined OIME as vice president-Manufacturing in 1976. In his new position, he will coordinate the activities of the manufacturing, engineering, purchasing and rig-up departments.

He has 23 years experience in manufacturing operations and is a registered professional engineer. He holds a B.S. degree in Engineering from Oklahoma State University.



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# Projects, wells reported in Basin

Cola Petroleum, Inc., of Midland No. 1-30 Turner has been completed as the second Canyon reef well in the Ackerly, North (Canyon Reef, Cisco, Spraberry and Dean) field of Dawson County, seven miles southeast of Midway.

Operator reported a daily pumping potential of 83 barrels 42-gravity oil and 30 barrels of water per day, through perforations from 9,056 to 9,062 feet after 2,500 gallons of acid.

Location is 1,320 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 30, block 33, T-4-N, T&P survey.

The well is two and one-quarter miles northeast of the other Canyon reef well.

## BELCO TEST

The Block 49 (2450 oil) pool of Reagan County gained a new well with the completion of Union Oil Co. of California No. 1-49-7 University.

The well finished on the pump for a daily potential of 55 barrels of 32.4-gravity oil, no water, through perforations from 2,442 to 2,514 feet. The gas-oil ratio is 1,309-1.

The pay was treated with 2,200 gallons of acid and fractured with 12,000 gallons.

Total depth is 2,530 feet and 4.5-inch casing is set on bottom.

Location is 2,173 feet from south and 1,667 feet from west lines of section 7, block 49, University Lands survey and eight miles southeast of Big Lake.

## RE-ENTRY TEST

Indian Wells Oil Co. of Ozona announced plans to re-enter a depleted Devonian well in the Jones Ranch, South area of Gaines County and attempt to complete it as a San Andres well.

The re-entry is 3/4 mile southeast of the southernmost of the two wells in the Jones Ranch, South (San Andres) field.

Originally completed from the Devonian at total depth of 11,236 feet, the project, No. 1 Jones Heirs and others, is 1,430 feet from north and 1,180 feet from east lines of section 10, block A-7, psi survey. It will be tested above 5,800 feet.

## HOCKLEY TRY

Burk Royalty Co. of Wichita Falls spotted location for an east offset to one of the two wells in the R&A (Clear Fork oil) pool of Hockley County, six miles east of Levelland.

Slated as No. 1 Schied, it is 660 feet from north and west lines of labor 5, league 16, Howard County School Land survey and six miles east of Levelland.

Contract depth is 6,400 feet.

## MARTIN WELL

MGF Oil Corp. of Midland No. 1-31 Epley is a new well in the Spraberry Trend Area field of Martin County, two miles northwest of Lenorah.

The operator reported a daily pumping potential of 66 barrels of 37-gravity oil and 88 barrels of water, through perforations from 8,928 to 9,117 feet and from 8,412 to 8,509 feet. The gas-oil ratio is 2,621-1.

The upper set was fractured with 60,000 gallons. The lower set was acidized with 2,000 gallons and fractured with 60,000 gallons.

Total depth is 9,220 feet and 4.5-inch casing is cemented on bottom. The plugged back depth is 9,180 feet.

Well site is 660 feet from north and 1,120 feet from west lines of section 31, block 36, T-2-N, T&P survey.

## FOUR WELLS

RK Petroleum Corp. of Midland reported potential tests on four wells in the Calvin (Dean) field of Reagan County.

The No. 1 Pan-Am was completed for a 24-hour pumping potential of 90 barrels of 39.6-gravity oil and 40 barrels of water, through perforations from 8,254 to 8,443 feet after 2,000 gallons of acid and 100,000 gallons of fracture solution.

Total depth is 8,750 feet and 4.5-inch casing is set on bottom.

The gas-oil ratio is 700-1.

Location is 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 23, block 37, T-5-S, T&P survey and four miles east of Midkiff.

RK No. 2 Pan-Am was finished on the pump for 120 barrels of 39.6-gravity oil and 20 barrels of water, through perforations from 8,287 to 8,472 feet. Gas-oil ratio is 766-1.

The pay was acidized with 2,000 gallons and fractured with 200,000 gallons.

Total depth is 8,750 feet and 4.5-inch pipe was landed on bottom.

Location is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 23, block 47, T-0-S, T&P survey and four miles east of Midkiff.

RK Petroleum completed its No. 3 Stanolind for a 24-hour pumping potential of 45 barrels of 39.6-gravity oil and 20 barrels of water, through perforations from 8,247 to 8,435 feet after 2,000 gallons of acid and 99,950 gallons of fracture solution.

The gas-oil ratio is 888-1.

Operator drilled to 8,750 feet and set 4.5-inch casing at total depth.

Well site is 1,980 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 23, block 37, T-5-S, T&P survey and four miles east of Midkiff.

RK Petroleum No. 4 Stanolind was completed on the pump for a daily potential of 30 barrels of 39.6-gravity oil and 10 barrels of water, through perforations from 8,276 to 8,462 feet. The gas-oil ratio is 800-1.

The pay zone was acidized with 2,000 gallons and fractured with 99,670 gallons.

Total depth is 8,750 feet and 4.5-inch casing is set on bottom.

The well is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 23, block 37, T-5-S, T&P survey and four miles east of Midkiff.

## SAXON WELL

Saxon Oil Co. of Midland No. 2-16-58 University has been added as a well to the Spraberry Trend Area field of Reagan County, 22 miles northwest of Big Lake.

It finished for a daily pumping potential of 38 barrels of 40-gravity oil and 124 barrels of water, through perforations from 6,478 to 8,043 feet. The pay was acidized with 1,000 gallons and fractured with 45,000 gallons.

The gas-oil ratio is 1,025-1.

Total depth is 8,202 feet and 4.5-inch pipe was landed on bottom.

Location is 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 16, block 58, University Lands survey.

## BLOCK 49

The Block 49 (2450 oil) pool of Reagan County gained a new well with the completion of Union Oil Co. of California No. 1-49-7 University.

The well finished on the pump for a daily potential of 55 barrels of 32.4-gravity oil, no water, through perforations from 2,442 to 2,514 feet. The gas-oil ratio is 1,309-1.

The pay was treated with 2,200 gallons of acid and fractured with 12,000 gallons.

Total depth is 2,530 feet and 4.5-inch casing is set on bottom.

Location is 2,173 feet from south and 1,667 feet from west lines of section 7, block 49, University Lands survey and eight miles southeast of Big Lake.

## CANYON WELL

HNG Oil Co. of Midland No. 2-58 Clark is a new gas well in the Sawyer (Canyon) field of Schleicher County, 7.5 miles southwest of Eldorado.

It finished for a calculated, absolute open flow potential of 4,300,000 cubic feet of gas per day, with a gas-liquid ratio of 210,000-1. Gravity of the condensate is 65.3 degrees.

Completion was through perforations from 6,808 to 6,980 feet after 42,000 gallons of fracture solution.

Total depth is 7,142 feet and 4.5-inch casing is cemented at 7,079 feet.

The well is 2/3 mile northwest of other Canyon gas production and 933 feet from north and east lines of section 58, block D, GC&SF survey.

## TERRY TEST

Texland, Rector & Schumacher of Fort Worth finished a pair of wells in the Warhorse (upper Clear Fork) pool of Terry County.

The No. 3 Elvice Duncan, in the south side of the pool, finished for a 24-hour pumping potential of 58 barrels of oil and 33 barrels of water, through perforations from 6,658 to 6,822 feet. The gravity of the oil is 31 degrees, and the gas-oil ratio is 310-1.

The pay was acidized with 16,000 gallons.

Total depth is 6,900 feet and 4.5-inch casing is set on bottom.

Location is 2,227 feet from north and 2,400 feet from west lines of section 25, block D-11, SK&K survey, abstract 291.

Texland, Rector & Schumacher No. 4 Ethyl Young, in the northeast edge of the pool, was finished for a daily pumping potential of 63 barrels of 30-gravity oil and 30 barrels of water, through perforations from 6,594 to 6,826 feet. The pay was acidized with 16,000 gallons.

Total depth is 6,925 feet and 4.5-inch pipe is set at 6,925 feet.

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## UPTON WELL

South Ranch Oil Co. and A. G. Kaspar of Midland No. 2 Amacker has been completed in the Amacker Tippet, South (Devonian oil) pool of Upton County, 11 miles northwest of Rankin.

It completed for a 24-hour flowing potential of 162 barrels of 67-gravity oil, no water, through a 12/64-inch choke and perforations from 10,841 to 11,333 feet after 8,000 gallons of acid and 120,000 gallons of fracture solution.

Total depth is 11,600 feet and 5.5-inch casing is set on bottom. The plugged back depth is 11,562 feet.

The fifth well in the field, it is one location south of other Devonian production.

The well site is 1,850 feet from north and 2,830 feet from east lines of section 99, T. C. Jones survey.

## CROCKETT WILDCATS

One of the Crockett wildcats is J. Cleo Thompson of Dallas No. 1-27 University, a 9,000-foot Ellenburger gas wildcat 28 miles northeast of Ozona.

The prospector is 1.5 miles southeast of the one-well Big Fire (Ellenburger gas) field and two and one-quarter miles southeast of the one-well Block 38 (Ellenburger oil) pool.

Location is 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 27, block 38, University Lands survey. There is an 8,500-foot failure one and five-eighths miles to the southwest.

The other two new Crockett wildcats will be drilled by Methane Gas Co. of Dallas. Each will be drilled to 3,000 feet.

No. 5 E. G. Baggett is 5/8 mile south of the Baggett (Clear Fork C and B oil and Clear Fork and Canyon gas) field, 18 miles south of Ozona.

The location is 2,123 feet from south and 613 feet west lines of section 2, block NG, GC&SF survey. Ground elevation is 2,309 feet.

The No. 6 E. G. Baggett is 3/4 mile south of

## THOMPSON WELL

J. Cleo Thompson of Dallas No. 6 C. E. Davidson III has been completed as a 7890 Pennsylvania gas well one mile southwest of production from that zone in the Davidson Ranch multipay field of Crockett County.

The well, 5.5 miles southeast of Ozona, was finished for a calculated absolute open flow potential of 680,000 cubic feet of gas per day, through perforations from 7,740 to 7,824 feet. The pay was acidized with 1,000 gallons and fractured with 15,000 gallons.

The gas-liquid ratio is 40,163-1, with gravity of the condensate 55.2 degrees.

Location is 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 51, block GH, GC&SF survey.

## RIAL PROJECTS

Rial Oil Co. of Midland announced locations for a pair of tests in the Farmer (San Andres oil) pool of Crockett County, 11.5 miles southeast of Big Lake.

The No. 3-8 University is 990 feet from south and 2,310 feet from east lines of section 8, block 47, University Lands survey.

No. 4-8 University is 2,310 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines of section 8, block 47, University Lands survey.

Each of the projects will be drilled to 2,200 feet.

## ANDREWS WELLS

Two more wells have been completed in the field and 570 feet from south and 659 feet from west lines of section 2, block NG, GC&SF survey. Ground elevation is 2,426 feet.

**EXTENDER FINALS**

Southland Royalty Co. of Midland No. 4-67 Todd has been completed to extend the Wyatt (San Andres oil) pool of Crockett County 1/2 mile northeast.

On 24-hour potential test, the well pumped 76 barrels of 32-gravity oil and 10 barrels of water, with a gas-oil ratio of 389-1.

Completion was through perforations from 1,377 to 1,385 feet and from 1,404 to 1,439 feet.

Total depth is 1,637 feet and 5.5-inch casing is set at 1,560 feet.

Location is 1,609 feet from north and 567 feet from west lines of section 67, block UV, GC&SF survey and 17 miles northwest of Ozona.

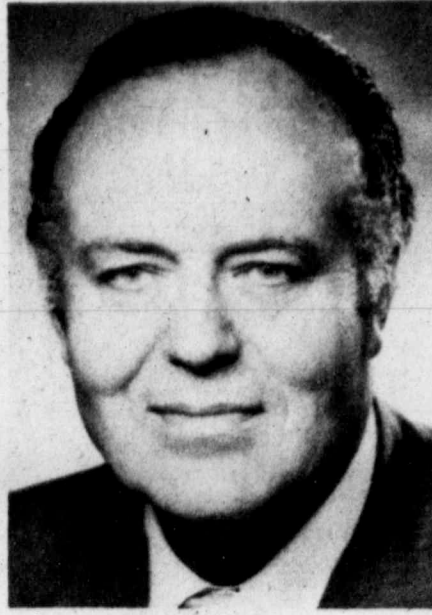
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Dr. Orlo Childs

## Dr. Childs to lecture

Dr. Orlo Childs of Lubbock, past president of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists, will present the program Thursday for the opening of a special paleontological and mineralogical exhibit at the Museum of the Southwest in Midland.

The event will begin at the Blakemore Planetarium at 7:30 p. m. The exhibit will open in the main museum building the same evening.

Dr. Childs is past president of the Colorado School of Mines and currently is a professor of geological and geographical sciences at Texas Tech University.

During several decades of travel in this hemisphere and abroad, Dr. Childs has assembled and selected a collection of slides which particularly well illustrate current geologic processes as they relate to ancient geologic history.

This material, which is broad and informal rather than technical, will make up his program.

Dr. Childs' illustrated lecture and the exhibit will be open to the public free of charge. A museum spokesman said Dr. Childs' presentation is recommended for young students and others who are interested in geology and natural science, as well as those who are geological specialists or professionals.

# New Mexico regions gain tests; wells complete in Upton areas

Gulf Oil Corp. announced location for a 13,100-foot project in the Lusk, North (Morrow) pool of Lea County, N.M., 11 miles south of Maljamar.

One-half mile southwest of production, it is No. 1 Lansdale-Federal Communitized, 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 4-19s-32e.

## HNG PROJECTS

HNG Oil Co. of Midland announced three more 3,600-foot projects in the Comanche Stateline field of Lea County, three miles west of Bennett.

No. 2-9 Wilson-Federal is 660 feet from south and west lines of section 9-26s-36e.

HNG No. 4-9 Wilson-Federal is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 9-26s-36e.

The operator's No. 3-9 Wilson-Federal will be drilled 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 9-26s-36e.

## CHAVES AREA

Coronado Exploration Corp. of Albuquerque, N.M., No. 1-D J. P. White is to be drilled as a 2,500-foot test in the Race Track (San Andres) pool of Chaves County, 22 miles northeast of Dexter.

The project is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 20-10s-28e.

## UPTON WELLS

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Location is 1,980 feet from south and 2,180 feet from east lines of section 43, block 40, T-4-S, T&P survey and 18 miles southeast of Odessa.

Mobil No. 1 TXL-V was completed

for a 24-hour pumping potential of 60 barrels of 34.7-gravity oil and 140 barrels of water, through perforations from 7,688 to 8,088 feet after 7,500 gallons of acid and 100,000 gallons of fracture solution.

The gas-oil ratio is too small to measure.

Total depth is 13,168 feet and plugged back depth is 8,290 feet.

Well site is 660 feet from north and 1,950 feet from west lines of section 47, block 40, T-4-S, T&P survey.

Mobil No. 1305 Pegasus Spraberry was completed on the pump for 36 barrels of oil and 63 barrels of water per day, through perforations from 7,616 to 8,398 feet.

The gravity of the oil is 34.6 degrees and the gas-oil ratio is 528-1.

Total depth is 10,460 feet and the plugged back depth is 8,430 feet.

Location is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 32, block 40, T-4-S, T&P survey and 18 miles southeast of Odessa.

**COX WELL**

John L. Cox of Midland No. 1 Neal Heirs is a new oiler in the Spraberry Trend Area field of Upton County, 12 miles northwest of Rankin.

The operator reported a 24-hour pumping potential of 102 barrels of 40-gravity oil and 21 barrels of water, through perforations from 6,946 to 8,352 feet.

The gas-oil ratio is 690-1.

Operator fractured the pay with 130,000 gallons.

Hole is bottomed at 8,480 feet and 4.5-inch pipe is set at total depth.

Location is 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 21, block B, CCSD&RGNG survey.

## DOE activating part of its allocation plan

DALLAS — The Department of Energy's Economic Regulatory Administration announced that it is activating a limited portion of its standby petroleum product allocation regulations by updating the base period used to allocate motor gasoline.

Under ERA activation order, future monthly gasoline allocations will be based on the amount of gasoline bought by a firm in the corresponding month between July 1, 1977, and June 30, 1978.

The new base period was effective March 1 for three months and may be extended after review and consideration of public comments.

The previous base period was 1972, when gasoline market conditions were substantially different. In its order, the ERA noted that the previous base period tended to favor businesses that have declined in sales volume over those businesses that have grown. Under the previous regulations, growing firms could get an extra allocation for a new retail filling

station, but existing retail stations were denied extra allocation adjustments unless they proved hardship or gross inequity. If gasoline supplies become tight, the stations that have experienced growth would be seriously threatened by continued allocations based on 1972 purchases, the ERA order said.

ERA said the action was taken because of potential gasoline shortages resulting primarily from the interruption in Iranian crude oil production. It will permit continued allocation of motor gasoline to reflect market patterns developed during a recent period of adequate supply.

The order notes that the last of the tankers loaded in Iran and destined for the U.S. are now arriving. Prudent planning requires actions to minimize disruptions that could occur if Iranian and other imported oil supplies are not available in substantially increased quantities in the near future.

# Reopener, wildcats, field operations reported

A field pay has been reopened in Nolan County, wildcat projects have been spotted in Crockett County, and field work has been reported in scattered areas of the Permian Basin.

The Nolan reopener is Champlin Petroleum Co. of Midland No. 2 L. H. Beckman eight miles southeast of Sweetwater.

It reopened Strawn production in the Beckham multipay field when it finished for a daily pumping potential of 40 barrels of 42-gravity oil and 64 barrels of water, through perforations from 5,437 to 5,502 feet after a 1,500-gallon acid treatment.

The gas-oil ratio is 2,450-1.

A re-entry project, No. 2 Beckham is bottomed in the Ellenburger at 6,255 feet. The plugged back depth is 5,545 feet.

Champlin reported the following tops on derrick floor elevation of 2,494 feet: Noodle Creek, 3,372 feet; Tannehill, 3,583 feet; Strawn lime, 5,427 feet; Odom, 5,956 feet; and Ellenburger, 6,129 feet.

Well site is 1,955 feet from north and 2,118 feet from east lines of section 2, block X, T&P survey and one location south of the depleted Strawn discovery.

## WARHORSE AREA

Texland, Rector & Schumacher of Fort Worth finished a pair of wells in the Warhorse (upper Clear Fork) pool of Terry County.

The No. 3 Elvice Duncan, in the south side of the pool, finished for a 24-hour pumping potential of 58 barrels of oil and 33 barrels of water, through perforations from 6,658 to 6,822 feet. The gravity of the oil is 31 degrees, and the gas-oil ratio is 310-1.

The pay was acidized with 16,000 gallons.

Total depth is 6,900 feet and 4.5-inch casing is set on bottom.

Location is 2,227 feet from north and 2,400 feet from west lines of section 25, block D-11, SK&K survey, abstract 291.

Texland, Rector & Schumacher No. 4 Ethyl Young, in the northeast edge of the pool, was finished for a daily pumping potential of 63 barrels of 30-gravity oil and 30 barrels of water, through perforations from 6,594 to 6,826 feet. The pay was acidized with 16,000 gallons.

Total depth is 6,925 feet and 4.5-inch pipe is set at 6,925 feet.

Location is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 17, block D-11, SK&K survey.

It is six miles east of Sundown.

## UPTON WELL

South Ranch Oil Co. and A. G. Kaspar of Midland No. 2 Amacker has been completed in the Amacker Tippet, South (Devonian oil) pool of Upton County, 11 miles northwest of Rankin.

It completed for a 24-hour flowing potential of 162 barrels of 67-gravity oil, no water, through a 12/64-inch choke and perforations from 10,841 to 11,333 feet after 8,000 gallons of acid and 120,000 gallons of fracture solution.

Total depth is 11,600 feet and 5.5-inch casing is set on bottom. The plugged back depth is 11,562 feet.

The fifth well in the field, it is one location south of other Devonian production.

The well site is 1,850 feet from north and 2,830 feet from east lines of section 99, T. C. Jones survey.

## CROCKETT WILDCATS

One of the Crockett wildcats is J. Cleo Thompson of Dallas No. 1-27 University, a 9,000-foot Ellenburger gas wildcat 28 miles northeast of Ozona.

The prospector is 1.5 miles southeast of the one-well Big Fire (Ellenburger gas) field and two and one-quarter miles southeast of the one-well Block 38 (Ellenburger oil) pool.

Location is 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 27, block 38, University Lands survey. There is an 8,500-foot failure one and five-eighths miles to the southwest.

The other two new Crockett wildcats will be drilled by Methane Gas Co. of Dallas. Each will be drilled to 3,000 feet.

No. 5 E. G. Baggett is 5/8 mile south of the Baggett (Clear Fork C and B oil and Clear Fork and Canyon gas) field, 18 miles south of Ozona.

The location is 2,123 feet from south and 613 feet west lines of section 2, block NG, GC&SF survey. Ground elevation is 2,309 feet.

The No. 6 E. G. Baggett is 3/4 mile south of

## THOMPSON WELL

J. Cleo Thompson of Dallas No. 6 C. E. Davidson III has been completed as a 7890 Pennsylvania gas well one mile southwest of production from that zone in the Davidson Ranch multipay field of Crockett County.

The well, 5.5 miles southeast of Ozona, was finished for a calculated absolute open flow potential of 680,000 cubic feet of gas per day, through perforations from 7,740 to 7,824 feet. The pay was acidized with 1,000 gallons and fractured with 15,000 gallons.

The gas-liquid ratio is 40,163-1, with gravity of the condensate 55.2 degrees.

Location is 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 51, block GH, GC&SF survey.

## RIAL PROJECTS

Rial Oil Co. of Midland announced locations for a pair of tests in the Farmer (San Andres oil) pool of Crockett County, 11.5 miles southeast of Big Lake.

The No. 3-8 University is 990 feet from south and 2,310 feet from east lines of section 8, block 47, University Lands survey.

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Each of the projects will be drilled to 2,200 feet.

## ANDREWS WELLS

Two more wells have been completed in the

field and 570 feet from south and 659 feet from west lines of section 2, block NG, GC&SF survey. Ground elevation is 2,426 feet.

**EXTENDER FINALS**

Southland Royalty Co. of Midland No. 4-67 Todd has been completed to extend the Wyatt (San Andres oil) pool of Crockett County 1/2 mile northeast.

On 24-hour potential test, the well pumped 76 barrels of 32-gravity oil and 10 barrels of water, with a gas-oil ratio of 389-1.

Completion was through perforations from 1,377 to 1,385 feet and from 1,404 to 1,439 feet.

Total depth is 1,637 feet and 5.5-inch casing is set at 1,560 feet.

Location is 1,609 feet from north and 567 feet from west lines of section 67, block UV, GC&SF survey and 17 miles northwest of Ozona.

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## CHAVES AREA

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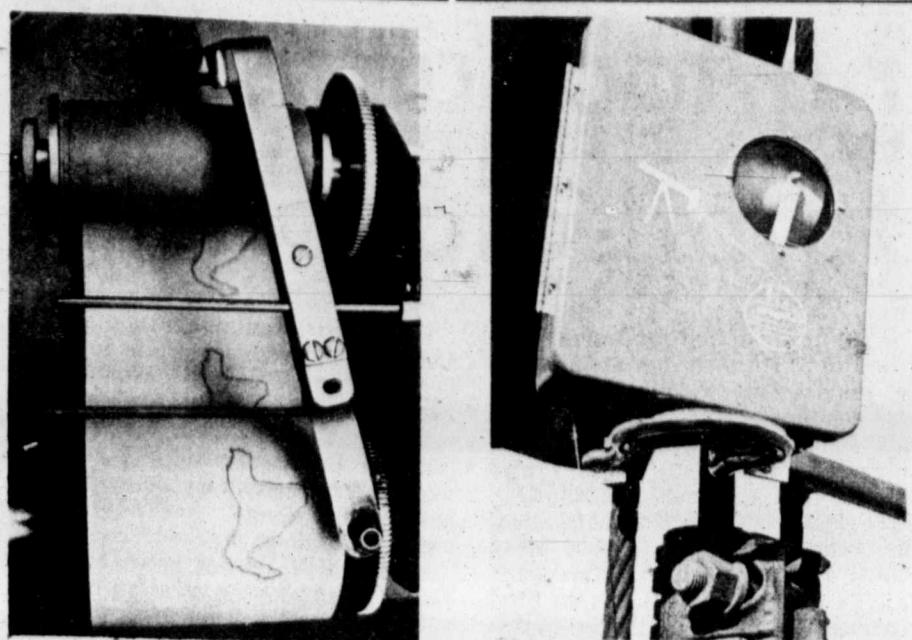
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"The technology exists to make water so pure it is an electrical insulator," a spokesman said. "It's called 18 megohm water, and industry is producing it by the millions of gallons a day."

Such water is used for rinsing semiconductors and microcircuits, where the slightest impurity could spell trouble, he explained.

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## Books stolen

DURHAM, England (AP) — Twenty-one rare books were stolen recently from the University of Durham. Described as priceless, the earliest book was dated 1563.

## Finds safer pasture

YEOVIL, England (AP) — Fed up after ruse-herd to safer pastures made off with 50 of his ewes, farmer Geof-frey Jenkins moved his behind the town's police station.

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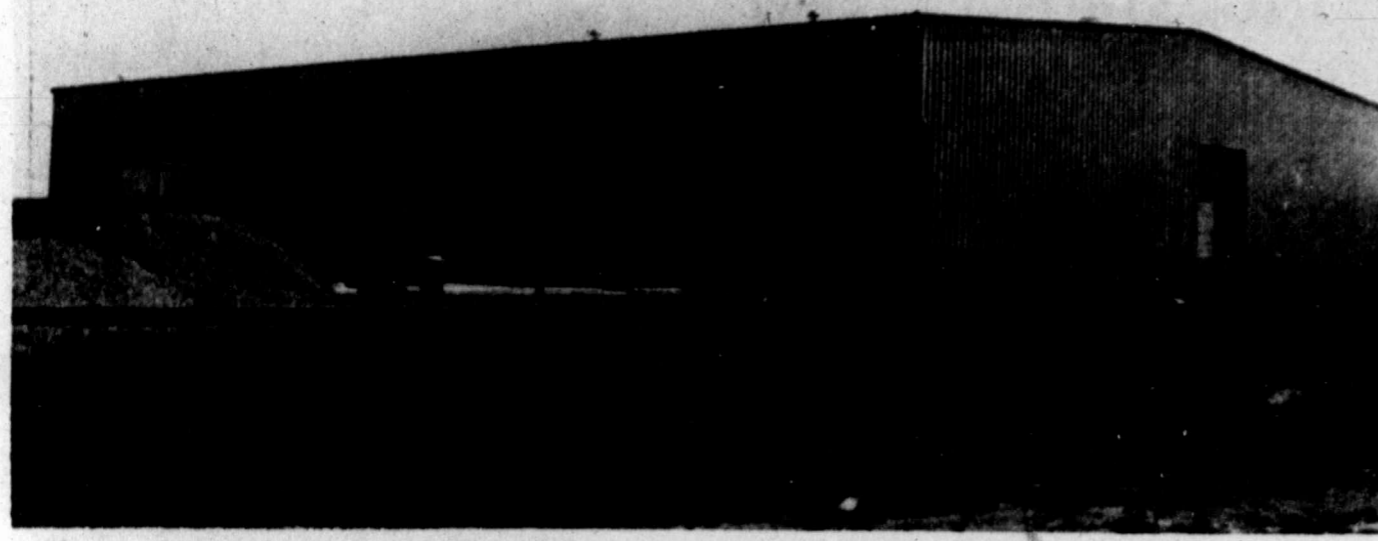
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The new Bancroft Paper Co. office and warehouse in the Midland Industrial Park has won an Award of Excellence in the Stran 1979 Building Design Achievement Awards competition. The

award was presented recently to the builder, Tommy Service General Contractors, Inc., of Odessa. The building was selected from more than 100 worldwide entries.

## Farmers, ranchers could lose important improvement tool

By DON KENDALL  
AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — If the government decides to ban completely a brush-killing chemical called 2,4,5-T, farmers and ranchers will be deprived of a popular tool for improving livestock pastures and rangelands.

A partial ban on 2,4,5-T was announced last week by the Environmental Protection Agency, including elimination of it in forestry because of potential health hazards.

As it has in the past, the Agriculture

Department is continuing to allow 2,4,5-T to be used for clearing brush and weeds from grasslands under the Agriculture Conservation Program which helps them pay for the spraying.

Millions of acres have been treated with 2,4,5-T over the years to rid it of brush and other growth so that livestock can have better grazing.

The ACP, as the program is known, has been available since the mid-1930s to help farmers pay part of the costs of conserving soil and water.

One of the "practices" that has

been available involves the improvement of pastures and rangelands by clearing away competing brush and other vegetation.

Although this can be done mechanically, chemical treatment with 2,4,5-T is generally more economical and just as effective over time.

In recent years, Congress has insisted that ACP be oriented more to practices with conservation and pollution-control benefits. Certain practices that in the past have helped boost crop productivity have been eliminated or curbed.

When the 1979 ACP was announced as a proposal last fall, the practice of helping producers pay for clearing brush was dropped because it was felt by the department that it did not fully meet the conservation-oriented standards.

Vincent Grimes, who works with the program in the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, said that after the proposal to eliminate it last fall "we got a lot of comment on this, with lots of data to substantiate it as a desirable practice" in the program.

As a result, the practice was placed back into ACP for 1979 as a component of "permanent vegetative cover improvement," Grimes said.

But the final decision will rest with state committees of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, he said. If a county unit wants to continue or begin the practice it must supply the state committee with documented evidence that it has merits for saving soil and water in that locality.

Grimes said the controversy about 2,4,5-T was another reason that USDA initially proposed to drop brush-clearing as an approved practice.

Exact figures are not available because the ACP brush-clearing practice has been juggled many times over the years among different approved practices. Also, the agency says it does not make a distinction in its records to show whether payments have been made for spraying pastures with 2,4,5-T or other means of controlling plant growth.

But the most recent figures show that some 85,886 farms and ranches were involved in "permanent cover and rangeland improvement" operations. Almost 2.9 million acres were involved, with federal payments totaling almost \$23.4 million.

Some agency officials have estimated that perhaps 50 percent of the brush control has involved chemicals, notably 2,4,5-T.

The Agriculture Department last week sent a 900-page draft report to the Environmental Protection Agency in which a panel of experts assessed some of the economic impact on agricultural products if 2,4,5-T were banned completely.

The heaviest economic load of a ban on the chemical would be in forestry where it is used to hasten reforestation and to kill competing growth.

On grazing lands, the report said, 2,4,5-T is applied to 1.6 million acres annually to control mesquite and other growth in Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Missouri. It is used also in other states against brush and weeds, but on a "more limited acreage," it said.

If the chemical is banned, producers in the major states where it is used would lose an estimated \$872,000 in the first year, the report said.

The chemical gained notoriety when it was used extensively by U.S. forces — as a component of "Agent Orange" — to defoliate jungle.

"Critics of the herbicide's use in Vietnam contend that in addition to killing plants the herbicide killed people, livestock and wild animals, and caused human birth defects," says a USDA background paper.

"A committee of the National Academy of Sciences investigated these charges in 1974 but could find no conclusive evidence of association between exposure to herbicides and birth defects in humans," the report said.

Further, it said, Agent Orange contained high concentrations of TCDD — a dioxin or impurity formed in the manufacture of 2,4,5-T — of up to 50 parts per million.

It is this impurity that caused cancer, birth defects and the other disorders in laboratory test animals.

The chemical as it is currently manufactured in the United States has 0.1 part per million or less of TCDD, the report said.

## Forecasting tool adds strength to predictions

By KRISTIN GOFF  
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — The government's chief tool for forecasting turning points in the economy added strength to bearish predictions this past week when it registered its largest decline in four years.

The January index of leading indicators tumbled 1.2 percent from the previous month, the largest drop since a 3 percent drop in January 1975 and the third consecutive month the

—The trade deficit for January widened to \$3.1 billion from \$1.75 billion the previous month. But administration economists said the large jump was the result of a new method of computing seasonal factors and didn't reflect a worsening of the U.S. trade posture. Under the old method, the January figures would have shown a slight decline in the trade gap. By either method it was the 32nd consecutive month the United States imported more than it exported.

—The New York Stock Exchange said it hoped to begin trading in financial futures in early 1980 by setting up a subsidiary New York Futures Exchange. The NYSE's announcement follows the American Stock Exchange's move into the field last September. The NYSE said it would seek government permission to trade in futures contracts for government bills, bonds and several foreign currencies. Investors can make or lose money on those when interest rates or exchange rates for currencies change between the time the contract is purchased and the delivery date.

—The Carter administration asked Congress to authorize a standby energy conservation and gasoline rationing plan in the wake of an oil squeeze created by disrupted production in Iran. Carter said he hoped to avoid using mandatory measures to enforce conservation but wanted authority to do so if needed.

Meanwhile, Energy Secretary James Schlesinger said the price of unleaded gasoline could rise to \$1 a gallon in a year and official crude oil prices could reach \$18 a barrel.

—China agreed to pay 41 cents on the dollar to settle about \$196 million in American claims that date back to when the communist government assumed power. The agreement signed by Treasury Secretary Michael Blumenthal at the end of his Peking trip was seen as an important step toward increasing trade between the countries. The largest claim was for \$53.8 million in property seized from the Shanghai Power Co., a subsidiary of Boise Cascade. Congress is expected to pay the balance of the claims, not covered by the Chinese agreements.

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indicator pointed down. Economists have tended to consider three months of consecutive declines as an indication of an economic downturn or coming recession.

But is a recession developing? No, say Carter administration officials.

Yes, say several private economists. However, both camps seem to see the index as a reinforcement of their own views of the future trend of the economy.

Presidential press secretary Jody Powell, talking to reporters after the Commerce Department report came out, said the "figures were consistent with the view that the rate of growth will slow this year, but it is not our view that it signals a recession."

And Gilbert Heebner, executive vice president of the Philadelphia National Bank which previously predicted a recession, said the indicators "are consistent with our recession forecast."

Heebner, who surveyed the accuracy of the indicators in calling recessions, is fast to point out that the index of leading economic indicators has been wrong as often as it was right in predicting a recession.

He surveyed the indicators' performance over the past 30 years and found that 10 times they pointed downward for three months, yet only five times did a recession follow within 12 months.

Heebner acknowledged that his assumptions on a time limit for the forecast could lead others to come up with different results.

But like many economists he sees at least a mild recession developing by mid-year. By definition, a recession is two successive quarters, or six months, in which the economy's output shrinks.

"With the high rate of inflation, it is very hard to follow the cyclical expansion for the last several years without a recession," said Heebner. He argues that the move toward double-digit inflation, with implications for more cautious actions by business and consumers, and more restrictive fiscal and monetary policy, make it unlikely economic growth can slow without tipping into a recession.

Carter administration officials have been trying to slow the growth of the economy from its 6.4 percent jump in the last three months of 1978 in an effort to reduce inflationary pressures. But they subscribe to the theory that the adjustment can be achieved in an orderly and gradual fashion.

For several reasons, the latest reports on the leading economic indicators may be providing confusing signals. Before January's large decline, December's index slipped just 0.1 percent and November's decline was 0.4 percent, the revised government figures show.

The index is based on measurements of 12 economic components including stock prices, business spending, inventories, average work week, building permits and others. But some economists argue that measurement of the money supply, which accounted for about two-thirds of last month's decline, is suspect because new banking procedures may be influencing it.

Commerce Department analysts, aware of the problem, plan to meet next week to discuss the money supply measurement.

Meanwhile, William Cox, department economist, told reporters: "I think it's certainly premature to conclude that the behavior of the index is any clear harbinger of recession."

In other business developments this past week:

## ACS slates McClure talk

The Permian Basin Section of the American Chemical Society will meet Wednesday in the Coors Hospitality Room on U.S. 80 between Midland and Odessa.

Dr. William McClure, a member of the Department of Biological Sciences at the University of Southern California, will be the speaker.

His topic will be "Butterflies of the Soul — A Chemist's View of Mental Illness."

He will discuss the development of chemotherapy since 1950 and its potential for the future.

Reservations can be made by contacting John Chionaki, Odessa, telephone 337-2811 by March 5.

The meeting will get under way with a social hour at 6 p. m. Members are invited to bring guests.

## City records another million-dollar week

Building permit applications continued at a brisk rate last week with more than \$1 million in permits recorded.

The week's total of \$1,563,676 brings the year in building up to \$9,426,751.

Metro Bank has taken out a permit to construct a new building at 3701 LaForce Blvd. at an estimated cost of \$274,726.

Permian Basin Duplicate Bridge Club is putting up a club building at 905 W. Wadley Ave. for \$48,500.

The Salvation Army is having a new building with chapel constructed at 3500 Park Lane for \$374,000. It should have 11,653 square feet.

General Service and Supply is having two new commercial warehouses built at an estimated cost of \$20,000. One will be at 403 S. Terrell St. and the other at 309 S. Terrell St.

Woodcrest Homes Inc. is putting up a commercial building shack at 4607 Debbie Cove for \$2,000. A permit for a new commercial sign costing \$1,500 was taken out by Safeway Grocery Store, No. 6 Plaza Shopping Center.

Jerry Henley is having a commer-

cial portable building constructed at 704 S. Big Spring at a cost of \$13,150.

Another commercial sign permit was issued to Scientific Drilling at 3106 W. Kentucky Ave. The sign should cost \$1,000.

Permits for commercial alterations were issued to Clyde C. White, 500 N. Baird St., \$250,000; Investors Real Estate, 2505 W. Michigan Ave., \$500; Jimmy Smith, 3303 N. Midkiff Road No. 170, \$6,000; Carriage Co., 908 Andrews Highway, \$6,500; Midland Christian School, 2001 Culver St., \$12,000, and Area Builders, 1030 Andrews Highway, \$9,000.

Permits for commercial alterations to rental property were taken out by Doug Peacock for buildings at 207, 209 and 211 W. Gist Ave., \$4,500; 213, 215 and 217 W. Gist Ave., \$4,500, and 1903 and 1905 S. Colorado St., \$3,000.

Permits for new residences were issued to:

Noel Construction Co., 5105 Ashdown Place, \$75,000; Henry Culp, 3200 Travis, \$28,000; Jim Sale, 1425 Lanham, \$95,000; Thomason and Co., Inc., 707 W. Dengar St. No. 52, \$85,000; Woodcrest Homes Inc., 4601 Debbie Cove, \$55,000, and Randy Lee Morris, 1219 Century, \$35,000.

Permits for residential alterations were issued to:

DeWayne Casbeer, 3000 Lanham, \$3,600; Epoch Properties, 4410 Lanham, \$11,000; T.E. Byrne, 402 Alta, \$4,000; G. Simmons, 1605 W. College Ave., \$3,000; T.E. Byrne, 414 Alta, \$6,000; David Stevens, 3512 Travis St., \$6,000; Ric Bush, 1603 W. Louisiana Ave., \$5,000; Don Perryman, 2311 Stanolind St., \$50,000.

Also, D.M. Olliff, 3122 Roosevelt, \$800; James R. Cox, 817 Neely Ave., \$18,000; Mrs. Charles D. Nelson, 1803 McDonald, \$2,000; Agapito Grezman, 1200 S. McKinzie, \$12,500; Dr. Robert Hawkins, 3305 Providence, \$300; Louisa Galindo, 1107 W. New Jersey Ave., \$2,400; John Kimberlin, 1403 W. Storey Ave., \$8,000; Gary D. Fields, 3201 Sentinel, \$1,700; Marvin Hargas, 705 Austin, \$1,500; Olav Sandberg, 3509 Roosevelt, \$1,000, and Steven Russell, 3304 Princeton, \$3,000.

## DOE supports early start for pipeline

BILLINGS, Mont. — "The report of the Department of Energy clearly supports the need for the early construction of the Northern Tier pipeline and spells out some of the large regional and national benefits which will arise from its construction," said Thomas C. Kryzer, president of Northern Tier Pipeline Co.

Kryzer's comments were occasioned by the release by the DOE of a "Draft Report on Petroleum Supply Alternatives for the Northern Tier." The DOE in releasing the report noted that "the need for crude oil in the northern tier states and the inland states is underscored by the Canadian government's announced curtailment of crude oil exports in the early 1980s and by the continued decline of domestic supplies. In addition, there has been a growing surplus of Alaskan North Slope crude oil on the West Coast of the United States."

The DOE report said "the tentative findings indicated that a west-to-east pipeline could transport between 300 and 350 thousand barrels of Alaskan North Slope crude oil to northern tier refineries. Such a pipeline would assist in the disposition of surplus Alaskan crude oil and encourage increased production in California and Alaska."

The report states that a pipeline from the West Coast through the northern tier states could be competitive in delivering foreign crude oil to mid-continent refineries.

In commenting further on the DOE study, Kryzer observed that "while the study provides ample demonstration of the urgent need for Northern Tier pipeline to be built it admittedly fails to address several important areas. First, it fails to emphasize the economic benefits to the northern tier and Midwest states by providing (as required by law) a means of making competitively priced U.S. Alaskan oil available to these states. Such a means does not exist. It is those states with their heavy dependence on foreign crude oil which suffer from 'spot market' prices of \$20 per barrel, or more, caused by such events as the current Iranian crisis."

"Secondly, the report fails to note the significant benefits which will accrue to the consumers in those states from the new competition for crude oil transportation which our pipeline will provide. The study does not address the vital need to secure domestic supplies of petroleum products to our most important agricultural states."

"Neither does the study note the degree of benefits to the nation in providing employment and tax revenues for our nation's citizens. When these issues are fully and properly addressed the merits of our pipeline system will become even more abundantly clear," Kryzer concluded.

## Workshop set at SRSU

ALPINE — Prospective and current small business owners will have the opportunity to discuss business problems and techniques with management consultants during a special workshop at Sul Ross State University Wednesday.

Sponsored by the SRSU Division of Business Administration in cooperation with the Small Business Administration, the program will be staffed by successful businessmen, business department faculty and SBA management assistance consultants.

According to Dr. Ed Marcini, division director, the workshop is designed to provide management information for those who want to go into business and those who are already in business. No educational pre-requisites are required, Marcini said, and the seminar is free.

Workshop topics include personal qualifications, type business and government regulations, sources of capital, merchandising, business plans, business records, financing a business and legal aspects and taxes.

The workshop begins at 9 a.m. at Kokerot Lodge and continues through 5 p.m. Registration may be made by card, letter or telephone. For information contact the Department of Business Administration, SRSU, Alpine, Texas 79830, 915-837-3461, ext. 232.

## Pipeline project set

HOUSTON — A spokesman for the Barbour Energy Co., Inc. announced that the company intends to construct a 20-inch diameter pipeline from its Brownsville Refinery to the vicinity of Houston where it will connect with existing common carriers.

## Conference scheduled

ODESSA — Realtors are invited to a regional conference that will draw members of the Realtor boards of Odessa, Midland, Lamesa, Big Spring and Snyder. The all-day event is scheduled for the Holiday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. March 14.

Sponsored by the Texas Association of Realtors, the conference will bring together real estate leaders from the state and national associations, the Texas Real Estate Commission, and the Texas Real Estate Research Center to update Realtors on subjects of real estate licensing, legislation, trends, and on the research studies now under way that will benefit Realtors and property owners.

"The day-long conference is free to local Realtor members," said Claydene Shreve, Odessa Realtor Board president, "but we're urging everyone to make reservations for the luncheon and to hear George W. Sandlin, Austin, TAR president, speak."

Shreve says there is a \$7.50 charge for the luncheon.

Industry leaders who are presenting the program include: Dr. Donald R. Levi, associate director, TRERC,

Texas A&M University; Don Osborne, Lubbock, regional vice president for Texas-Louisiana National Association of Realtors; Andy James, Austin, TREC administrator; Don Harvey, Midland, TAR vice president; and Ervin W. Luedtke, Austin, TAR executive vice president and Sandlin.

"The functions of the state and national associations, the commission, legislative issues such as the Texas usury ceiling and the suggested clarification of the Deceptive Trade and Consumer Protection Act are some of the subjects that will be included in the discussions."

The deadline for luncheon reservations is March 12. Reservations are now being accepted at the offices of each of the participating Realtor boards.

Joining Shreve in greeting conference guests will be Patsy Medley, president of the Big Spring Realtor board; Jo F. Dennis, Lamesa board president; Joan Ramey, Midland board president, and Si Steinberg, Snyder board president.

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### Border states, Mexico representatives to meet

By BILL KIDD  
Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Industrial developers from Texas and other states bordering Mexico and officials of Mexican government and banking and manufacturing interests will gather in Laredo Monday to talk about attracting new investment to the border area.

Laredo State University is sponsoring the two-day session, billed as the first gathering of its kind.

Both U.S. and Mexican representatives have indicated hopes that the effort will result in attraction of new investment to the area — with an increase in employment for workers in cities both north and south of the international boundary.

Much of the talk is expected to concentrate on the so-called "twin plant" concept, which has been in existence for about a decade and a half.

That program allows establishment of industrial plants on both sides of the border; with assembly of American-made components requiring intensive labor in Mexico, with the finished product being returned on a duty-free or reduced duty basis to the U.S.

Use of the program has been increasing — with electronics firms particularly taking advantage of it — but growth hasn't been to the extent anticipated when the program was initiated.

Moreover, indications last fall were that the Mexican government had soured on the proposition — feeling that Mexico was coming off second-best in the arrangement.

But it now appears interest in the program has been revived, with 25-30 new plants expected to be located along the 1,900-mile Texas-California border during this year.

Not all the interest is from U.S. manufacturers, either; Eastern countries, where labor costs have been rising, also are expected to be showing a greater interest in the area.

However, many larger U.S. firms — including some auto parts makers — are reported to be considering operations there as well.

Already, some 300 companies are engaged in twin-plant operations, with nearly one-third of that number operating in Tijuana.

Joe Durham, director of develop-

ment for Central Power & Light Co., Corpus Christi, will act as representative from the Texas Industrial Commission for the meeting.

Senior citizens, union members and insurance companies are back at one of their perennial squabbles — group auto insurance.

The House Insurance Committee held hearings on three measures on that issue: HB 132, by Gene Green, Houston; HB 429, by Jim Clark, Pasadena; and HB 711, by Bill Blythe, Houston. (The last bill provides for group auto specifically for the elderly.)

Representatives for groups such as American Association of Retired Persons, National Retired Teachers Association and Retired Federal Employees of Texas, argued for the measures.

Also supporting the proposals was the Texas AFL-CIO, with Pres. Harry Hubbard endorsing the group concept, arguing it would lower rates and help the motoring public as a whole, by seeing that more people are insured.

Independent Insurance Agents of Texas and Professional Insurance Agents of Texas argued against the proposals — not, the witnesses said, from any effort to prevent people from getting insurance or lowering the cost of insurance — but because the group approach won't work.

Wade Spilman, representing IAT, argued group auto is "very different" from group life and accident and health plans — and that for group auto to work, Texas would need to go to a "no-fault" auto system.

That, he noted, the Legislature has shown no willingness to do.

Elsewhere, in a related area, numerous skirmishes over worker's compensation measures are taking place, both in the House Employment Practices Committee and in the Senate Worker's Compensation Subcommittee.

That latter panel will have one of the major engagements in that fight involving employers, employees, lawyers, health care providers and insurers when it meets March 12.

Sen. Ray Farabee, who chairs the subcommittee, held an earlier session to determine which of 26 bills then on hand were opposed by those involved.

Only two found agreement — and those agreements dated back to the last session.

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**RINGING THE BELL**

**Author declares Americans taught violence to blacks**

With **BOB TIEUEL**

The Black Experience: Crime and Criminals: In his book "Criminal Violence, Criminal Justice," Charles Silberman says that violent crime is committed by society's outcasts, the poor and left-behind minorities (mostly low-income blacks and Hispanics), who see no stake in preserving the way things are and who see crime as the only way to get one's fair share in an unfair world.

The book has been proclaimed as one of the most thorough and provocative studies ever made of crime in America and has been a sell-out in a number of cities. Dr. Silberman says that blacks commit more crimes than other minorities, who are usually just as poor and suffer just as much discrimination.

Why? The reason does not lie in black genes or "the cultural baggage" blacks carried with them from Africa; the homicide rate in black Africa is about the same as in western Europe, and well below the rate in either white or black America. Indeed, the black American homicide rate is three to five times the black African rate.

"VIOLENCE is something that black Americans learned in this country. They had many teachers; violence has been an intrinsic part of the black American experience from the start," the author states.

Silberman says that for most of their history in this country, blacks were victims, not initiators, of violence. He points out that every other immigrant group came here voluntarily, often illegally, but that blacks came to America in chains. He goes on to say slavery was maintained by violence, and that after the Civil War in the Old South (roots of most urban blacks), violence against blacks was omnipresent—sanctioned both by custom and by law.

"When one reflects on the history of black people in this country, what is remarkable is not how much, but how little black violence there has always been. Certainly it would be hard to imagine an environment better calculated to evoke violence than the one in which black Americans have lived," states the author. Negative symbolism about blackness is built into our language: black connotes death, mourning, evil, corruption and sin, while "white" implies purity, goodness, and rebirth and perhaps one of the reasons whites have deep rooted distaste for blackness. Could be.

RECENT GREAT quotes: "For more years than I care to admit, certain black churches, particularly Black Methodists, have held summit meetings to

**West Virginian now real double dipper**

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (AP) — Richard Lindsay is one of an estimated 250 persons in the nation who have both a medical and a legal degree and the only one in West Virginia to be actively practicing both professions simultaneously.

Lindsay, 29, is the father of three. He received his medi-

cal degree in 1974 and law degree in 1978, both from West Virginia University.

He is now employed by a law firm. He also puts in 40 hours a week practicing medicine in emergency rooms at hospitals.

Lindsay, 29, is the father of three.

consider merger. These leaders rehearse all the unusual rhetoric about the fact that our beliefs, or policy and just about everything about us is so similar. They point out the waste in having each of the denominations send bishops and general officers into the same locale, when in case of a merger, the operation could be much more economical, etc. But, alas, each returns to his home base. His conscience assuaged because he has impressed someone, hopefully, and we are no nearer to merger than when we first began." (Willa Mae Rice, the religious editor of The Courier.)

Dear Bob:

A lot of people, especially the farmers, got mad when Secretary of Agriculture Bergland said that he suspected some of the farmers' problems to be "greed." There can be little doubt that this is so but it is also true of a lot of other people like the oil and gas folks, some doctors, business people in all walks of life have been hit by the "greed bug." But thank God, all are not guilty. They believe in fair-play and hope. If our system survives, it will be because of people, who put God in their affairs. (Signed: A.D. Lamesa, Texas).



Promoting the current multiple sclerosis Read-a-thon are MS victims Peggy Anderson and R.D. "Doc" Shaddix of Midland. More than 5,000 Midland children from public and private schools are participating in the month-long

effort to raise money to fight MS, and improve reading skills in the process. Each child obtains sponsors to contribute a specified amount for each book the child reads. (Staff Photo)

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# Fear of public speaking worse than fear of death to Americans

By MAUREEN EARLY  
Newsday

Does your voice quaver; do your legs feel leaden, does your heart pound, and do you wish you were any place but in front of an audience?

If such is the case, according to one study, you, like most other Americans, place fear of public speaking ahead of fear of death, flying and loneliness.

What brings on such terror? "Most people feel that their public speaking situation demands that they be another person, someone who's perfect," says Sandy Linver, author of "Speak Easy: How to Talk Your Way to the Top" (Summit Books, \$8.95). "This is an unrealistic expectation. When we talk, we expect pauses, hesitations and repetitions. That's a part of normal conversation. The idea is to get up and act like you're having a conversation rather than giving a speech."

**THERE ARE OTHER** reasons for anxiety, too, Linver said in a recent interview.

—Uncertainty over what to do with your body while speaking. "Most people feel like their body is on display," she says, "and they don't know how to control what it is doing. So they worry about such things as: What do I do with my hands? (What do you do with them the rest of the time? she answers). Where do I look? Do I have to make gestures? What do I do about being out of breath? What do I do with my shaking voice? What stance shall I take?"

—Fear of losing the audience. The answer to that is to act relaxed, says Linver, who heads an Atlanta, Ga., firm that teaches business executives to become more effective speakers. The more comfortable you are, the less likely your audience will become bored.

—A female speaker may worry that a predominantly male audience won't take her seriously. And a male speaker, who wouldn't shy from a predominantly female audience, may be nervous about seeming an authority figure in front of his male peers.

**HOW DO YOU** overcome podium panic? Don't wait until you're called on to make a speech, Linver says. "Nervousness is not something you deal with in five minutes," she says. "Controlling tension is an ongoing process." Here are some of the things she suggests you do long before you're ever called on to make a speech.

—Face your psychological fears. Try to understand just what it is that is making you quiver. You may be carrying with you miserable memories of miffing a line in the school play, or other embarrassing public speaking moments.

—Get involved with some kind of physical exercise that makes you feel more in command of your body and less klutzy. (She suggests jogging,

yoga, calisthenics, karate or fencing — but not competitive sports).

—**IMPROVE YOUR** posture. Linver says you can't be relaxed without balanced posture, which should be practiced daily. Plant your feet a few inches apart, but not past the area of your armpits. Head, shoulders and chest should be directly over one another. Let the weight settle and feel the floor under you with both the balls and heels of your feet. Once you're in this balanced posture, you need to know how to exhale to release tension. Do this: Close your eyes and concentrate on the ins-and-outs of your breathing. Then limit concentration to exhaling only. Your ribcage will drop and your weight will settle closer to the floor each time you exhale.

According to Linver, the inhaling and exhaling techniques should be applied to every tension-filled situation, so they become automatic by the time you approach a lecture. It's also good to get in a couple of good exhales before you start talking, a trick that's useful at those moments when you sense hostility in the audience.

**SOME OTHER TIPS:**

**Organizing your speech:** It's a mistake to plow through a manuscript speech Linver maintains. "It may be a crutch for you, but it sure makes it boring for your audience," she says. "It's better to read a manuscript than to memorize it. Better yet is to speak extemporaneously. But no extemporaneous speech should be given without some preplanned organization and backup notes. If you must read a manuscript, be sure that you have rehearsed it well, so it will sound as natural as possible."

**Practice not to be letter perfect** but, instead, to be able to recall quickly the basic points. Pay even more attention to the opening. That's where you want to grab your audience's attention and allow yourself time to get over any initial nervousness. You should also have a socko closing. "It's like the ribbon on the package, it should tie it all up neatly," says the public speaking expert. "It carries the punch and will be the last impression the audience will have of you."

**WHAT TO WEAR:** On the day of the speech, wear clothing that's comfortable and that you feel you look good in.

**Making audience contact:** Initially, look for receptive faces around the room and use eye-to-eye contact. Then, as you warm up and feel more comfortable, start thinking about making contact with as many people as possible. If you see a frown, for instance, deal with it directly, turn to that person, and say, "What's the matter, don't you agree with me?" That's audience interaction. "No longer should people hide behind a lecture," she says. "Getting involved

with the audience is what successful public speaking is all about. Remind yourself that the audience is composed of people who want you to look good.

—**PAUSE AS OFTEN** as you feel the need and make silence work for you," Linver adds. "Most speakers are afraid of silence and try to fill the void with ers, and ums, and you know's. Silence can be a positive factor." Linver recalled the time she was delivering a speech in front of a women's assertiveness training group. At one point she challenged her audience with the line: "What do you want to make, money or men?" Then she allowed a long pause. "The silence gave a chance for the idea to sink in," she explains. "If I had continued talking, I would have been stepping on my own lines. Silence is a beautiful way to emphasize a point."

—**LISTENING** to your audience: You listen to your audience with your eyes, and your audience talks back in non-verbal ways: by smiling, frowning, being tense or relaxed, hunching forward to listen, sleeping or looking bored.



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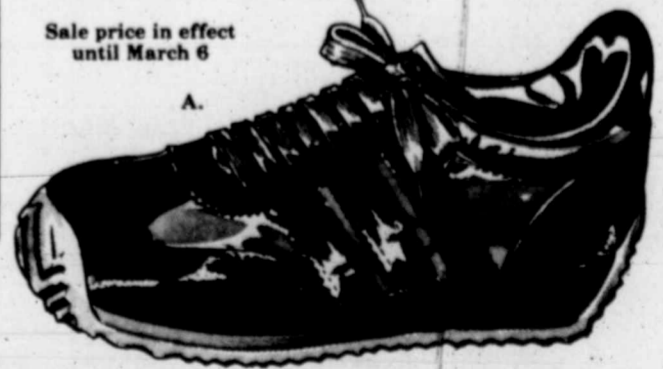
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# Area's geology, culture clues sought in 'dig'

By ED TODD  
Staff Writer.

Anthropologists Dr. Gordon Bronitsky and Don Forsyth are delving into an archaeological "dig" to unearth clues to the culture and geology of a parcel of land just west of Trinity School in northwest Midland.

"We want to get an idea of what the geology was like," Bronitsky, a University of Texas of the Permian Basin faculty member, said Saturday afternoon, as a back-hoe was digging a 3 1/2-foot deep trench across a former lake bed on Bill Blakemore's pasture land.

Earlier "digs," by way of shallow test pits there, had yielded bits of pottery and flints used as tools and weapons.

"All we have found is equivalent to shotgun shells and beer cans," Bronitsky said.

Students of his and those of Forsyth, a Midland College faculty member, have been involved in the excavation for about a month.

Last week, Trinity students Jeff Young and Mike McGee, both 13, found a "bi-face neutral" flint tool in the shape of an spear head behind the school. They found the tool near a pile of dirt excavated for a fish pond, said Trinity teacher Anne Wemple.

In the early 1960s, workmen building the Trinity School chapel uncovered a grinding stone and metate, Mrs. Wemple said.

Bronitsky said the dig may help them discern cultures prior to that of the Comanche and, before them, Apache, Indians living in this part of Texas.

"Before that (time of the Indians), we really don't know what peoples lived and camped here," Bronitsky said. "Indians farmed for sure."

The Apaches lived and roamed this part of West Texas until about 1733, when the Comanches defeated and drove off the Apaches in a week-long battle, he said. The white settlers and cavalry displaced the Comanches about 1875, he said.

Bronitsky said the flint and pottery indicate that the site had been used as camp grounds, since the bi-face flint and pottery were not indigenous to this area.

"People have been living here 12,000 years, and it has changed a lot," he said.

UTPB biologist Dr. Ed Kurtz was collecting pollen samples to determine types for flora once in the area.

## Ex-Midlander temporary head of TCA

AUSTIN — Cope Routh of Odessa, formerly of Midland, is serving as temporary acting director of the Texas Commission on Alcoholism.

Routh, a former long-time reporter for The Midland Reporter-Telegram, has been serving for some time as the commission's Area III coordinator, based at Odessa. He took over his temporary assignment early in February, replacing Executive Director Abe Mays, who has been given sick leave for treatment and recuperation.

Ray Plumlee is in charge of the Area III office during Routh's absence.

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"Pollen is almost indestructible," Bronitsky noted.

Most of what has been unearthed at the site is "just debris that's been left behind" by the tribes, Forsyth said.

Among the debris happened across by the backhoe, operated by Danny McCabe of Midland, was a hearth.

Afterward, "diggers" carefully removed soil from the hearth's remnants.

Among those out for the dig were amateur archaeologist Tim Henderson of Austin and "non-professional" archaeologist Arnold Somner of Midland.

Both are serious about archaeology but have chosen other fields for their livelihoods.

Somner is a copying-machine salesman. Henderson is a sewage and water plant operator at Lakeway and a song writer and singer.

"I've been an amateur archaeologist a whole lot longer than I've been a song writer," said Henderson.

He said he figures that really "serious" amateurs do "30 times the field work and read twice as many books" as professional archaeologists, such as those attached to universities.

"You can interchange the word 'hobby' for obsession," he said.

Henderson, who appeared in the UTPB Coffee House Friday night, said he has "a large collection" of artifacts and other "stuff" he has uncovered in his field trips.

Somner was hawk-eyeing at Saturday's "dig."

"I come and give free criticism," he quipped. "I'm the resident cynic."

## Lee Biology Department honored by TEA

LUBBOCK — The Lee High School Biology Department was honored by the Texas Education Association in Lubbock this week as an outstanding science department.

One of 20 departments recognized, its project, "Individually Guided Biology," is a team teaching effort, tailored to individual students' needs.

Cynthia Williams and Janice Baulch assisted Science Department chairman Billy Gilbreath with the presentation.



Anthropologist Dr. Gordon Bronitsky displays a bi-face flint tool found behind Trinity School of Midland by students Michael McGee and Jeff Young, both 13, earlier in the week. In the background is a back-hoe digging a trench cutting into the stratigraphy in the pre-history cultural study of the site in northwest Midland. (Staff Photo by Brian Hendershot)

## Station drops broadcast after anti-gay sermon

DALLAS (AP) — An anti-homosexual sermon caused a Dallas television station to drop weekly broadcasts by James Robison, a well known evangelist, according to a television station executive.

David Lane, station manager of WFAA-TV, said he decided to drop Robison's Sunday programs because he believes Robison violated the Federal Communication Commission's Fairness Doctrine. Robison's programs, produced at WFAA-TV's studio, is carried on about 85 stations.

The sermon, broadcast last week, included comments by Robison that the gay movement is "despicable" and "a perversion of the highest order."

Representatives of the Dallas Gay Political Caucus have requested and will receive equal time to rebut Robison's remarks, Lane said.

"We believe that our religious programs should not deal with such matters. We cover these type controversies in our news and public affairs shows where we can balance both sides," Lane said.

"I'm not arguing with his theology. I'm trying to do my job," Lane continued.

At a news conference at his headquarters at nearby Hurst, Robison, 35, said "I should be able to say what's in my head and what's in the Bible."

"I'll always preach that homosexuality is a sin," he said.

In the televised sermon, Robison quoted various police spokesmen as

saying homosexuals recruit and murder little boys.

The "homosexual movement is despicable and perversion of the highest order," Robison is quoted as saying.

"This is becoming prominent and practiced as a normal lifestyle in America. It's being condoned by religious groups and legislative bodies," Robison said.

"We can't keep people from living sinfully, but we can at least acknowledge that it's a sin," he continued.

Robison said he was shocked at learning that WFAA-TV, an ABC-TV affiliate, was dropping his show. He said he pays \$100,000 per year to the station to produce the program and the program is aired there free of charge. In other areas, Robison pays for the program to be aired.

The evangelist said he bears no ill will toward the station, but said he believes it is ironic that the action was taken by "the same station that gives you 'Soap,' 'Three's Company' and 'Charlie's Angels.' (three ABC programs criticized by some church organizations as being sexually oriented.)"

Saying he does not believe his remarks about homosexuality violated any FCC regulations, Robison said "WFAA does not owe gay people one minute of television time."

Robison said he hopes to find another outlet for his program in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

"I can't stop taking a stand. We want to reach sinners, but now I don't know if I can call them sinners," Robison said.

## Twin 'A' starts own breathing

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A Siamese twin who survived a six-hour operation that separated her from her sister, with whom she had shared the same heart, has started breathing on her own.

Twin "A" was listed in "critical but stable" condition today at St. Christopher's Hospital for Children, where a team of 17 doctors performed the separation Thursday.

But nursing supervisor Charles Morris said the infant is doing "extremely well" considering the severity of the operation.

Morris said doctors noticed the 11-day-old baby breathing on her own Friday and were considering taking her off a ventilator either today or Sunday to see if she can manage by herself.

The twins, born Feb. 20, were joined from the top of the breastbone to below the navel and shared a single heart and liver. Their parents live in Philadelphia, but requested anonymity.

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# University hunting top scholars

By EDGAR MILLER

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. (AP) — Like his colleagues in the athletic department, Dr. Peter Consacro is busy recruiting for the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga.

The difference is that Consacro looks for brains, not brawn. He's competing with such schools as Harvard and Yale for the cream of high-school intellectuals around the country.

Consacro, head of UTC's Interdisciplinary Studies Department, is in charge of the institution's University Scholars program, which brings to UTC each year about 20 students who are in the top 5 percent of the National Merit Scholarship tests and who are demonstrated leaders.

Because it's small and relatively unknown, UTC goes one step further in its recruiting program than most universities, Consacro said. UTC pays the expenses of up to 60 students to come and spend three days on the campus, meeting with teachers and previous scholars and seeing the university's physical facilities.

The program, which replaced the old freshman honors program, is in its second year. Of the 20 freshmen and 20 sophomores, two have dropped out. They got married and had to go to work, Consacro said.

"We used to have freshman honors and we'd recruit for that too," Consacro said in an interview. "But there was nothing to keep those students together after the first year, and that's when I proposed a comprehensive program over four years." The students may major in anything but they are required to take

interdisciplinary seminars each year to give them a broad background in the humanities, fine arts, non-Western cultures, and the social, behavioral and natural sciences.

Why do universities need such programs? "The university has a responsibility to provide

education for very talented people who are going to be leaders in their communities," Consacro said. "If you don't look for this type of student, the level of learning, the atmosphere at the university will drop. These people provide a kind of leaven. They mix with other stu-

dents and improve the intellectual climate on the campus."

Consacro doesn't like the comparison to athletic recruiting, but says it has some validity.

"They are recruiting people gifted in athletics," he says. "We are looking for students who are gifted intellectually

and who have leadership potential."

And the scholars don't get the same all-expense-paid education many top athletes get. Out-of-state students get \$4,000 for the four years and Tennesseans get \$3,000, about half of what Consacro estimates they will need for their educa-

tion. Consacro told the 56 scholars candidates who visited the university recently that the program was designed to give them "a taste of excellence — you need it only once and you will want more and then you won't ever be willing to accept mediocrity."



Stanley Frank

## Publisher to chair Boys Ranch Roundup

SAN ANGELO — Johnny Bonner, president of West Texas Boys Ranch, has announced the appointment of Stanley Frank of San Angelo and formerly of Midland as chairman of the 1979 WTBR Roundup.

Frank is publisher of Livestock Weekly, which he established 30 years ago. He previously had been a reporter for The Midland Reporter-Telegram. He has been on the Boys Ranch Board of Directors for 15 years.

Bonner, in his announcement, pointed out that the success of this year's Roundup is especially important for the ranch.

"Unchecked inflation seriously erodes the financial position of the ranch," he said. "Roundup is a means whereby the ranch solicits donations of livestock or other contributions to be given to the ranch for operating funds. All such contribu-

tions are deductible. "However, the board's position on not accepting federal aid is firm and adamant." Frank's responsibilities as Roundup chairman will include assisting Wagon Bosses wherever and whenever possible, and he is asking them to let him know how he can be of help.

The new Roundup chairman does "a little ranching on the side" in addition to his publishing business. He was born in Evanston, Wyo., graduated from high school at Barnhart, and did newspaper and magazine writing in San Angelo, Midland, Memphis, Tenn., and Los Angeles, Calif., before starting Livestock Weekly.

His family includes his wife, the former Mary Helen Hays, who is a graduate of Pampa High School; a son, Bob, and a daughter, Helen, both students at Angelo State University; and a daughter, Carol Hannon of

Evergreen, Colo. In accepting the Roundup chairmanship, he said, "It is a privilege for me to serve in this important project. The operating philosophy of West Texas Boys Ranch is one of remaining independent, operating only on the free-will donations and contributions of the public. This approach has meant a home for almost 900 boys since 1947 when the Ranch was organized to provide a strong program of boy care. I feel the ranch is an asset to San Angelo and the entire West Texas area it serves."

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# Economic, political woes drive Sudan toward government crisis

By NICOLAS B. TATRO



Newly elected officers of the Midland chapter of the Order of Demolay are, seated, Don Neal, master counselor, and standing from left, Edward Sagissor, junior counselor, and Jeff Snell, senior counselor. The installation was Saturday in the Masonic Temple. (Staff Photo)

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — President Gaafar Nimeiri of Sudan, a nation at the crossroads of the African and Arab worlds, appears to be facing a developing crisis. His problems lie in food and fuel shortages, labor unrest, border tensions and growing political division.

"The situation in Sudan is very gloomy," said a Cairo-based diplomat who recently visited Africa's largest country.

Western diplomats express concern that the ferment could result in the loss of another pro-Western regime. But they note that Nimeiri has survived similar crises in the past.

Sudan has proved a difficult country to rule, mainly because of its size — about twice as large as Western Europe — and its diverse population of 16 million, whose various tribal and ethnic groups speak 115 different languages.

Economic development, hindered by 15 coups or attempted coups in 23 years of independence from British-Egyptian administration, has bogged down and vast potential mineral and agricultural resources remain unexploited. Transportation is a major problem with only about 400 miles of paved roads and persistent fuel shortages.

Traditional regional conflicts linger between Islamic Arabs in the north and Christian tribes of African origin in the autonomous south, even though Nimeiri succeeded in ending a 17-year civil war in 1972.

Six of Sudan's eight neighbors are either engulfed in wars, threatened by instability or hostile to Nimeiri's government. His close ties to President Anwar Sadat's Egyptian government in the north are viewed with suspicion by some political opponents.

Nimeiri's opponents seek to capitalize on two issues: the economy and his support of the U.S.-mediated Egyptian-Israeli peace efforts.

Chief among the opposition figures is Sadek Al Mahdi, leader of the rightist Umma Party which favors closer adherence to Islamic traditions at home and a nonaligned foreign policy.

Sadek, a 42-year-old former prime minister, is a great-grandson of the Mahdi who set up an Islamic state after defeating the British under Charles G. "Chinese" Gordon at Omdurman in 1884. He told a news conference in London recently the Camp David accords were "treason." He said Nimeiri's support of Egypt's peacemaking with Israel prompted him to end a brief reconciliation attempt with Nimeiri.

Nimeiri freed 1,000 political prisoners and reached agreement with all major political factions except the Communists. He promised free elections and political reform and his opponents agreed to work within the single-party system. But elections have not been held and opponents say Nimeiri has re-

tained repressive powers.

"There is no room for a national reconciliation with Nimeiri now," Sharif Al Hindi, exiled leader of the Democratic Unionist Party, was quoted as saying in a recent magazine interview. Al Hindi, a former finance minister, has assailed "rocketing inflation" — estimated at a 20 percent annual rate — and alleged mishandling of a \$6 billion national development scheme.

Diplomatic sources estimate the government is \$400 million in arrears and up to a year behind on payments for imports.

Adding to the economic woes is a 40 percent hike in gasoline prices and rationing of fuel, which has forced the national airline to cancel or delay flights.

Shortages of food have been reported, especially in southern Sudan, and Nimeiri has been at odds with labor unions, diplomats say.

Primary school teachers, who number 45,000 nationwide, struck in January over pay and promotion policies and 5,000 bank employees, demanding wage hikes of 10 percent and housing allowances, walked out last month.

Observers predict labor action may be taken soon by civil service workers and police.

"Nimeiri's handling of the labor problems appear curt at best," said one Western diplomat. "He gives the impression of being insensitive."

Universities, a traditional center of antigovernment agitation, have also begun flexing their muscles. About 6,000 students, inspired by the Khomeini revolution in Iran, poured through Khartoum's streets last month, chanting "the fate of Nimeiri is the fate of the shah."

But one Egyptian diplomat asserted that the Suda-

nese government still commands the support of the "overwhelming majority" and has shown restraint in dealing with dissidents.

"Allowing the strikes is a good strategy to defuse the tension," the diplomat said, adding that Nimeiri was the only Sudanese leader who is capable of "balancing all the factions, none of whom are willing to cooperate with each other."

Nimeiri, an affable 49-year-old army officer who came to power 10 years ago via a bloodless military coup, has also suffered setbacks recently in his efforts to lessen border tensions.

The most notable was the failure of the Ethiopian-Sudanese summit earlier in February in Sierra Leone. Sudan has supported Eritrean secessionists against the Soviet-backed regime of Ethiopian leader Mengistu Haile Mariam who has given refuge to Sudanese dissidents.

Chad, Uganda, and Zaire, all neighbors of Sudan, have been engulfed by conflict. Relations with another neighbor, Libya, have soured over the Mideast peace initiative and other issues.

Only Egypt has remained firmly allied and the two Nile River countries have mapped out elaborate plans for "integration" and eventual union. Both Sadat and Nimeiri have turned to the West after falling out with the Soviet Union.

The diplomats say the collapse of Nimeiri's regime could be a direct threat to Egypt and "a bad blow to American prestige" in view of the fall of other pro-Western regimes in the Mideast and Africa.

But the same diplomats also note that Nimeiri continues to have the firm support of the Sudanese military and the middle class and has proven himself adept at juggling the regional and factional disputes.

## IRS tells of energy credits other savings in new tax law

New residential energy credits, change in capital gains treatment and the one-shot sale of residence provision are major changes in the tax laws which can mean a larger refund for some taxpayers, according to a spokesman with the Midland office of Internal Revenue Service.

While the IRS has simplified instructions and streamlined both 1040 forms, the agency realizes some questions may remain, and IRS is providing free taxpayer assistance in a number of ways, the spokesman said.

In Midland, taxpayers may stop in the IRS office located in the Federal Building on East Wall Street between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday for forms and answers. Taxpayers also may dial the toll-free number, 1-800-492-4830.

The IRS also sponsors the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program under which community volunteers are trained in basic income tax preparation. These volunteers then provide assistance in neighborhood locations to low-income, elderly and disadvan-

tagged taxpayers.

The following centers in Midland will provide assistance by appointment only:

Casa de Amigos, dial 682-9701. It will be open from 9 a.m. until noon.

Midland Community Action South-east Center, 682-4431.

First Christian Church Senior Activities, 682-7577. It will be open in the mornings Monday through Friday.

Garden Lane Outreach Center, 683-8041. It will be open from 9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Tuesdays.

The following centers will provide assistance without an appointment:

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, Garden and Tyler Streets, 2 to 5 p.m. Mondays until April 16.

Salvation Army, 300 S. Baird St., 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday until April 16.

Midland County Library, 301 W. Missouri Ave., 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays until April 7.

Midland Community Action Agency Eastside Center, 1301 E. Cowden St., 5 to 7:30 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday until April 11.

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**AWARD CATEGORIES:** There will be three categories of competition. Either color or black and white can be submitted for each category. The categories are:

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- PEOPLE:** Where the obvious and predominant theme of the photograph is a person or persons. Model releases will be required for all entries in this category unless the person or persons included are unrecognizable.
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**AWARDS:** \$100.00 in cash and trophy to first place in each category. Awards will be presented to the top entries in each of the three categories. Only the first place winners will receive prizes, but recognition ribbons will be awarded the other top finishers. Any one contestant may win no more than one award in the event of a contestant placing more than once, the contestant will be given the right to select which award he wants. The entry he does not select will be eliminated from the final standings.

**ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:** Each entry must be either 8x10 (for rectangular format) or 8x8 (square format). No other sizes will be accepted. Each entry will be mounted on matte board no larger than 11x14. Matting is not required though it may add significantly to the total appearance of the entry. Each entry must be in the possession of your nearest Keaton Kolor location no later 5:00 P.M. Thursday March 29, 1979. No entries will be accepted after this time. All entries must be hand delivered. No mailing!

**ENTRY FORM:** The official Keaton Kolor 10th Anniversary photo contest entry form must be completely and legibly filled out and affixed in a secure manner to the back of each entry.

**NUMBER OF ENTRIES:** The contestant may enter a maximum of three photographs, one for each category. No more than one photograph per photographer per category will be permitted.

**JUDGING:** Selection of the winners will be made by a panel of competent judges to be selected by the management of Keaton Kolor. This panel will include both professionals and amateurs qualified to make a fair and impartial decision. This will insure judging that will emphasize different areas, for example, composition, impression, mood, appeal, technique, etc.

**AWARD ANNOUNCEMENT:** Names of winners will be announced the following Thursday, April 5, 1979. Local store managers will contact you personally in the event of an award.

**COMPETITION DISPLAY:** Depending upon available space, entries will be displayed through March and early April in various stores throughout the Keaton Kolor chain. Prints receiving awards will become the permanent property of Keaton Kolor for display purposes. Keaton Kolor reserves the right not to display

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Midland Boy Scout Tom Marriott gets an early start on ticket selling for Scout Exposition '79, as he sells his first ticket to Betty Morris of 213 Howard Drive. The exposition will be from 1 to 6 p.m. March 31 in the



Midland County Exhibit Building. Marriott is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Marriott of 906 Canyon St. More information may be obtained by calling any Midland Boy Scout or troop leader. (Staff Photo)

# Lions taking summer camp applications for diabetic, handicapped children

Applications for Midland County are the summer camping for diabetic children, and for a two week summer vacation full of fun, for handicapped children in Midland and vicinity now are being accepted by members of Midland's Lions Clubs.

This marks the Texas Lions League's ninth summer of camping for diabetic children and its 26th year of service to handicapped children.

Two camping sessions at two different locations are being offered in the 1979 diabetic program. A two-week session at Camp Manison near Friendswood for diabetic children, ages 6 through 16, is scheduled June 4-15.

It is limited to 150 campers.

Another two-week session will be held July 30-Aug. 10, at Texas Lions Camp at Kerrville, for 150 diabetic children, ages 6 through 16.

Both sessions are free for eligible campers. A competent medical staff will be at the camps. The goal of the camps, besides providing exciting camping and recreational experiences, is to teach diabetic children to become responsible for their own care and to share their common summer fun with others. The basic philosophy of the camp for children with diabetes is an educational program for new diabetics. Applications are handled on that basis.

The Texas Lions Camp for Crippled Children at Kerrville will open its first two-week session on Sunday, June 3. Other sessions will begin on June 17, July 1 and July 15.

The sessions are for youngsters from 7 through 16 years of age. The camp is free to eligible blind, deaf, mute or handicapped children.

Activities include swimming, crafts, nature lore, games and athletics. A variety of evening programs from movies to contests and awards are planned.

Again, all applications are handled through Lions Clubs. Lion Seago or Lion Chapman may be contacted for additional information. Applications are handled on a first come-first served basis.

Texas Lions, during the last 26 years, have sent more than 18,000 youngsters to the Texas Lions Camp for Crippled Children.

## Historical Commission appointed

County Judge William B. Ahders has announced the official appointment of members to the Midland County Historical Commission.

The County Commission is the agency charged with the responsibility of surveying, marking and preserving the County's heritage, and is to participate in numerous activities and projects recommended by the Commissioners Court and the Texas Historical Commission.

Mrs. John P. McKinley

John Hord, John Thomas, Henry Meadows, Mrs. Charles Welch, Francis Stiekney, Valerie Richardson, Carolyn Sowell, Mrs. Warren Fuller, Dr. Roger Olien, Dr. Diana Olien, Dr. Frank Samponaro, Mrs. Donald F. Toomey, Mrs. Charles Martin, Ada Spivey, Jack Scannell, Jan Reeder and Ahders.

## Retailers seek blue law's repeal

DALLAS (AP) — A group of some 2,500 competing Texas retailers has organized to make a concerted effort to win legislative repeal of the state's so-called "blue law."

"We no longer wish to be asked to enforce a law our customers don't want," said Lawrence M. Turner of Kroger Co., acting as spokesman for the group. "Retailers for Repeal of the Blue Law."

He said participating companies will provide the means and instructions for customers to contact their state senators and representatives.

The new group, however, does not have unanimous support among retailers. In a message supporting the blue law, the Retail Merchants Association of Houston called upon its members to place posters in employee lounges asking, "Do you want to work on Sunday?"

Turner called the ploy a "scare tactic."

He said the aim of his group's drive is to have consumer opinion heard on the blue law, which prohibits the sale of certain products on consecutive Saturdays and Sundays.

Turner said the initial 2,500 companies participating in the program operate approximately 4,000 stores statewide. The companies involved range in size from large chains to small, local stores.

Adherers pointed out that the 64th Legislature amended the statute which authorizes the appointment of county historical commissions and in so doing, broadened the scope of activities and responsibilities of the group.

In addition to the activities outlined in the statute, the county commission is to develop local history as a scholarly resource as well as a tourist attraction, he added.

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# 'Women's weeks' now becoming major headache for government

By MICHAEL J. SNIFFEN

WASHINGTON (AP) — Only a small fraction of the American population has heard of "women's weeks." But each year the federal government holds an uncounted number, at untold cost with unmeasurable results.

"Women's weeks" represent the most visible part of the 12-year-old federal women's program. They are increasingly seen as troublesome by the women who run the program and want to concentrate on greater employment opportunities for women.

Once a year in many U.S. government offices, federal employees are given time off from normal work to attend lectures, films or other activities on women's concerns.

Part of the problem is that no one person runs the program. There are 50 full-time and 10,000 part-time federal women's program coordinators scattered throughout the government.

THE AGRICULTURE Department has 297, including 100 in national forests. Justice has 194, the Pentagon 808 here and abroad.

Almost every one can stage a women's week, almost anytime and on any topic, for five days or just in several lunch hours.

The Office of Personnel Management, formerly the Civil Service Commission, provides guidance, but each women's program manager is responsible only to the head of her agency.

So no one has ever counted how many women's weeks the government holds each year or how many employees attend.

No one has calculated the costs because they are lumped into each agency's overall equal-opportunity budget. And no one has figured the cost of work hours lost because attendance is considered training time.

No one even knows when the first one was held. In Washington, the Labor Department had its fifth annual one last year. The Pentagon has sponsored a women's week since 1977.

THESE PROBLEMS are duplicated within agencies. Jeanne Randall, Pentagon women's program manager, says each of her 808 coordinators can schedule a women's week, and she can't say how often they do, at what cost, on what topics or with what attendance.

She says the 1978 week at the Pentagon itself cost \$1,000, but she had no figures for the cost of regular work hours lost.

"I have trouble with some of the women's weeks," says Teva Quamen of the OPM women's program office. Among the topics she disapproved were women's self-defense, the Equal Rights Amendment and the fashion show that one federal office in the South held last year.

"We wouldn't feel comfortable having the federal women's program push ERA although everyone in this office supports it," she says. "The field has changed since the 1960s. The focus is now on overcoming systemic barriers to employment of women and on making our program managers part of the personnel management team, not on bra-burning or pushing the ERA."

NEVERTHELESS, no law or rule forbids dealing with political issues such as ERA, according to Lloyd Johnson, staff director of the House civil service subcommittee.

At Health, Education and Welfare, manager Florence Perman objects to women's weeks that sponsor "how to dress for success" sessions or assertiveness training. "My view is that if it doesn't impact on employment, it's not germane," she says.

After several years without one, HEW plans a women's week in May to explain new civil service rules.

## TV station drops Robinson sermons

DALLAS (AP) — An anti-homosexual sermon caused a Dallas television station to drop weekly broadcasts by James Robinson, a well known evangelist, according to a television station executive.

David Lane, station manager of WFAA-TV, said he decided to drop Robinson's Sunday programs because he believes Robinson violated the Federal Communication Commission's Fairness Doctrine. Robinson's programs, produced at WFAA-TV's studio, is carried on about 85 stations.

The sermon, broadcast last week, included comments by Robinson that the gay movement is "despicable" and "a perversion of the highest order."

Representatives of the Dallas Gay Political Caucus have requested and will receive equal time to rebut Robinson's remarks, Lane said.

"We believe that our religious programs should not deal with such matters. We cover these type controversies in our news and public affairs shows where we can balance both sides," Lane said.

"I'm not arguing with his theology. I'm trying to do my job," Lane continued.

At a news conference at his headquarters at nearby Hurst, Robinson, 35, said "I should be able to say what's in my head and what's in the Bible."

"I'll always preach that homosexuality is a sin," he said.

In the televised sermon, Robinson quoted various police spokesmen as saying homosexuals recruit and murder little boys.

The "homosexual movement is despicable and perversion of the highest order," Robinson is quoted as saying.

"This is becoming prominent and practiced as a normal lifestyle in America. It's being condoned by religious groups and legislative bodies," Robinson said.

"We can't keep people from living sinfully, but we can at least acknowledge that it's a sin," he continued.

Robinson said he was shocked at learning that WFAA-TV, an ABC-TV affiliate, was dropping his show. He said he pays \$100,000 per year to the station to produce the program and the program is aired there free of charge. In other areas, Robinson pays for the program to be aired.

The evangelist said he bears no ill will toward the station, but said he believes it is ironic that the action was taken by "the same station that gives you 'Soap,' 'Three's Company' and 'Charlie's Angels.' (three ABC programs criticized by some church organizations as being sexually oriented)."

Saying he does not believe his remarks about homosexuality violated any FCC regulations, Robinson said "WFAA does not owe gay people one minute of television time."

The Pentagon acknowledges getting a complaint recently from one woman who contends she was denied a right to discuss her views of the ERA during a women's week at Fort Gordon in Georgia.

A spokesman for Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., said an Augusta, Ga., newspaper inquired about Fort Gordon's program and Nunn asked the Army for details but would not comment until he got a reply.

MRS. PERMAN says that only in the past few months has OPM begun to change the emphasis to employment.

Ms. Quamen has drafted a manual for managers that advises: "Always ask yourself if a program will contribute to enhanced employment for women, and if the time to be spent arranging the program could be better spent on systemic, substantive employment initiatives."

Both Mrs. Perman and Ms. Quamen say one very useful women's week program explains how to fill out a 171 form, required for promotion. "A good 171 can make a lot of difference in getting a better job so,

lots of men attend these," Ms. Quamen says.

Ms. Quamen believes it's more important to redefining jobs to produce career ladders for women, to make certain agencies have career counseling for women and to help win approval for more part-time work so that both parents of a young child can work.

BUT ONE PROGRAM manager, who declined to be identified, complained, "Some agencies name a GS-3 clerk as the women's program coordinator and give her no time and no staff. That's just a charade."

No one has tried to quantify the results of women's weeks; many of the benefits are psychological.

But the overall women's program goal is more women in top jobs. Since 1967, the proportion of women in the top three pay grades has grown from 1.7 percent to 4.9 percent.

"The progress is very slow," says Ms. Quamen. "That's why some managers turn to women's weeks for something tangible to produce."

## Jailers receive kudos from former prisoners

FRESNO, Calif. (AP) — The jailers were flabbergasted. Their prisoners like them.

There was a trophy, standing almost four feet tall, a gift of gratitude from anonymous former inmates at Fresno County Jail.

The inscription was signed: "Your friends in 4-A. We love you."

A former prisoner showed up at the sheriff's office with the trophy Thursday, said Officer Frank Dodd.

Dodd said he recognized the man as a former inmate, but couldn't remember his name.

"I have something here for you," the man told Dodd, hand-

ing him a huge trophy and a handwritten note.

The 46-inch-tall trophy is topped with a figure of Lady Luck holding a torch. It is inscribed to Dodd "and fellow officers in gratitude for being such beautiful people to all the inmates in your care."

The note said, in part: "This trophy is being presented to you for services rendered beyond your duties. This is the only way we could thank you for your humane treatment of inmates and fellow officers as well."

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# Home gives youths second chance

BY GUY SULLIVAN  
Staff Writer

PYOTE — "Joe" is 14-years-old, has four brothers, no parents, and he just got out of jail in a West Texas town.

He brandishes a tattoo on his arm. And Joe (not his real name) likes to talk tough, too.

When he first came from Austin to the West Texas Children's Home here, Joe threatened a staff member with a knife.

That incident occurred three weeks ago. But a couple days in a local jail cooled him off a bit.

Because of the West Texas Children's Home, Joe, and many youths with family-related problems like his, have a second chance to succeed in life.

"I don't have folks," he said. "I had a lot of problems, like all kinds of burglaries. I just got into too much trouble."

Sporting a quick smile and a sense of street savvy only a lonely kid can develop, Joe is now in that transitional stage from potential juvenile delinquent to productive young citizen.

HE'S ONE OF dozens of young people who are either abandoned or neglected by their parents.

Some officials call these kids "throwaways" because they are often kicked out of schools as well as their own homes.

However, employees of the West Texas Children's Home believe every child has the right to belong to a family.

That's why here the emphasis is on what can be for each young student, instead of what could have been.

Students come to this 120-acre campus from families in which divorces have occurred or where child abuse has happened, or sometimes where outright abandonment has taken place.

"THE CHILDREN WE receive are classified as dependent-neglected," said Superintendent Don Shepard. "I'd say that 95 percent of them probably come from broken homes."

"As a result," he said, "many of these kids run away from home and from school. This is a psychological reaction to their situation at home."

"Some of our students are torn between one parent and the other in divorce cases."

"Some parents cannot provide adequate support, either because of long working hours or because of the child's inability to adjust to a new mother or new father, or jealousy over a new brother or sister from re-marriage situations," he said.

That's where the West Texas Children's Home enters the picture. Here approximately 70 youths ages 12 to 18 are sent to learn to face their individual behavior problems, said Shepard.

WHEN THEY ARE ready, the youths are sent home or sent to qualified foster homes and new families.

But the road home isn't always an easy one for these kids, said Shepard.

Founded in 1966, the West Texas Children's Home, located 15 miles west of Monahans along Interstate 20, is one of the facilities of the Texas Youth Council.

The Texas Youth Council is a state-run organization of agencies which cope with kids in trouble.

Students here are not necessarily delinquent. In some cases they are simply abandoned or neglected and have shown inappropriate behavior to react to these circumstances.

IN SOME CASES, officials use special individual attention in the on-campus school until students change their behavior sufficiently to allow them to attend area public schools.

These public schools are located in Wink, Monahans, and Grandfalls.

Evening tutoring, summer school, and career education are among the options available on campus here for these students.

Such facilities as a cafeteria, clinic, and recreation hall, complete with gymnasium, are available at the West Texas Children's Home, formerly a military air base during World War II.



The West Texas Children's Home in Pyote is "home" to 70 lonely youths. (Staff Photo)

However, aside from the buildings and programs, Shepard said the attitude and behavior changes, which must start with each of these kids, is really what is most important here.

"THE MAJORITY OF the kids are here because somehow or another their parents failed them," said Lillie Espurvoa, caseworker supervisor for

around campus each day to provide individual and group counseling.

AND A STAFF psychiatrist is available twice a month for additional counseling as required.

"Positive peer culture" is another kind of counseling which occurs here. Students meet five days each week to talk over their own situations in

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the home.

In addition, spiritual as well as psychological support is provided.

Said the Rev. Johnny Walker, on-campus Baptist minister, "To me, the West Texas Children's Home means being able to point our youth in the right direction to help them become better citizens."

The youths come here from county welfare departments, other state facilities or from their own homes, said Shepard.

Students live in cottages with house parents, but case workers circulate

these sessions. The emphasis, said officials, is to encourage positive behavior.

For the children, many of whom have been taken away from their parents because of neglect, the West Texas Children's Home means "basic child care," said Mrs. Espurvoa.

"The kids here basically need a home," she added. "Many times, these kids are abandoned either by one parent or the other. Sometimes the parent left with the children has no option but to seek public welfare aid."

## Most children's home students lonely, long for natural home

PYOTE — They are mostly 14- and 15-year-olds.

Many come from broken homes — families in which the parents have divorced or in which a parent has left with or without a reason.

Some have been in trouble with the law for offenses ranging from truancy and being a runaway to burglary and other more serious actions.

All are lonely, and each of these youths either seeks a new home or wants eventually to go home.

They are students of the West Texas Children's Home here.

It's a place they can come to find the directions they wish their lives to take.

For "Sam" (not his real name), the home is "all right. I've been here six years. I didn't have nobody to take care of me," he said.

Sam does have four brothers in Texas who occasionally visit him, he said.

And he will graduate from Grandfalls High School this year. But Sam has a look in his eyes which speaks of longing for a natural home during his growing up years.

The West Texas Children's Home

here, tries to fill that void. But sometimes the gap is hard to fill.

"Steven" has been here nine years. He's 17-years-old, and said, "The home here is all right. I earned all West Texas honors while playing football in Grandfalls this year."

He added, "My parents got into a fight. I guess. That's how I got here, but I don't know nothing about it."

Steven paused and added, "My parents left me in a grocery store in Odessa. There were 10 of us in the family. Six lived in Odessa back then."

"Dale" came here from Waco. His father died last summer.

"Natasha" has been here about six months. She came here from Waco, too. "I got into some trouble there," she said. Her father lives in Houston, and her mother calls Tyler home.

"They were glad to get rid of me," said Natasha. She admitted she ran away from home often "because I didn't like being there. They (her parents) didn't let me do what I wanted to do."

Originally from Germany, "Kathy" came here from a state agency in Waco, as did Natasha.

She said the "major challenge" such young people pose to employees working here "is to see if we really care."

Shepard added, "That's true. You have to be a caring person here to be effective with these kids."

"YOU NEVER REALLY know for sure if they can change their own behavior," said Shepard. "But it must begin with them."

"I believe we can help a child change his or her behavior so that they can succeed in life," he added. "But they must first want to change."

Shepard said once in a while he and fellow staffers "see a child who may be pretty tough. Some say, 'Send that child back where they came from.' But I believe all children can change."

"Such kids challenge us to see how much we really do care about them. Once a basic trust relationship is established, they do start changing," he said.

Mrs. Espurvoa said these so-called "throwaway" kids often must overcome feelings of "not being wanted. All the odds are against these kids."

"The communities sometimes see them as problems," she said. "But these kids have a lot to offer."

Mrs. Roberts, an early settler of Howard County, established extensive buildings and lands plus other business ventures.

The Forsan oil field was developed on several sections of her property.

Mrs. Garrett began overseeing the family's banking, ranching and business interests after the death of her husband. She has two daughters, Mrs. Partee, and Mrs. Gary Turner, of Big Spring.

### Big Spring resident honored

ANAHEIM, Calif. — Dorothy Garrett of Big Spring was honored with the Hall of Fame in Philanthropy Award recently by the National Association of Health and Welfare Ministries of the United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Garrett's daughter, Mrs. Stan Partee, accepted the award for her mother during the group's 39th Annual Convention in Anaheim, Calif.

The Hall of Fame award is given annually to a person who has made outstanding contributions in service and financial support to the United Methodist Church health and welfare ministries in the United States.

Her philanthropic activities included activities on behalf of churches, hospitals, colleges and community institutions — including personal gifts and grants from the Dora Roberts Foundation. Mrs. Garrett and Mrs. Partee are trustees of the foundation.

Mrs. Garrett has provided facilities to aid patients with heart disease, too. She is a longtime member of the First United Methodist Church of Big Spring.

Mrs. Garrett has been instrumental in building projects and in establishing the Kentwood Older Adult Center of the church.

She is also a trustee of Howard College, and has been honored by the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum and student center.

Active in many organizations, Mrs. Garrett — a member of a pioneer West Texas family — is the widow of Horace Garrett, grandson of Mrs. Dora Roberts.

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### Race for Ryan's seat emotional

SAN MATEO, Calif. (AP) — The race for the late Leo Ryan's congressional seat has become an emotional three-way battle among two of his former aides and a political ally, each trying to convince voters that "Leo liked me best."

Ryan was gunned down Nov. 18 on an isolated airstrip in Guyana, during a fact-finding visit to the Peoples Temple's South American jungle commune. Hours later, Temple leader Rev. Jim Jones led more than 900 followers in a murder-suicide ritual.

The slaying occurred two weeks after Ryan, a Democrat, was elected to a fourth term.

The three-way fight to fill his term has overshadowed the campaigns of two other Democratic candidates, five Republicans and two minor party hopefuls running in Tuesday's special election.

If no one receives more than 50 percent of the vote, a runoff will be held April 3 among the top vote-getters in each party.

The three major Democrats are: Jackie Speier, Ryan's 28-year-old legislative aide who was wounded in the jungle attack; G.W. "Joe" Holsinger, another top aide endorsed by Ryan's mother and ex-wife; and attorney George Corey, a sometimes political ally of Ryan.

### LEGAL NOTICES

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ORDINANCE NO. 5439  
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 1, TITLE XI, OF THE CITY CODE OF MIDLAND, TEXAS, BY PERMITTING THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN SECTION ONE HEREOF, WHICH IS PRESENTLY ZONED "R-1," ONE-FAMILY DWELLING DISTRICT, TO BE USED AS A "PLANNED DISTRICT" FOR THE OFFICE CENTER DESCRIBED IN SECTION THREE HEREOF, WHICH IS PRESENTLY ZONED "OFFICE CENTER FAMILY DWELLING DISTRICT," PROVIDING FOR SUCH USES TO BE SUBJECT TO CERTAIN SPECIAL CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS AS SET OUT HEREIN; PROVIDING THAT ALL OF SAID PROPERTY BE IMPROVED ACCORDING TO THE SITE PLAN, ORDINANCES AND SPECIFICATIONS SET OUT OR REFERRED TO HEREIN; ADDING PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN SECTION ONE HEREOF TO THE FIRE DISTRICT 1, CONTAINING A CUMULATIVE CLAUSE; CONTAINING A SAVINGS AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING PUBLICATION.

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Any person who shall aid, abet or assist in the violation of any provision of this Code or any other ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished as provided in the preceding paragraph.

In any prosecution for the violation of any provision of this Code, it shall not be necessary for the complainant to prove to the State to prove any exception contained in this Code concerning any prohibited act; provided, however, that any such exception therein may be urged as a defense by the person charged by such complaint.

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### LEGAL NOTICES

Sealed bids will be received until 2:30 P.M., March 19, 1979, to be opened at 1:00 P.M., March 20, 1979, in the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Midland, Texas. (Bid No. 156-79)

For the Purchase of: One (1) Air Sweeper to be used at the Midland Regional Air Terminal. Information for bidders, proposal forms and specifications, may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Midland, Texas. The City of Midland reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any formalities.

Riley Brooks  
Purchasing Agent  
City of Midland  
(March 4, 11, 1979)

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10:00 a.m. Friday for Saturday

Lodge Notices  
Called meeting Keystone Chapter No. 172 for degree work. Dec. 12, 1978, 7:30 P.M. Next meetings 1st Tuesday of each month: 7:30 P.M. for Chapter & 8:00 P.M. for P.M. Poin Meyers. T.M. George Medley, Sec. REC. AH

Acacia Lodge No. 1474 A.F.A.M., 1000 Upland. Regular stated meetings 7:30 P.M. Floor school every Monday night 7:30 P.M. All Masons 7:30 P.M. All

Midland Lodge #623 A.F.A.M., 1600 W. Wall, 682-3272. Regular stated meeting and official visit of D.D.G.M. Thursday, February 22nd at 7:30 P.M. Masons 7:30 P.M. All

Midland Shrine Club Stated meetings 3rd Friday, February 16 at 7:00 P.M. Midland Lodge #623, Covered 16th dinner. All Nobles and Ladies in visited. W. E. Miller, Jr., President; Robert O'Donnell, Circuit Chairman; Gus Kitchin, Secretary; Bobby Z. Ellis, Treasurer. Information, 683-8181.

Public Notices  
THE TEXAS YOUTH COUNCIL IS RECEIVING OFFICE BROCHURES INTERESTED IN PROVIDING SERVICES FOR AGENCY WORK IN THE MIDLAND, ODESSA AREA. INTERESTED FIRMS SHOULD CONTACT MR. JAMES H. OVERTON, T.Y.C. 8900 SHOAL CREEK BLVD., AUSTIN, TEXAS 78766. 1-512-452-8111.

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We buy coin collections — silver or gold coins. We pay \$4.10 per \$5 for silver coins through 1964. Silver dollars will pay \$5.25 each, in good condition. Also buy halves, 1965 through 1970. Phone 683-7638 Midland

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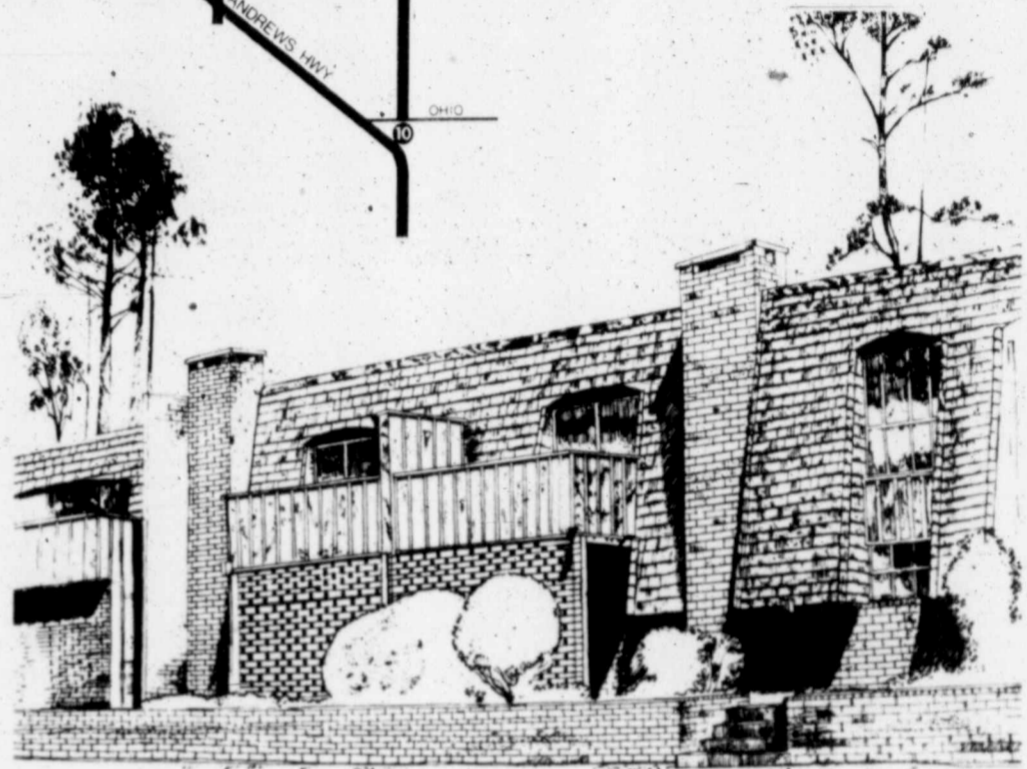
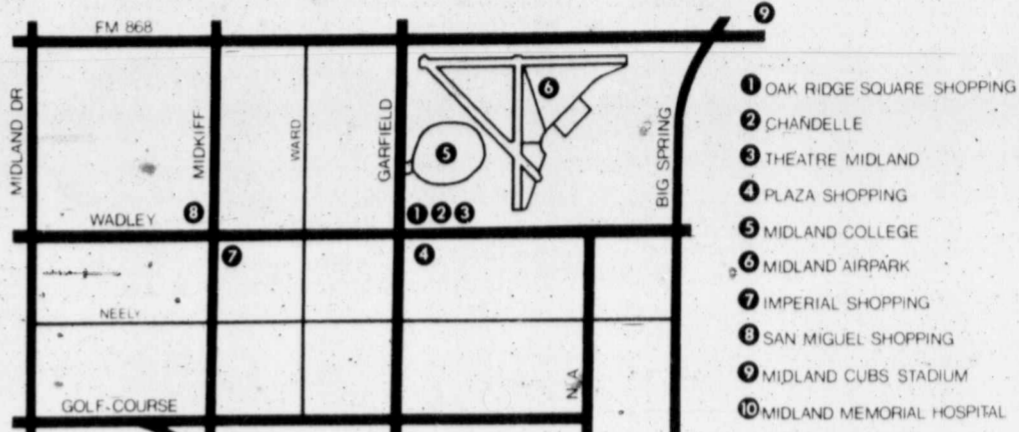
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NEW HOMES BY: ROBERT GRAHAM WITH HENRY CULP BUILDERS PARKLANE-BAY WINDOW in eating area of this 3 BR, 2 Bath home with vaulted ceilings, fireplace, dressing area in master bedroom & 2 car garage. PARKLANE-VAULTED CEILING in this 3 BR, 2 Bath home with 2 car garage... under construction. SYCAMORE-BRAND NEW 3 BR, dining area, one living area, and 2 car garage. BY: GILBERT BATES MEADOWBROOK-STUDY with fireplace, living room with fireplace, formal dining room, breakfast area, 4 BR, 3 full baths, sequestered master bedroom, touches of wallpaper and 2 car garage. DON'T MISS THIS ONE!!! BY: PAUL NOEL LANHAM-TOWNHOUSE with 3 BR, 2 Baths, atrium, wet bar, bookshelves, touches of wallpaper and 2 car garage. BEAUTIFUL!! BY: JACK TOWNSEN BOULDER-BEAUTIFUL TOWNHOUSE with 3 BR, 2 1/2 baths, fireplace & lovely wallpaper. 2 car garage and all the amenities. BY: T. R. MEADEN McDONALD-CORNER LOT with circle drive-Light and airy 3 BR, 1 1/2 Bath with vaulted & beamed ceilings, raised, hearth fireplace, built-in desk in Master bedroom, paneling in living area & 2 car garage. LAVERA-3 ACRES PLUS 3 BR, 1 1/2 baths. Lovely fireplace, den, living room, covered patio & many fruit trees. Entire acreage fenced. Drip system on trees, thermopane windows and decorated in yellow & orange - bright & light! WASHINGTON-RENTAL PROPERTY... 2 BR, 1 bath... priced to sell! HOWARD-GOOD FIRST HOME or investment property-2 or 3 BR with electric wall fireplace. NORTH "A"-BEAUTIFUL FIREPLACE, in this 3 BR, 1 1/2 Bath home with living room, den, large covered patio & many fruit trees in backyard. Good location. ACREAGE SHAMROCK SHORES-RESORT LOTS-BROWNWOOD, TEXAS 10 ACRES-N.E. MIDLAND-FENCED-GOOD WATER ON SURROUNDING PROPERTY LOTS EAST SIDE-SOUTH SIDE-OTHERS GAIL ADAMS... 694-0655 SHARON WOODARD 682-2160 KAT BATES... 694-8422 GUY C. HALL... 682-8178 CAROLYN HOLLAND 697-7038 CRIS COPE... 684-5247 BETTY TAYLOR, GRI, 694-6842

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HUMBLE	New Listing with new earth tone carpet & mini-blinds. Sunken living area w/cathedral ceiling & fireplace, 3 bed, 2 ba & 2 garage.	52,000.

**NEW HOMES BY CONCEPT**, will consider Trade-ins, 95% Conventional financing available

414 STONEYBROOK	3 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar.	\$2,300 down plus closing	\$45,700
409 BENTWOOD	4 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar.	\$2,450 down plus closing	\$48,400
413 BENTWOOD	3 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar.	\$2,350 down plus closing	\$46,500
3614 ANETTA	3 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar.	\$2,050 down plus closing	\$41,000
3616 ANETTA	3 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar.	\$2,050 down plus closing	\$41,200
418 SWEETBRIAR	3 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar.	\$2,300 down plus closing	\$45,100
4800 SHADYLANE	3 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar.	\$2,350 down plus closing	\$46,300
4800 ILLINOIS	3 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar.	\$2,300 down plus closing	\$45,600
4801 STOREY	3 bed, 2 ba, 2 gar.	\$2,450 down plus closing	\$46,400
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**MEADOW** Nice home, only 2 years old. Kitchen w/builtins, 3 bed, 1 1/2 ba, utility room. Assume \$281.00 payments and \$10,562 equity. 36,000

**NORTH "D"** Older home in need of some updating, 3 bed, 1 ba, formal dining & breakfast area, 90% Conventional money available. 35,000

**STOREY** Beautiful cottage. Brick floor in kitchen w/builtins, formal dining, 2 large bed., 2 ba. Owner will sell FHA. 33,500

**COMMERCIAL BUILDING** Approximately 24'x50' with attached apartment that has one bedroom & bath. 30,000

**COUNTY ROAD 1130 NORTH** New Listing. Older home setting on 3 acres w/4 bed, 2 ba, 2 water wells and 500 gal septic tank. 32,000

**LORRAINE** Older home, close in with 2 bed., 1 bath, sun porch and fireplace. 28,000

**CEDAR SPRINGS** If you've got the Down, We've got the Nest, 3 bed, 1 1/2 ba, nice breakfast area and owner will sell FHA or VA. 27,500

**307 NORTH "D"** Investment Property-Duplex. Partially furnished, 1 bed, 1 bath, each side. 90% financing available & owner will carry. 25,000

**FOR LEASE**—3333 DENGAR for \$500.00 month \$300.00 deposit.

**NORTH BIG SPRING**, lot for \$65,000. \*\*SOUTH OF TERMINAL, 10 acres w/frontage, near TI plant for \$18,500. \*\*RIDGE RD & LAMESA RD. 64 acres for \$160,000. \*\*LOTS IN GREEN HILL TERRACE AVAILABLE. \*\*2.38 ACRES OFF COUNTY ROAD 150 E. for \$11,500, has water well. \*\*LOT ON DENGAR FOR \$2,900. \*\*2.5 ACRES ON COTTON FLAT RD. for \$12,000. \*\*

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**GREENBRIAR-CHARMING** & different. Hag separate breakfast room w/private patio. 3-2-1-2 w/curved driveway & lovely landscaping. \$73,500

**PLEASANT-DESCRIBES** this neat 3-2-2. Almost new home w/unique fireplace & beamed ceiling in den. Good equity or new listing. \$52,500

**CIMMARON-LARGE** 1 living area. All in established area. Two living areas, ref. air plus outside playhouse. \$62,500

**COTTONFLAT RD.—SURROUND** yourself with 32.5 acres in this new re-decorated 3 B/R ranch home, plus shop & barns. \$120,000

**BOYD—MaMar Colonial-Custom built** 3-2-2. Formal living & dining. Vacant & ready to move into. Below appraisal. \$68,900

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**LOUISIANA—PRETTY & CLEAN** 3-2-1 in Dellwood. Low equity & vacant. \$46,500

**PLEASANT-WETTER** than NEW. 3-2-plus gameroom. Good equity. \$49,850

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**NEW CONSTRUCTION CASABELLA QUALITY**

**WADLEY—Two Patio Homes** keyed to the romantic Spanish Southwest 3-2-2. Landscaped area. \$98,500

**DUNBAR—Three lovely homes**, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath. Sizes and floor plans to suit everyone. \$67,500

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**DALTON—Luxury and leisure** in this new custom-built patio home—priced to sell. \$85,500

**DORMARD—Lovely contemporary** with atrium. Large 1 living area, sequestered master. \$79,500

**GREENWOOD—Two brand new homes** situated across from the school on acreage. \$100,000

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**COLEMAN, TEXAS—LUSCIOUS** landscaping surrounds this 3 bedroom, 2 living area home with all the amenities. Call Kathy for details. \$48,500

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**BIG SPRING RESIDENTIAL LOTS—Buy now.** Don't wait until the price goes up. Good choice in new subdivision. \$500 to \$1,000

**BIG SPRING—ONE of Midland's finest DESIGN STUDIOS.** Business & inventory for sale. Owner will carry part. Call for showing. \$2,500 ac.

**GREENWOOD—Acreage with 25% down.** Owner will carry papers. \$2,500 ac.

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**NORTHERUP—Two residential lots, pro-rata** plus 1/2 acre. \$21,000

**RANKIN HWY. DAVIS RD.—20.11 acres** with 2 excellent water wells. Fenced on all 4 sides. Partially constructed barn. \$35,000

**FOR LEASE**

**EXCLUSIVE ADULT CONDOMINIUM—on Mellon** Alley. 2-2-0 living area. \$550.00 and utilities. Call Bonnie Buller for showing.

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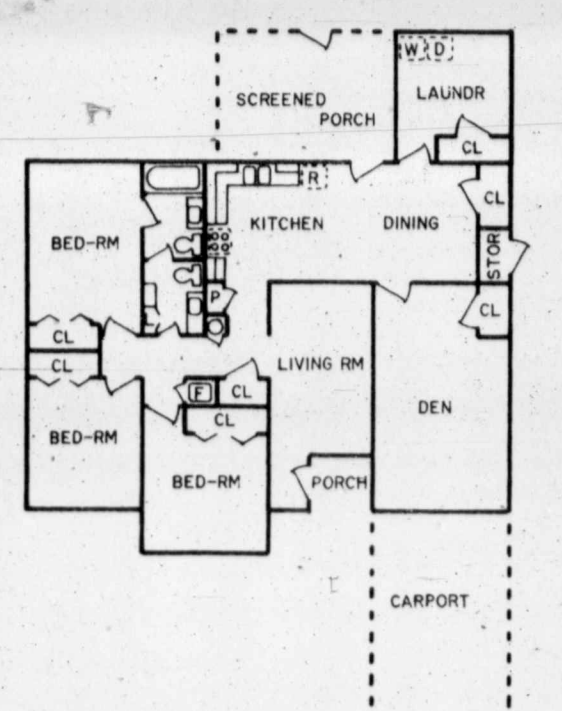
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# Teacher group writes open letter concerning 'Plan O'

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** The following report on "Plan O," the proposed consolidation of the two city high schools was prepared by the Teacher Communications Committee of school district. Plan O and other options will be discussed Tuesday at the 1:30 p.m. meeting of the Midland school board.

An open letter to the patrons of the Midland Independent School District:  
The interest and concern of this community with regard to the possible consolidation of the two senior high schools is indicative of the support this community gives its public schools.

However, so much of what has been written and said about the plan is either misinformation or rumor, or both, those who oppose and those who support this plan should question and seek correct facts.

It is the feeling of a number of concerned and interested teachers that the plan must be evaluated in the light of educationally defensible criteria, not emotional thinking.

The general tone of most of what has been printed has not met that standard.

**FIRST THERE IS A** simultaneous investigation being conducted into the feasibility of three options for solving the problems which exist with regard to the imbalance between the two high schools in enrollment, and with regard to falling enrollments in some specific courses.

The three alternatives are: Consolidate the high schools; leave things alone; redraw boundaries to achieve balance.

The administrators and teachers involved in the project are looking at all three, assembling information about each, and making projections about actual implementation of each one.

This is being done in order that the report of the superintendent to the school board will be an informed one. Investigation does not equal approval. Investigation equals responsible decision making.

**THERE HAVE BEEN** charges that there are no problems which exist. Several things are true which have been overlooked.

There is first the fact that the community and the board have already committed themselves to keeping the population of the schools balanced.

But, the fact is that the residential growth patterns of Midland make it impossible to stabilize enrollment and have necessitated boundary changes every two to three years. Enrollment projections clearly indicate this will continue.

In addition, there are now courses at both high schools which do not have sufficient enrollment to justify their being offered on separate campuses, but which are important and worthwhile courses.

Eliminating them because of the financial consideration the community has called for would penalize some students and reduce the richness of our very fine curriculum.

**MANY OF THE MAJOR** objections which have been voiced both publicly and privately do not center on educational concerns but on personal ones.

Even though these are important, there is every indication that such problems are not insurmountable. It is concern with avoiding these problems which has led to the current investigations.

The district must commit itself to the total notion of one high school, if the plan is adopted, and must unify student body and faculty through single staffing, one set of school colors, one annual, etc.

Planned coordination and deliberate interaction between students and faculties on the two campuses must and can be a part of such a plan.

Every decision would have to be made from the point of view of maintaining or extending educational excellence, rather than saving money.

**CONCERNS ABOUT STUDENT** participation, for example, are groundless if provision is made from the start for groups on each campus and within each area to continue to exist.

There is nothing which prohibits several squads or groups at sophomore and junior varsity level. A very full schedule of games and activities can be made with comparable groups within District 5-4A. Intramural and expanded junior varsity programs could compensate for the existence of only one varsity squad.

By the same token, those concerned about elected honors and offices are overlooking the obvious.

There is no rule which provides that we keep only the same number and kinds of such elected positions. They can be expanded.

**IF FACULTY AND** staff operate from the position that student participation will not be reduced, decisions can be made which will insure it, and plans are in the hands of administrators which illustrate the possibilities in many of the competitive activities.

The issue of busing has continued to be brought into discussion. Anything mentioned about this issue overlooks one important fact.

Neither of the existing high schools is a "neighborhood school." By state law, we provide buses for every high school student who lives more than two miles from the existing high school campus.

Those buses run now, even though they are used rarely by senior high students. They would continue to run with only a slight alteration in route and a very insignificant increase in numbers. Projections already made indicate the overall increase in bus miles to be insignificant.

The issue of transportation also figured into the decision to designate the Lee campus as the upper-class campus: Lee has more parking space already available and more potential for expansion, if needed.

**THE STAFFING AND** personnel decisions which would be involved in such a plan would admittedly be difficult. However, once again, informed and careful decision making can alleviate much of the problems.

There would need to be certain criteria established for personnel decisions, and these would need to be made public so that affected personnel could determine their own career decisions.

Rumor and conjecture would complicate a process which can be handled very straightforwardly.

The number of faculty members would probably be slightly reduced, but projections in the hands of the administration show that no faculty members would have to be released. The normal attrition rate would absorb the number no longer needed.

In a decision this important, we would like to ask you to be sources of rational thought.

If emotionally clouded thinking constructs a community climate in which the school board is unable to make a careful examination of these alternatives, then all of us lose because there is no firm ground for whatever decision is made.

If each of us applies rational, educationally based criteria to the decision, then it can be justified, no matter what it is.

DAYTON, Ohio (AP) — Sam Landes, once a member of Ohio's legislature, finds he can draw from his previous work experience for a new activity he's pursuing — acting.

"In politics, we're all hams," Landes says. Landes is appearing in a play at Wright State University, where he recently enrolled as a freshman. He plays Sir Oliver Surfaces, one of the leading characters in Richard Sheridan's "The School for Scandal."

Landes, 61, began his college career at the start of the winter quarter.

"When I was in school before, I did just enough to get by," the former lawmaker says. "Now I'm an eager beaver. I try to get in the front row so I can hear. I do my reading. I do all the writing. I'm loving it."

Landes served three terms, from 1961 to 1967, as a Republican in the Ohio House of Representatives from Madison County. During that period, efforts to set up Wright State began.

"We had in mind a little commuter college, but it's turned into quite a place," Landes says.

Wright State waives tuition for students over 60, but that wasn't what drew Landes back to school.

"I didn't even know about it. I enrolled and went down to pay my fees and the lady asked me how old I was. I didn't mind her asking because I've always looked 90," he says.

Landes put his son-in-law in charge of his insurance business, and the youngest of his five

children now has completed undergraduate college work.

"That relieved some of the financial obligation and sort of freed me up to go to school," he says.

Landes says he missed politics after he left office.

That's one negative about being in school. I don't get around to see my friends," he said.

"The nice thing about school is those kids are beautiful, and if you listen to them you can learn a lot. This is a great way to rejuvenate yourself. If you've got a mom and dad, tell them to go back to school."

## Over 60s to double

**UNITED NATIONS** (AP) — The number of people over 60 will double in the next 21 years, according to projections by the U.N. Fund for Population Activities.

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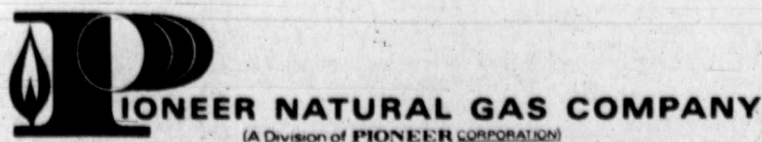
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# Midland's handicapped citizens...



Betty Barnes, right, is a teacher in the early childhood special education classes at the Opportunity Center at 2701 N. A St. Two of her students are David Adams Jr., 5, left, and Nicky Fraga, 3, third

from left. Looking on is auxiliary member Mrs. Gary Burnett. Parents of the children are Mr. and Mrs. David Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fraga.



Betty Jo Munn, left, is supervisor of the Day Care Center at the Opportunity Center, where Camarie Schmelzer, second from left, and Earl Warner, right, are clients. Mrs. Jack Goodwin, auxiliary

member, watches the children at play. Mrs. Sheriann Schmelzer and David Schmelzer and Mrs. John McGraw are parents of the children.



Allen K. Trobaugh, right, is honorary chairman of the "Country Squires Picnic" and William Blanks, left, is a co-chairman with George W.

Bush, not shown. Sitting in Blanks' lap is Opportunity Center client, Ronnie Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Roberson.

## ...involved in unique programs



Anita Costillo, left, and Fred Merritt, third from left, are gaining experience working in a situation as near to a competitive work environment at Community Living and Evaluation Workshop (CLEW). Observing their work are Mrs. Dedic Baxter, second from left, and Mrs. Bill Black, both auxiliary members.

Story by Patsy Gordon  
Staff Photos by Brian Hendershot

Midland has numerous organizations that are one-of-a-kind and one of these is the Opportunity Center Auxiliary for Retarded Citizens.

The Opportunity Center Auxiliary provides financial aid for needed items and programs for the mentally retarded that state and local agencies fail to fund.

The auxiliary is having March 13 "A Country Squire's Picnic," an evening of dinner and dancing at Midland Country Club, to raise money for these items and programs. All proceeds will stay in the community.

First Crossing will provide music for dancing, and the dinner will be served in baskets. In keeping with the theme, 10 baskets with "gifts for milady" will be auctioned. One of the gift baskets will contain a necklace and earrings designed by a local jeweler.

Opportunity Center Auxiliary was organized in 1966 by a group of women from the Midland Council For Retarded Citizens. In April 1972, the auxiliary was cited by the Texas Association For Retarded Citizens as "the organization which has done the most to recognize the needs of the mentally retarded locally."

The Opportunity Center houses classes for the retarded as well as a Day Care Center. Early childhood development classes are held in the morning and afternoon for children ages 3 to 6. The Day Care Center is open Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Any handicapped child from age 1 to early teens will be cared for on a regular or drop-in basis, and no child will be turned away because of inability to pay.

The Pop Bottle is a youth center for the teenage and young adult retarded at the Opportunity Center. It is open Friday and Saturday nights and Sunday afternoon. The auxiliary pays for an adult coordinator to supervise the activities.

The Community Living and Evaluation Workshop (CLEW) program provides mentally retarded adults with services for vocational evaluation, work adjustment training, personal social adjustment training, job placement and an opportunity to gain experience working in a situation as near to a competitive work environment as possible.

CLEW clients work on a variety of "in-shop contracts," including work for Texas Instruments and Midwest Electric Company.

In addition to these projects, the Opportunity Center Auxiliary helps finance Camp Cactus, a summer camp for retarded youth, Teens Aid Retarded (TARS), an organization that provides social activities such as picnics, dances and day trips, as well as being a friend and companion to the retarded, and Texas Special Olympics, a track and field event for the retarded, ages to 18, originated by the Joseph P. Kennedy Foundation. The auxiliary also donates money for Christmas gifts to three state schools and provides toys and Christmas stockings for the children at the Opportunity Center.

The Midland Association for Retarded Citizens coordinates many activities for retarded children and adults in Midland. A new building, to be located on North A Street adjacent to the Opportunity Center, will house MARC offices, a conference room, testing area and other facilities to benefit the handicapped.

This building will help MARC become more visible to the community, leading to greater community support. The auxiliary will contribute funds to finance this building and to improve the location's property.

Honorary chairman for the benefit is A.W. Trobaugh, assisted by William C. Blanks and George W. Bush. Mrs. Joe Henderson is chairman of the benefit.

Officers of the Opportunity Center Auxiliary are Mrs. John Elphick, president; Mrs. J. M. Patterson, vice president; Mrs. Larry Stapp, treasurer; Mrs. Michael Higgins, secretary, and Mrs. Gary Burnett, corresponding secretary.



Playing a game of pool at Pop Bottle, a youth center for the teenage and young adult at Opportunity Center, is Bonita Barber, left, and Kathy Kirkpatrick, second from right. Coordinator of Pop Bottle is Muriel Nelson, second from left, and Mrs. Wade Whiteley is an auxiliary member.

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If anyone would like an invitation to "A Country Squire's Picnic," please call Mrs. Stapp at 683-8954.





By PATSY GORDON  
Lifestyle Writer

"Set the Pace! Take the Food Way for Good Nutrition" is the theme that Texas dietitians and nutritionists will emphasize during the seventh annual National Nutrition Week set today through Saturday.

"Exercise and a sound diet are the cornerstones of good health," said Dr. Helen Brittin, registered dietitian and president of the Texas Dietetic Association.

Your know-how about foods and their nutrients can multiply the benefits of physical activity in keeping fit. For starters, begin with minimum servings of the essentials: milk and milk products; meat or an alternate, such as dried beans, peas and nuts, eggs or fish; fruits and vegetables—one deep green or yellow and one a source of Vitamin C, and wholegrain or enriched breads and cereals.

Then add more of these foods as you need them for energy, ideal weight and satisfying meals. And be sure to exercise. You'll be a pacesetter in the run for better health.

...MRS. LUTHER KIRK was in Midland a few days visiting with friends, including Dr. and Mrs. Curtis Nicholson. Mrs. Kirk is making plans to take a 16-day tour beginning June 7 of Spain, Portugal and Morocco.

Her husband was formerly pastor of the First United Methodist Church here.

Anyone interested in going on the tour can call 682-0809 or write Dr. Luther Kirk at 3005 59th St., Lubbock, 79413.

Mrs. Kirk also is helping coordinate a deluxe Mediterranean cruise to Venice, Dubrovnik, Cairo, Rhodes, Patmos, Etheus, Santorini, Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Nazareth, Galilee and Athens.

If interested in this tour, call 682-0809 or write the Rev. Davis Edens at the First United Methodist Church in Stanton, 79782.

...KEM CANNON, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cannon of 2003 Boyd St. and a member of the range plant identification team of Texas Tech University, placed 15th in individual awards in the international plant judging contest held at Casper, Wyo. His team placed second.

...TWO WEEKS REMAIN for girls in grades 3 through 6 to join the YMCA Girls Softball Program, David Graunke, Metropolitan sports director, announced today.

Seven games are included in the regular season and the carnival games end the season May 21. Trophies will be awarded to the first place teams in each league and games will be played at Lancaster Park.

Girls should register at their local YMCAs as soon as possible to secure a place on a team, Graunke said.

...SUSAN SHACKELFORD, a native Midland and pharmaceutical sales representative for McNeil Laboratories in the Lubbock area, San Antonio district, has successfully completed the company's sales education program at the Fort Washington, Pa., home office facility.

Shackelford has a B.S. degree from Texas Tech University and a masters degree from North Texas State University. She lives in Lubbock.

She was appointed to her position several months ago.

...A NEW RECREATIONAL interest for MEN will begin Monday at the Senior Center. Domino playing will be open to all men from 10 a.m. to noon every Monday.

...THE FABULOUS FABERGE COLLECTION, an exhibition of the exquisitely jeweled art objects created by Karl Faberge, the court jeweler to the Imperial Russian Court, is being displayed at the El Paso Museum of Art, and a one-day tour from Midland to view the collection is planned for April 18 under the auspices of Midland's Museum of the Southwest.

Also to be viewed is the Kress Collection of paintings at the El Paso Museum.

Details of the trip to the Border City may be obtained from Lella Seal, coordinator of museum services at Museum of Southwest, by calling 683-2882.

## Report ripoffs

WASHINGTON (AP) — If you've been ripped off at the gas pump, the Energy Department wants to know about it.

There are limits on what price can be charged for gasoline, and the department has set up a toll-free hotline to take calls from people who believe they've been charged too much.

Under rules that went into effect in 1973 the current maximum selling price for gasoline must be posted on the pump. That price is based on 1973 prices with adjustments for increased costs.

The toll-free number to call is 800-424-9246 between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. EST. Residents of Washington, D.C., and its Maryland and Virginia suburbs should call 254-5474.



Mrs. Don P. Miller II

## Couple wed in Austin Saturday

AUSTIN—Lee Ann Tally, of No. 4 Cambridge Court, and Don P. Miller II, of Austin, were married in a double ring ceremony at 8 p.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Austin.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Tally, of No. 4 Cambridge Court. Miller is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don P. Miller of Austin.

Dr. Gerald Mann officiated the ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Best man was Don Miller, father of the bridegroom. Matron of honor was Mrs. Robert Houser of Midland, sister of the bride. Maid of honor was Debbie Mason of Austin and bridesmaids were Karen Rogers and Mary Elizabeth Cox, both of Austin.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Richard Buck of Odessa, sister of the bride; Mrs. Kenneth Trull of Abilene; and Mrs. Paul Wright of Midland.

Flower girls were Kristin Buck of Odessa, niece of the bride; and Adrienne Miller of Houston, niece of the bridegroom.

Ushers were Garry Brown, Ed Hearst and John George, all of Austin, and Tom Ewing of Houston.

Groomsmen were William Miller of Houston, brother of the bridegroom; Robert Miller of Big Spring, brother of the bridegroom; Gary Farmer, Bill Gossett and Bryan Dabbs, all of Austin; and Marc Sparks of Dallas.

Angie Leyendecker of Austin was soloist.

The bride wore an imported gown of pure silk ivory peau de soie and re-embroidered Alencon lace. An elaborate overlay of re-embroidered Alencon lace was featured on the petite sleeves and the jeweled neckline, which was enhanced with a row of bridal seed pearls. Re-embroidered Alencon lace over peau de soie formed the bride's head dress. She carried a family prayer book and a nosegay of cascading orchids, greenery and lilies of the valley.

Reception was at the Headliner's Club of Austin. The rehearsal dinner was earlier hosted by the bridegroom's parents at LaTour in Austin.

Following a wedding trip of a Caribbean Cruise to San Juan, Caracas, Trinidad, the couple will reside in Austin.

## St. Ann's altar group to meet here

St. Ann's Church Altar Society meeting for March is set for 9:30 a.m. Monday in the Adult Renewal Center.

Business will include the election of new officers and a program on "Day of Recollection".

The Rev. Robert M. Kelly, pastor of the Holy Family Church in Abilene, will open the program with a Mass at 10 a.m. Several conferences and talks by the Rev. Kelly will follow. The program will close with Benediction at 3:30 p.m.

The Rev. Kelly has served in several parishes in the diocese of San Angelo. He has been active in many community activities and committees, in addition to various diocesan-related projects.

At present, the Rev. Kelly is a member of the board of directors of the newly-founded Youth Town of Texas.

While serving as an enlisted man in the Army, he traveled extensively in Europe and also had a 20-year business career before his ordination as a priest in 1968.

The public is invited to attend all or part of the activities at St. Ann's Monday. "Brown bag" lunches are to be brought and coffee and cold drinks will be served.

## Art given

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "Bacchus and Ariadne," a painting by the Italian artist Guido Reni (1575-1642), has been given to the Los Angeles County Museum of Art by the Ahmanson Foundation.

The painting measures 38 by 34 inches and was painted between 1619 and 1620.

## Marvin Boyd, Economidis to recite vows

SAN ANGELO — Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Economidis of San Angelo announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ann, to Marvin Dewitt Boyd of San Angelo.

Boyd is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Boyd, of 4525 Leddy St. The wedding is set for 7:30 p.m. June 9 in San Angelo.

The bride-elect is a graduate of San Angelo Central High School and Angelo State University. Her fiancé is a graduate of Seminole High School and is employed by Angelo Sporting Goods in San Angelo. He attended Angelo State University.



Mary Ann Economidis

## Making rings to order can be lengthy process

OWATONNA, Minn. (AP) — Bronko Nagurski holds one record even his most avid fans may not know about—his size 19½ ring finger is the largest ever recorded by Josten's Inc.

Nagurski, a football star for the University of Minnesota and the Chicago Bears, was fitted for a ring by Josten's in 1967 when he was named a charter member of the football Hall of Fame.

The average size for a man's ring is 10.

Josten's makes more than 1 million rings a year. Most of them are school class rings in keeping with a tradition begun in 1835 by the West Point class of that year.

While most of the rings are stock models with name and date added, others—like Nagurski's—are custom-designed and include an incredible amount of detail. It's "like trying to record a history text on a thumbnail," says John Hansen, Josten's resident manager.

It takes about 100 steps to transform a rough sketch into a finished ring, Hansen says.

For example, take the Super Bowl ring. Josten's has made rings for eight of the first 12 Super Bowl champions. The first one, 12 years ago, was for the Green Bay Packers.

"Drawing up rough sketches with customer input can take anywhere from one to three weeks," says Hansen. "But coach (Vince) Lombardi was in a hurry."

So Josten's designer Ken Westerlund took the team's suggestions and worked all night to make revisions. Then began the transformation of an idea into an heirloom.

A rough drawing was made of the design so die cutters could transfer it to a metal mold. Wax rings were then formed in the molds and they, in turn, were encased in plaster which was put through a hardening process.

The design takes shape when molten metal is poured into the plaster molds. But the finished product doesn't emerge until after a series of 30 to 40 polishings.

The most drastic change since the first Super Bowl ring was designed is in cleanup procedures. The price of gold has risen in that period from \$32 an ounce to about \$250.

So waste materials are no longer just dumped out with the trash.

Work areas are vacuumed. Polishers and grinders have minute vacuums attached to capture tiny particles. Workers' clothing is cleaned daily.

Even waste water

from wash basins is collected and "panned" for gold.

During the 1960s, the popularity of class rings declined.

"Today," said Hansen, "former students, either through college on peanut-butter sandwiches and day-old bakery, or those who protested against the establishment a decade ago, are calling at the campus bookstores looking for back-dated class rings."

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### G-G AUXILIARY

The Permian Basin Geological-Geophysical Auxiliary will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday at Midland Country Club.

A social period will begin at 11 a.m., followed by a buffet luncheon at 11:30. A style show will be presented with fashions by Grammer-Murphy. New officers also will be installed.

Members of the auxiliary should make reservations by noon Tuesday and can do so by contacting Mrs. Richard Blackwell at 694-7175, Mrs. L.E. Malone at 694-0045 or Mrs. N.E. Webernick at 682-5410.

### PHI MU ALUMNAE

Permian Basin Phi Mu Alumnae will meet at 12:30 p.m. Saturday in the home of Mrs. John Brooks Campbell at 3204 Stanolind Ave. It will be a luncheon and the 127th anniversary of Founders' Day. Officers for 1979-80 also will be elected.

Alpha Phi alumnae will have a luncheon Wednesday in the home of Dorothy Buthman, 19 Winchester Courts. The group meets at 12 noon.

Alumnae new to Midland may call Mrs. Buthman at 683-1576, or Mary Jo Sawyer at 697-1122.

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### McCamey names a first lady

MCCAMEY — Mrs. Louise Ramer has been chosen as First Lady of McCamey for 1979. Mrs. Ramer will be honored with a First Lady Tea today from 2 to 3:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall of the First United Methodist Church. The public is invited.

Mrs. Ramer came to McCamey as a bride in 1928 and taught school in the middle school for 32 years. She is an active member in the Methodist Church, the McCamey Garden Club since 1940 and Girl Scouts since 1935. She is currently a member of the Chamber of Commerce; helped compile the "History of McCamey" for the 50th Anniversary; and worked to help Upton County obtain a Home Demonstration Agent in 1943.

The Omicron Omicron chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sponsor this program annually. They encourage the public to attend the tea.

### PTA NEWS

**BOWIE PTA**  
Bowie School Parent-Teacher Association will have a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the school's cafeteria.

Four sections of Bowie's fifth graders will present a patriotic program under the direction of Madeline Van Ness.

Immediately following the program, open house will be conducted in the classrooms in celebration of Public School Week. All parents are urged to attend and visit the classrooms and get acquainted with their child's teacher.

Life memberships also will be awarded and new officers elected prior to the open house.

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Mrs. V. McGrew and Mrs. Max Levin, fourth;  
Mrs. Ralph Hammond and Mrs. W. B. Smith, fifth.

### Weddings scheduled by couples

#### HAWLEY-HANKINSON

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Hawley, of 3518 Gulf St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Gail Lynn, to Stephen Lee Hankinson of Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hankinson of Littleton, Colo.

The Hankinsons are former residents of Midland.

The wedding will be held at 7 p.m. May 19 at St. Luke's United Methodist Church.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Texas A&M University, where she obtained a degree in civil engineering. She will begin employment with Exxon in the near future.

Her fiancé was graduated from Oklahoma University, with a degree in microbiology. He is currently attending Texas A&M University, where he is working on a master's degree. He is president of Phi Kappa Sigma.

#### HENDERSON-BAKER

Dr. and Mrs. E. W. McCullough, of 1701 Maberry, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Henderson, of 1224 S. County Road, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kelly, to Robin Ray Baker of Ranger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker of Sweetwater.

The wedding is set for June 9 at 7 p.m. in the Asbury Methodist Church.

The bride-elect is a senior student majoring in accounting at Texas Tech University. She is a member of Beta Alpha Psi honorary accounting society. Her fiancé is a graduate of Texas Tech, where he was a member of the Tech baseball team. He is assistant football and baseball coach at Ranger Junior College in Ranger.

#### PROFT-SWENDIG

NEDERLAND — Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eugene Proft of Nederland announce the engagement of their daughter, Pamela Sue, to John Tupper Swendig of Dallas, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Swendig of Midland.

The wedding will be held at 4 p.m. April 14 at the Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Nederland.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Nederland High School. She obtained a bachelor of business administration degree from Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches. She is employed with Kelly Girl.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Lee High School and obtained a bachelor of business administration in accounting from Stephen F. Austin State University. He is employed as an accountant with Mobil Oil in Dallas.



Gail Lynn Hawley



Kelly Jean Henderson



Pamela Sue Proft

### Club appoints committees

Committee appointments were made at a recent monthly meeting of the Chaparral Extension Homemakers Club which met in the home of Mrs. Henry Anderle.

Committee members named were Mrs. Bob Connor, service; Mrs. Anderle, finance; Mrs. Bill Sewell, co-chairman on the Annual Day Committee.

Mrs. James Lindsey, Mrs. Connor and Mrs. Steve Odom were appointed as a committee to revise the club by-laws to be presented at the next regular meeting.


Plans were made for the club members to attend the Fashion Carousel March 15 in the Midland College Fine Arts Auditorium.

Plans were also made for a work day Feb. 28 in the home of Mrs. Bob Warfield.

Program was presented by Mrs. Odom on Car-

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Mrs. Bill Sewell. Next meeting will be March 28 in the home of Mrs. James Bozell.



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# Texas Garden Clubs meeting begins Tuesday

The 33rd annual meeting of the Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., District One, will meet Tuesday and Wednesday at the Midland Hilton. Hostess group will be the Garden Clubs of Midland. Convention chairman is Mrs. Keith Somerville, state treasurer, of Midland. Activities will begin with a business session at 1 p.m. Tuesday. Mrs. Lee Coil, president of the District One Judges Council, will preside over the business session in the Spraberry Room. A tea honoring Mrs. Jay Huckabee, state president, and Mrs. Tom Brown, District One director, will be held at 4 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Stanley

Weiner, 1506 W. Storey Ave. Mrs. John Grimland Jr. is hospitality chairman. All garden club members are invited to the tea, whether or not they plan to attend the convention. A pre-convention dinner is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. in the Yates and San Andres Rooms at the Hilton. The dinner will honor all state, regional and national officers and chairmen. The program, to be presented by Mrs. Billy Don Green and Doris Bruce, is "Musical Selections." Mrs. R. D. Hardman, recording secretary, will preside. Following the dinner, a meeting of the district board of directors will

also be held in the Yates and San Andres Rooms at 9 p.m. Wednesday's program theme is "In the Beginning" and will kick off at 7:15 a.m. with a convention breakfast in the Ellenburger Room. The breakfast will honor club presidents and incoming club presidents. Mrs. Charles Ice, second vice director, will preside. Program is to be presented by Vernon Sikes, area extension horticulturist from Fort Stockton, on "Spring Flowering Bulbs." Registration will be held at 8:30 a.m., with the exhibit and sales room to be open. Business session begins at 9:30 a.m., with a welcome by Mayor Ernest

Angelo, Jr. Mrs. Somerville will preside. The session will present Mrs. Thomas E. Brown, director of District One. Business to be discussed will include reports from the chairman, announcements and the presentation of awards by Mrs. G. W. Basham, chairman, and Mrs. L. A. Pickering. An address will be made by Mrs. Huckabee as president of the state garden clubs. Activities will culminate with a luncheon at 12:30 p.m. in the Spraberry Room. To be honored are district chairmen. Mrs. John Brewer, corresponding secretary, will preside. A program on "Hanging Baskets"

is to be given by Extension Horticulturist Sikes. Officers for the 1979-81 district will also be installed by Mrs. A. P. Shirey. Convention chairmen include Mrs. Somerville, chairman; Mrs. A. P. Shirey, program; Mrs. R. D. Hardman and Mrs. W. L. Drake, registra-

tion; Mrs. J. A. Van Auken, packets; Mrs. J. D. Dillrd, protocol; Mrs. L. A. Pickering, exhibits; Mrs. C. E. Bissell, publicity; Mrs. C. D. Bradley and Mrs. H. H. Lanford, treasure sale; Mrs. Edwin J. White Jr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall, door prizes; Mrs. L. W. Patterson and Mrs. Clifford Lunson, decorations; and Mrs. John Grimland, Jr., tea chairman.

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## Care of plants is program

Study groups of Midland Garden Club met for programs. Group III met in the home of Mrs. Jack Griffin, 906 Bedford Drive. Mrs. John Grimland discussed damage done to shrubs by the late freeze, and the care or replacement of the plants. Mrs. Griffin reported on work done on the club's garden plot at Lancaster Garden Center-Museum of the Southwest. Mrs. A. P. Shirey announced the program planned for the District I, Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., convention being held in the Midland Hilton Monday and Tuesday. A report on plans for the club's bake and plant sale to be held April 12 in the home of Mrs. Griffin was given by Mrs. Ike Hynd. The meeting of Group IV was in the home of Mrs. Paul Smyres, 2313 Cuthbert Ave. Mrs. L. W. Patterson and Mrs. J. W. McCart are new members. It was announced a program on flower arrangements will be presented at the meeting scheduled for 9:30 a.m. April 5 in the home of Mrs. Hynd, Lamesa Highway. Group V will present the program for the Midland Woman's Club luncheon to be held March 15. Midland Garden Club will not meet preceding the luncheon.

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# Tamie Lee Myers to wed Robert Herrin

ODESSA — Mr. and Mrs. Dan B. Myers of Odessa, former residents of Midland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Tamie Lee, to Scot Alan Herrin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Herrin of Odessa. The wedding will be held June 1 at

7:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Odessa.

Both the bride-elect and her fiancé are graduates of Permian High School in Odessa and are attending Texas Tech University.



Tamie Lee Myers



Mrs. James David Dean

# Gretchen Ann Wells, James Dean wed

Gretchen Ann Wells, of 1427 Ventura St., and James David Dean of Lubbock married in a double ring ceremony Friday at 7 p.m. in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Wells, of 1427 Ventura.

Dean is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Dean of Lubbock.

The Rev. Martin Hager officiated the ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Attendants were David Tabor of Lubbock and Joni Bellamy of Lubbock, sister of the bride. Ebanist was Mrs. Benton Howell.

The bride wore a gown of white quana and chiffon designed with a modified sweetheart neckline. It featured appliques of Venice lace and soft shirring across the shoulders. Full chiffon bishop sleeves were caught at the wrists by a deep cuff of Venice lace. The same lace pattern encircled the chapel train and was used on the bridal bouquet which held a full chiffon walking-length veil.

Reception was held at the Racquet Club. Following a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N.M., the couple will reside in Lubbock.

The bride and bridegroom both attended Texas Tech University and are employed at McKenzie State Park in Lubbock.

Mrs. James David Dean was honored with several bridal showers during the month of February.

A rice and spice shower was hosted by Mrs. Lee B. Park, Mrs. R. E. Morgan and Mrs. R. V. Hollingsworth.

# Families eating less

WASHINGTON (AP) — Families in four of America's major cities apparently find that cutting down on their food bills is the best way to cope with inflation.

According to a recent survey of families in New York City, Detroit, Atlanta and San Francisco, the food bill cutback was the most popular method being used.

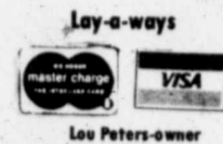
The Center for the Study of Metropolitan Problems, which conducted the study, reported the second most used tactic was to try to raise their incomes by working more.

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## Couples announcing plans for marriages



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### KOONCE—HARRIS

STANTON — Mr. and Mrs. Roy Koonce of Stanton announced the engagement of their daughter, Rena Jeanine, to Clayton Hugh Harris, of Glasscock County, with an engagement party Feb. 24 in their home.

Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Koonce and Mrs. Carlynn Harris, the bridegroom-elect's mother.

Harris is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox of Glasscock County.

The wedding is set for June 16 at the First United Methodist Church in Stanton.

Out of town guests attending the party were Mrs. E. M. Teele, Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Ratliff, Jo Calverley and Carmine Johnson, all of Garden City. Also attending from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Gearl Koonce and family of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cox of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wheeler, grandparents of the bride-elect, of Independence, Mo.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Stanton High School and is attending the College of the Southwest in Hobbs, N.M. She is a member of "The Entertainers," a public relations group for the college. Her fiance is in farming and ranching in Glasscock County.

### TEINERT-VASICEK

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Teinert, of 1604 Sparks St., announce the engagement of their

daughter, Deborah Jenice, to Michael Robin Vasicek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor F. Vasicek, of 1502 Douglas St.

The wedding is set for 8:30 p.m. June 2 at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Midland.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Concordia Lutheran Junior College and is a senior at The University of Texas at Austin. She has been secretary/treasurer and president of the Childhood Education Association, and is a member of the Texas State Student Teacher Association and

was in the Concordia College Choir.

Her fiance is also attending The University of Texas at Austin where he was formerly social chairman and vice president of the Society of Petroleum Engineers. He is also a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

### WEIR-SWIHART

Mr. and Mrs. Billy J. Weir, of 216 N. Dewberry, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jaye Lynn, to Michael C. Swihart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Swihart, of 3507

Bauman St.

The ceremony will be held at 3 p.m. April 14 at the First Alliance Church.

The bride-elect obtained an associate degree from Midland College and a bachelor of business administration degree from The University of Texas at Austin. He was president of the student government at Midland College and member of Phi Theta Kappa. He was a member of Phi Theta Kappa Alumni at UT-Austin. He is employed by the Atlantic Richfield Co. in Dallas.

### HALE-SIMON

FLOYDADA — Mr. and Mrs. Jay S. Hale of

Floydada announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Katherine, to Michael Don Simon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. Simon, of 2100 N. "I" St.

The couple plan to be married May 26 at the First Baptist Church in Floydada.

The bride-elect is a 1975 graduate of Floydada High School and a senior at Texas Tech University. Her fiance is a 1974 graduate of Midland Lee High School and is a senior at Texas Tech University.



Jaye Lynn Weir



Mary Katherine Hale

### P.E.O. chapter has meeting

Chapter BS of the P.E.O. Sisterhood met in the home of Mrs. Bradford Armstrong, No. 29 Oaklawn Park. Co-hostess was Mrs. Douglas W. Brown.

Guest speaker was Neda Mukhtar, foreign exchange student from Australia, who is residing this year with the Jimmy C. Floyd family. She is a senior student at Midland High

School, under auspices of the American Field Service program.

Guests, in addition to Miss Mukhtar, were Mrs. Floyd and Mrs. James H. Williams.

The next meeting was announced for March 14 in the home of Mrs. Tom S. Edrington, a change in location from the yearbook listing.

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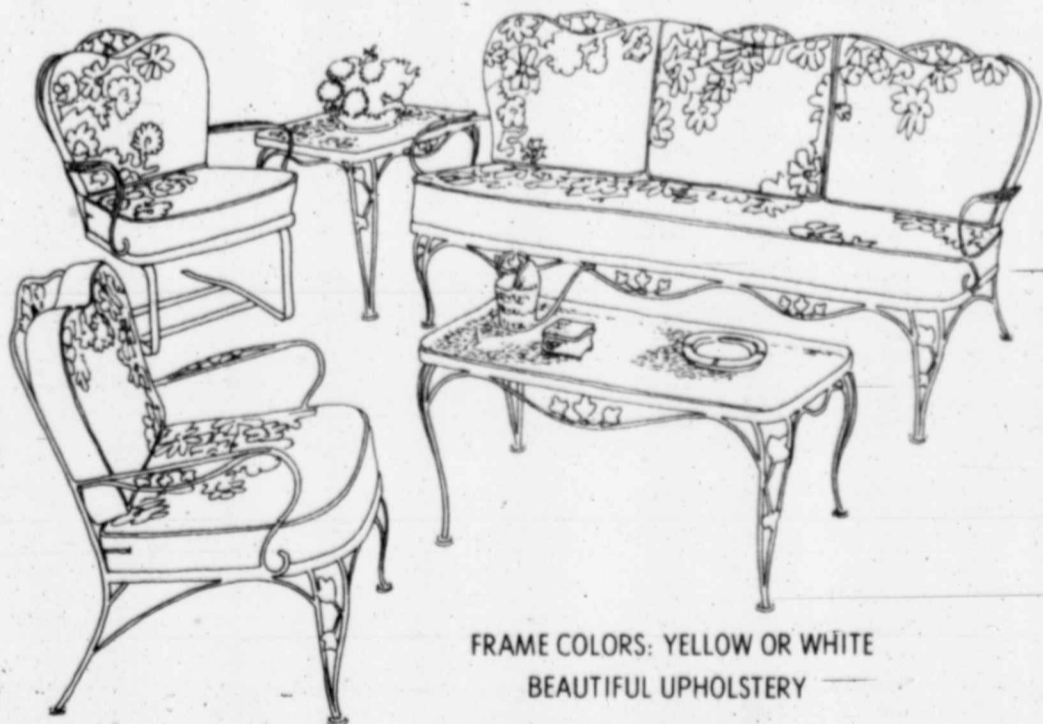
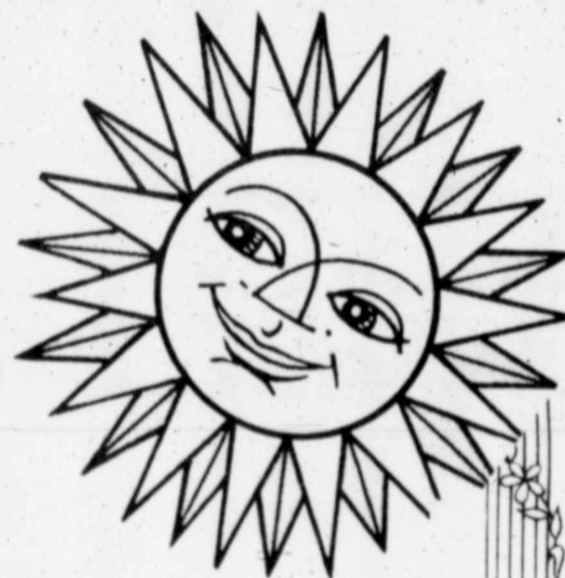
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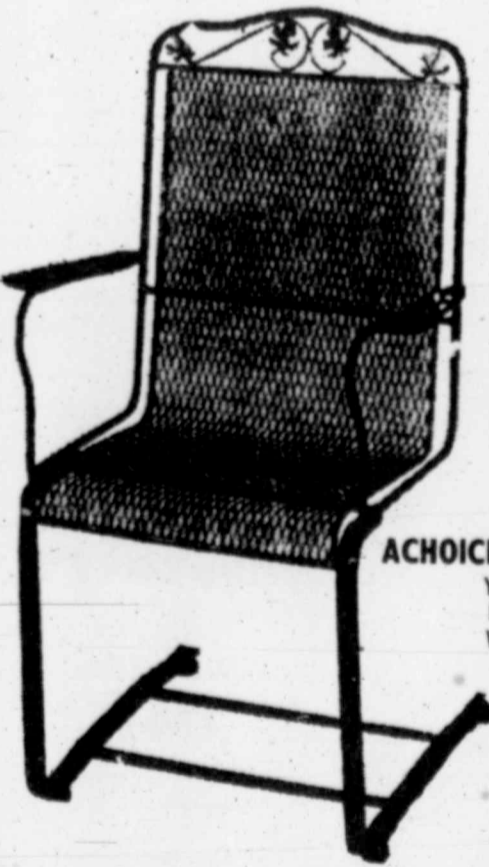
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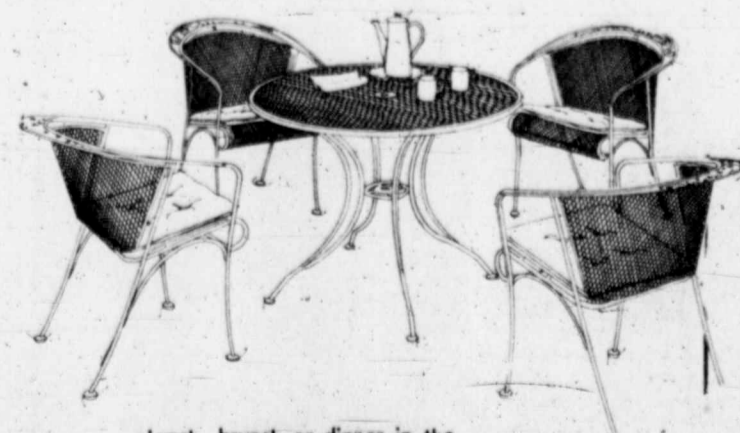
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## Play Day winners listed

Winners of the Permian Basin Playday recently held at Odessa Country Club have been announced.

Winners of the championship flight are LaNell Guelker, Andrews Country Club, low net of 84; Bernice Flint, Andrews Country Club, low gross of 75; Crystal Fouché, Odessa Country Club, low putts of 33.

Winners of the first flight are Billie Hartma, Sunset Country Club, low net of 102; Liz Smith, Ranchland Hills Country Club, low gross of 75; Lila Lyalls, Sunset Country Club, and Ann Brister, Odessa Country Club, tied on low putts with 34.

Winners of the second flight are Francis Castevens, Odessa Country Club, low net of 76; Mary Beldan, Ranchland Hills Country Club, and Verna Sigman, Sunset Country Club, tied with a low gross of 106; and Dorothy Vough, Ranchland Hills Country Club, low putts of 33.

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## Engagements announced

### BURFORD-TOTH

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Burford, of 2306 Sinclair St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Laura Elaine, to Steven Brett Toth, son of Mrs. Sybil Toth of Houston.

The wedding ceremony will take place at 3 p.m. May 12 at the Trinity Presbyterian Church.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Midland High School and of Angelo State University. She is an associate with Jim Assad Realtors in Houston. Her fiancé attended the University of Houston and San Jacinto College. He is a police officer with the Houston Police Department.

### SAUL-BECKSTED

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby G. Saul, of 3322 Cimmaron St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Jo Ann, to Jonathan Drake Becksted, son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Becksted of New Orleans, La.

The wedding is set for 1 p.m. April 14 at the Four Columns in New Orleans, La.

The bride-elect is a 1976 graduate of O'Perry Walker School and attended Louisiana State University. Her fiancé is attending the University of New Orleans where he is a member of Phi Delta Theta.

### GOTCHER—WYMORE

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gotcher, of 1401 Boeing St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Joel, to Kent Elric Wymore III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kent Elric Wymore Jr. of Anaheim Hills, Calif.

The wedding is scheduled for 3 p.m. May 26 at San Angelo.

The bride-elect graduated from Eastwood High School in El Paso and is attending Angelo State University. Her fiancé is a graduate of MacArthur High School in Irving and will be eligible for graduation at Angelo State University this summer.

### This teen-ager owns business

WINDSOR, Conn. (AP) — Andre Charbonneau Jr. says his only regret about being in business is "I wish I'd done it a lot sooner."

Charbonneau, 18, founded Andre Furniture Industries a year ago while he was a senior at South Windsor High School.

"I plan to be a millionaire before I die," the college freshman says.

Charbonneau, who has been making cabinets and furniture since he was 12 or 13, specializes in making plastic-laminated furniture.

### ENGLAND-AMO

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall J. England, of 2412 Stutz Place, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathryn Mary, to Thomas Don Amo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Amo of Manitowish Waters, Wisconsin.

The bride-elect and her fiancé are both residents of Denver, Colo. Mr. and Mrs. England are former residents of Littleton, Colo.

The wedding is set for April 16 at 7:30 p.m. at the Ascension Lutheran Church in Littleton.

The bride-elect attended Mesa College in Grand Junction, Colo., and is employed by King-Soopers in Denver. Her fiancé attended Michigan Tech and is employed by Wright-McGill in Denver.

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DEAR ABBY

# When wife-shopping, try no-frills place!

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: About the letter from ONLY KIDDING, who compared women to automobiles, and your reply—"A restored antique is worth much more than a new model!"

Maybe so, but a man keeps his antique car locked up to preserve it and brings it out in public only on special occasions. His antique wife would

never hold still for that! In addition to his antique car, a man keeps a later model for everyday use—something he can't do with a wife.

The ideal place to go wife-shopping would seem to be at a nudist camp, where all the merchandise is on display for inspection. Imagine shopping at a car lot where all the cars were covered except for the headlights and

grille—R.S. IN SWISHER, IOWA

DEAR R.S.: I understand that's the customary way to shop for a bride in some of the Mideast countries. So, kiss Your Stars and Stripes!

DEAR ABBY: Fourteen years ago my husband had lower back pain and went to a doctor who told him to take a swim. Well, George can't swim. He nearly drowned.

He was still in pain, so he went to an orthopedic doctor who took X-rays and told George it wasn't his back, it was his hip. George let this doctor operate on his hip, then his neck started to bother him.

He went to a chiropractor, who gave him a series of adjustments which seemed to help some. But George bent down to take off his shoe and his back went out on him. By this time he was beginning to look like a pretzel.

The neck pain came back, so George tried acupuncture. That helped for a while, but not for long.

Three quarters of George's life is gone and he's still walking the floors at night because he can't sleep for the pain.

We live only 36 miles from the Mayo Clinic, but my husband got into an argument with someone at the clinic 15 years ago and vowed he'd never go back.

Any suggestions before

George turns into a complete pretzel!—MINNESOTA MRS.

DEAR MRS.: Tell George to bury the hatchet with the Mayo Clinic before you bury HIM. He needs a complete check-up—including from the neck up!

DEAR ABBY: How long does a person have to live in a place before it's "home"?

Even after 14 years of marriage, whenever my husband goes to see his parents he says, "I'm going home."

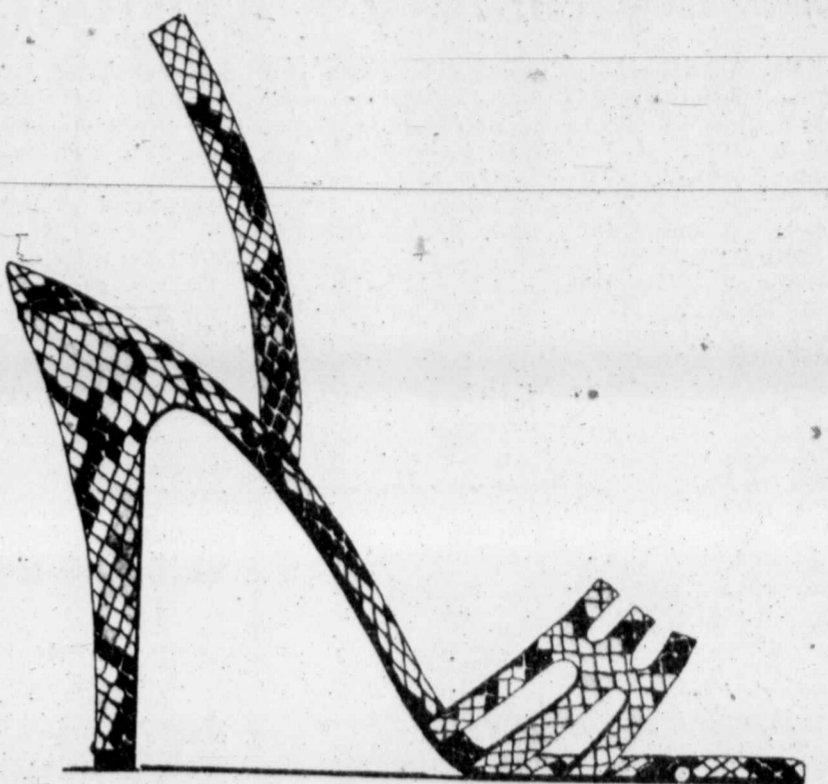
Maybe I'm out of line to get so upset Abby, but it just burns me up to hear him say that. Don't you think "home" is where a man's wife and children are? Or do you think maybe my husband actually still feels more at home with his parents than he does with me?—ONLY HIS WIFE

DEAR ONLY: Where one has spent his childhood is usually "home" no matter how long he's been away from it. Many old-timers who have been on this side of the ocean most of their lives still refer to their native lands as "home," so don't take it personally.

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## Marriage rites held

MONTCLAIR, N.J.—Jacqueline Andrie Naggiar and Hayden Douglas McMillian were married Jan. 13 in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. Naggiar, in Montclair. Officiating clergyman was the Rev. David Isch, assisted by John McMillian III, brother of the bridegroom.

Parents of the bridegroom are Grace McMillian of Midland, Texas, and John McMillian of Salt Lake City, Utah.

The couple was attended by Carol Naggiar, sister of the bride; Holly Hughes; Michael McMillian and Todd McMillian, brothers of the bridegroom.

The bride wore a floor-length lace dress belonging to her great-grandmother.

Relatives of the bride and bridegroom attended the ceremony and reception.

The bride is a graduate of Denison University in Granville, Ohio, with a bachelor of arts degree in psychology. The bridegroom was graduated from The University of Texas-Austin with a B.A. in business finance.

The couple is residing in Salt Lake City, where he is attending law school at the University of Utah.

## Lightning warning

WASHINGTON (AP)—if you are caught outdoors during a thunderstorm do you know how to lessen the danger from lightning? Feeling your hair stand on end as though it were being pulled by strong static electricity can be a warning that lightning is about to strike, reports the National Weather Service.

If that happens, the experts say, drop to your knees, bend forward as low as possible, keeping your hands on your knees. That way only a small part of your body will touch the ground and you'll be less likely to be struck.

This suggestion as well as other advice and precautions is included in the weather service's "Ollie Skywarn's Lightning Book," designed to help children learn more about lightning.

The book is available for 80 cents from the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 19G, Pueblo, Colo., 81009.

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# Dietary history important

NEW YORK, N.Y. - Physicians were urged to take a dietary history as part of routine physical examinations at a medical symposium held recently in Atlanta, Ga. Noted nutritionist, Dr. George S. Christakis, advised the doctors to ask patients what they ate for breakfast and other meals, too, to help determine whether they were receiving adequate nu-

trition, and if the food they consume is too high in calories, saturated fats, cholesterol or salt. "All of these factors may contribute to coronary heart disease risk," he said. The symposium, held to update the cholesterol controversy, was sponsored by the Department of Medicine, Emory University School of Medicine, and Georgia Heart

Association, Inc. Another participant on the program advised that when a low-fat diet is not successful in bringing a cholesterol level below 280 mg% after six months to a year, a medication should be considered. "There are a number of good drugs available," he stated. A group of drugs called resins have proved highly effective, especially for severe hyperlipidemias.



Mr. and Mrs. N.E. Bergstrom

## Couple will be honored

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Bergstrom of the Greenwood Community will be honored on their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception in the Texas Electric Service Co. Regdy Room in Stanton today. The couple was married March 7, 1929, in Santa Ana, Calif. She is the former Minnie Alice Fisher. They have two children, Norris E. Berg-

strom Jr. of Carlsbad, N.M., and Stanley L. Bergstrom of Stanton. They also have three grandchildren and one great-grandchild. The children and grandchildren will be hosts to the reception.

Bergstrom has been engaged in farming. He and his wife are members of the Church of Christ.

## Women fill business fields

NEW YORK, N.Y. - If you are a woman who has always dreamed of starting and owning her own business, the time to do it has never been better than right now. More people want to help you. More money is available. And there is one study which indicates that the women who have already gone into business have had a much greater rate of success than men.

However, there are certain rules to becoming successful in business regardless of whether you are a woman or a man, and the groups working to teach women in the ways of good business stress them over and over. One of the reasons behind the rush to instruct women how to operate small private businesses is that within the last year women became half of the labor force in the United States—for the first time in history.

According to government research in the second quarter of 1978, 50 percent of the women in America 16 years or older were either working or looking for work. Currently women hold about 42 percent of the jobs in the United States and their movement into the labor force continues rapidly.

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Mrs. John Castle and Mrs. Ford Chapman, fifth

## HOROSCOPE

By CARROLL RICHTER

(Sun. March 4)  
GENERAL TENDENCIES: A day when you are likely to be nervous, restless and excitable, but it's a good day and evening if you control any errant impulses. Deal in constructive issues instead of negative ones.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) A good time to study personal affairs and to make plans for improvement. Steer clear of persons with doubtful morals.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Look at monetary matters more calmly and know how to handle them more intelligently in the future. Be logical.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Know what your personal aims are and how best to gain them without fanfare. Not a good day for entertainment.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Your personal aims seem difficult to get now, but if you go after them quietly, you can soon gain them. Be wise.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Don't depend on friends today for help in gaining your aims, since they are preoccupied with own affairs. Get the rest you need.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Good day to plan your outside activities for the future. Concentrate on how to be more productive in your line of endeavor.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) You are anxious to go after new goals, but take more time for planning before you do so. Contact a loyal friend for advice you need.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Plan to be more efficient in your regular routines and receive greater benefits. Maintain harmony in the home.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) News of current events could be upsetting, but take them in your stride since there is little you can do about them.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Plan your work schedule more wisely and you can then follow through in an efficient manner. Express happiness.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) You can accomplish much of a personal nature now that couldn't be done during the regular work week.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Don't make matters worse at home by harping on what it is you don't like. Instead, be calm and strive for harmony.

(Mon. March 5)  
GENERAL TENDENCIES: It is likely that promises will be broken at this time, or it will be difficult to carry through with them as you wish. Be prepared to make whatever revisions may be necessary.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Don't argue if others speak thoughtlessly and you avoid trouble. Be happy with friends and kin in the evening.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Doublecheck where monetary matters are concerned and be sure of what you are doing. Study finances well before you consider any plans for investment.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) You have to be overly conscientious in handling personal matters during the day, but later all eases up. Don't argue with good friends over trifles.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Dispose of trifling problems early so that you have more time for important matters. Finish important work and then turn your attention to romantic matters.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Avoid friends until evening at which time you can have a fine social time. You find it difficult to gain your aims now, but later you make up for lost time.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) It is important that you follow every rule and regulation that applies to you. Pay bills on time and improve your credit rating.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Study new projects well before you delve into them. Try to be less prejudiced and get along better with others. Take no risks with big sums of money.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Keep you end of any bargains you make. Try to come to a better understanding with partners. Be more willing to help in handling home problems.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Wait until late in the day before trying to cement better relations with associates. Handle public responsibilities wisely. Take some time for social pleasure and meet interesting people.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Make work plans for the week early. Listen to what fellow workers have to gripe about and then gain their cooperation by being fair, understanding.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Morning is not a good time for entertainment, but later you can have a wonderful time. Make sure your home is in fine order. Don't neglect to pay vital bills.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Evening is best time to make decisions regarding home matters and then you get good results. A problem arises which should be solved immediately.

## Party fetes city couple

Mr. and Mrs. Carl S. Miller, of 3002 Lockheed, were honored with a surprise party on the occasion of their 35th wedding anniversary Saturday.

The party, hosted by the couple's children, was held at the Golden Rooster Club in Odessa. Miller and the former Mamie A. Butler were married Feb. 29, 1944, in San Francisco, Calif. They have four children, including Mrs. Bill Walton of Plano; Mrs. Mark Roberson of Midland; Mrs. Gary Fuller of Arlington and Mrs. Bill Morris of Midland.

They also have seven grandchildren.

They have resided in Midland since 1968 and had lived in Amarillo since 1948 before their move here.

He is a past president of the Village Kiwanis and is a member of the National Coffee Association, secretary of the Tri-State Coffee Association and Texas Restaurant Association. She is a member of Xi Xi Epsilon sorority.

## PTA NEWS

CITY COUNCIL PTA  
City Council PTA will meet beginning at 1:30 p.m. Monday at the Museum of Southwest. Members will view winning entries of all city schools in the Student Art Festival that are on display at the museum. Also on the agenda will be the presentation of a life membership.

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