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President Jimmy Carter and Egyptian President Anwar Sadat during airport ceremonies. (AP Laserphoto)

Carter welcomed for talks in Egypt

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — President Carter, beginning a pilgrimage for peace in the Mideast, received today both a warm welcome and a reminder that tough issues still stand in the way of an Egyptian-Israeli peace treaty.

Tens of thousands of enthusiastic Egyptians lined the street as Carter and Egyptian President Anwar Sadat stood in an open car while traveling from Cairo airport to the former royal palace where Carter will stay.

But at the palace Sadat issued a strong new call for "national rights" and "freedom" for Palestinians. Even before Carter's arrival, Egyptian Prime Minister Mustafa Khalil said his country had counter proposals to the compromise suggestions put forth by Carter, and said Egypt would continue to insist on a timetable for setting up an autonomous Palestinian authority in the Israeli-occupied West Bank.

In Israel, meanwhile, Prime Minister Menachem Begin said a peace treaty can be signed "in a few weeks time" provided some unspecified "still out standing issues" are resolved.

Begin, speaking at an airport news conference on his return from the United States, called on his countrymen to welcome Carter warmly when he arrives in Tel Aviv Saturday night.

"This has been a good week for Israel," Begin said.

Carter said he still seeks a "comprehensive" peace that would include other Arab nations and "reflect the legitimate needs of all who have suffered in more than 30 years of conflict," a reference to the Palestinians.

Sadat kissed Carter on both cheeks as the Ameri-

can leader got off Air Force One at Cairo airport. Then the two presidents waved to the throngs who lined their route to the palace in the suburb of Kubeh.

As the motorcade passed about 300 doves were released and flew into the sky. Onlookers cheered, jumped up and down and waved handkerchiefs. The eight-mile drive took 55 minutes.

At times the crowd was so enthusiastic that police had to restrain people who rushed toward the car carrying the leaders.

At the palace both leaders appeared on a balcony to speak. Sadat praised Carter warmly, calling him "My dear friend and brother."

"Never before has an American president been so firm in his devotion to peace," said Sadat, speaking in English.

But Sadat also said "We are determined to enable our Palestinian brothers to realize their national rights and regain their freedom. In the days ahead we will be working together to make these cherished hopes a living reality."

After their public statements Sadat and Carter began their first round of discussions. State Department spokesman Hodding Carter said both leaders had aides present in their talks, but he said he had no information on how the talks were progressing.

The Palestinian question has been the single biggest hurdle to concluding an Egyptian-Israeli peace treaty, and Sadat's words underscored the difficulty of resolving it.

Earlier in the day, just hours before Carter's arrival, Khalil said he wanted an immediate meeting with Secretary of State Cyrus Vance to discuss Egyptian "counter proposals" to the U.S. compromise plan.

Egypt dusting off its royal past for Carters

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — Dusting off a bit of its royal past, Egypt has chosen Kubbah Palace as the guest residence for President Carter and First Lady Rosalynn during their stay in Cairo.

The 400-room mansion is the former home of Egypt's kings, but it also has housed such Communist visitors as Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev and Chinese Premier Chou En-lai.

The Carters will sleep in the same bed the late King Farouk shared with Queen Nafisah. Their suite has the same furnishings used by Khrushchev and Chou when they were guests here 15 years ago.

Not far from the bedroom, the Carters will share the King's Mus-

ium, a storehouse of a rare jewelry, gold, ancient coins, stamps, watches, paintings and statues.

The same museum once held the royal pornography collection, a display of photographs, paintings and statues that was shown to a shocked public as proof of Farouk's alleged debauchery.

The museum lost many of its rare items in an international sale in 1954, two years after Farouk was driven from the throne and one year after the abolition of the monarchy.

The sprawling, sand-colored building in a 200-acre park on the outskirts of Cairo was begun by the Khedive Ismail in 1863 and completed by his son Tewfik. One section is the haram-

lek, where the women of the royal family lived. Another was the salamlek, for the royal males. The Carters will stay in the salamlek.

Farouk's father, King Fuad, had a fence 19 feet high and nearly three miles long built to hide his family from the neighbors' eyes. He also forbade the neighbors from building houses more than two stories high.

Egyptian historian Gamil Aref says Fuad even ordered the palace guards and eunuchs to avoid looking at his wife, Queen Nazli. They had to turn their faces away when she appeared.

One day a royal guard was riding a motorcycle in the palace garden when the queen suddenly appeared. He turned his face away and rode into a pond, breaking a leg and an arm. The

story goes that the sympathetic queen visited the guard at the palace clinic, and the king gave her a beating.

Aref also says Fuad once locked up his queen in the same room the Carters will use to punish her for appearing in a public theater. She was kept under lock and key for more than two days, and her staff had to slip her meals to her.

Inside the palace grounds is a glass-walled train station at which the Carters, accompanied by President Anwar Sadat and his wife, Jihan, will board a Victorian-style railway car Friday for a ride through the populous Nile Delta to Alexandria.

There, the Carters will spend the night in Egypt's oldest palace still standing, Ras El Tin. The castle-like

fortress on the Mediterranean was first built in 1834 by Mohammed Ali, an Albanian soldier appointed governor by the Turkish rulers of Egypt who later established himself as an independent monarch.

Ras El Tin was the scene of the rise and fall of the monarchy in Egypt. Aref wrote "In it Mohammed Ali reigned and in it King Farouk signed his abdication document in 1952 and then sailed away to Italy."

Ras El Tin — which was demolished and rebuilt several times by French, Turkish and Egyptian architects and builders — was also the summer headquarters of the government until the 1960s.

Vietnam acknowledges 'slow' Chinese pullout

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — Vietnam announced today that the Chinese were withdrawing troops from some areas of Vietnam "very slowly and in very small numbers," but also had staged new attacks and occupied more land in other parts of the frontier region.

In the first official admission from Vietnam that some form of pullout was occurring, Hanoi Radio accused the Chinese of looting property and burning homes in their retreat.

The broadcast also said Chinese artillery fired hundreds of shells Wednesday into the capital of Lang Son province.

In response to a Peking report that Chinese troops "love the Vietnamese people," the official broadcast replied, "Instead of loving our people, they love our chickens, ducks, clothes and other property."

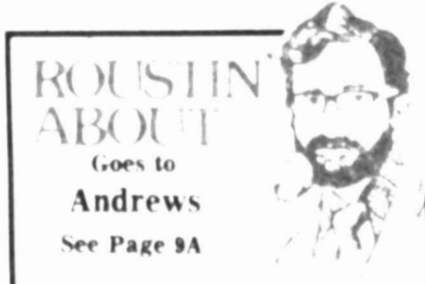
Reliable sources in Bangkok said there were "definite signs" of a cautious Chinese withdrawal. These analysts said some infantry and armored units had pulled out of the Long Son area, perhaps the most contested in the nearly three-week-old frontier war. It was not known in Bangkok whether any Chinese units actually had returned to China.

But the Yugoslav news agency Tan jug reported from Peking that the first Chinese troops had arrived back home, and that other units will follow shortly to facilitate the start of negotiations between China and Vietnam on possession of islands in the South China Sea. The islands were not named but presumably oil is believed to be in the surrounding seabeds.

Kyodo, the Japanese news agency, reported from Peking that Chinese sources there estimated the withdrawal would take two more weeks because "pulling out is more difficult militarily than advancing." The sources said the Vietnamese were expected to make small-scale attacks on the departing units but were not capable of a major attack.

The Chinese invaded Vietnam on Feb. 17 after months of clashes between Vietnamese and Chinese border forces and the Vietnamese invasion of Cambodia Dec. 25 which drove a Communist government allied with Peking from Phnom Penh.

The Chinese said their aim was to "punish" their southern Communist neighbor for border provocations and to teach them a lesson. Peking announced Monday it was withdrawing its troops after achieving its goals. On Wednesday, Vietnam said the Chinese had been defeated and would be allowed to pull out peacefully. But Hanoi said the Chinese would be "duly punished" if they renewed the fighting.



Dinner ended with a bang for Midlander

A late evening meal proved to be more than a Midland man bargained for Wednesday night.

Adam A. Rivas, 38, of 1310 Walnut Lane was eating at a Indiana street restaurant about 10:30 p.m., he told Midland police officers, when a woman approached him and asked him to buy her a fish dinner.

Rivas told police he bought the woman the dinner and then complied when she requested he drive her home.

While traveling on Lee street, according to police, Rivas said the woman asked if he had any money.

Rivas told police he said no, and continued driving to the 500 block of Lee Street, where he stopped to let the woman out.

She pulled out a gun, Rivas told police, at which point he opened the car door and ran for cover. As he ran, Rivas said, the woman shot at him twice.

Rivas continued running until he reached the safety of some nearby apartments, where he found a telephone and called the police, he told authorities.

Rivas escaped the episode uninjured except for minor cuts and bruises received during his flight from the car.

He later explained to police that he thought he knew everyone who went to that restaurant, but he didn't know the woman who shot at him.



"Get Your Tickets Now" is the cry of members of the Downtown Lions Club as they launch an intense effort to sell a record number of tickets for the club's annual Pancake Jamboree, scheduled

March 17 in the Dellwood Mall. From left are Don Combs, Lester Van Pelt Jr. and Roy A. Minear. (Staff Photo)

Many positions will be contested in school, city elections on April 7

By LANA CUNNINGHAM and SUSAN TOTH Staff Writers

Contested races are on tap for each of the three school board posts to be filled April 7, but unless someone else files before 5 p.m. Monday, the Midland County Hospital District could be one director short next term.

And what started out to be a dull Midland City Council contest with the three incumbents on Places 1, 2 and 3 filing for re-election changed tones at the last minute Wednesday.

Three persons filed their petitions on the last day to put two City Council races into three-way battles, with only one remaining uncontested.

Wednesday was the deadline for school board and City Council filings, but potential candidates have until Monday to decide to run for hospital district director.

Though three persons will be elect-

ed at large for the hospital district board of directors, only two candidates have filed so far.

Incumbent Ed Magruder, an independent oil operator, and Dr. Henrie Mast, a retired surgeon, have filed for the hospital district board. Incumbents L. Decker Dawson and Robert Pendleton said today they will not seek re-election.

Candidates must file petitions bearing the names of 25 registered voters with the hospital administration office before the Monday filing deadline.

School board races, on the other hand, had no dearth of candidates.

In Place 5, broadcasting executive Parker Humes and Penny Angelo, wife of Midland Mayor Ernest Angelo Jr., are vying for the place being vacated by David Grimes.

In Place 6, incumbent Edward E. Runyan has three opponents. Oralia Corrales, an insurance underwriter; Alice M. Greer, a retired Midland

teacher, and Raul J. Salazar, a student at The University of Texas at the Permian Basin, have filed for the position.

The race for Place 7 will pit incumbent Ann Page against Lee High School teacher Joyce Sherrord.

A non-binding referendum on the school ballot also will give voters a chance to express an opinion on the plan to consolidate the city's two high schools.

In the city election, incumbent Doris Howbert was the only person until Wednesday who had filed for Place 1. But before the day was over, the race had broadened to include Jim Hampton and Woodrow W. Bailey Jr.

Mrs. Howbert has served only one term on the Council. Bailey is a records processing clerk with Arco Oil and Gas Co., and Hampton is owner of Gulf Pacific Personnel Consultants.

Incumbent Gordon G. Marcum II is (See CONTESTED, Page 2A)

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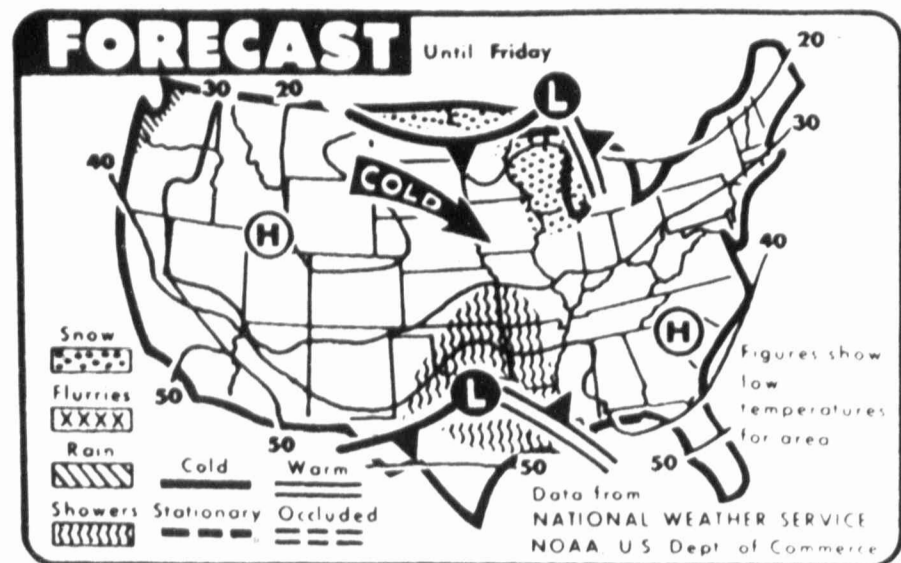
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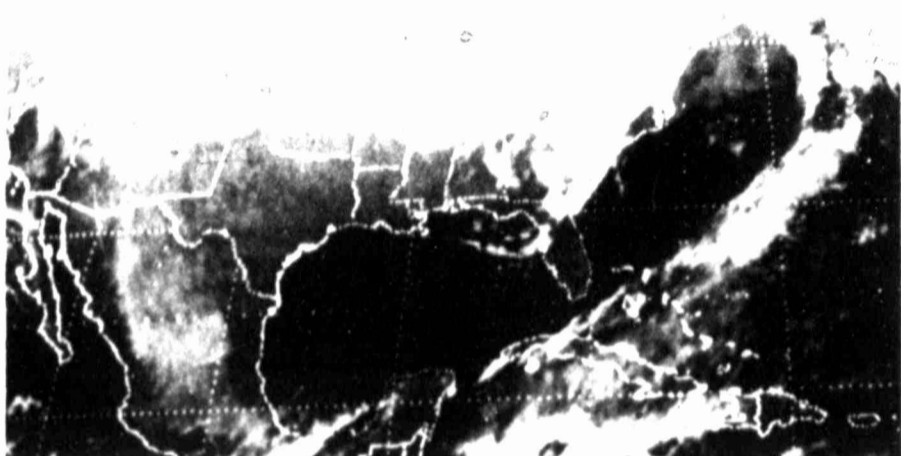
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WEATHER SUMMARY



Showers are expected in the forecast period until Friday morning from the western Gulf to the lower Midwest and eastern Plains. Snow is expected from North Dakota to the upper Great Lakes. Cold weather is expected for much of the central part of the nation, but the rest of the country will be mild. (AP Laserphoto Map)



Today's satellite cloud picture, recorded at 4 a.m., shows clear skies from the southern Plains to the West Coast. North of this, broken clouds are seen from the eastern Rockies to the northern Plains and broken clouds are also seen from Tennessee to the Middle Atlantic states. (AP Laserphoto)

Midland statistics

MIDLAND (ODessa) BARKIN BIG LAKE GARDEN CITY FORECAST Partly cloudy tonight, becoming fair and much cooler Friday. Low tonight near 40, high Friday in the upper 40s. Winds becoming northerly at 11 to 20 mph late tonight.

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NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High 78 degrees
Overnight Low 38 degrees
Summer today 4:32 p.m.
Summer tomorrow 4:07 a.m.

Precipitation
Last 24 hours 0.0 inches
This month to date 0.14 inches
1978 to date 0.34 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

4 a.m.	40	8 p.m.	74
7 a.m.	40	11 p.m.	60
10 a.m.	42	12 p.m.	60
1 p.m.	44	1 p.m.	60
4 p.m.	44	10 p.m.	54
7 p.m.	40	11 p.m.	52
10 p.m.	38	12 p.m.	52
1 a.m.	38	1 a.m.	50
4 a.m.	38	2 a.m.	48
7 a.m.	38	3 a.m.	42
10 a.m.	38	4 a.m.	40
1 p.m.	38	5 a.m.	40
4 p.m.	38	6 a.m.	41

SOUTHWEST TEMPERATURES

Albino	71	41
Albuquerque	71	41
Amesbury	60	42
El Paso	67	39
Fort Worth	73	38
Houston	82	36
Lubbock	71	34
Marfa	71	36
Odessa	68	31
Wichita Falls	71	37

The weather elsewhere

Thursday

Albino	41	26	ci
Albuquerque	72	36	ci
Amesbury	67	39	ci
Anchorage	41	29	ci
Asheville	60	35	cd
Atlanta	64	40	ci
Atlanta City	48	34	cd
Baltimore	58	32	cd
Birmingham	66	42	cd
Bismarck	32	23	cd
Boston	50	40	ci
Boston	50	40	ci
Brownsville	80	51	cd
Buffalo	41	30	ci
Christiansburg	81	43	cd
Chicago	37	33	ci
Chicago	50	39	cd
Chicago	50	39	cd
Cincinnati	54	34	cd
Columbus	54	40	cd
Dallas	60	36	cd
Dallas	60	36	cd
Denver	45	42	ci
Des Moines	35	18	cd
Des Moines	35	18	cd
Detroit	37	29	cd
El Paso	67	39	ci
El Paso	67	39	ci
Fort Worth	73	38	ci
Houston	82	36	ci
Houston	82	36	ci
Lubbock	71	34	cd
Lubbock	71	34	cd
Marfa	71	36	ci
Marfa	71	36	ci
Odessa	68	31	ci
Odessa	68	31	ci
Wichita Falls	71	37	ci
Wichita Falls	71	37	ci

Texas thermometer

High-Low-Fog

Abilene	82	48	00
Alamo	71	39	00
Amarillo	67	39	00
Austin	81	48	00
Brewster	78	44	00
Brownsville	80	41	00
Chihuahua	72	38	00
College Station	81	45	00
Corpus Christi	82	48	00
Dallas	80	48	00
Dallas	80	48	00
Del Rio	72	40	00
El Paso	72	38	00
Fort Worth	73	38	00
Galveston	77	45	00
Houston	78	46	00
Junction	78	44	00
Lubbock	79	40	00
Lubbock	79	40	00
Marfa	71	36	00
Marfa	71	36	00
Midland	78	39	00
Midland	78	39	00
Midland West	71	39	00
Midland West	71	39	00
Odessa	78	40	00
Odessa	78	40	00
San Antonio	83	45	00
San Antonio	83	45	00
Shreveport La	77	37	00
Shreveport La	77	37	00
Stephenville	82	48	00
Stephenville	82	48	00
Texasboro	80	35	00
Texasboro	80	35	00
Tyler	73	42	00
Tyler	73	42	00
Waco	77	39	00
Waco	77	39	00
Wichita Falls	71	37	00
Wichita Falls	71	37	00
Wink	78	38	00
Wink	78	38	00
Sherman	79	40	00
Sherman	79	40	00
Paris	86	48	00
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Extended forecasts

Saturday Through Monday

West Texas Fair and cool Saturday and Sunday with the overnight low 39. Record temperatures for the date are 89 degrees set in 1972 and 31 set in 1932.

North Texas Fair and cooler Saturday. Partly cloudy and a little warmer Sunday and Monday. Highest temperatures mid 50s to mid 60s warming into the 60s Sunday and Monday. Low temperatures in the 40s.

South Texas Fair and cooler Saturday with scattered showers ending extreme east. Highs mid 60s north to mid 70s lower valley. Lows in the 30s and 40s. Warming daytime temperatures Sunday and Monday. Highs Sunday and Monday in the 70s. Lows Sunday in the 30s. Lows Monday mid 40s north to the mid 50s lower valley.

Contested races set for April 7

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unopposed in his bid for re-election to Place 2.

Filing first for the Place 3 post was Jack M. Moore, who had retired in December 1978 as personnel director for the city of Midland. Incumbent Carroll M. Thomas was the second to file. Adding more fuel to that contest was Bill C. Thomas, co-owner of Thomas Funeral Home, who filed early Wednesday.

Although persons could file until midnight Wednesday if they could locate the mayor, the City Secretary James McCullough said today he had received no reports of others filing after 5 p.m. Wednesday.

Positions on the ballot were to be drawn at 10:30 a.m. today in the city secretary's office.

In the community of Greenwood, 10 miles east of Midland, only one race for the school board is being contested in the April 7 election.

Place 6 pits incumbent Donal Swafford against Patsy Herrington. Swafford is an accountant for Texaco. Mrs. Herrington is a registered nurse who works in Stanton.

Incumbent Paul Cooper is not running for re-election to Place 7 on the board. The only candidate to file for that spot is Donald W. Lea, a former school board member and past president of the board.



This weekend the Camp Fire Girls will take over Dellwood Plaza Mall and share their program with Midlanders. The second annual Camp Fire Fair will be held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday. Theme for all of the Midland Council of Camp Fire Girls activities this year is Indian lore, and several Blue Bird and Adventure groups will have booths and

demonstrate various skills. Playing Indian games are, from left, Blue Birds Susan Crowder, Tracy Price and Cindy Reid. They are using tillicum, pine cone toss and string forms. Girls also will make corn husk dolls and weave baskets. The public is invited. (Staff Photo)

Underwriter selected by Housing Authority

By LANA CUNNINGHAM Staff Writer

Experience in an already operational housing program was the deciding factor when the Housing Authority of the city of Midland selected an underwriter Wednesday for the proposed Single Family Mortgage Revenue Financing Program.

Chosen was Howard, Weil, LaBouisse, Friedrichs, Inc., of New Orleans, La., which has a Midland-based office. Getting the rejection slip was Underwood, Neuhouse which has a local affiliate through Rauscher, Pierce.

The action means the underwriter can begin a feasibility study on the necessity of such a program in Midland. "This is not a commitment to move ahead with the project," emphasized Chairman Harry Clark. "They (the underwriter) understand we may not carry this through."

The program constitutes a legal procedure whereby the Housing Authority would sell bonds in the name of the authority, and not the city, for home mortgage loans.

The Housing Authority has the responsibility to establish monetary limits and guidelines on who can receive loans.

Clark said cities in this part of the country have set maximum limits for those wanting a loan at \$50,000 mortgage for an applicant with a \$30,000 annual income. While \$30,000 income may seem high on the reduced 8 percent loan rate, Clark said, by the time the house payments, insurance and other items are figured, the family still will have to pay at least \$400 to \$450 a month.

The underwriter also will be responsible for securing the rating on the bonds, which the Authority said must be AA. If it is determined the program is feasible and needed for Midland, the Housing Authority will go ahead and should take about six months before it is operational, Clark said.

Meanwhile, the city of Midland is publishing a notice of its intent to change the agreement with the Housing Authority to give it the necessary power to manage such a housing mortgage program.

No such housing program is in operation in Texas yet, Clark noted. El Paso is moving faster than Midland on establishing one, the chairman said, and Midland would like to see El Paso begin its loan program first as an example.

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Arrest of Odessa woman tied to escape of Missouri prisoner

ODESSA — Odessa police and Federal Bureau of Investigation agents have arrested an Odessa woman who authorities believe helped in the escape of a Missouri jail prisoner shot to death by lawmen in Wichita Falls Friday.

Sharon Louise Dearing, 25, was arrested along with three others at her mobile home in Gardendale, north-east of Odessa, Tuesday night. She was charged with possession of a controlled substance and possession of a prohibited weapon, officials said. She was in Odessa City Jail today on bonds totaling \$30,000.

Also arrested was Sylvia Olga Gonzalez, 27, charged with possession of marijuana and possession of hashish, according to reports. She was in Odessa City Jail today on bonds totaling \$20,000.

Juan Jose Gonzalez, 29, of Odessa, Mrs. Gonzalez's husband, also was arrested and charged with the offense of an ex-felon in possession of a firearm by U.S. Magistrate J.A. Bobo in Odessa, said an FBI spokesman. He was in

Midland City Jail today in lieu of \$50,000 bond.

Ms. Dearing also faces charges from Wichita Falls on auto theft and for aiding in the Newton, Mo., jail break.

A fourth man arrested had not been charged today but was being held by Odessa police pending further investigation.

Officers, armed with a search warrant, said they searched a mobile home in Gardendale late Tuesday afternoon and seized a total of seven weapons — including an AK-15 rifle that was not rigged for automatic firing, a silencer, about two pounds of a substance believed to be marijuana, hashish, various other narcotic drugs and more than \$2,000.

During a press conference Wednesday afternoon, Odessa Assistant Police Chief Tommy Callendar said Ms. Dearing is wanted in Missouri for allegedly helping William Gregory Forbes, 27, escape from jail in Newton County, Mo.

Prior to his escape, Forbes was being held in the Missouri jail on a capital murder charge. He was shot to death in a gunfight with federal agents and police in Wichita Falls last Friday when he walked into a stake-out set up after Wichita Falls police were tipped as to his whereabouts.

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Personnel conference opens today at OC

ODESSA — Representatives from five West Texas community colleges are expected to attend the Junior College Student Personnel Association of Texas regional conference today and Friday at Odessa College.

Discussion topics during the conference will include counseling, student activities, financial aid, admissions and records, other student services, the role of deans of students and the role of student personnel professionals.

Speakers are scheduled from Odessa College, Amarillo College, South Plains College, Midland College and Western Texas College.

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Woodrow W. Bailey Jr. beats filing deadline for City Council

One final candidate for Midland City Council filed in the final moments Wednesday before the city offices closed, giving more opposition to Place 1 hopefuls.

Woodrow W. Bailey Jr., 37, of 1927 Morgan Way is opposing incumbent Doris Howbert and businessman Jim Hampton.

Bailey listed three reasons in deciding to try for the city post. He said he is an interested citizen, wants to be a voice for the city of Midland and will make the people's problems his problems.

"My motivation was seeing problems that continue to be problems," he said. "If you don't try to solve them, you can become part of the problem."

Seven items dominate the areas which he feels should be dealt with by the City Council.

Bailey said he wants to promote better comprehensive city planning and maintain safety and welfare of the citizens. The latter point includes finding availability of financing for housing and looking at taxes for elderly citizens, including unnecessary



Woodrow W. Bailey Jr.

city ordinances that burden the citizens."

The candidate is a longtime Midlander who attended Carver Junior High School, Carver Senior High School, Odessa College as a middle management major and Midland College. He received a degree in textile maintenance from James Connally Technical Institute in Waco.

He served with the U.S. Army six years and has been a nine-year member of the Texas National Guard. For the past 10 years Bailey has been employed with ARCO Oil and Gas Co. as a records processing clerk. He is a part-time employee with Hanging Tree Gallery and Frame Factory.

Bailey is an associate minister of Macedonia Baptist Church and serves as associate director of Church Training Union.

He is a member of the Tall City Lions Club and the Ministerial Alliance. He is a certified instructor in First Aid, CPR and BLS with the American Red Cross.

He and his wife, Linda, have four children.

Hampton announces candidacy for Place 1

Local businessman Jim Hampton, 35, of 2811 W. Shandon St. Wednesday announced his candidacy for Place 1 on the Midland City Council.

He will be opposing incumbent Doris Howbert, who announced in February her plans to seek re-election, and Woodrow W. Bailey Jr.

In his formal statement, Hampton said, "Over the last several years I have noted many areas of growth in our city which, if properly pursued, can lead to continued and expanded prosperity for our community."

Fiscal responsibility is one of his main points. He said it is his "intention to strive toward continued industrial diversification while keeping in mind our fiscal responsibility in maintaining the city budget at a workable minimum."

"I believe we must solidify our relationships with our sister city of Odessa in order to promote a unified political voice for the expanding petroplex," he noted. "With the advent of the North Route between the two cities and the Loop around our city, the continued realization of the growth of both areas can be brought more closely into perspective."

Hampton is a native of Lubbock and has been a resident of Midland for more than four years. Currently, he is owner of Gulf Pacific Personnel Consultants and has been active in oil and gas personnel recruiting for the last two years.

Prior to that, he opened and operated Dunhill Personnel Service of Midland.



Jim Hampton

Hampton was graduated in 1966 with a bachelor of business administration degree in marketing from Texas Tech University. Prior to moving to Midland, he resided in Odessa.

He has been active in civic organizations such as the Odessa Jaycees, United Way and the American Business Club. Hampton is past chairman of the National Association of Independent Search Firms and a member of the Texas Private Employment Association and the National Association of Personnel Consultants.

His wife, Louise, is manager of Dunhill Personnel Service of Odessa, Inc.

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Lt. Gov. Hobby asks for aid on primary bill

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby has asked Austin lobbyists to help him marshal the votes he needs to pass a bill separating presidential primaries from Texas' regular party elections.

He met with the lobbyists in a downtown private club late Wednesday afternoon in a gathering arranged by Gene Fondren, lobbyist for automobile dealers.

Asked what he wanted the lobbyists to do on behalf of the presidential primary bill, Hobby replied, "Lobby."

"I am just using every device I know of in the Legislature to accom-

plish this goal," Hobby said.

Hobby wants presidential primaries held in March 1980 — two months before the regular party primary elections for state and county officials, including legislators.

The Senate State Affairs Committee voted 7-6 for a split primary bill Monday, apparently reflecting the deep divisions in the Legislature as a whole over the issue.

Hobby was asked why lobbyists for special interests should exert themselves for a split primary bill.

"Giving Texas an influential role in the presidential nominating process," he answered.

"As it is now," Hobby continued, "the agenda for presidential campaigns gets set by people slogging around in the snow of New Hampshire. Of the six primaries before the end of March, four are in the New England states, and that's where the issues get set."

Those issues, Hobby said, tend to be concerns of liberals and Eastern consumer interests.

"The interests in presidential campaigns have been adverse to producers," he said.

On the other hand, an early primary in Texas would focus attention on concerns of energy and agricultural

producers, such as those that maintain lobbies in Austin, Hobby said.

Many legislators, both Republicans and Democrats, prefer making the presidential primary an adjunct to the regular primaries, held in May with runoffs in June.

"I think it is interesting, the correlation of the special interest groups and passing this rigged up primary bill," said Rep. John Bryant, D-Dallas, who opposes the split primary idea.

"Obviously, the lobbyists view their interests as best served by a system that keeps Republicans voting in the Democratic primary. It gives the lie

to statements that the purpose is to make us nationally prominent. It is to protect John Connally and Democrats who can't be elected unless Republicans vote in the Democratic primary," Bryant said.

It is believed that conservatives would desert the Democratic primary in droves next year to vote for Connally unless the presidential primary and the regular party elections are held separately.

This could cause the defeat of some conservative Democrat legislators, a phenomenon that occurred when Ronald Reagan ran in the GOP presidential primary in 1976.

Angelo organizing for Reagan

Midland Mayor Ernest Angelo Jr. is coordinating the organization of a Texas campaign for Ronald Reagan.

Angelo, who was co-chairman of the Reagan state campaign in 1976, sent telegrams to Texas' 1976 national convention delegates Tuesday night asking them to join in the state committee's formation.

Announcement was made Wednesday of the formation of a national exploratory committee for Reagan's presidential candidacy.

Response to the telegrams, Angelo said Wednesday, "has been real good."

"A high percentage of the delegates have responded, all favorably, indicating they're going to stay on the team."

Angelo said he was "confident that Gov. Reagan is still the favorite of a majority of Texans," despite the candidacy of former Texas Gov. John Connally.

Angelo said he anticipates an organizational meeting for leaders in the Texas Reagan movement within the next month.

Bid made to change trial site

ODESSA — The hearing on a change of venue motion filed by attorneys for Stephen Fife tentatively has been scheduled for sometime Tuesday morning.

Ector County District Attorney John Green said today the hearing was rescheduled from Monday to an undecided time Tuesday morning.

Fife, 22, is charged with murder in connection with the death of 19-year-old Catherine Ann "Fifi" Murphy of Odessa. She disappeared the evening of July 19, 1978. Her body was recovered from a shallow gravesite in Crane County in early February of this year.

Attorneys for Fife filed the change of venue motion last month. They contend that because of publicity about the case, Fife can not receive a fair trial in Ector County.

Marine group to organize

The Marine Corps League, a congressionally chartered veterans group, will have an organizational meeting at 7 p.m. March 15 in the Purolator Security Building, 708 S. Colorado St.

The new group is for current and former Marines in the Midland-Odessa area.

The League was organized in 1923 and is one of the few veterans organizations chartered by an act of Congress.



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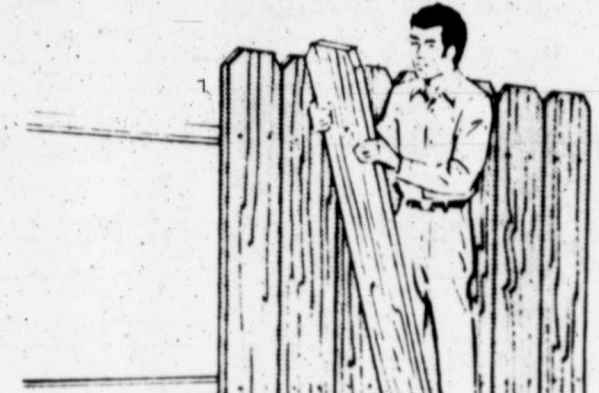
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Supports found off, trial witnesses say

BALTIMORE (AP) — Two employees at Maryland General Hospital have testified that, on separate occasions, they found nurse Mary Rose Robaczynski in rooms where comatose patients had been disconnected from their respirators.

In both cases, they said Wednesday, emergency alarms also had been disconnected.

Mrs. Robaczynski, 24, of Pasadena, Md., is on trial for the murder of Harry Gessner, 48, of Baltimore, who died March 8, 1978, after she allegedly pulled the plug on his respirator.

She also was indicted on murder charges in the deaths of three other patients, but was granted separate

trials on each of the counts.

Criminal Court Judge Robert Karwacki, meanwhile, dealt the prosecution a setback when he refused to allow evidence that might have showed that Gessner's condition improved less than 10 hours before his death.

Karwacki said the evidence could prove more misleading than informative for the jury.

Defense lawyer Joseph Murphy contends that Gessner, hospitalized for numerous illnesses, including bladder cancer and cirrhosis of the liver, was already "brain dead" when the respirator was turned off.

'TSTA bill' draws supporters

Austin Bureau

AUSTIN—Hundreds of teachers paced the Senate chamber and gallery Wednesday evening to support school finance legislation by Midland Sen. W. E. "Pete" Snelson.

Many wore yellow tags which read, "We teach the children." Snelson's legislation (SB 525), dubbed the "TSTA bill," since it is endorsed by the 128,000-member Texas State Teachers Association, would increase the starting salary for public school educators to \$10,000 a year.

And, there were not many

friends of Gov. Bill Clements in the crowd, since he has announced he opposes any additional pay increase for educators.

Other issues in the school finance dispute involve equalization aid, transportation costs, and maintenance funding.

Senate Education Chairman Oscar Mauzy of Dallas says he hopes the panel can reach a consensus on school finance by March 21, with a bill ready for floor debate later this month or early April.

Mauzy is sponsoring his own school funding bill which stresses additional equalization

aid between rich and poor school districts. The panel has already heard testimony on that bill.

Additionally, the committee Wednesday heard testimony on a school finance bill drafted by Sen. Grant Jones of Abilene. It has won endorsement from school administrators.

Snelson says his legislation would cost the senate some \$600 million, on top of the \$500 million in additional state aid which legislative budget writers have already recommended for public school education.

Commenting on the teacher pay issue, Snelson said, "They're entitled to at least a

cost of living increase."

He also said proposals, such as those promoted by Clements, to cut state funding to education, would actually result in a tax increase at the local level.

TSTA President Virginia Stacey of San Antonio said in testifying for Snelson's bill that the pay increase would make teacher "more competitive with business and industry and reward career personnel."

Both Snelson and Stacey agreed the fact that Texas is ranked 3rd in the nation in average teacher salary causes many educators to leave the classroom after several years.

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Food prices pace increase in wholesale prices

WASHINGTON (AP) — Food prices jumped sharply in February for the second straight month to pace a 1 percent increase in wholesale prices, the Labor Department reported today.

The wholesale price rises were not quite as steep as those recorded in January, but they were high enough to guarantee consumers a further boost in retail prices in coming months.

Wholesale price increases for beef and veal slowed from January, from 13.3 percent to 4.7 percent in February. But vegetables, pork, sugar, fruit and fish showed sharper boosts last month.

Hefty price rises also were recorded for shoes, tires, gasoline and alcoholic beverages.

The latest rise in wholesale prices, involving goods at the stage just before they reach store shelves, compared with a 1.3 percent jump in January, the sharpest one-month increase in four years.

The latest report gave the Carter administration another setback in its efforts to control inflation, which is running above 9 percent a year.

Last year, there was only one month — April — in which wholesale prices rose as much as 1 percent or more. The latest rise in wholesale prices translates into a 12.7 percent annual increase.

Food prices in February jumped 1.6 percent, equal to an annual rate of

more than 21 percent. In January, food prices at wholesale rose 1.8 percent.

Foreshadowing sharply rising prices in the future, the Labor Department said prices at the beginning stages of the wholesale process, called the crude level, jumped 3.3 percent in February. That was the largest monthly gain since May 1975.

Prices for crude foods — prices farmers receive before the food is processed — leaped 3.8 percent last month after a 2.8 percent rise in January.

The report confirmed findings released by the administration Wednesday that farm prices have been rising at an annual clip of 40 percent since November. In response to the sharp rise in farm prices, which the government concedes will continue for a while, President Carter's chief inflation fighter, Alfred E. Kahn, said Wednesday that officials are considering ways of slowing price hikes at the farm level.

The Labor Department said wholesale prices for roasted coffee, processed poultry and passenger cars declined in February. The increase for cars was 0.7 percent, compared with a 2.1 percent advance in January.

Prices for household furniture also rose much less than in January, while

luggage and small leather goods posted declines after substantial increases a month earlier.

The Producer Price Index for Finished Goods, the government's measure of wholesale prices, advanced last month to 207.4. This means the average wholesale product that cost \$100 in the base year of 1967 cost \$207.40 in February.

The figures are adjusted to account for seasonal variations. The department said the sharp February increase in farm prices was caused partly by upturns in prices for grains and raw cane sugar, which had declined in January.

Prices for hogs, soybeans and milk rose more than in January, while cattle prices rose sharply for a second straight month.

Live poultry prices declined last month after three straight months of sharp rises, while green coffee and cocoa beans decreased for a second consecutive month.

Prices for non-food crude materials rose 2.8 percent in February, the biggest advance in more than a year. The government blamed the sharp rise on higher prices for metal scrap, hides and skins, natural gas, crude petroleum and crude rubber.

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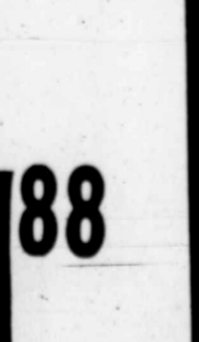
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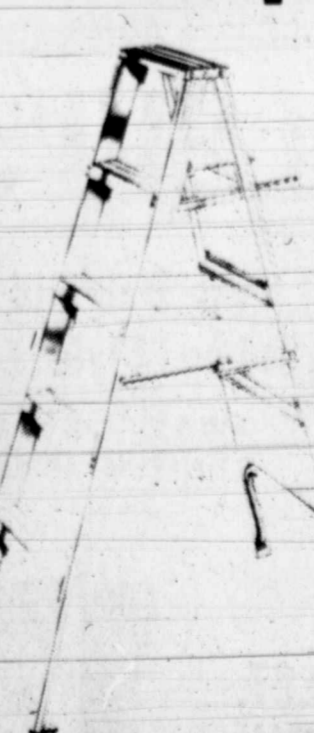
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Solons hesitant to condemn ethics of colleagues

By WALTER R. MEARS
AP Special Correspondent

WASHINGTON (AP) — When in doubt, Congress follows its precedents and its habits. And nothing stirs more congressional doubt than an ethical question involving a colleague.

So the House followed precedent and overwhelmingly rejected a move to unseat Rep. Charles C. Diggs Jr. of Michigan, convicted of taking salary kickbacks from his staff.

At the same time, the Senate, where extravagant compliments are habitual, hailed the return of Sen. Herman Talmadge of Georgia from hospitalization for alcohol abuse, without a hint of concern at the investigation he

faces for allegedly converting campaign money to his own use.

Diggs was convicted Oct. 7, overwhelmingly re-elected to the House Nov. 2, and sentenced to three years in prison Nov. 20. He is free while appealing the conviction.

That presented the House with a

Analysis

nice puzzle, since his constituents certainly have a right to representation of their choosing. They chose Diggs. The advocates of expulsion wanted the House to tell the voters they were wrong.

But House Democratic Leader Jim Wright said Congress always has held

that when a member's constituents have the facts in a case like that of Diggs, and re-elect him anyhow, "so far as our court is concerned, that is the final appeal."

"The will of the people, that is what this House is all about," said Rep. Parren J. Mitchell, D-Md. "And if the people want to elect Hitler, or a Klansman, that is their right, and you or I do not have any right to quarrel with it."

There is a House rule suggesting that a member convicted of a crime between elections abstain from voting, but it doesn't apply once the member has been re-elected.

Another rule says that members

who have "a direct personal or pecuniary interest" in the outcome of a House vote should abstain from voting.

Diggs voted with the majority to send his own case to the ethics committee and thus shelve the expulsion resolution.

When that point was raised, House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. said he doubted his constitutional right to forbid Diggs to vote, and cited House precedents leaving it to a member to decide for himself whether he should abstain because of personal interest in the question before the House.

On that point, at least, it may be time to set a new precedent. If Diggs didn't recognize his direct interest in

the question of expulsion, he was the only one in the chamber who missed it.

While the House ethics committee tries to decide what to do about Diggs, the Senate ethics committee is investigating allegations against Talmadge.

The panel has told Talmadge that it has evidence indicating he kept campaign contributions for his own use, filed false campaign spending reports, and was reimbursed for non-existent Senate expenses. A federal grand jury is looking into the case, too, and the Senate has given it Talmadge's 1973 and 1974 expense vouchers.

Talmadge has denied wrongdoing,

and says that he will run for re-election in 1980.

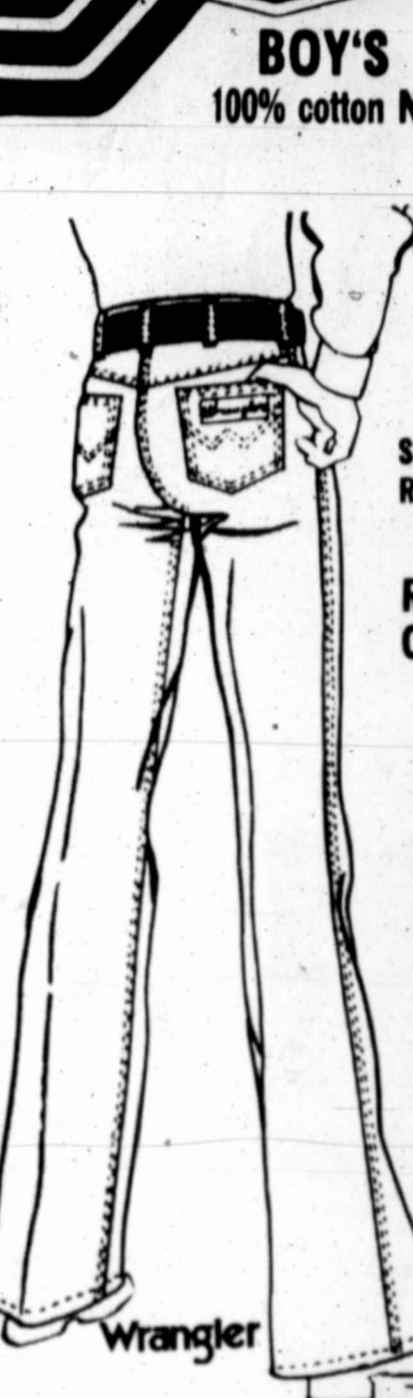
But it would seem that the prudent politician might want to welcome him back to the Senate without making a big deal out of it. That's not the Senate way, and Talmadge's return was the occasion for public praise from assorted colleagues, plus a telephone call from President Jimmy Carter.

"If he has suffered any illness, it has been from the strain of hard work and dedication on behalf of the people," said Sen. Ernest F. Hollings, D-S.C. "He is not a philanderer. He is not like some of these youngsters, taking trips and doing other things from time to time. He is there working, day and night."



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By FRANK CORMIER

CAIRO (AP) — Before the world knew President Carter would be flying here today, Carter had what he supposed was a private telephone conversation with Egyptian President Anwar Sadat.

Was the call as private as Carter imagined?

The question arose because White House reporters got first word of the conversation, on Sunday, from a presidential visitor, Sen. Charles Percy, R-Ill. In fact, some reporters got the definite impression that Percy was present when the call was made.

Informed about this, White House press secretary Jody Powell was incredulous. He insisted Percy could not have been privy to the conversation because he was not with Carter in the Oval Office at the time.

A newsmen pointed out that Percy

wears a hearing aid.

"Maybe that's a more sophisticated device than we thought," grinned Powell.

The weekend visit to Washington by Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin, which proved to be the prelude to Carter's dramatic travels, pointed up the unpredictable side effects of official diplomatic visits.

When Begin landed a week ago at Andrews Air Force Base, Md., the main highway leading into Washington was blocked off for his motorcade.

Two young men approaching from an intersecting street ignored a police barricade and swung onto the blocked road. Cruisers took off in pursuit.

The chase continued into the District of Columbia, at speeds up to 90 miles an hour. It ended when the

fleeing car spun out of control into a tree.

The two young men were killed.

Even routine motorcades can have unwanted results. During one such in Mexico City last month, Carter's limousine broke down and he had to move to a "spare" — an empty vehicle that tags along near the end of all presidential processions, just in case it's needed.

On a subsequent routine drive around Washington, the "spare" lost a costly wheel cover, but you can rest assured no one stopped to retrieve it.

The missing cover was a victim of one of the many potholes that appeared in Washington after recent record snows.

It's an open secret that Carter and Begin are not great admirers of each

other. But during the Israeli leader's Washington visit, both remembered to smile for the cameras, embrace at least once and shake hands as often as possible.


Begin, an old-school European, even remembered in the high emotions of last Sunday's final scheduled meeting to observe one of the niceties of protocol.

As the two men walked to Begin's waiting limousine behind the Oval Office, the prime minister found himself at Carter's right.

Barely breaking stride, and still conversing, Begin deftly shifted to the left side of the president, in a gesture of deference.

Not to be outdone, Carter held an unfurled umbrella over the older man's head when Begin came visiting again during a steady drizzle.

Was Carter phone call to Sadat really private?



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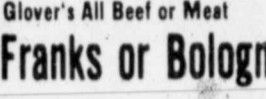
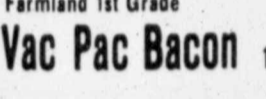

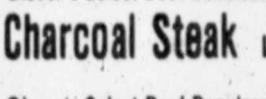


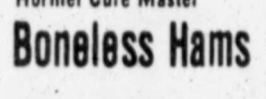
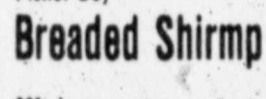
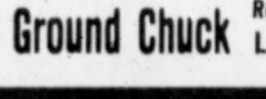
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House acts wisely

The Texas House of Representatives has rejected a black state representative's request to invite Mrs. Andrew Young, wife of the United States ambassador to the United Nations, to address the Legislature on the International Year of the Child. And it is just as well that this action prevailed.

This, of course, does not mean that the Texas Legislature, or this newspaper for that matter, is opposed to children or their general welfare. Rather, we are for them in a big way.

But the International Year of the Child (IYC) already has erupted into a highly controversial subject, largely as a result of some of its children's "rights" proposals.

Mrs. Young previously had asked the 50 governors to launch IYC programs, but this wasn't at all well received in some states where the citizenry yet believes parents should prevail until children grow up. This seemingly is directly opposite to many of the IYC Commission's views.

According to a news report, Rep. Wilhelmina Delco, D-Austin, asked for a two-thirds vote to suspend rules and take up a resolution, bogged down in committee, to invite Mrs. Young to address the House.

A group of Republican and conservative Democrat legislators had insisted on a record vote, and one of them, Rep. Fred Agnich, R-Dallas, urged the House to reject Mrs. Delco's request.

He recalled that the "legislature was the laughing stock of the country" in 1971, when the House approved a resolution — never screened by a committee — commending the Boston Strangler.

Nick Timmesch, the syndicated columnist whose articles appear regularly in The Reporter-Telegram, devoted a recent column to the IYC and the ridiculous goals its advocates have in mind for it.

The columnist led off by saying that large amounts of foolishness "are about to be thrown at us by the Bella Abzug of the 'Child Advocacy' movement which is swarming over, and capturing the International Year of the Child."

He said no one is against

children, but that the avant-garde in the advocacy movement believe society gangs up on youths, and parents don't care about them either. So a variety of groups, which seem to thrive on contentious court cases, are exploiting IYC as a propaganda forum to peddle a form of secularism which can only further damage the American family.

He said further that the prevailing notion at the National Commission on IYC is that children have a laundry list of "rights" to be demanded from their parents, from those in authority, indeed, from society.

He explained that the Children's Defense Fund is the perfect example of an advocacy organization which bristles with the legalistic, secular approach, the very opposite of what concern for family life should be.

He quoted CDF Director Marian Wright Edelman as saying, "Children have waited too long for their needs to be met" and further that CDF "will sue on behalf of individuals or classes of children, accomplish what we know ought to be done for children."

And it is that word "ought" which scares the daylight out of parents and others who really care about children.

Thimmesch then asks, "When will we again allow children to be children? Anyone who reads advocacy literature encounters arguments for a children's 'Bill of Rights' including the rights of children to sue their parents, making children performing chores eligible for the minimum wage, granting children the right to choose their own family, and birth control devices and abortion without parental consent."

And he follows this with a stern warning that parents shouldn't snicker at these notions, many of which are being wrapped up in an IYC package.

Approximately \$2 million in taxpayers' money will be spent by the National Commission for IYC in its program. Pro-family groups, without federal funds, hope to counter the rash of damaging nonsense about to be peddled with budgets under \$100,000.

Again, the Texas Legislature acted wisely in sidetracking the speech invitation to Mrs. Young.



CHARLEY REESE Individual foots bills, yet has smallest voice

By CHARLEY REESE
Sun Belt Syndicate



Charley Reese

ORLANDO, Fla. — What makes life so fascinating is that nothing can be done and nothing can occur in a vacuum. Each act, event, decision and non-decision sets off an endless chain of events so that a human society resembles a constantly shimmering pool.

Sometimes it is difficult to find a first link in the chains of action-reaction, cause and effect.

To cite just two obvious examples we can turn to Social Security and Aid to Dependent Children. Both are well-intentioned programs designed to meet genuine needs and both, despite their bureaucratic defects, do meet human needs.

Yet both have obviously produced unforeseen effects. Who can doubt that Social Security has contributed to a tendency to disperse the family and who will argue that Aid to Dependent Children has not created a financial incentive in at least some instances to avoid a two-parent home?

And the ripple effects don't stop there. The increase in the numbers of children from single-parent homes has created new problems in school classrooms. The ADC program is not by any means the only cause of that phenomenon. New easy-divorce laws,

the liberalization of religious sanctions against divorce and the emphasis on individualism has all put strains on the bonds of matrimony. Even inflation, which often drives husbands to take second jobs and forces mothers into the labor market, causes strains on the family unit and, in turn, government expenditures on social services contribute to inflation.

The interconnection between all human actions makes it impossible to implement, if not to propose, simplistic solutions and it is to the credit of most people that despite their rhetoric, few in public office have actually attempted any drastic actions.

I remain optimistic that most human problems can be solved because the creativity and resourcefulness of the human mind are almost infinite.

The single largest impediment to solving most problems in our society today is lack of honesty. Problems too often are seized by ideologues as excuses to implement their brand of ideology and by opportunists as excuses to pursue their selfish interests.

This usually means argument replaces inquiry and demagoguery is more highly valued than original thinking. That results in a resistance to change and the larger effect of it all is the phenomenon of a huge increase in social expenditures concurrent with an increasing aggravation of human problems.

Thus, for example, we now have a situation where not only are the truly poor denied adequate housing, but an increasing number of lower to middle class families are being denied adequate housing.

We have a phenomenal increase in the knowledge and efficiency of medicine concurrent with an increase in the numbers who cannot afford the benefits.

We have the accomplishment of virtually all of the traditional goals of the labor union movement concurrent with a steadily decreasing number of jobs and a decisive decrease in productivity.

Obviously, we are all doing some things wrong and it would behoove us — conservatives and liberals, Republicans and Democrats, socialists and libertarians, labor and management — to break out of our respective narrow boundaries of thinking and look honestly at our problems with "new" eyes.

I get as vexed by ideologues of the right as I do by ideologues of the left and I am absolutely infuriated by self-serving liars who get rich pretending to solve other people's problems.

The bottom line is always the individual human being. He pays all the costs. He suffers all the consequences. And, unfortunately, he seems to have the smallest voice in our society.

Mark Russell
says

Oil-rich Mexico now holds all the cards — they'll probably want Texas back.

When President Carter went down there to beg for oil, Mexican President Portillo said, "What about all those years when you were up there eating high off the hog and we were down here with the tortillas?"

Times have changed. Soon, Mexican oil men and their wives will take holidays in the United States, get drunk and do the American Hat Dance.

Wealthy Mexicans, bored with the good life in Tijuana, will cross over into quaint San Diego to buy trinkets and toss pesos to the begging Yankees.

BIBLE VERSE

Commit thy works unto the Lord, and thy thoughts shall be established. — Pro. 16:3.

by Brickman

the small society



INSIDE REPORT:

President Jimmy said blundering with brother Billy

By ROWLAND EVANS AND ROBERT NOVAK

WASHINGTON — Jimmy Carter's efforts to stop brother Billy from alienating the president's remaining Jewish support not only came six weeks late but badly missed the mark, reflecting leadership problems that persist despite more than two years in power.

Carter's closest aides were too frightened of their chief during those six weeks to impress on him the need for total dissociation from Billy Carter's anti-Semitic outbursts; it took the redoubtable Robert Strauss to enter the tiger's lair. Even then, however, Carter could not quite make the surgically clean division between himself and his brother that Jewish supporters demanded.

A completed Israel-Egypt peace treaty, unthinkable without Carter's courageous mediation, could restore much of the president's Jewish backing — but not all of it. Unfair though it is, Jimmy Carter's handling of his errant brother constitutes an irretrievable political blunder.

Indeed, Carter is the innocent victim in relations with the politically important Jewish community. Jewish suspicions of him as an evangelical Christian were exacerbated by his refusal to tilt toward Israel in Mideast diplomacy. In truth, the president is not remotely anti-Semitic. Nor is his Mideast policy anti-Israel or pro-Arab; as it should be, it is pro-American.

That truth was ignored by many Jewish leaders when Carter applied pressure to Israel in search of settlement. It was wiped away by brother Billy's new comradeship with Libya's



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viciously anti-Israel regime. On Jan. 10, the younger Carter erased indulgent smiles at the White House by attacking Jewish power in America. When he declared "the Jewish media tears up Arab countries full time," he was drawing from anti-Semitism's traditional charge that Jews monopolize communications.

White House aides gravely let it be known that Billy had become "a real problem" — a major admission in a polyanna administration that pooh-poos revolutionary upheaval in Iran. Press secretary Jody Powell on Jan. 11 disassociated the president from his brother's comments, but indirect disavowal did not satisfy the Jewish community.

Ed Sanders, the Los Angeles Jewish leader whose unhappy role on the White House staff is presidential intermediary with the Jewish community, advised the president (in writing and orally) that he must personally disavow his brother's views. But Sanders is no Carter intimate. The few aides who are intimates dared not tell him they agreed with Sanders. That was the situation in mid-Feb-

ruary when Billy, accompanied by Libyan friends sounded off at Jewish criticism. During the Washington's Birthday blizzard, a snowbound Bob Strauss pondered the situation from his Watergate penthouse. With Carter's stock dropping after worldwide Valentine's Day humiliations, something had to be done about Billy.

Powell agreed with Strauss, who finally convinced the president. The result was a Sunday story in the Washington Post in which Strauss quoted the president as disassociating himself from his brother.

Not only too late but too little, said Jewish leaders. They wanted the president speaking for himself. But when he did so at a press conference two days later, he set back relations with the Jewish community. Carter's misstatement that Billy is "seriously ill" (denied by his brother's doctor) was merely compulsive exaggeration. What bothered Jewish leaders was his denial that Billy's statements were anti-Semitic when in fact they are universally so perceived by Jews.

"It's just not good enough," said Hyman Bookbinder of the American Jewish Committee, who has generally defended Carter. Contending the president should have expressed clear regrets over Billy's bigoted statements, Bookbinder told us "his brotherly love" led him astray. Another Jewish leader, an early Carter supporter, told us Carter was engaged in "doublespeak" about Billy that derived either from fear of his brother or "an overly soft heart."

Assuming the former explanation is beneath discussion, the latter is in itself disturbing. The president whose

WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND Mideast crisis mishandled (?)



By JACK ANDERSON

WASHINGTON — The fabric of our Middle East strategy lately has been unraveling faster than President Carter can pull the loose strands together. With our overseas oil supply and peace itself threatened, the president appears to be mishandling a crisis.

We have interviewed top Arab and Jewish leaders, granting them confidentiality in return for their candor. Without exception, they complained about Carter's ineptitude. Their misgivings are also reflected in classified intelligence reports from the troubled area.

Carter came to the White House two years ago without the experience and sophistication that it takes to understand the Middle East. He has admitted to associates that he didn't even know the names of all the countries and their leaders, let alone the complex crosscurrents swirling in the area.

Yet characteristically, he took personal charge of U.S. policy in the Middle East. He not only made the big decisions but handled minor details that previous presidents had left to subordinates. He drafted some of the working papers, for example, in his own hand. "Sometimes Carter became so deeply absorbed in the trivia that he'd wind up doing the work of a State Department desk officer," one insider told us.

To educate himself, Carter plunged into the presidential paper work on the Middle East. It amounted to a cram course, with late nights of concentrated study. He had little

direct dialogue with the government experts but focused instead on their written reports.

The president emerged from his homework, our sources say, with enough information to write a college thesis but without an understanding of the human undercurrents in the Middle East.

Like the engineer he studied to be, Carter began grappling with foreign affairs in an orderly manner. He placed each country in a separate category, seemingly unaware that his actions in one country might cause repercussions elsewhere.

In handling the Iranian crisis, for example, he never quite caught up with events. He declared the U.S. government's undying support of the shah after other experts correctly anticipated his downfall. Then Carter gave an open endorsement of Shahpour Bakhtiar, whom the shah had appointed to hold the government together.

Worse, the president rebuked Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, the spiritual leader of the revolution, exhorting him to support Bakhtiar. Carter compounded the offense by rushing emergency shipments of diesel oil to the hated armed forces. Yet by this time, he was just about the only authority who didn't seem to realize that Khomeini was calling the shots in Iran.

Having thus antagonized the victors, Carter belatedly recognized his mistake and abandoned the losers. He ordered Gen. Robert Huyser, the deputy commander of U.S. forces in Europe, to intervene with Iranian

military leaders to prevent an army coup.

This softened the Ayatollah's animosity toward the United States, but it caused alarm in Egypt and Saudi Arabia. For Egyptian President Anwar Sadat and the Saudi royal family recognized the Ayatollah to be an ally of the Arab heathens who would like to get rid of them, too.

They, therefore, had embraced the shah — secure in the knowledge that he was a close friend of the United States. Carter's unseemly haste to divorce himself from the shah had left the Egyptians and the Saudis caught in the awkward embrace. Suddenly, Carter appeared to them to be an unreliable friend who might also abandon them.

This was an impression that the outraged shah promoted in Cairo. He reported to Sadat, according to intelligence reports, that he had arranged with his military commanders to block Khomeini from returning to Iran and to restore stability in the country.

The shah was in touch with them daily and felt they had the situation under control. Then Gen. Huyser undermined the military by threatening to cut off all U.S. assistance. The shah complained to Sadat.

The Ayatollah was kept informed of the American warning, the shah said, through "open channels" in Paris. This made it possible for him to arrange his triumphant return. Thereafter, the armed forces lost control of the country.

The intelligence reports also quoted the shah as declaring darkly that he had reason to believe the Americans helped the Ayatollah to locate the top generals for summary execution — a charge U.S. authorities emphatically deny. Bitterly, the shah warned Sadat "not to trust" Carter.

The president seemed genuinely surprised, our sources say, at the sudden cooling toward him in Cairo and Riyadh. He had taken pains to "develop a close relationship with Sadat, for example, whom he regarded as the key to a Middle East peace. Carter had written three dozen personal letters to him and had held several intimate conversations with him.

Now Carter has trouble getting through to the Egyptian leader.

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Whalen Corp. President Arnold Darrow, left, and Merle Handley, manager of the saltwater disposal operation at the lake, discuss the cleanup operation at lakeside. (Staff Photo by Ed Todd)



Whalen Lake sits placidly in the West Texas brush land. The Texas Railroad Commission is to consider re-opening the lake for brine disposal. (Staff Photo)

Environmentalists' zeal may be causing economic damage: Darrow

ANDREWS — "Misguided environmentalists," rather than the petroleum industry, are becoming the "real threat" to West Texas, Whalen Corp. President Arnold Darrow of Dallas said on the shore of the salt playa lake Tuesday.

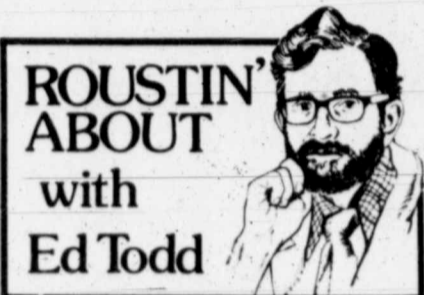
He was countering allegations that Whalen Lake, as a dumping reservoir for brine brought to the surface during oil production, is hazardous both to migratory birds and to underground fresh water.

Environmentalists may be causing economic damage to the area in their zeal to protect the environment from man's encroachment and perceived dangers to wildlife, he contended.

"Whalen (Corp.) is very responsive to any real threat to the environment...to any real danger to our environment," Darrow said while viewing the 330-acre salt playa lake.

He was here to inspect the "cleaned-up" lake, which had been used since at least 1967 for disposal of brine pumped out of oil wells with the petroleum itself. The playa lake served wells within a 50- or 60-mile radius of Andrews.

THE LAKE, 15 miles west of here, was ordered closed by the Texas Railroad Commission last September, after U.S. Department of the Interior officials and environmentalists complained that oil — and not just salt water — was getting into the lake and was causing the death of migratory



ROUSTIN ABOUT with Ed Todd

barrels of oil would be lost monthly should Whalen Lake be permanently put off limits as a salt water disposal reservoir, Darrow predicted.

Darrow said Whalen Corp. would closely monitor the lake and make sure the brine there, though far from pristine, would be free of oil.

"Realistically speaking," Darrow said, "this (the cleanup) really is going to be an on-going job."

Darrow said the company is "real optimistic" about the possibility the Railroad Commission may allow it to resume dumping after the March 15 hearing.

Rural roads may receive more funds

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Farm-to-market roads would receive at least \$15 million more annually for new construction if Sen. Roy Blake, D-Nacogdoches, has his way.

The Senate State Affairs Committee passed Blake's proposal Wednesday to the Senate.

The bill would raise the Farm-to-Market Road Fund from its 1949 level of \$15 million to \$30 million.

"THE EVIDENCE IN ALL the hearings has shown that this is not hazardous to anything. I'm talking about birds and underground water," he said.

The probability of polluting underground water is "far-fetched," Darrow said, since "there is no ground water" there.

Darrow said about 250,000 barrels of brine per month were dumped into the lake by pipeline and truck.

Cost of disposing of the salt water in the lake is 7½ cents per barrel. How-

ever, cost of saltwater injection into depleted wells is 20 to 25 cents per barrel, he said.

Economically, the salt lake has no use outside of saltwater disposal. But there is an aesthetic value to a clean, un-fouled body of water, Darrow said.

The lake has been saline for centuries, Handley said, and likely has never been fit for drinking by man or wildlife. The water in the lake is about "five times" saltier than the ocean, he said.

However, Indians once camped out here.

"They did camp out on this hill," Handley said. "But they sure as hell didn't drink this water."

"Saltwater disposal is a very, very necessary part of oil production," Darrow said. For each barrel of oil produced, sometimes up to 20 barrels of brine comes with that oil, he added.

"Here's a resource, Whalen Lake," he said. "It would be criminal to let a resource like this go to waste."

"We wouldn't be in it unless it were profitable," Darrow said of saltwater disposal.

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The east side of the 12-story Petroleum Building downtown on Colorado Street and Texas Avenue sports an oldstyle metal fire escape. The oldest building in the Midland skyline, the Petroleum Building officially was opened July 2, 1929. Built by the Hicky Harrington Construction Co. for T. S. Hogan, a Midland financier, the building took 264

working days to complete and required 166,200 man hours of labor. For his standout features, Fort Worth architect Wyatt C. Hendrick chose gothic spires and Assyrian plaster work. The building also houses the former Yucca Theater, the lobby of which has been transformed into a popular eating establishment. (Staff Photo by Brian Hendershot)

Floods continue in Illinois, recede in New England

By The Associated Press

Flooding is expected to continue in Illinois, but the National Weather Service says the worst is over for inundated towns in New Hampshire and Vermont.

Weather bureau forecaster T.J. Solomon said the ice-choked Connecticut River was receding slowly at Stratford and North Stratford, N.H., where waters rose almost 7 feet above flood level Wednesday, forcing more than 100 families from their homes. They remained evacuated this morning.

There were no reports of injuries. The Connecticut River's banks were expected to crest this afternoon in Hartford, rising 6 feet above flood levels.

Some lowland flooding was predicted for the Housatonic River at Farmington, Conn., and the Nashua at East Pepperell, Mass., where waters were expected to rise 3 feet above flood level this morning.

New Hampshire civil defense officials said Wednesday's flooding, fed by melting snow and rain, loosed huge ice floes that jammed sections of the Connecticut River.

The worst damage occurred in Swanton, Vt., where a municipal hydroelectric plant was pummeled by the waters of the Missisquoi River. Damage was estimated at \$500,000.

In Illinois, the Army Corps of Engineers, responding to a request by Gov. James R. Thompson, said it will raise levees at five points along the Rock River, the state's worst potential flood site.

At Wilmington, Ill., about 50 persons were evacuated Wednesday as a precaution when the Kankakee River began to rise.

Ice floes caused some damage along the swollen Du Page River in Will County. Steve Kendall, Shorewood village administrator, said chunks of ice "as big as cars" were being carried by the river, knocking down utility poles and causing power outages at homes along the river's banks.

Elsewhere around the nation, a cold front pushed southward through Arkansas this morning, dropping temperatures in the northern part of the state into the low 30s, while readings held in the 50s south of the front.

Light snow fell in eastern Missouri, northern Minnesota and upper Michigan, while freezing drizzle fell over portions of central Illinois and southern Wisconsin. A travelers advisory was in effect for central South Dakota for freezing rain.

Skies were mostly clear from California through much of Texas, with temperatures in the 60s in Southern California. Temperatures were below freezing across Wisconsin, the upper and middle Mississippi Valley and

into the eastern half of the northern and central Plains.

Temperatures around the nation at 2 a.m. EST ranged from 4 in Warroad, Minn., to 63 in San Diego and Bakersfield, Calif., and Key West, Fla.

Today's forecast called for rain across the central Plains, the Ohio Valley, the lower Great Lakes, the Middle Atlantic coastal states and

northern New England. It predicted rain and snow in portions of the northern and central Rockies and snow across the upper Mississippi Valley.

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Sherman minister censured

LUFKIN, Texas (AP) — Pentecostal minister Charles E. Glass of Sherman has been censured by his governing board but will remain as pastor of his church in Sherman "with stipulations."

The board of Presbyters of the Texas District of the United Pentecostal Church, however, would not spell out the allegations against Glass nor the "stipulations" when it emerged Wednesday morning from a marathon hearing.

The board had begun hearing testimony Tuesday on charges that Glass' conduct was unbecoming to a minister.

District Superintendent E.L. Holley released a statement approved by the board saying it was the same statement was read to Glass at the conclusion of the hearing.

"I was exonerated," the embattled Glass told reporters. "I feel very good. I'm a minister with full credentials in the United Pentecostal Church."

"I've got great people there. They have not found me guilty. I think everything is going to be great in Sherman."

"I was happy these people have been allowed to air their problems," Holley told reporters he was "personally content"

with the board's decision "because it's corrective in nature."

Glass will remain pastor of the Sherman church "under the stipulation of this hearing," Holley said.

Asked whether the Texas district board would "keep an eye on Glass," Holley said, "Rev. Glass will keep an eye toward the Texas district."

Holley would not specify any changes expected in the Sherman church and said he was "in no position to provide a rebuttal" to Glass' statements that he had been exonerated.

Six to eight witnesses testified against Glass, Holley said. Glass called 10 to 12 witnesses, most of them members of his church.

Holley characterized the witnesses' comments as "wide and varied" and represented "a mixture of emotions."

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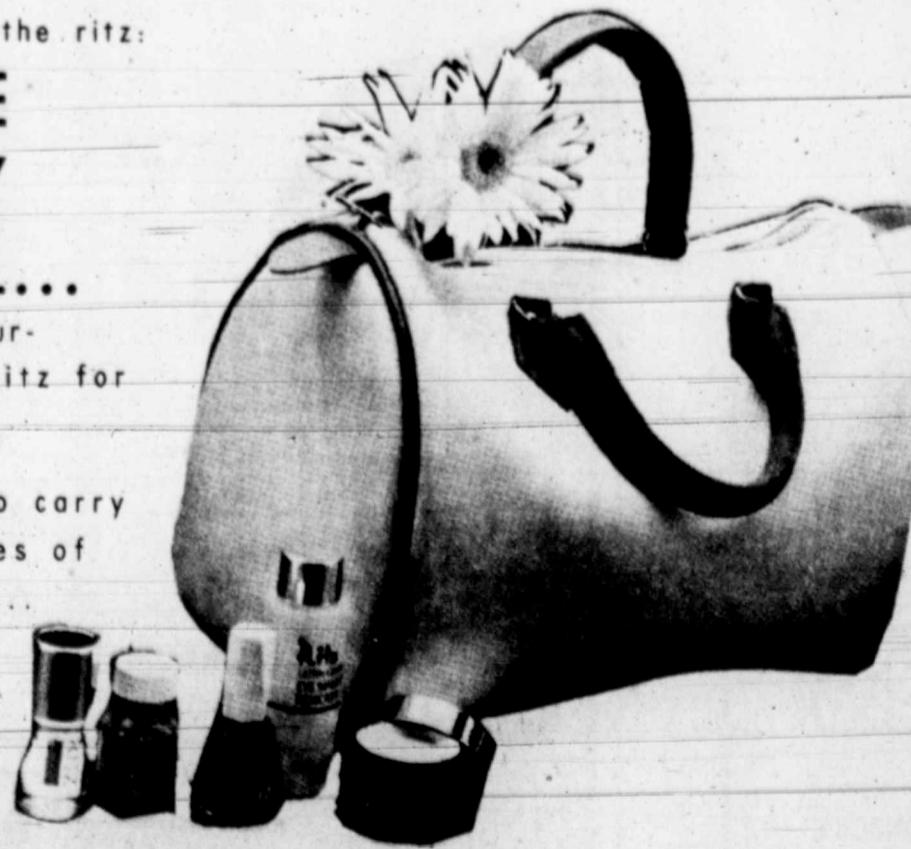
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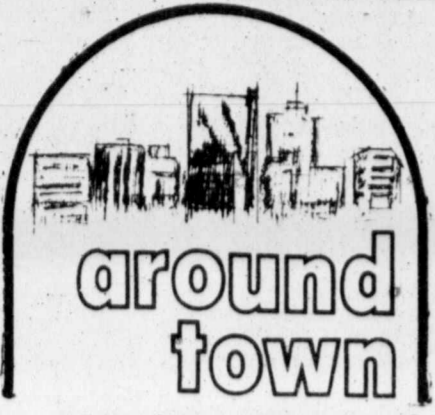
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By PATSY GORDON
Lifestyle Writer

The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christon of 1602 W. Michigan Ave. invite their relatives and friends to share in the joy of the Christon's 50th wedding anniversary at a reception from 2-4 p.m. Sunday in the parlor of Trinity Presbyterian Church at Louisiana Street and Andrews Highway.

"Your friendship is a cherished gift. We respectfully request no other," said Mrs. Christon.

Mr. and Mrs. Christon, Midland residents since 1960, grew up in Ewing, Neb. They were married March 9, 1929 in Norfolk, Neb.

Christon is still active in a local cabinet shop with his son, Tommy Christon of Stanton. Mrs. Christon, a former school teacher, retired after 18 years on the staff of the Midland County Public Library.

The Christons find "the milder winters of Texas to be a welcome change."

MR. AND MRS. M.C. DURFEE of 3204 Boyd St. recently returned from a holiday to St. Petersburg Beach, Fla., where they met friends from Canada.

While visiting at a hotel down the beach from where the Durfees were staying, the couple had the opportunity of being filmed in a couple of scenes in the movie "Health," starring Carol Burnett, James Garner, Glenda Jackson, Dick Cavett and Lauren Bacall. "We only milled about with the extras," said Mrs. Durfee. "I don't expect to end up in the finished product."

"It certainly added a great deal of entertainment to our holiday," she added.

DON'T FORGET the annual Spaghetti Dinner Friday sponsored by Lubbock Christian College Associates. The dinner will be held at 502 San Angelo St. from 6 to 8 p.m. Join the crowd for a meal of spaghetti with meat sauce, tossed green salad, buttered garlic bread, dessert and beverage. Tickets are \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children. It's a fund-raising affair, with proceeds to go toward a scholarship fund and tennis courts currently being built on the Christian College campus.



Dora Watkins

Dreams lecture scheduled

Dora Watkins of Hobbs, N.M., presently is on a lecture tour of Texas and New Mexico, sponsored by the Astro-Soul program.

A free lecture will be held in Midland at 7:30 p.m. Friday in the Flame Room of Pioneer Natural Gas Co. on the "Reality of Dreams."

Ms. Watkins believes "everyone has spiritual guidance and can learn to tap this inner wisdom and use it in a practical way. Astro-Soul not only offers tools to find and develop this communication, but also gives a big picture of how as a soul, I fit into the universe. This helps a person feel secure, Ms. Watkins said.

"For me," she added, "it meant finding a deeper respect for myself and others; a willingness to be of service without making other people's decisions for them."

Astro-Soul, through techniques, helps a person unfold his inner vision, hearing, feeling and knowing, according to Ms. Watkins.

The lecturer has a background in public relations, newspaper and radio, as an executive secretary and teacher, and in sales and social work. She has a degree in Journalism from The University of Texas at Austin, is married and has four children. This varied background enables her to relate easily with people.

Ms. Watkins is a home consultant with the program and has been associated with it for eight years.



New officers of the Women's Auxiliary, Inc., of Midland Memorial Hospital are, from left, Mrs. Thomas Ingram, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Dale Holloman, second vice president; Mrs. Dick Baxter, treasurer; Mrs. James L. Davis, first vice president; Mrs. James Mailey, president, and Mrs. Donald Young, recording secretary. (Staff Photo)

Mrs. Mailey leads auxiliary

Mrs. James Mailey was installed as president, and Mrs. Robert Hobbs received an 11,000-hour bar for service to Midland Memorial Hospital, when the hospital's Women's Auxiliary, Inc., met in Midland Country Club for its annual awards and installation luncheon.

Other officers installed were Mrs. James L. Davis, first vice president; Mrs. Dale Holloman, second vice president; Mrs. Donald Young, recording secretary; Mrs. Thomas Ingram, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Dick Baxter, treasurer.

Mrs. Richard Cramer is immediate past president. She gave the annual report for 1978.

Guests included Wayne Ulrich, administrator of the hospital, and Mrs. Ulrich; Tevis Herd, president of the hospital's board of trustees, and Mrs. Herd; Dr. James Mailey and Rev. James Considine of St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church.

MMH volunteer director, Ludean Peyton, presented service awards to 70 women for a combined total of 96,300 volunteer hours. This would equate to more than 46 full-time employees.

Mrs. Robert Hobbs received the highest award, an 11,000-hour bar. Corinne Bailey received a 9,000-hour bar, and Mrs. Ralph Geisler earned her 7,000-hour bar.

Mrs. Hobbs has been a member of the auxiliary 17 years. Mrs. Bailey has been a member four years, and Mrs. Geisler is a charter member of the organization, which was formed in January 1950.

Also receiving awards were:

Mrs. John Armstrong and Mrs. W. C. Osborne, 5,000-hour bars; Mrs. Bernard House, 4,500-hour bar; Mrs. James Swann, 3,500-hour bar; Mrs. James Davis, Mrs. George Elderkin, Dorothy Ferrell, Mrs. Leon Province and Mrs. C. C. Tull Jr., 3,000-hour bars; Mrs. B. B. Coester, 2,500-hour bar; Mrs. Ervin Baumann, Mrs. Richard Cramer, Mrs. Robert Mathews, Mrs. Conard Reaves and Mrs. Jesse Wright, 2,000-hour bars.

Also Mrs. Glen Aaron, Mrs. Joe Crook, Mrs. Alan Hewitt, Mrs. William J. Mewhorter, Mrs. Greg Wyant and Mrs. Lloyd Uglund, 1,500-hour bars; Mrs. Tom Campbell, Catherine Hall, Em Haight, Mrs. Ben Hoffacker, Mrs. J. C. Lawrence, Mrs. Mailey and Jimmie Hollis, 1,000-hour bars; Mrs. Robert Bridgeman, Mrs. M. G. Cole, Mrs. Harold Culpepper, Mrs. Dale Holloman, Mrs. George Horst, Mrs. Ingram, Mrs. Ross Kemp, Mrs. Keith Levy, Mrs. Reginald Lyle, Mrs. Jim Mack and Lois Parker, 500-hour bars.

And Mrs. Fred Brown, Mrs. Glenn Brandt, Mrs. Hal Beck, Mrs. Jack Birchum, Mrs. Kenny Confer, Joan Davis, Mrs. Warren Deppe, Mrs. Lee Dolberry, Mrs. Joe Feagan, Lee Gaddy, Mrs. Sam Gibbs, Mrs. Charles Locklar, Peg Mitchell, Mrs. Bill Morgan, Mrs. W. D. Milby, Mrs. Charlie Martin, Mrs. R. J. Maberry, Mrs. Corky Nix, Mrs. Sam Owens, Mrs. Joe Roper, Mrs. Wendell Smith, Mrs. Richard Stovall, Mrs. David Sleeper, Mrs. Paul Thorpe, Hazel Trent, Mrs. Wayne Westerman, Mrs. Walter Weller and Debbie Wolfe, 100-hour pins.

AAUW group hears review

Mrs. William Carter gave a review of "Feeling Fine for the Rest of Your Life" at a meeting of the Literature Group of the Midland Branch, American Association of University Women, in the home of Maria Spencer.

Mrs. Carter was introduced by Mrs. J. Wayne Campbell, chairman. Geneva Ashton will be chairman for the March, April and May meetings. General chairman of the group is Mrs. Lester VanPelt.



Among those receiving awards for volunteer service to Midland Memorial Hospital at the annual luncheon of the Women's Auxiliary, Inc., were Mrs. Robert Hobbs, left, recipient of an 11,000-hour bar, and Mrs. Ralph Geisler, who received a 7,000-hour bar. (Staff Photo)

Mrs. Geron lunch hostess

The International Group of the Midland Branch, American Association of University Women, met in the home of Mrs. Cary Geron, 3205 Reo Drive, for an International Luncheon.

Mrs. John Tyler was hostess to the cheese and sherry party. The luncheon foods were from Antigua, Canada, Sweden, Bolivia, Japan, Ecuador, Australia, South Korea, Wales, France, Taiwan, Italy, India, Hawaii, United States, Panama, England and Ireland.

Mrs. Paul Smyres is chairman of the group.

Works, papers given museum

NEW YORK (AP) — A gift of Morgan Russell's works and papers has been presented to the Whitney Museum of American Art by Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Reed.

The gift consists of paintings, a large group of Russell's drawings, notebooks and his personal archive of related papers and correspondence.

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Iota Beta Chapter, BSP, conducts pledge ritual

The Iota Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Brenda Nance for its February business meeting.

Bonnie Swanson announced that Mrs. Nance had been crowned chapter sweetheart at the Valentine Ball. President Margie Lanning presented Mrs. Nance her sweetheart pin.

Karen Holloway announced that Vicki Leary had decided to affiliate with Iota Beta.

A transferee ritual was held for Phillis Howard of Hobbs, N.M. and Becky Thomas of Ponca City, Okla.

A pledge ritual also was held for Anita Blackford, Vicki Leary and Gloria Peel. Attending as a guest

was Janie Miller. Secret Sisters exchanged Valentine gifts and Carol Hall was presented the hostess gift.

The chapter delivered flowers for A-1 Floral on Valentine's Day and took Feb. 22 salads to the MHR.

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Consumers reap benefits from big potato crop



Potatoes Italian Style — a zesty meal-in-a-dish that's easy on the budget.

SAN FRANCISCO—Inflation-conscious consumers can expect some good news at the supermarket, thanks to the nation's 18,000 potato growers and some assistance from Mother Nature.

The 1978 fall crop, which supplies the majority of potatoes for this coming year, was the biggest and best in history. Growers produce 31.8 billion pounds of America's favorite vegetable, a whopping 9.6 percent increase over the last year. Enough potatoes laid end to end to make nine round trips to the moon! The plentiful supplies mean attractive prices at the supermarket.

What made the fall crop sprout so many spuds? Mother Nature had a lot to do with it. Robert L. Mercer, executive vice president for the Potato Board, which represents the nation's potato industry, explains, "Potato crops were excellent in 1978 because we didn't have heavy rainfall or early freezes. We were able to harvest the crop without interference from major storms or frosts."

Ideal conditions permitted the grower to leave his potatoes in the ground for a longer period of time, producing large, high quality potatoes that are well suited for storage. Because the potatoes are heavier, there will be less shrinkage and more total tonnage, resulting in abundant, high quality spring supplies in the supermarket.

Inflation-weary Americans, who eat an average of 124 pounds of potatoes per person per year, will reap benefits. Potato prices at the supermarket are one spot of good news in an otherwise dreary economic picture. Economic forecasts predict food price increases of up to 10 percent for 1979. Not so for potatoes. "Potatoes are unquestionably one of the best buys in the supermarket—and will continue to be throughout the year," says Mercer.

Potato growers, on the other hand, are not counting their blessings. According to Mercer, the average cost to the grower to raise 100 pounds of potatoes is between \$2.50 and \$3.00 and this year the grower is losing about one dollar on every hundred pounds. Because cost of production varies to yield, some growers will take an even bigger beating.

This is not the first year potato growers have experienced the economic woes of producing a huge crop. 1976 and 1977 were record breaking years as well. National average yields have hovered around 27,000 pounds per acre for the last three years, an 80 percent increase over 15,000 pounds per acre just 25 years ago. Improved management and technology, coupled with the ideal weather conditions in 1978, are responsible for the continued trend of high yielding potato crops. In recent

years the U.S. has developed disease-resistant varieties of potatoes and growers have advanced techniques for disease, weed and insect control.

To offset the bleak economic situation this year, the USDA has instituted a temporary diversion program for potatoes in which a limited portion of the poorer quality surplus crop will be diverted to livestock feed. The effect of this program on consumer potato prices is expected to be minimal, less than one cent per pound. Funds for the diversion program, will come from designated monies collected for import tariffs, or from U.S. tax dollars.

While the growers aren't exactly smiling, at least they can take solace in the fact that they have given the American consumer one of the best food bargains of the year. The message is clear: fight inflation, eat potatoes.

Try this idea for a meal in a dish recipe. Potatoes Italian-style takes advantage of the thriftiness of Italian

cooking by combining potatoes with ground beef and a savory sauce. Traditional pasta is replaced with potatoes, simmered until tender in a zesty tomato and meat sauce.

POTATOES ITALIAN STYLE
1 pound ground beef
1 cup chopped onion
1 clove garlic, minced
2 cans (8 ounces each) tomato sauce

1 tablespoon chopped parsley
½ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon oregano
¼ teaspoon pepper
4 medium potatoes (about 1½ pounds), whole or halved
¼ cup grated Parmesan cheese

In 4-quart kettle brown beef, onion and garlic. Drain fat. Mix in tomato sauce, parsley, salt, oregano and pepper. Add potatoes; bring to boil. Reduce heat, cover and simmer 40 to 50 minutes until potatoes are fork tender. Transfer to serving dish; sprinkle with cheese. Yield: 4 servings.

Hamburger liked coast-to-coast

NEW YORK CITY—It is said that German—Centuries from now seamen introduced when the history books short-order cooks on the will (hopefully contain a New York waterfront to paragraph or two about the tasty delights of culture in the United friend ground meat past-States in the 1900's there ties. And, in Hoboken, may even be room for New Jersey, they still mention of that claim the hamburger as a s t r o n o m i c a l that garden spot's phenomena known as the greatest discovery (along, of course, with the famous chairman of the board, Mr. Frank Sinatra).

When one fast-food emporium alone can claim to have sold more than a billion you can have fantasies about the number that have been consumed throughout the years. Indeed, hamburgers are without a doubt the most popular food item from coast-to-coast with kids from eight to eighty.

If you were to poll its many devotees they would undoubtedly say that hamburger is as American as hot dogs, apple pie and that certain motor vehicle. Yet, hamburgers followed hot dogs to the United States from Germany and as for the car, well it's named after a Frenchman, Louis Chevrolet.

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This robust salad is an excellent source of fiber, vitamins and minerals and is sure to become a winter favorite with family members. Lamb kabobs go well with this salad and dark, rich cups of coffee help to preserve the aroma and flavor of a mystic land.

The California Iceberg Lettuce Commission has a few pointers on how to ensure fresh, crunchy salads. Immediately after marketing, core, rinse and thoroughly drain and refrigerate the head in a plastic bag or crisper. At serving time, your reward will be crackling crisp iceberg lettuce ready to star in any salad.

ALADDIN'S GENIE SALAD
1 cup shredded wester iceberg lettuce

- 1 cup bulgur cracked wheat
- 2 cups water
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 2-3 tablespoons dried mint leaves, crushed
- 1 can (8 oz.) diced carrots, drained
- 1 can (15½ oz.) garbanzo beans, drained
- 1 tablespoon pimiento strips
- 2 green onions, chopped
- ¼ cup parsley, finely chopped
- ¼ cup olive oil
- Juice of one lemon
- Salt to taste
- Western iceberg lettuce leaves

Dressing

- 1 cup yogurt
- 2 tablespoons mashed avocado
- Dash Tabasco
- Salt (or garlic salt) to taste
- Core, rinse and thoroughly drain lettuce; separate outer leaves. Refrigerate in plastic bag or lettuce crisper until ready to serve. Cook bulgur wheat in saucepan in salted water according to package directions. Pour cooked bulgur into mixing bowl. Shred enough lettuce to equal one cup. Mix in mint, carrots, beans, pimiento strips, onions, parsley and

shredded lettuce. Pour oil and lemon over all. Toss lightly, taking care not to mash vegetables. Spoon into individual lettuce leaves. Spoon dressing over salad. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

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INGREDIENTS
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¼ pound salt pork or slab bacon, cut into ½-inch cubes

2 garlic cloves, minced
½ cup water
¼ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
4 cups hot cooked Comet Long Grain Rice

DIRECTIONS

Prepare cabbage by removing old leaves and washing, then remove core and cut into quarters. Set aside.

Fry salt pork or bacon cubes until almost done but not yet crisp in a large skillet, add garlic and sauté until limp. Remove from heat and carefully add water. Place cabbage into skillet, season with black pepper, cover and cook slowly for 20 minutes or until vegetables are tender.

While cabbage is cooking, cook rice according to directions on the box. Add drained cooked rice to cabbage mixture when done. Allow to sit on turned-off burner for 10 minutes before serving to blend the flavors.

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Members of the Uptown Business and Professional Women's Club make plans for the Career Woman's Seminar set for May 5 in Midland. The seminar will allow participants to choose from five workshops on assertiveness, financial planning, management and other subjects of interest to professional women. From left are Lola Iguo, co-chairman of the seminar; Rexanna Heidelberg, program chairman; Mary Van Der Loop, seminar co-chairman; and Patricia M. Beck, executive director of the Permian Basin Graduate Center where the seminar will be held. For information on the event, contact Mrs. Heidelberg at 682-5282. (Staff Photo)



A delicious meal of spaghetti, salad, bread, dessert and beverage will be available at Friday's Lubbock Christian College Associates annual spaghetti dinner. The event will be held at 502 San Angelo St. from 6 to 8 p.m. Mrs. Don Craig, left, and Mrs. Rick Miller are members of the Christian College Associates who are hosting the event to provide funds for a scholarship fund and for tennis courts being built at the college in memory of Osa Mae Walker, a former Midland resident. Tickets for the event are \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children. Call 682-8653 for information and tickets. (Staff Photo)



DEAR ABBY

She could use clam opener

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: My problem is a silent husband. He suddenly quit talking to me and he won't tell me why.

The first time he clammed up we were married only six months. All of a sudden he wasn't speaking to me, and no amount of begging on my part could make him tell me what I had done wrong. He wouldn't look at me or talk to me for three whole days. Then, all of a sudden, he started talking to me just like nothing had happened. I found out four years later that he stopped talking that first time because I used his car and didn't fill up the gas tank!

I could write a book on the different times he clammed up. The record was 13 days, and I still don't know the reason for that one. We have three children, the youngest is 5, so I'm trying to see it through, but it is rough.

What is the matter with a man who as this way?—SILENT TREATMENT

DEAR TREATMENT: I don't know, but if I were you I would try to find out. He could be immature, sick, or just plain ugly. Your husband sounds as though he has a lot of words stored up which may need to be unloaded in a doctor's office. I recommend counseling. If he won't go, go alone, and learn how to communicate with your silent partner.

DEAR ABBY: If a person wants to

be hypnotized to lose weight, quit smoking, eliminate pain during childbirth, surgery or dental work or for any other legitimate reason, where does he find an honest, qualified hypnotist?

I don't want one who hypnotizes people for fun or entertainment. I want a hypnotist with the best credentials who meets the highest professional standards.—INTERESTED IN OHIO

DEAR INTERESTED: Write to: American Society of Clinical Hypnosis, 2400 E. Devon Ave., Suite 212, Des Plaines, Ill. 60018. They recommend only the most highly qualified hypnotists.

DEAR ABBY: The lady signed TRAPPED, who discovered that her husband had been unfaithful after 25 years, could have been written by my

mother, only she and Dad have been married only 19 years.

About three months ago she caught Dad in a situation like that. She says there will be no divorce, but she has locked him out of their bedroom. Now Dad sleeps with my little brother.

He has begged Mom to give him another chance, but she won't. I am the eldest (16) but I am old enough to know that any woman trapped because she can't forgive, has trapped herself.—SORRY FOR DAD

DEAR SORRY: You may be young, but you are very wise.

DEAR ABBY: Here's how our family decided who should get what after Granny died and left no will.

We all got together, and cut the cards. High man got the item if more than one of us wanted it.—NO QUIBBLING

Spring planting discussed

Maria and Freda Spencer, 1606 N. I St., were hostesses to the Perennial Garden Club. The program was "Plantings for Early Spring." Neta Stavall reviewed the book, "Flowers and Plants for Home and Garden" by Roy Hay and Patrick Synge.

The club has planted tulips, narcissus, daffodils, sweet peas, nastur-

tiums, asters, cornflowers, coleus, camellias and magnolia trees. She also discussed the building of new flower beds and how to prepare flower beds. A report on river fern and maiden hair fern also was given.

A program on annuals will be presented at the March 13 meeting in the home of Mrs. Joe Chastain, 2200 Midland Drive.

Porcelain club chooses officers

The Midland Porcelain Art Club met in the Midland Woman's Club and elected Ann Johnson, president.

Other officers named were Lillie Johnson, first vice president; Marge Shaw, second vice president; Ferrol Voliva, recording secretary; Rubalee Thomas, corresponding secretary; Shirley Edwards, treasurer; Stella Maye Lanham, auditor; Lois Rogge, historian; Beverly Klemmner, Woman's Club representative; Lois McAden, alternate representative, and Myrtle Golladay, parliamentarian.

Installation of new officers will be held in May.

Final plans were made for the Exhibit Tea to be held March 25 in the Midland Woman's Club. There will be displays of china members have painted.

Mrs. Voliva, program chairman, introduced the guest artist, Jane Houston of Kerrville. Her demonstration was on painting Dresden. She gave techniques on perfecting the art.

Winners announced

NEW YORK (AP)—Twelve American composers have been named winners of the annual music awards given by the American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters.

Winners of the Goddard Lieberon Fellowships of \$10,000 each were Gerald Levinson, assistant professor of composition and theory at Swarthmore College, and Bruce MacCombie, assistant professor of music at the Yale School of Music.

The academy's own awards of \$4,000 each went to Vivian Fine, Paul Chihara, Robert Subotnick and Robert Starer.

Six Charles Ives Scholarships of \$4,000 each went to Susan Blaustein, Robert Beaser, Marilyn Bliss, David Goodman, Carl Breener, and Tobias Picker.

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HOROSCOPE

By CARROLL RIGHTER (Fri., March 8)

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Get into the various changes and new arrangements that you would like to make that are connected with your daily life and affairs and consider how you would like to operate in the days ahead. Postpone romantic discussions.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) You can now find the best way to put your finest talents to work and get excellent benefits, but don't argue with the one you love. Entertain a bigwig in business and gain support. Use money wisely.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Make sure that all functions well at home and strive for more accord there, too. Don't discuss debatable issues that could lead to arguments at this time. Show you are intelligent and understanding.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Use good judgment in dealing with regular associates and get good results. Evening is fine for discussions with kin. Avoid arguing with anyone.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Plan how to have a firmer structure beneath you and build more safely in the future, attain a greater abundance. Cut down on expenses. Show more affection for family.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) If you use positive methods and use your smile more, you can easily gain personal objectives now. Plan time for being with a group of congenials and having a fine time. Stay within your budget, though.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Concentrate on routine tasks and forget the romantic for the time being and get ahead faster. Give more thought to an important matter. Read the fine print on any contract offered you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Try to be with friends who can help you to attain personal goals today. Do nothing that can annoy your mate or loved one and avoid trouble.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Contact bigwigs who can give you the support you need for projects. Get into civic work that brings you more happiness.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Any new activities are fine provided they have moral and ethical character. Making new contacts who have the information you need is wise. Make sure that you are handling money properly.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Use your intuition in business and other matters to get good results, coupled with your good judgment. Come to a fine understanding with those close to you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 18) Support the aims of associates and you gain thereby also. A problem that arises can be handled quietly and solved. Take time in the evening for some social fun.

PISCES (Feb. 19 to Mar. 20) Find a better method to handle those tasks ahead of you. Be sure to take treatments that build your energies. Avoid one who can prove to be a detriment to you.

Silver on exhibit in art museum

WASHINGTON (AP)

—When it comes to exercising, walking and jogging are well ahead of fishing, tennis, golfing and sailing, according to Department of the Interior figures.

There are 96.7 million walkers-joggers, 61.9 million who fish, 40.9 million who play tennis, 18.9 million who golf and 7.8 million who sail.

LOS ANGELES (AP)

—"Monumental Silver from the Gilbert Collection" is on display at the Los Angeles County Museum of Art through Aug. 5.

The exhibit consists of more than 40 pieces of English silver and silver-gilt in the rococo and neo-classical styles by silversmiths Paul de Lamerie (1688-1751) and

Paul Storr (1771-1844).

The collection has returned to the museum following a tour of the United States which included showings at the

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Evening TV Schedule



HOT TEAM

Tina Turner (left) and John Denver get together to smoke up a song in "John Denver and the Ladies," an ABC hour-long special. Thursday, March 8, on ABC.

Denver's guests form a quintet of feminine charmers: Cheryl Tiegs, Tina Turner, Erma Bombeck, Valerie Harper and special guest star Cheryl Ladd. Denver dances with Harper, croons to Tiegs and sings with both Cheryl Ladd and Tina Turner. He, sings "Just the Way You Are" to Erma Bombeck.

(Stations reserve the right to make last minute changes.)

THURSDAY MARCH 8, 1979 Programs subject to change without notice

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6:00	News M. T. Moore	News Carol Burnett	News Joker's Wild	Ven Conmigo	Bewitched Jeannie	MacNeil Newsday	Chico & Man Hogan's Heroes
7:00	Little Women	The Waltons	Mork & Mindy John Denver	Humillados	Guns Smoke	Special: "In Concert"	Get Smart Andy Griffith
8:00	Quincy	CBS Special: "People's"	And Ladies Soap	Pasioness	M. T. Moore Bob Newhart	Pledge Nova	700 Club
9:00	Mrs. Columbo	Choice Awards	Family	24 Horas	Movie: "Cactus"	"Beersheva" Jacques	Praise
10:00	News Tonight	News M.A.S.H.	News Starsky	Hermanos Coraje	"Flower"	Coastal Pledge	Melodyland The Life
11:00		CBS Late Movie:	& Hutch Mannix	Variedades De Medianoche	Maverick	Soundstage	Faith Temp. Life Of Riley
12:00	Tomorrow	"McCloud"			Night Gallery	Growing Years	

Many visit Pompeii exhibit

DALLAS (AP) — Call it preoccupation with man's mortality. Call it fascination with death, destruction, violence. Call it the lure of past ages, of things unknown. Whatever your explanation, curiosity or something more cosmic is drawing 4,000 to 5,000 persons a day to the Dallas Museum of Fine Arts. The attraction: the destruction of a city. Pompeii A.D. 79.

"We got up at 6:30 to get here at 8:15 this morning to get our tickets," said a weary Margie Franks, trying to subdue her wiggling 4-year-old son. "We got here at 9:15 and now it's 12:15 and we're finally getting in."

"We almost didn't get tickets," said Kay Daniel, leading a group of 10 Girl Scouts from Christi Elementary School in nearby Plano. "We got here at 9:30 and they were selling out."

Tickets go on sale near the museum at 9 a.m. and museum officials report they usually are sold out by 11 a.m. About 200 tickets for each quarter hour are sold. The private tours from 9 to 11

a.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. have been sold out for months.

Teachers and parents seem at a loss to explain why youngsters who can't remember their lunch money and don't give a hoot about the Alamo can remember obscure details about the destruction of the Roman colony Aug. 24, 79.

"It was their (the girls') choice to come here," said Karen Felton, another Christi Girl Scout leader. "We studied the encyclopedia some, and tried to make a presentation to one of the girls' meetings."

"But they knew everything we did and more. They were telling us things," she added.

It is easy to explain the enchantment of the exhibit, which closes March 18. The citizens of Pompeii lived and died in the shadow of Vesuvius. We only have nuclear destruction to worry us.

"I asked my (three) girls if it happened to them now, what would they grab. What would they do," Mrs. Franks said. "She (pointing to 10-year-old Suzanne) said she'd grab her Daddy."

"What would you grab?" she asked 13-year-old Ruthanne.

"I don't know," the girl answered, obviously cataloging the contents of her room at home. What would she be remembered by 1,000 years from now? Coke bottles, albums, cosmetics, blue jeans, televisions, Frisbees?

"Your Andy Gibb poster?" her mother prompted.

"Yeah," the girl answered, blushing. Visitors find themselves standing transfixed, mouths agape, in front of certain exhibits.

"It's not just a lot of paintings," Ruthanne said later in the tour. "It's neat because it's real," added her friend, 13-year-old Michelle Smith.

The centuries-old figures and photographs of destruction are perhaps the closest some visitors have ever come to death. The stark reality of the cast of a dog, its legs twisted in hideous death, brings tears to the eyes of several tourists.

A young girl stands before a photograph of two skeletons, one reaching for the other. The mouth

of one is wide in a silent scream. The girl grabs her mother's hand and turns her back to the staring.

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Supermom discusses son's life

PRINCETON, N.J. (AP) — Though comic books, television shows and movies claim Superman was born on a far-away planet called Krypton, there's at least a bit of truth to the story that he grew up in Princeton.

And while some townspeople refer to Barbara Johnson, a resident of Princeton for 23 years, as Superman's mom, she prefers to think of herself, simply, as "the mother of a young man who has always wanted to be an actor."

Mrs. Johnson said her son, "Superman" star Christopher Reeve, 26, began dreaming of an acting career at an early age, but never was interested in Superman as a kid.

"He didn't watch Superman. He watched Batman a little. I don't think we even owned a television until the Kennedy-Nixon campaign in 1960," Mrs. Johnson said in a recent interview.

Mrs. Johnson came to Princeton with sons Chris and Ben on New Year's Eve in 1956, and has lived there ever since. Her ex-husband, Chris' and Ben's father, graduated from Princeton in 1950.

"I didn't work at all during Chris' growing up," said Mrs. Johnson, who now writes for Town Topics, a weekly newspaper in Princeton. "I'm really an old-fashioned mother and I was glad I could be there when he came home from school."

Mrs. Johnson said she never tried to dissuade her son from acting, adding, "I never could have succeeded in discouraging him. Each time he was in a play he was so happy, every time he was cast. There was such determination in Chris from a young age."

His made his acting debut in the seventh grade as a Scottish housemaid in Agatha Christie's "Witness for the Prosecution."

Mrs. Johnson predicted her son will make more movies, and perhaps eventually return to the stage.

"At the moment he's got to show the world he can act in a major feature without a cape," said Mrs. Johnson. "He absolutely refuses to do any more than Superman II."

She noted that it is becoming difficult for "Superman" Reeve to visit his home.

"It (making the movie) severed the umbilical cord sooner and more sharply. I knew we would never see money like he's seeing now. He was entering a realm which we would never enter," she said.



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DEATHS

Jimmy' Carr

SHREVEPORT, La. — Services for Julian Lanier "Jimmy" Carr Sr., 81, of Shreveport and formerly of Midland were to be at 3 p.m. today in Pine Grove United Methodist Church near Minden, La.

Burial was to be in Pine Grove Cemetery directed by Rose-Neath Funeral Home of Shreveport.

Carr died Tuesday in a Shreveport hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born March 2, 1898, in Minden. He lived in Midland during the late 1940s and early 1950s. The retired oil man first was drilling superintendent for Loffland Brothers Drilling Co. He later joined Phil Tabor and Bill Coleman to form the Tabor, Coleman and Carr Drilling Co. of Midland. He was a Methodist.

Survivors include a son, Julian Lanier Carr Jr. of St. Louis, Mo.; three sisters, Mary Carr, Betty Carr and Ruby Sexton, all of Shreveport, and three grandchildren.

Virgia Moore

MUNDAY — Services for Virgia Dell Moore, 69, of Munday, stepmother of Jo Ann Stroud of Midland and Gloria Faye Scott of Big Spring, were Wednesday in Emmanuel Baptist Church in Decatur. Burial was in Oaklawn Cemetery directed by McCauley-Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Moore died Monday in a Seymour hospital.

Mrs. Moore was born Dec. 11, 1909, in Wise County. She married Homer Austin Moore Dec. 16, 1961, in Knox City. She had lived in Munday 17 years.

Other survivors include her husband, two sons, three daughters, a stepson, a stepdaughter, three sisters, 24 grandchildren, 15 stepgrandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren and six stepgreat-grandchildren.

John F. Meek

John F. Meek, 42, of County Road 1140 South died Wednesday in a Midland hospital.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home with burial in Fairview Cemetery.

Born March 1, 1937, Meek was reared in Odessa. He moved to Midland in 1962. He owned and operated Imperial Motors. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Gloria; a son, Lance Brandon Meek of Midland; two stepdaughters, Tammy Lunn Lowe and Deborah Ann Lowe, both of Midland; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam W. Meek of Pecos, Okla., and a brother, Samuel W. Meek Jr. of Bartlesville, Okla.

hospital after a brief illness.

He was born in Rochester, N.Y., on May 8, 1896. He was graduated from Harvard University 1917.

Taylor did oil and gas consulting work throughout the world and was adviser to Presidents Herbert Hoover and Dwight D. Eisenhower on petroleum matters.

He was married to Helen Strauss in 1932 in Washington, D.C.

Other survivors include a daughter and four grandchildren.

Joyce Sue Rogers

ODESSA — Services for Joyce Sue Rogers, 19, of Andrews will be at 10 a.m. Friday in Easterling Funeral Home here. Burial will follow in Odessa Cemetery.

Mrs. Rogers was found dead Monday in a mobile home in Tucson, Ariz.

She was born Aug. 18, 1959, in Tucson.

Survivors include her husband, Fred; a son, Wayne Douglas Rogers; her father, Raymond Lee Perry Sr. of Tucson; two sisters, Bonnie Lou Perry of Abilene and Barbara Ann Perry of Abilene; two brothers, Harry Sam Perry and Raymond Lee Perry Jr., both of Tucson, and her grandmother, Blanche Johnston of Odessa.

Mrs. Norris

PADUCAH — Services for Mrs. Rendie Norris, 92, mother of Bernice Clark of Midland were to be at 11 a.m. today in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jimmy Griffith, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Norris died Sunday morning.

Burial will be in Garden of Memories Cemetery under the direction of Norris Funeral Home.

Mrs. Norris was an Alabama native and resident of Cottle County since 1910. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and several local women's clubs. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Other survivors include two sons, a brother, nine grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren.

Al Battiest

Al Battiest, 67, of 1615 Ventura Drive died today in a Big Spring hospital following a lengthy illness.

Services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday in the First United Methodist Church in Midland with the Rev. Jerry Wyatt, associate minister, officiating.

Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park Cemetery directed by Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Battiest was born March 18, 1911, in Matoy, Okla. He was reared in Oklahoma. Battiest married Delphia Jackson of Tulsa, Okla., on April 3, 1952. The couple moved to Midland in May 1978 from Durant, Okla., where they lived for one year.

Prior to that, they had lived in Phoenix, Ariz., and in California. Battiest was an automobile salesman. He served in the U.S. Coast Guard in World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Delphia; a daughter, Mrs. Ray Campbell of Midland; two brothers, Eldridge Battiest of Caddo, Okla., and Willard Yeats of Shawnee, Kan.; two sisters, Mrs. J.T. Wigley of Paoli, Okla., and Mrs. J.O. McKenzie of Durant, Okla., four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Dora McDonald

BIG SPRING — Services for Mrs. Floyd (Dora) McDonald, 70, of Big Spring will be at 3 p.m. Friday in Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home with burial in Trinity Memorial Park.

Mrs. McDonald died Wednesday in a Big Spring hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born April 16, 1908, in Merkel. She moved to Big Spring 42 years ago from Midland. She was married to Floyd McDonald Oct. 30, 1965, in Stanton.

Mrs. McDonald was a retired beautician. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Eugene Jones of Big Spring; a sister, Mozelle Porter of Big Spring, three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Ruth Napper

LAMESA — Services for Ruth Napper, 65, of Lamesa were to be at 2 p.m. today in Second Baptist Church with the Rev. Clifton Igo, pastor, officiating.

Burial was to be in Lamesa Memorial Park directed by Branon Funeral Home.

Mrs. Napper died Tuesday in a Lamesa hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was a native of Stamford and had lived in the Puntin Center Community near Welch since 1944. She moved to Lamesa four years ago. She was married to Mason Napper Jan. 27, 1934, in Sparenburg. He died Sept. 30, 1960. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Bobbie Matlock of Lamesa; four sons, Wayne Napper of Brownwood, and Jerry Napper, Wylie Napper and Jimmy Napper, all of Lamesa; a sister, Lucy Lobstein of Sparenburg; a brother, Gordon Crow of Lamesa, 13 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Robert Sanders

ODESSA — Services for Robert N. Sanders, 48, of Odessa, father of Nancy Faulkner of McCamey, were to be at 10 a.m. Thursday in the First United Methodist Church here. Burial was to be in Sunset Memorial Gardens directed by Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home.

Sanders died Tuesday in an Odessa hospital after a brief illness.

He was born Sept. 4, 1930, in Fredonia. He was married to Laura Bodkin June 29, 1952, in Fredonia. He moved to Odessa in July 1966 from Cisco. Sanders was a member of Masonic Lodge No. 556 in Cisco.

Other survivors include his wife, two daughters, a son, his mother, a sister and three grandchildren.

Roy L. Tate

GAINESVILLE — Services for Roy L. Tate, 72, of Gainesville, stepfather of Leo Hagler of Midland and brother of Alva Tate of Andrews, were to be at 2 p.m. today in Vernie Keel Funeral Home in Gainesville with the Rev. Ullis Grisham officiating. Burial was to be in Resthaven Memorial Park in Gainesville.

He died Monday in a Denton hospital after an apparent heart attack.

Tate was born May 7, 1906, in Pottawatomie County, Okla. He was married to Della Coly Nov. 1, 1948, in Monahan. He was a retired rancher.

Other survivors include his wife, two sons, a brother, three sisters, six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

James S. Taylor

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Services for James Spear Taylor, 82, energy consultant, economist, adviser to two presidents and father of Nicholas Taylor of Midland, were Feb. 23 in St. John's Episcopal Church on Lafayette Square, Washington, D.C.

Cremation followed.

Taylor died Feb. 19 in a Washington

City to get bilingual funds

Midland will receive some \$213,750 in federal funds to beef up its bilingual teaching programs next year.

The grant, authorized under Title VII of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, is to be used primarily to support bilingual services to children in kindergarten through the sixth grade.

The money is designed for the development of new materials and special training for teachers during the 1978-79 school year.

More than \$12 million will be distributed throughout the state under the Title VII grants, according to Dr. Severo Gomez, Texas Education Agency associate commissioner for special populations.

During the same period, Texas public schools will receive \$5.2 million in state funds to support bilingual programs for non-English speaking children in kindergarten through the fifth grade.

Fire empties hotel

DENVER (AP) — One person was hospitalized and more than 20 were evacuated from a small downtown Denver hotel early today when a slow-moving fire burned through two of the building's three floors, fire officials said.

Edward Loudon, a 64-year-old resident of the Colonial Hotel, was taken to Denver General Hospital for treatment of smoke inhalation and was in fair condition, a hospital spokesman said.



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Well Bulldogs, you always hear the 3rd quarter is full of parties and to start the quarter off with a BIG SHE BANG the Jr. Council is sponsoring a Sadie Hawkins Dance (in other words, Sophomores, the girls ask the guys).

You don't have to have a date, so everyone come and SHAKE IT, BABY at the Youth Center from 9 to 12 p.m. on Friday, March 16. (If we have large crowd we will stay later, says Rasco). Girls, here is your chance to go out with the guy you have dreamed of all year. The price is \$1 per couple and \$1.50 for singles, so Girls, save a half-buck and get a date.

The great American pastime, jogging, truly paid off last weekend for certain MHS tracksters. Jeff Robinett, Billy Taylor and Jerry Zachery accelerated in the West of the Pecos Relays. THE BETTER SEX ran some victories up also. Jana Taolinder, Nan Whlax, Susan Shoemaker and Margaret Christian won the 1,600-meter relay. Donna Repman, Renee Ramsey, Eleanor Scott and Karen Mays placed in individual events.

Those SHOCKING SHOT PUTTERS shot into 1st place at the Pecos relays last week. David Simmons won the discus and James Larrt placed 5th in the same event. Keep up the good work guys—DO THE DISCUS DOGS.

NOT ONLY ARE the Dogs throwing discus, they are throwing BASEBALLS, too. The JV diamond-erased the Ector Eagles by a margin of 11-1. In Lubbock, the Varsity got off to a 2-0 rolling start as they massacred Monterrey 16-12. The next day they swept past the Westerners by defeating them 17-6. Keep swattin' the flies!

Several Aquadogs splashed to Regional Titles in Midland last weekend. Midland High boys were runners-up. The DIVING DOGS captured 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th places with Ricky Morton, Mark Krauss, Charley Corbin and Randy Peets, respectively. Clay Spears qualified for state in 2 events WAY TO SPLIT THE WATER—DO IT AT STATE!!!!

Good luck to the speech and drama teams this weekend as they compete at State. Those who have qualified are: Speech: Starr Boldrick, Therese Folger, Jane Forsyth and Valeri Van Pelt; Drama: Matt Vaughn, Mark White and Connie Velasco. Let's see some National Qualifiers!!!!

NOTICE!! NOTICE!! "100 club" and Junior Council members will have their pictures taken for the annual Wednesday during their respective lunches. ALL members of both clubs should be here in the Y.C. for this event. This includes the SENIORS.

N.H.S. Members will have their pictures taken for the annual on Tuesday, March 20th at 7:45 AM in the High School.

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By ROBERT LEE ZIMMER

URBANA, Ill. (AP) — Count Dracula and Frankenstein drive the buses on Halloween. Despite chilly temperatures, passengers who wear shorts on the first day of spring ride buses for just a nickel.

Others board buses in the middle of a summer day, ride to McDonald's, get free french fries and ride home at no charge.

It may sound like a strange way to run a bus company, but advertising and promotion schemes have helped boost ridership of the Champaign-Urbana Mass Transit District by 450 percent since 1974 — one of the best records in the nation.

"We had Santa Claus ride the buses at Christmas and give out candy canes," said assistant director Thomas Costello. "When the circus came to town, we had a clown ride the bus. It helps promote the circus and taking the bus to the circus."

Costello says the district spends about \$30,000 a year on advertising and marketing.

"Transit is up against some pretty stiff competition and if people don't hear about it, they won't think about it, and they won't ride," said Chuck Kromer of the American Public Transit Association. "Champaign-Urbana is frequently mentioned for its aggressive marketing program and its innovative management."

But, the selling of the bus line is only one part of the success story.

District Director Bill Volk realized that unless he provided people with the kind of bus service they wanted, advertising and promotion would do little good.

An infusion of state and federal funds in 1974 also was instrumental in the turn-around, as was voter approval of a 400 percent increase in the tax which goes to the bus line.

When Volk took over five years ago, he recognized the potential in the twin cities, with their population of 100,000. Their borders meet at the sprawling campus of the University of Illinois, with more than 34,000 students and 11,000 employees.

"At mid-day, you have a potential peak over there every hour," said Volk, who now runs nine of his 10 bus routes through campus. Only two passed the university when Volk took over.

"The whole system had failed. Our image was terrible. From a public opinion standpoint, we were probably way down at the bottom," he said.

Volk said there were only 13 buses on the streets during the rush hour then, there were no schedules and the time between buses ranged from 30 to 90 minutes.

But the real break came in 1977, when voters approved a tax increase for the bus system — from 5 to 20 cents per \$100 of property value. In return, the MTD added buses, began night and Sunday service and created new routes.

Nearly every bus now runs through downtown Champaign and downtown Urbana, as well as the campus, and there are 33 buses operating in the rush-hour.

Ridership jumped 41 percent in 1977 — the largest increase reported in the nation, said Kromer. The national average was less than 1 percent.

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Pill linked to cancer

Dear Dr. Solomon: It seems the Pill is being linked to more and more diseases. The latest, a friend told me, is cancer. Is there any truth to this?—Ms. A. N.

Dear Ms. N.: There does appear to be some disturbing evidence that oral contraceptives increase the risk of certain forms of cancer. After a 10-year study of almost 18,000 patients of the Kaiser-Permanente health plan in California, researchers have concluded that women who use birth control pills for more than four years are almost twice as susceptible to an often fatal kind of skin cancer, malignant melanoma. Another Kaiser study showed that women on the Pill have a higher rate of cancer of the uterine cervix than other women.

It is theorized that birth control pills, which contain estrogen and progesterone, stimulate the growth of skin pigment cells. Malignant melanoma occurs when these cells reproduce at an abnormally rapid rate. Many fair-skinned women experience a darkening of skin patches after starting to use the Pill. The pituitary gland, which controls both ovulation and skin pigmentation, appears to be involved.

While the findings on the relationship between the pill and skin cancer are still inconclusive, the study is drawing attention, particularly in view of a 79 percent increase between 1970 and 1975 in the incidence of the disease among women in the San Francisco bay area. Half the cases occurred in women of child-bearing age. The University of California at Los Angeles is undertaking further research on the subject, and results should be known some time next year.

The study involving cervical cancer indicated that users of birth control pills were up to five times more likely to develop this form of cancer than nonusers. While this study did not take into account differences in sexual behavior which may have some bearing on the problem (women who begin intercourse at an early age and have many sexual partners show an increased susceptibility), the results still appear to implicate the Pill.

Dear Dr. Solomon: Does air pollution have its effects on other forms of life and matter, too?—Mrs. J. D.

Dear Mrs. J.D.: Air pollution can corrode metal and erode stone. It can make paper brittle, leather disintegrate and rubber crack. It makes everything dirty. Air pollution is not confined to the city, either. It has been known to cripple and even kill cattle. Laboratory experiments indicate that it can cause chickens to lay fewer eggs, sheep to have a thinner coat of wool, and cows to give less milk. Farmers suffer greatly from the damage wrought by air pollution. They have seen it mar or totally kill vegetables, flowers, grains and trees. Air pollution can injure vegetation as much as a hundred miles away from the source of the pollution. It is estimated that damage to health, property, materials and vegetation will soon be costing us more than \$25 billion a year.

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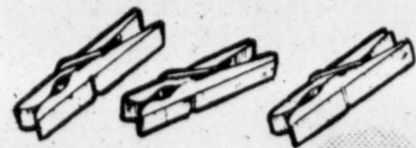
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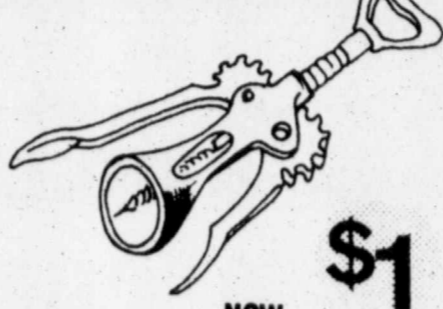
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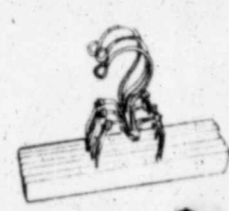
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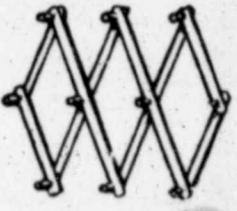
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Largest corporations charged with law violations

WASHINGTON (AP) — Three out of five of the nation's largest corporations were the objects of enforcement actions in 1975 and 1976 for allegedly violating federal laws, a government-backed study shows.

Nearly half of the largest firms were charged with "serious" or "moderate" violations, sociologist Marshall Clinard said in testimony prepared for presentation today at a House Judiciary subcommittee hearing on crime.

He did not specify the difference between a "serious" crime and a "moderate" one.

Clinard, a professor at the University of Wisconsin, undertook his research with a grant from the Justice Department's Law Enforcement Assistance Administration. Final results are due May 31.

The subcommittee on crime is in the midst of a long-term review of white collar crime and also is reviewing possible changes in LEAA.

Clinard said he found it unlikely that a corporate executive convicted of a federal crime would be forced to spend time in prison. Even when these executives are incarcerated, he said, they generally receive light sen-

ences. The 582 unidentified corporations he surveyed were mostly manufacturing concerns. Banking, insurance, transportation, communication and utilities companies were excluded, according to Clinard's prepared statement.

He said his survey revealed these statistics: —A total of 1,554 actions were initiated against the companies with 350 different firms being involved in at least one case.

—Some 32.3 percent of the violations were for breaking manufac-

ing laws, 28.3 percent were environmental, 17 percent were labor related, 9.8 percent concerned unfair trade, 7.9 percent were administrative and 3.7 percent were financial.

—No sanctions were imposed on 115 (37 percent) corporations while 367 (63 percent) had at least one enforcement action against them.

—Monetary penalties of \$5,000 or less were imposed in 275 cases and penalties ranging from \$5,000 to \$50,000 in 38 cases. Sanctions costing more than \$50,000 were recorded in 26 cases.

Clinard said he identified a mo-

derately strong tendency for larger corporations to be faced with smaller monetary penalties.

Corporate executives were given criminal sanctions for failing to carry out legal responsibilities in less than 1 percent of the cases initiated, he said.

Of the 61 executives convicted of various actions, about 64 percent were found guilty of federal antitrust violations, 20 percent of Securities and Exchange Commission violations involving illegal payments and 8 percent of violating pure food and drug laws, he said.

Nineteen percent were placed on probation, 10 percent were given suspended sentences and 8 percent went to jail. The rest received fines only.

The companies in Clinard's survey consisted of 477 manufacturing firms, 18 wholesale operations, 66 retail outlets and 21 service-related businesses. Their 1975 annual sales ranged from \$300 million to more than \$45 billion with an average sales volume of \$1.7 billion for the parent firms.

Data used in the survey covered all enforcement actions initiated or imposed by 25 federal agencies during 1975 and 1976.

Auto industry probe could yield drastic results

WASHINGTON (AP) — Government trust-busters are defending their wide-ranging investigation into the auto industry that eventually could lead to such drastic action as breaking up General Motors.

"The automobile industry deserves considerable attention. It is one of America's largest and most concentrated industries. Yet, despite its enormous size, importance and concentrated nature, the automobile industry has not been the subject of a thorough scrutiny since 1939," Federal Trade Commission staffers said in a document released Wednesday.

The auto industry has vigorously opposed the investigation, announced Aug. 2, 1976. The industry says it is a fishing expedition with no specific

purpose. The FTC staff document said the commission is looking at these general issues: pricing policies, profitability, how big an automaker must be to operate efficiently, vertical integration, product design and the exclusive dealership system.

"Although much has been written about the automobile industry, there exists a surprising dearth of information relevant to the six key areas of the commission's inquiry," the FTC document said.

Despite this lack of information, there has been no investigation based on internal company documents in the 40 years since the last federal antitrust probe, the FTC staff said.

The investigation resulted earlier this year in government-issued sub-

poenas for voluminous data from the four American automakers, FTC officials said at a news briefing. The officials refused to be identified publicly.

The subpoenas were challenged in federal court in Detroit by three of the automakers — General Motors Corp., Chrysler Corp., and American Motors Corp.

Ford Motor Co. did not join the suit, choosing instead to fight the subpoenas before the commission.

GM, Chrysler and American Motors won a ruling by U.S. District Judge Fred W. Kaess that the subpoenas are so broad and vague the three they need not comply with them. The investigation as it applies to those three auto makers is at a standstill until an appeals court rules on the FTC's appeal of the lower court ruling.

FTC officials said Ford's decision not to join the Detroit court suit was the proper way to contest the subpo-

na. They said this move by Ford has resulted in about half of the demands being dropped from its subpoena through administrative action by the FTC.

Subpoenas directed at the other automakers could likewise be pared if they followed Ford's example, the officials said.

An FTC source said the probe is "not necessarily a law enforcement investigation," although he said the FTC has the authority to order the companies to sell part of their holdings. This authority includes breaking up General Motors, the world's largest manufacturing company, he said.

An official said the investigation could be concluded in as little as two to three years, at which time the government antitrust experts could issue a report and ask for congressional action or file a case charging monopoly power in the industry.

Bill would encourage citizens

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — State Reps. Ben Z. Grant and Ron Bird introduced a bill Wednesday they say would guarantee more citizen participation in Texas government.

The bill would require some members of each board and commission to be representatives of the general public and not special interest groups.

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People believe mergers don't benefit consumer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Most Americans are opposed to corporate mergers and believe they benefit executives and stockholders of corporations more than they do consumers, an Associated Press-NBC News poll shows.

Results of the survey were announced today as the Senate Judiciary Committee prepared to hear top government antitrust officials discuss proposed legislation to crack down on conglomerate mergers.

Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., the committee chairman, has said existing antitrust laws are inadequate to deal with such mergers, in which corporations absorb unrelated businesses which are neither competitors, suppliers nor customers.

Scheduled to testify were John Shenefield, assistant attorney general for antitrust matters, and Michael Pertschuk, chairman of the Federal

Trade Commission. The answers from the AP-NBC News poll are based on telephone interviews Feb. 5-6 with 1,600 adults across the country.

Here is the question asked in the poll:

"There have been a lot of mergers of American companies in the past year. Do you favor or oppose such mergers?"

The mergers were favored by 32 percent of those questioned, but 51 percent said they were opposed. Seventeen percent said they were not sure.

When asked if they favored or opposed the mergers of very large corporations, 23 percent of the respondents aid they were in favor while 65 percent said they were opposed. Twelve percent were not sure.

Fire destroys old monastery

BENEDIKTBEUERN, West Germany (AP) — Fire destroyed a large part of one of West Germany's oldest monasteries today. Police estimated damage to the Benedictine cloister Benediktbeuern at \$6.5 million.

There were no injuries, however, and the valuable library of the monastery escaped damage, police said.

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Tournament of Champions opens tonight

By BOB DILLON
Sports Writer

It's baseball tournament time again at Cubs Stadium. The 5th annual Tournament of Champions gets underway tonight with the Midland Lee Rebels taking on the Midland Bulldogs in the opening game of the double elimination meet which also features Duncanville, R.L. Turner of Carrollton and Lubbock Monterey.

Both Lee and Midland will have their best pitchers on the mound tonight with Terry Willis going for Coach Ernie Johnson's Rebels and Jimmy Zachry for Coach Larry Peel's Purple Pack.

FIRST PITCH is set for 7 p.m. with the winner of tonight's contest taking on Monterey at 1:30 p.m. Friday. Duncanville and R.L. Turner tangle at 11 a.m. Friday with two more games on tap Friday evening.

This year's format is different from the past. Instead of a round robin tourney where everybody plays each other once, it is a double elimination meet with a team getting a chance to come up through the loser's bracket and still win the coveted first place trophy.

The first tournament was held in 1975 with Moore, Okla. going 4-0 to win the first place trophy. Duncanville was also in that tourney and the Panthers won the Class AAAA state championship in 1975 and 1976. In 1977, Coach Jay Miller's Panthers were state runnerup and they reached the semifinals in 1978, losing to eventual state champion Houston Belaire in the opening round of the state meet in Austin.

DUNCANVILLE BRINGS a 2-2 record into the tourney after losing a tough 1-0 decision to Lake Highlands Wednesday afternoon. The Panthers split with Dallas Thomas Jefferson and

also beat Dallas Kimball. **TURNER'S LIONS** are 0-1 with a 5-2 loss to Waxahachie. Turner also had a suspended game with Fort Worth Eastern Hills that was called off due to darkness. Coach Davis Hall brings his Lions to the tourney for the first time.

Monterey won the tourney title in 1976 with a 3-1 record, losing to Alamogordo, N.M. on the final night. Alamogordo had won the New Mexico state championship the year before. The in 1977, Duncanville won the meet with a perfect 4-0 record. Moore along with Lee, Midland and Monterey were in that tourney.

Last year, Duncanville won the championship again and is one of the favorites this time around despite its 2-2 record.

Midland Lee brings a 5-1 record into tonight's game with Midland which is the only undefeated team in the tournament with a 3-0 reading. Lee beat

Lubbock Coronado twice. Hobbs, N.M. two times and bombed Pecos, 21-5. The only loss was the Coronado, 8-5.

Midland, meanwhile, holds victories over Monterey, Lubbock High and Snyder. One game with Lubbock was called off due to cold, windy weather.

THE BULLDOGS have been pounding the ball hard for Peel this far and Lee, although held to four hits in Tuesday's 3-2 win over Coronado, is also hitting well for Johnson.

Lee most likely will start Lee Johnson at first base; Gary Wood at second; Steve Pitts at shortstop and Dwayne Holmes at third. In the outfield it will be Larry Latch in left; either Robert Perez or John White in center and Tyler Alcorn in right with Tommy Morrison handling the catching chores. Clay Calhoun will be the designated hitter and Willis (2-0) on the mound.

"We have some people hurt

and our pitching staff is really depleted," said Johnson Wednesday. Wade Cartwright, Mark Denny and Lee Johnson, all are ailing much to the dismay of Johnson. All have been having arm problems.

Cartwright started against Coronado, but pulled something in his right shoulder and Johnson also hurt his arm in the Coronado tilt. Denny has been having arm problems and also is weak from having the flu. "We may be in trouble, pitching-wise during the tourney, but I am proud that we still are 5-1 despite the injuries," added Johnson. Calhoun, who was the starting catcher last year when Lee just missed a trip to the state tourney, has had an injured shoulder and has been unable to catch thus far this spring.

MIDLAND WILL start Zachry (1-0) on the mound with Paul Cox at first base; Coyet Copeland at second; Archie Booth at

short and Michael Feldt at third. In the outfield it will be Mike Mowles in left; Tracy Gann in center and David Brigham in right with Tommy Munoz doing the catching.

Duncanville is loaded with 11 lettermen off last year's team that went to the state tournament. Miller has five two-year letter winners back in Rick Junior, Jeff Morgan, Randy Risner, Milo Choate and Tank Davis. Davis is a 6-foot-1, 220-pounder with plenty of long ball power who pitches and plays first base. Other lettermen back include David Thompson, Kyle Poteet, Pete Collins, Chris Green and Todd Miller. Collins is a 6-1, 200-pound catcher for the Panthers.

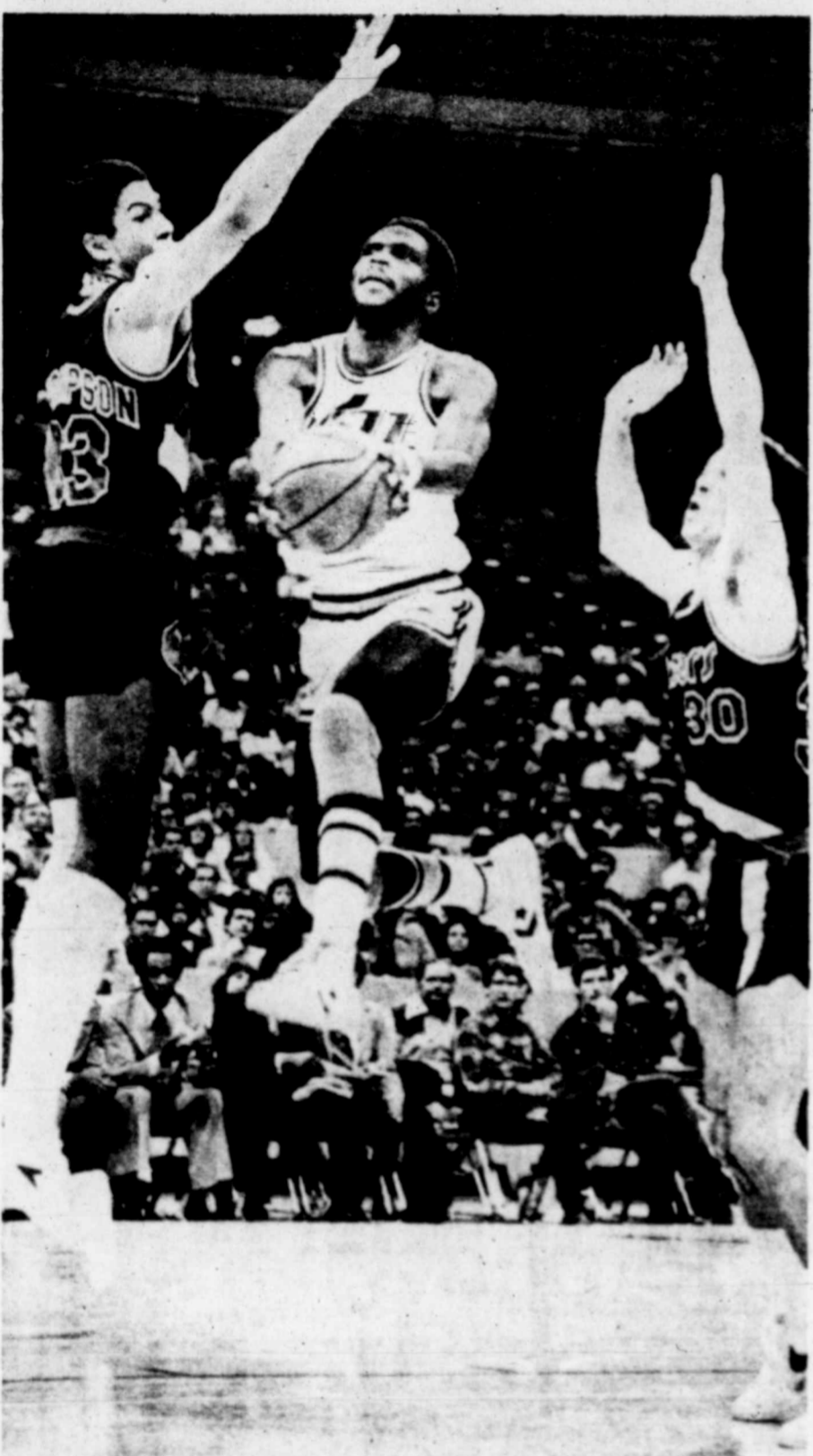
MONTEREY LOST almost all of its starters from last year's team which was 33-6. Back again this year are two starters in second baseman Ricky Pin-

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James McElroy of the New Orleans Jazz is caught between Mychal Thompson (23) and Bob Gross (30) of the Portland Trail Blazers during NBA action Wednesday night in New Orleans, as he drives for basket. (AP Laserphoto).

Atlantic Coast teams nab 3 opening round NIT wins

By The Associated Press
The Atlantic Coast Conference likes to think it's the best basketball league in the country...and you can't dispute the claim by Wednesday night's National Invitation Tournament results. The ACC was a perfect 3-for-3 — by an incredibly slim total of four points — as the 42nd annual NIT got under way with a half-dozen first-round games.

Maryland was the ACC's "big" winner, defeating Rhode Island 67-65 at College Park, Md....but it took the Terrapins three overtimes to do it. Meanwhile, at Lexington, Ky., Clemson nipped Kentucky, the 1978 national champion, 68-67 in just one overtime while Virginia needed only the regulation 40 minutes to dispose of Northeast Louisiana 79-78 at Charlottesville, Va.

Elsewhere, Ohio State trounced St. Joseph's, Pa., 80-66 at Columbus, Ohio, Nevada-Reno outlasted Oregon State 62-61 at Corvallis, Ore., and Old Dominion shaded Wagner 83-81 at Norfolk, Va.

Tonight's remaining six opening-round contests find Central Michigan (19-8) at 16th-ranked Purdue (23-7), Holy Cross (17-10) at Dayton (18-9), Indiana (18-12) at Texas Tech (19-10), St. Bonaventure (19-8) at Alabama (19-10), Alcorn State (27-0) at Mississippi State (19-8) and Texas A&M (22-8) at New Mexico (19-9).

The 40-team NCAA Tournament begins Friday night. Wednesday's NIT results also set up two second-round games — Ohio State (18-10) vs. Maryland (19-10) and Old Dominion (22-6) vs. Clemson (19-9). Virginia (19-9) will meet tonight's St. Bonaventure-Alabama winner while Nevada-Reno goes against the Texas A&M-New Mexico survivor.

KENTUCKY'S WILDCATS, who missed a chance to defend their NCAA laurels when they were beaten in the finals of the Southeastern Conference tourney by Tennessee, dropped out of the NIT when Clemson's Billy Williams sank two free throws with 12 seconds to go. Williams topped the Tigers with 16 points while Kentucky's Kyle Macy

took game honors with 20. Clemson used a delay game to kill the last 10 minutes of the first half. "The delay game was good to us," said Coach Bill Foster. "I know it's not popular in the state of Kentucky, but it's pretty damn popular in South Carolina."

"We were in foul trouble early. We'd rather run. We didn't talk about holding it before the game. It was a pretty good ballgame, a great win for us and our program."

Both Foster and Kentucky's Joe B. Hall rapped the Southwest Conference officiating team of Joe Thomas and Jim Harvey. Foster called them "Homer and Jethro," referring to a pair of country music comedians.

HALL CLAIMED the officials "destroyed the ballgame. They missed several goaltending calls. Macy would go down to one end and get chopped and he'd go to the other end and get called for hand-checking."

"I would have to say it was the most confusing game I have ever coached in or had a team play in. Our players did not know how to play. One official, in particular, was so bad he should seriously consider taking up another sport."

Maryland's Albert King, who sat out the first 27 minutes with a foot injury, scored all four points in the third overtime to give the Terrapins their marathon triumph over Rhode Island. Larry Gibson led the winners with 17 points and King added 15. Jimmy Wright had 20 for Rhode Island, whose ace, Sly Williams, sat out almost 10 minutes and scored only 12 points before fouling out with 13 seconds left in regulation time.

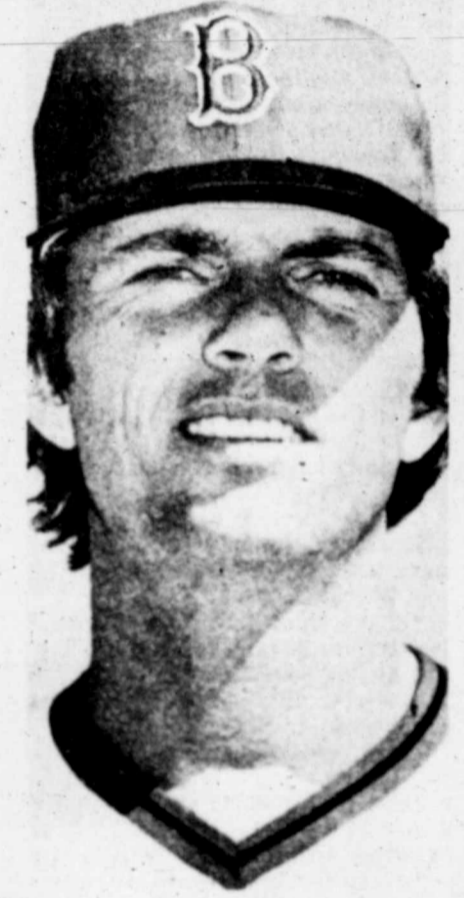
VIRGINIA TURNED back North-

east Louisiana on Jeff Lamp's baseline jumper with seven seconds left. It came just 10 seconds after Calvin Natt, who finished with 38 points, had given the losers their only lead of the second half. Natt hit all 10 second-half shots — he was 15-of-18 overall — and scored 28 points after the intermission. Lamp scored 10 of his 20 points in the last six minutes.

"I tipped the ball on the play to Lamp," moaned Natt. "I'll think about it the rest of my life. Another inch and it would have been over."

KELVIN RANSEY scored 18 points. Herb Williams added 16 and Mike Cline had 14 on 6-of-7 shooting as Ohio State overwhelmed St. Joe's. Norman Black's 21 points topped the losers. St. Joseph's remained within range until Ohio State uncorked a 15-5 burst and opened a 54-36 lead with 8:25 remaining.

"That kid Cline was knocking down those shots," said St. Joseph's Coach Jim Lynam. "The scouting report said he was a good shooter — but not that frequently."



Bill Lee, former Boston Red Sox pitcher admits that he has smoked marijuana regularly throughout his professional baseball career. Story on page 3-C. (AP Laserphoto).

Jim Hall springs another surprise

Midland's Jim Hall, one of auto racing's most prolific innovators, is about to spring another surprise on his competitors at the Indianapolis 500 — a race car that goes faster by

sucking itself to the pavement. Hall made the revelation at a series of meetings in Los Angeles this week, as he and driver Al Unser answered questions about the new car Hall is building for this year's Indy 500 in Midland.

Called the Pennzoil Chaparral, Hall said it will be the first "ground effects" car in Indianapolis racing history.

"This car makes extensive use of aerodynamic principles," Hall said. "It is truly a 'ground effects' car, which we pioneered with the Chaparral 2J. It incorporates some completely new ideas in ground effects, which are non-powered, but which use the same principles of our earlier ground effects car."

Hall would not elaborate further except to say that the new car will be tested and ready for competition when the Indianapolis Motor Speedway opens for practice on May 5.

Meanwhile, the Pennzoil Chaparral team launches its season Sunday with the nationally televised 150-mile at the Phoenix International Raceway. The race is under the sanction of Championship Auto Racing Teams (CART). Unser will drive the Pennzoil Lola Chaparral, the same car that won the triple crown of racing in 1978.

Midland's Bobby Hillin, owner of the Longhorn Racing Team, will also be in the Phoenix race Sunday with his new Penske PC-6 racer, a Cosworth powered machine.

Famous already for pioneering the use of aerodynamic wings on race cars, introducing the first successful automatic transmission to racing and the plastic frame car, Hall once before shocked the racing world with a "ground effects" Chaparral, which was outlawed after only one season.

Designed for road racing, the Chaparral 2J featured skirts which scraped the pavement all around the car, preventing air from flowing underneath it, and two auxiliary motors in the rear powering a set of fans that literally sucked air from under the car to create a vacuum and press the wheels tightly against the pavement.

The effect was to give the car superior traction in the corners and enable its driver (former world champion Jackie Stewart for part of the 1971 season and England's Vic Elford for the rest of it) to turn faster and more

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Chaparrals opening regional action today

BIG SPRING—Western Texas College is favored to win the three-day Region V junior college basketball tournament that gets underway today at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum on the Howard College campus.

The Westerners, perennial Western Junior College Conference champions, breezed through WJCC play with a 16-2 record, losing only to Midland College and New Mexico Military Institute in road games.

Midland College faced Weatherford Junior College at 2 p.m. today to tip off a four-game first round schedule. Odessa and Cooke play at 4 p.m. while two games involving the tournaments top-seeded teams, WTC and McLennan, are scheduled for 7 and 9 p.m. tonight.

Midland finished in third place in the WJCC and Weatherford was third in the Northern Conference. MC is 2-1 in previous Region V appearances while Weatherford is 0-3.

WTC, which finished the season 28-3, has a 10-3 record in Regional play while OC is 10-21 in previous appearances.

Semifinals are scheduled for 7 and 9 p.m. Friday while Saturday night's championship final is scheduled for 8 p.m. with an all-star game composed of WJCC and Northern Conference players from teams not in the playoffs scheduled for 6 p.m.

In opening round action Wednesday, New Mexico Junior College dumped Ranger, 81-80 in overtime, to move the Thunderbirds into today's 7 p.m. contest against Western Texas. Rod Camp hit a five-foot turn-around jumper to eliminate Ranger. Camp and Clarence Watson led NMJC with 20 points each.

Hill County College downed New Mexico Military Institute, 80-75 in the other game and will face McLennan at 9 p.m. today in the second round of the tournament.

Tech must halt Woodson tonight

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer
LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — Texas Tech Coach Gerald Myers needs no scouting report on Indiana's Mike Woodson.

For a month last summer, Myers was Woodson's basketball coach. Woodson, a junior, was on the All-Star team that toured Russia, gaining experience for the 1980 Olympic Games.

Myers and Woodson meet again tonight on less friendly terms in a first round National Invitational Tournament game.

"Mike is tough," said Myers. "He was the best pure shooter we had on that team, one of the best I've ever seen. I should say I know a lot about him. I was with him for about a

month." Woodson, a 6-foot-5 forward, comes off the finest Big Ten game by an Indiana player in 15 years.

He scored 48 points in a victory over Illinois, hitting 13 of his first 16 shots. With 15 minutes left in the game, Woodson had outscored Illinois 37-36.

"It was as good an offensive game as I have seen," said Indiana Coach Bobby Knight.

Woodson will be going against a Southwest Conference team that prides itself on defense. Myers was being coy about how he planned to defend Woodson.

"You don't totally stop him," said Myers. The Red Raiders, who are 19-10 for the year, have a late-blooming offen-

sive star of their own in senior guard Geoff Huston.

And Huston, who is from Brooklyn, would like to get to New York for the NIT semifinals.

"It would be a great thrill to me personally to go back to New York and play," said Huston.

Huston scored 24 points as Tech defeated Texas A&M in overtime of the SWC Post-Season Classic before losing to Arkansas. Huston was on the All-Tourney team.

"They (the Hoosiers) look like Arkansas," said Myers. A sellout crowd of 10,000 was expected for the 7:30 p.m. CST tipoff. The winner advances to the second round against either Mississippi State or Alcorn State.

Rebels seek revenge in West Texas relays

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Sports Writer

ODESSA — More than 50 teams are entered here for the gigantic West Texas Relays at W. T. Barrett Stadium Friday and Saturday, but all eyes will be on the Midland Lee Rebels, who have made this meet a search for justice.

Ever since the Rebels were disqualified in the 1600 meter relay last week in Pecos to lose the team championship, Lee has set their sights on the West Texas Relays for a measure of revenge. And they are hoping that Permian track coach Waymond

Griggs, who disqualified the Rebels last week, will take special notice. Action on Friday will start at 12:15 p.m. with several field events finals. Running events start at 12:45 p.m. Saturday field event finals begin at 12:30 p.m. with all running finals beginning at 1 p.m. Tickets are \$2 for adults and \$1 for students.

"I guess we have put the pressure on ourselves," Lee track boss Sam Volpe said this week. "But we are gearing for a maximum performance from our kids. We would really like to win this one. We just can't go over there and lose this one bad. The pressure is on. The kids have been

working super hard this week." Odessa High, Permian, San Angelo, Big Spring, El Paso Austin, Del Rio, Lubbock High, Lubbock Monterey, El Paso Bowie, Hereford and Hobbs, N.M., will provide the competition for the Rebels. There will also be a AAA division with Andrews, Odessa Ector and Lamesa among a 10-team field, and a 13-team AA division with Stanton and Crane among the entries.

A 16-team girls division will round out the competition as both Midland High and Lee jump into battle. The Rebels may have put pressure on their own backs, but Lee should be geared for a big outing. Last week at

Pecos, the Rebels produced some of the fastest times of the year, and had the Lee coaches smiling from ear to ear before the disputed disqualification in the 1600 relay, an event they won, but got no points for.

Lee's 1600 relay squad has changed a bit for this week as junior Gary Butler has been inserted to replace Stewart Laufer on the first leg. Arthur Pertile, Phil Carleton and Dwight Washington, all returners from the state qualifying mile relay team of a year ago, will round out the foursome.

Lee also hopes to pick up big points from the 400 meter relay squad as

Carleton and Washington will be joined by Mark Landers and Jody Sessom. Sessom is slightly injured and Elmer Montgomery could replace him. Lee turned in a fast 43.2 in the 400 relay last week for a first place at Pecos.

The Rebels also hope to score big in the shot put where three Rebels are expected to pick up points. Senior Jeff McCowan, the Cactus Flower of football fame, is out to set the record in the shot put. He is shooting for over 63-feet. He has a throw of over 61-feet this year. Herb Pearce continues to

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Aggies will face run-and-gun UNM

ALBUQUERQUE (AP) — Playing New Mexico's run-and-gun Lobos can be quite a task in itself. But to have to battle them in their lair with 18,000 of their faithful screaming at you as Texas A&M will tonight makes it near impossible.

"We've got a good road record considering who we played and where," said Texas A&M Coach Shelby Metcalf whose 22-8 Aggies will face the 19-9 Lobos and their boisterous horde of followers in a National Invitation Tournament first-round struggle.

"But that doesn't offset what they've got here," he added. "Hell, they were 15-1 here this year, 16-1 last year. That's 31-2 in the last two years. I don't know of any team that could come in here and be favored. They could bring Washington (from the NBA) in here and they'd be dead."

METCALF STOOD on the sidelines watching his players work out at the University of New Mexico Arena Wednesday night and asked about as many questions of the local media as were asked him. And it seemed that more of his questions were about the crowd than about the Lobos. He wanted to know how wild the fans would be, would they be noisy, would they intimidate the officials...

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Midland hosts tennis annual prep tourney

The Midland Schools High School Invitational Tennis Tournament begins its annual two-day run at 8 a.m. Friday and if you want to see some of the action, chances are you can stop at any court in the Tall City and catch a match.

The huge 400-player field will be battling in elimination matches Friday at Midland High, Midland Lee, Midland College, the Paradise Tennis courts and some of the junior high courts to trim the field to Saturday's quarterfinal, semifinal and finals matches.

Ordinarily, Midland High, the defending champion, would be considered the favorite, but Coach Larry Burgin figures it's up for grabs with two of his top singles stars playing as independents.

"Vicki Vasicek and Jeff Bramlett will play as independents," informs the MHS coach. "According to the UIL rules, a player can participate in only eight tournaments. By playing as independents, Vicki and Jeff won't have to miss any school and it won't count as a tournament for them, freeing them to play in another tournament later."

"I would rather they played tennis. I'm not that concerned about winning another trophy."

Burgin and Midland Lee Tennis Coach Bobby Connell were still pouring over the pairings and seedings for the tournament as players began to arrive for practice rounds today.

Marveling at the second day of perfect playing conditions Wednesday, Burgin predicted, it would turn before the weekend.

"It's the West Texas Relays weekend and it's always windy," Burgin said in resignation to the fates. Some sports events are like that. They have a tradition of weather. The West Texas Swimming meet is noted for its rain.

Play gets underway at 8 a.m. Friday in junior high and high school divisions with competition slated in singles and doubles, boys and girls brackets. Semifinals and finals will conclude the meet Saturday.

saying his guards have been a problem area this year, he indicated he would be happy if they could just handle the press, play some defense and leave the rest to the skywalkers inside.

In contrast, the Lobos rely on a more balanced attack and almost every Lobo has had his day in the spotlight this season.

San Jacinto wins two track crowns

BIG SPRING — San Jacinto captured two team titles recently in the Big Spring Optimist Relays as the junior high track season started.

San Jacinto won the seventh grade title with 93 points and won the eighth grade title with 98 points. Goddard was second in the eighth grade competition with 74 points while Alamo did not score.

Alamo was third in the seventh grade competition with 60½ points and Goddard was sixth with 37 points.

In the ninth grade meet, Edison finished fourth with 52 points, and Austin was fifth with 48 points. San Angelo Lee won the ninth grade with 100 points.

But Metcalf said he thinks it's "super" the game will draw a standing room only crowd even if the fans will be firmly in the Lobos' corner.

"That's the way it's supposed to be," he said.

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Tourney

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kerton and centerfielder Andy Barron for Coach Bobby Moegle's crew. Moegle is starting his 20th year at Monterey and has a record of 542-137 over that period of time at the Hub City.

Coach David Hall of Turner has six lettermen back this year after a 23-7 season last year in which his Lions were in the same district as Duncanville. In fact, Turner finished second in the first half of the race and tied for first place in the second half with Duncanville.

"We are excited about coming to Midland to play in its tournament. It should be a good experience for us," said Hall.

Lettermen for the Lions include Peter Diffin, Keith Wood, Clinton Welch, Mike Ansley, Greg Hogue and Jay Bluthardt.

Tickets for the tourney are \$4 for all three sessions with trophies being awarded for first, second and third place along with individual trophies for the all-tourney team and the Jim Hankinson Most Valuable Player Award going to the top player in the tourney.

Umpires for the tourney will be Bobby Dunn, Don Deck, Mel Neese and Chuck Swallow.

West Texas Relays set

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improve and last week had a toss of 53-4½. McCowan is also expected to pick up points in the discus. His best throw is 167-6.

The long jump could be another big bonanza for the Rebs with Montgomery and Sessom. Both are around the 20-foot range right now.

Pertile also began to show form in the 800 meters with a second place 2:03.9 last week at Pecos and Butler had a sixth place with his best time of 2:06.71.

Laufer will hold the hopes of the Rebel hurdlers. He just missed winning the 300 meter intermediates last week when he finished third with a fine 40.35, but he missed the last hurdle badly and lost to two Odessa High runners. That could be one of the best matchups of the day. Laufer could produce more points in the 110 meter hurdles.

Washington is an important key for the Rebs. His 21.99 in the 200 meters last week was a personal best, and is among the leaders in the state. He will also anchor both relay teams. If Lee wins those three races Washington is in, the Rebs would have 50 points. Sophomore Landers placed fifth last week in the 200 with a 23.02 and improves weekly.

Landers and Montgomery both were disqualified in the 100 meters at

Pecos with starts before the gun, but one or both should pick up points here this week.

The Rebels will depend on Steve Hooper in the 1600 run. He had a 4:29.45 last week, and that is a good time for this early in the year.

The Midland High girls should be competitive in the meet this year. Donna Repman won the 1600 run at Pecos with a 5:46.48 and the 1600 relay team of Jana Trolinder, Nan White, Susan Shoemaker and Margaret Christian was first at Pecos with a 4:20.41. That was the first time the team had run together, and they should only improve.

Christian also had a second in the

long jump with a 15-8. Karen Mays is another plus for the Bulldog girls. She placed second in the triple jump with a 31-5 and was third in the 200 with a 27.37. The Bulldogs should pick up more points in the 800 with Renee Ramsey and Eleanor Scott. Ramsey was second last week with a 2:39.87 while Scott picked up a fifth with a 2:47.74. Shoemaker may be able to pick up points in the hurdles also. She was running well at Pecos before falling.

The Lee girls will be paced by Lori Breeding, who had a second place last week in the 80 meter hurdles with an 11.96. Kerri Shaw had a fifth in the discus with a toss of 86-6.

WEST TEXAS OUTDOORS

Florida bass guides refuse to take clients

By **JON CHASE**

A group of Florida bass guides have recently organized and refused to take clients during the spawning season.

The guides, who are taking part in this moratorium on spawning bed fishing, are said to be the best in the business. What makes their action so noteworthy is the fact that they are refusing to fish when the chance to catch a trophy bass is at its highest.

These guides are taking money out of their own pockets because they believe that fishing the spawning beds is detrimental to the future of trophy bass fishing in Florida.

This particular group of fishermen have made a study of the effects of fishing on spawning beds and have arrived at the conclusion that the huge egg loss that results from killing a trophy female bass is detrimental to the future of bass fishing in any given area.

The fact that guides would sacrifice immediate income for a better future makes me wonder about the advisability of fishing during the spawning season.

I have always looked forward to the spring bass fishing because it is by far the easiest time of the year to catch a trophy fish. This is when the big sow bass are on the spawning beds and the beginner has almost as good a chance as the pro to catch fish.

The moment that has always given me a slight twinge of guilt thought, however, is when I look at a couple of golden egg sacks laying by a freshly cleaned female bass. I have seen up to 1½ pounds of eggs in a big sow bass, and whenever I see these eggs, I think of the hundreds of thousands of bass fry that will never be. This twinge of guilt has never bothered me enough to refrain from fishing during the spawn, but I always wonder if maybe something is not quite right.

In defense of spring fishing, the Parks and Wildlife and the Texas Game and Fish Commission have not been able to confirm that fishing the spawning beds has any negative effect on future bass populations. They are not, however, certain that such fishing doesn't hurt the bass population to a great extent.

I am not advocating a closed season during the spawning period, but I do think that certain bodies of water should be closed during the weeks of peak spawning activity so that a definitive study could be made to determine the true effects of depleting the brood bass stock.

Until someone tells me that I can't fish during the spring spawn, I will have at it with the best of them, but I would sure like to know if it is harmful or not. Those guys in Florida must know something, and I would hate to think that the big bass I catch this spring are going to mean fewer bass for all of us a few years from now.

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Hawks capture eighth straight

By **The Associated Press**

It was the same old story for the Atlanta Hawks: another victory, their eighth in a row; another home triumph, their 10th in a row.

And it was the same old thing for the Kansas City Kings: another loss, in overtime. "We've lost five straight," moaned Kings Coach Cotton Fitzsimmons, "and in the last four, we lost by one point on a last-second shot and three straight in overtime."

That's the way it went Wednesday night. The Hawks tied the game at 111 on John Drew's 24-foot jump shot at the buzzer, then got six points from Drew in overtime for a 122-120 triumph over Kansas City.

In the other National Basketball Association games Wednesday night, Philadelphia bested Boston 114-107, Seattle topped Detroit 99-93, Indiana trimmed Washington 109-105, Milwaukee bombed New Jersey 133-98, Portland edged New Orleans 103-102, San Diego downed Houston 138-115, and Cleveland nipped Golden State 103-101.

76ers 114, Celtics 107
Philadelphia got a season-high 33 points from Bobby Jones, offsetting 33 by Boston's Chris Ford and carrying the 76ers past the Celtics.

Boston, trailing by 20 points with 3:31 left in the second period, pulled within 87-85 with 8:43 remaining. But Philadelphia ran off the next 11 points to snap a five-game losing streak.

SuperSonics 99, Pistons 93
Seattle pulled away in the final 52 seconds to beat Detroit and win for only the second time in their last 10 road games. The game was tied with 1:06 to play, but Fred Brown made a basket and two free throws, then Gus Williams added a field goal to pull the second-place SuperSonics within one-half game of Pacific Division-leading Los Angeles.

Brown finished with 27 points. Leon Douglas had 21 for the Pistons.

Pacers 109, Bullets 105
Elvin Hayes scored 34 points to pace a Washington comeback, but Indiana got 20 points each from Johnny Davis and Alex English to pull out the victory.

"I don't know if they played bad or we played good," said Pacers Coach Bobby Leonard.

Bucks 133, Nets 98
Milwaukee made 15 steals to just five by New Jersey, made 55.1 percent of its field goal attempts to 38.1 percent by the Nets, and got a career-high 27 points from Kent Benson to earn Coach Don Nelson's 100th career victory.

The Bucks led 40-17 after the first quarter and never looked back, keeping alive flickering playoff hopes. Any combination of nine San Diego victories and Milwaukee losses would eliminate the Bucks from a chance at postseason play.

Midland's Hall

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safely than anyone had up to that time.

Competitors' complaints about the fans eventually led to rules interpretations that eliminated the car from SCCA Can-Am competition.

More recently, the use of ground effects in race car technology showed up last season in Formula 1 racing. Hall said his car will make use of concepts proven in other forms of racing, but which are totally new to Indianapolis-type racing.

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Soaking in hot spring saves cross-country skier

ASPEN, Colo. (AP) — Survival books say to stay put if you get lost in the mountains. Robert Rayer could add his own footnote: find a hot spring, strip off and dive in.

Rayer, a San Diego radiologist, spent three days soaking naked in a pool after a skiing mishap left him with no food and sodden clothing. He was treated for minor frostbite at a local hospital and released Tuesday.

Rayer said he was dumped into a creek when a snowbank collapsed be-

neath him as he was cross-country skiing in the mountains south of Aspen last Friday.

After climbing out, Rayer sized up his chances: he was 11,000 feet up in the mountains with no food or survival gear, off the marked trail and soaked to the skin.

Luckily, he was familiar with the area. He remembered a hot spring about three miles away and headed that way.

When he arrived at the spring Fri-

day evening, Rayer said he stripped and crawled into a pool about 8 feet-by-10 feet.

"I wasn't worried about drowning," he said. "When I drifted off to sleep my head would go under and I'd wake up right away. It was more annoying than frightening."

Night fell, and so did the temperature — to around zero, he guessed. But the temperature in the hot spring was between 98 and 103 degrees.

It was Sunday before he heard the

roar of the search plane circling overhead.

Wearing only a weary grin and a shirt he'd put on for protection from sunburn, Rayer clambered out and waved frantically. The plane circled twice and left. A rescue helicopter appeared a short while later and dropped a backpack containing food and clothing.

"I was feeling OK and assumed they were coming back until I noticed the red thing in the snow the next day

and found the note," said Rayer.

In his haste to retrieve the pack and get back in the water, Rayer said he apparently knocked loose a flare that had a note tied to it.

The note said that if he was Robert Rayer he should light the flare, and if he needed medical assistance he should make an X in the snow.

"I was mortified," said Rayer. "I figured they'd stopped looking for me because I didn't do any of those things. They probably thought I was a

camper up there having a good time. I sat around cursing myself for a while."

The backpack contained wind pants, a sweater, gloves and a hat. By Monday, his shoes had almost dried out. Rayer decided to abandon the hot pool and ski out.

"I found two skiers a couple of miles down and they gave me some chocolate," he said. "I followed their trail down to their tent and rested, and then skied to the trail head."

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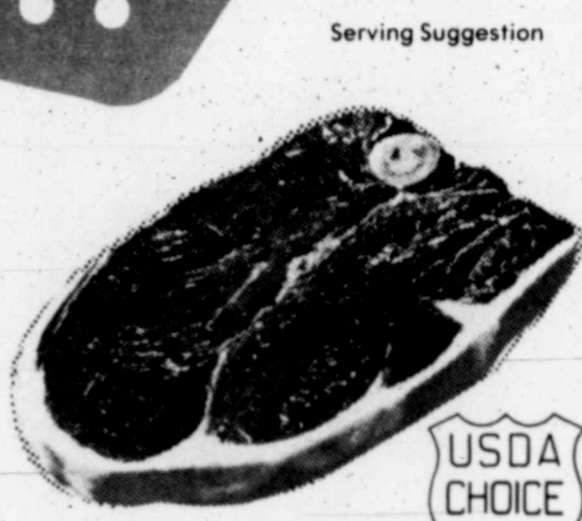
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'Work hard,' advises oldest VISTA volunteer

FORT GIBSON, Okla. (AP) — The country's oldest VISTA volunteer says the one thing that can lead to a long, healthy life is "a hard day's work."

"I go to bed around 6 so I can get up about 4 o'clock," says Lewis Leach, 83. "I used to go to bed at 10 o'clock and get up at 4 o'clock. I mean, I worked all day."

"There wasn't any grass growing under my feet in those days," says Leach, a former town marshal, constable and city judge in this northeastern Oklahoma town.

Now for Leach, work means a variety of things: performing VISTA, or Volunteers in Service to America,

duties with children; working his fields as a farmer, or just mingling in downtown Fort Gibson, inspiring his fellow senior citizens.

He entered VISTA work two years ago and was assigned to the Eastern Oklahoma Human Development Corp., a service organization that helps the elderly in a six-county region.

Leach's reason for joining VISTA is simple: "I just wanted to help my fellow man. VISTA is a great program because it benefits many elderly in our state."

VISTA officials says Leach is senior among about 4,000 workers, whose average age is 30, across the nation.

Leach says that by serving as a VISTA volunteer, he helps bridge the generation gap by working with children, teaching them about farming and other aspects of agriculture.

"I enjoy teaching younger kids," he says. "We're in bad need for agriculture teaching. The younger generation doesn't know anything about it — especially people in town don't know anything about it."

"I like to take them to the field and show them how to grow and cultivate and harvest."

"For one thing, they are forgetting it fast, fast, fast, and the farmers of America are quitting day by day. We're going to need them and need

them bad. That's one reason why it's so ridiculously high today."

Leach says he feels satisfied about his long life.

"I was born and raised on a farm, and I've loved it," he says. "There are a lot of other things I could have done and made a lot more money, but it was not what I wanted. The money was not what I was after — it was the pleasure."

As for his work with the Human Development Corp. he says, "We've been building ever since we got started and getting stronger. The way I look at it is, together we stand, divided we'll fall."

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\$ 250	100	100	200	\$ 50,000	1 in 57,600	1 in 4,430	1 in 2,215
\$ 100	800	400	1,200	\$ 120,000	1 in 14,400	1 in 1,111	1 in 555
\$ 50	3,000	1,000	4,000	\$ 200,000	1 in 3,600	1 in 279	1 in 147
\$ 25	8,000	8,000	16,000	\$ 400,000	1 in 1,440	1 in 110	1 in 55
\$ 10	16,000	16,000	32,000	\$ 320,000	1 in 720	1 in 55	1 in 28
\$ 5	32,000	32,000	64,000	\$ 320,000	1 in 360	1 in 28	1 in 14
Totals	87,655	654	88,309	\$2,225,000	1 in 130	1 in 10	1 in 5

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Prize Value	Instant Game	Collect Game	Total Prizes	Total \$ Value	Odds 1 Visit	Odds 13 Visits	Odds 26 Visits
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\$ 500.00	86	102	188	\$188,000	1 in 29,177	1 in 2,244	1 in 1,122
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MCCA offers repeat performers



Famed duo-pianists Whittemore and Lowe will be playing a return engagement in the city when they perform next season for members of Midland Community Concerts Association. The pianists are one of five attractions booked to entertain MCCA members in the 1979-80 season.

Midland Community Concerts Association believes some entertainment attractions become even better as time goes on.

The organization, now in the midst of an annual campaign to sign up members for the 1979-80 season beginning next fall, will offer several entertainment events that have pleased its members in previous seasons.

The colorful and talented Bayanihan Dance Company of the Philippines, which performed in the city

ing the 1979-80 season are gifted young vocalist Stephanie Chase, and a musical extravaganza, known as "The Big Band Festival of the Fabulous Forties," featuring the Gene Krupa Orchestra and singers Helen Forrest, Andy Russell and The Pied Pipers.

Membership dues in Midland Community Concerts Association are \$14 for adults, \$7 for students. The membership roles will close at the end of the current membership drive Saturday afternoon and persons presently residing in the city and surrounding will not have another opportunity to join the association until next year.

No single tickets for individual concert attractions are sold, it was emphasized.

In addition to the five outstanding attractions scheduled here next season, members of Midland Community Concerts Association may attend without any extra charge, the entertainment events presented by concert organizations of Hobbs and Roswell, N.M., as well as Big Spring, Odessa and Lubbock.

The Lubbock concert organization, which has a reciprocal attendance agreement with the Midland association, is announcing the four attractions which it will present next season.

The Lubbock events include the famous Glinka Chorus of Leningrad, which will be on its first U.S. tour; the New York Harp Ensemble, conducted by Aristide Von Wurtzler, an ensemble of four talented harpists; world-famous pianist Leonard Pennario, and noted young mezzo-soprano Beverly Wolf.

Midland Community Concerts Association membership campaign headquarters are in Mid-Tex of Midland, corner of West Michigan avenue and Andrews Highway. Persons interested in joining the

ENTERTAINMENT

In 1961, is being brought back for a second engagement here. And famed duo-pianists Whittemore and Lowe, the most acclaimed two-piano team in America, first played in the city about 15 years ago and will be delighting Community Concerts Association members again next season.

And, not least, the popular and highly-regarded Texas Opera Theatre, an energetic and gifted young operatic ensemble which tours under sponsorship of the Houston Grand Opera, will come to the city for the third time in the spring of 1980, to perform Rossini's great comic opera, "The Barber of Seville."

Texas Opera Theatre made many fans in Midland when the ensemble gave a performance of Mozart's "The Marriage of Figaro" for Community Concerts members in January, 1977. Then, next week, TOT will return to entertain MCCA members and guests with a presentation of Mozart's delightful "Così Fan Tutte."

Also scheduled to entertain MCCA members dur-

American Continental Circus to perform at Chap Center

Midland College's commodious new Chaparral Center has been the scene of numerous musical programs, variety shows and sports events since its opening last September, but it hasn't yet been the scene for a circus.

That will change soon, though, when the American Continental Circus brings its three rings of engrossing entertainment to the sparkling, modern new structure.

The American Continental Circus, a popular annual late winter event in the city, will present two performances in Chaparral Center — at 1 and 5 p.m. on Sunday, March 18. The circus' Midland engagement is sponsored by the Fraternal Order of Eagles here.

Among the many, many attractions offered by the circus this season are Drake's African Ensemble, a team of trained elephants; "People Poodles," a troupe of colorfully-costumed canines; the lovely Faramia Duo, composed of two gorgeous young ladies performing perilous maneuvers on a high, high double trapeze; The Flying Willistons, a family from South America that astounds viewers with

difficult and dangerous somersaults high in the air; the Wilson Duo, breath-taking acrobyclists; the Walters from Belgium, whose balancing acts astound audiences; the Guerreros, famous performing family from Colombia, featuring a dazzling display of derring-do on the shivering strand of steel.

And, not least, are the clowns without which no circus is complete. The American Continental Circus presents the zany antics of such fabulous funnymen as Spiff the Clown, Worried Willie and the hilarious Neeko and Zapata.

Tickets for the pair of performances will be on sale at the Chaparral Center box office before each show.

Luretta Riek featured with Baylor Orchestra

WACO — Luretta Bybee Riek, a resident of Midland, will be one of the featured vocalists with the Baylor University Symphony Orchestra and Chorus in a concert tonight in Waco Hall on the Baylor campus. Program time will be 8:15 p.m.

Mrs. Riek, who this year has been serving as an instructor in the music department at Midland College, is a graduate of the Baylor University School of Music. She is an alto. Other soloists will be soprano Nancy Olson, tenor Donald Bennett and bass David Ford.

'Evening with Thoreau' to be presented tonight

"Clear Sky, Pure Light: An Evening With Henry David Thoreau," will be presented at 7:30 p.m. today in Theatre Midland.

The program by young New England actor-writer Christopher Childs will be in Theatre Two, the smaller, more intimate performing area inside Midland Community Theatre's new home at 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

Tickets for the presentation are priced \$4 and may be purchased at the box office up to show time. Seating is limited and there are no reserved

seats. Special group rates are available for student groups, it was announced.

Thoreau, America's famous 19th Century naturalist and philosopher, "comes to life" through actor Christopher Childs and speaks out memorably on nature, society, slavery and life itself. Childs' program utilizes the forceful prose of America's "different drummer."

Childs currently is on a performing tour to colleges and universities in many parts of the U.S.

'Houston Festival' to feature world of entertainment, arts

HOUSTON — An array of the finest entertainment and some of the finest artists and craftspeople in the Southwest will combine to provide everything from progressive country music to grand opera, from square dance to ballet, from wood carving to abstract art, in a massive cultural celebration titled "The Houston Festival: Main Street Plus," scheduled here March 16 through 25.

With events covering the entire spectrum of entertainment and arts, "The Houston Festival: Main Street

Cellist featured in Odessa concert

ODESSA — Acclaimed cellist Laszlo Varga will be the featured performer tonight at the fourth and final entertainment event of Odessa Civic Concert Association's current season.

Varga makes his home on the West Coast but concertizes widely in the U.S. and Canada, as well as in Central and South America and in Europe.

Admission to the 8 p.m. program in the auditorium of Bonham Junior High School will be by season membership car only, with no single tickets sold at the doors.

Members of Midland Community Concerts Association may attend the event at no charge under a reciprocal attendance arrangement between the concert associations of the two cities.

Plus" will provide a focus for the growth of the arts in Houston.

Special booths will be staffed to provide festival information in five languages.

Under the combined sponsorship of the Houston Chamber of Commerce, the Greater Houston Convention and Visitors Council, the City of Houston and the Houston Cultural Arts Council, the festival will offer activities and special attractions for every taste, every age.

Central downtown streets will be lined with art displays, craft demonstrations, entertainers and international food and drink concessions on the weekends of March 17 and 18, and 24 and 25. Five main outdoor stages in the central area will provide a wide variety of entertainment such as blues and jazz concerts, folk music programs, and contemporary, classical and Latin American musical events.

Houston businesspeople and visitors will be treated to weekday noontime performances by various dance, dramatic and musical groups in the downtown office plazas. Then, the festival will be in high gear in the evenings with such major entertainment events as Houston Grand Opera's production of Verdi's acclaimed "La Traviata," the famed Alley Theater's production of the acclaimed "Don Juan in Hell," and the new-from-Broadway production of a rollicking, light-hearted Texas musical, "The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas."

Sara Waters to present ceramics demonstration

Sara Waters, a member of the art faculty at Texas Tech University, Lubbock, will present a lecture-demonstration on ceramics Sunday afternoon for members of Midland Arts Association and guests.

The 2:30 p.m. event will be in the ceramics studio in the Fine Arts Building of Midland College. All interested persons in the city and surrounding area have an invitation to attend.

Miss Waters is an assistant professor of art at TTU, where she teaches courses in ceramics, 3-D concepts and drawing. She holds a bachelor of fine arts degree from Spalding College in Kentucky and a master's degree from Indiana University. She taught at Indiana University for a year before joining the Tech art faculty in 1977. She has conducted ceramics workshops, primarily in Raku technique, in Indiana, Kentucky and Texas.

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Third-grade art students from the Trinity School of Midland, joined by teacher Nancy Smith, visit the annual Student Art Festival currently under way at the Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. Works by elementary students in the city's public and private schools will be on view through next week, after which artworks by secondary school students will go on display. The festival is open to the public free of charge weekdays and Sunday afternoons. (Staff Photo)

NBC 'Novels' allow viewers to read by watching TV

By PETER J. BOYER

LOS ANGELES (AP) — There is at least one happy consequence of NBC's entrenchment in third place — the network is occasionally willing to try a novel idea.

Like "From Here to Eternity," "Studs Lonigan," "Brave New World" and "Shogun," popular classics on which NBC has based a series called "Novels for Television."

"What we're hoping to do is get people to do what they used to do — read a book," says Deanne Barkley, vice president in charge of miniseries and movies-for-TV. "Only we're letting them read a book by watching television."

Now that sounds typically television, anti-intellectual and all that. But, consider — television is going to do a bunch of miniseries and TV

movies anyway, it might as well be stuff based on quality material.

And, curiously, some of these classics seem perfectly suited for TV, such as the "Novels for Television" opener, James Jones' "From Here to Eternity." Had there been no James Jones, had a TV hack written the thing for a Wednesday Night Movie, it would have been called trashy TV — lots of sex, brutality and a brewing war.

Then there's Aldous Huxley's "Brave New World," a project Hollywood hasn't been eager to tackle. If you remember sophomore Literature, you'll recall this as a metaphorical satire on the loss of self, or something like that, heavy with deep meaning. How do you get folks to watch something like that?

Leontyne Price leads cast of Saturday afternoon opera

NEW YORK — Operatic superstar Leontyne Price heads the cast of "Ariadne auf Naxos," scheduled for presentation Saturday afternoon over the Texaco-Metropolitan Opera Radio Network.

Joining the acclaimed American soprano in singing pivotal roles in the two-act opera by Richard Strauss will be soprano Edita Gruberova as Zerbinetta, mezzo-soprano Tatiana Troyanov as the Composer, tenor Rene Kollo as the Tenor and Bacchus, and baritone Allan Monk as the Music Master.

James Levine will be on the podium

to conduct the performance. "Ariadne auf Naxos," broadcast live from the stage of the Metropolitan Opera House in New York City's Lincoln Center, will begin at 1 p.m. Central Time. Off-air time will be approximately 4:05 p.m. CT.

As a special pre-curtain feature Saturday afternoon, diva Leontyne Price will be interviewed by Richard Mohr. During the single intermission of the opera, one of Texaco's popular "Opera Quiz" features will be presented. Facing quizmaster Edward Downes will be John Coveney, Gerald Fitzgerald, William Livingstone and Terrence McNally.

Notes from 'Duke' helped Walters' career

By TOM JORY

NEW YORK (AP) — For Barbara Walters, the unexpected note from one of America's true heroes could hardly have come at a better time.

"There was so much criticism of me then, I had just come to work here," Miss Walters recalled the other day, "and I'd never met John Wayne."

"He wrote, in effect, 'Hang in there,' and I was very touched by that."

The well-chronicled storm that surrounded Barbara Walters' decision to leave NBC's "Today" program for a \$1 million-a-year job with ABC News would rage, then subside, before she would hear from the actor a second time.

"It was just after Guyana," she said, "when I got another letter from him. He asked, 'How can people believe that 900 people can be brainwashed, but they can't understand how one girl can be kidnapped and told what to do?'"

"I saw Patty Hearst a while later, and told her what Wayne had said. She told me, 'I felt as if the cavalry were coming!'"

Miss Walters' brief communication with Wayne led, eventually, to a rare interview with the 71-year-old actor. The conversation is the focus of another "Barbara Walters Special," to be broadcast by ABC the evening of March 13 at 10 EST.

The nightmarish two years between Wayne's first note and his second left Barbara Walters drained, a different

woman personally and professionally.

The highs — interviews with Fidel Castro, Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter, Betty Ford, and the joint conversation with Anwar Sadat and Menachem Begin — were overshadowed by the furor that accompanied her celebrated move to ABC after 12 years at NBC.

Co-workers, people she considered friends, became in that time detractors.

"I felt like I had a terminal disease," she remembered, "like Nixon must have felt when he said, 'What did I do wrong?'"

"And the awful publicity, it took away from everything I did."

"I think I had agents, very well-meaning people, who asked for everything, and in the end, there was only one body to do it all."

"I have two years left on my contract, and I'm not sure what I'll do when the time comes," said Miss Walters, who is in her mid-40s. "I will never work this hard again."

"I just feel that I want to cut down, in great part because my daughter is 10 years old and I don't spend enough time with her, but also because I've worked hard all my life, and I want to slow down."

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Fort Worth museum sets one-man shows

FORT WORTH — The Fort Worth Art Museum, a museum of 20th Century art, has planned a three-part exhibition this spring, featuring one-man shows by a trio of noted Texas artists.

The participating artists are Sam Gummelt, the current exhibitor whose solo show continues through April 1; Jack Caspary, to be represented in a show opening April 3 and continuing through May 6, and Nicholas Wood, whose work is to be on exhibit May 8 through June 10.

The exhibition series, titled "Focus," will provide in-depth examination of the work of these three outstanding artists who are considered among the finest in the state.

Gummelt is a painter who carries forward the abstract expressionist tradition, with large canvases of muted colors; Caspary is a photographer who works with the Polaroid Sx-70 color camera, and Wood works in terra cotta clay to create large abstract pieces of enormous sculptural presence.

The Focus series demonstrates the Fort Worth Art Museum's commitment to artists in this area and continues the tradition of "Project South-Southwest" begun in 1970 under the auspices of Henry Hopkins, former director of the museum.

Curator Marge Goldwater, who organized the three-part "Focus" exhibition, feels that the format for the shows, providing each artist more extensive representation of his new work, offers the public a fine opportunity to view some of the most outstanding art currently being produced in the state at a time when these three artists are beginning to gain national recognition for their achievements.

The Fort Worth Art Museum is open to the public weekdays and Sunday afternoons.

BRIDGE

Cut down guesswork by sound reasoning

By ALFRED SHEINWOLD
You can drive your partner off his trolley if you play the cards by guess and golly. Not deathless poetry, but a good thing to chant at an erring partner.

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♦ Q 10 9
♣ A Q 10

North East South West
1 NT Pass 3♦ Pass
4♣ All Pass

Opening lead — ♠ 6

East took two hearts, and West dropped the three on the second round. South won the club switch,

drew trumps and gave up a diamond. What went wrong with the defense? It was obvious that East would have to guess what to lead at the third trick. West must guide his partner.

West can signal for a high suit with a high heart, and for a low suit with a low heart. West should therefore play the jack of hearts at the second trick to ask for a switch to diamonds.

USEFUL RUFF

West would take his ace and lead a third heart. East's ruff with the six of spades would drive out the ten.

If South then leads the queen of spades, West plays the king and gets a trick with the nine. Otherwise West gets the setting trick with the king of spades.

DAILY QUESTION

Partner opens with one notrump (16 to 18 points), and the next player passes. You hold: S-K98; H-J97632; D-A6; C-94. What do you say?

ANSWER: Bid four hearts. Your eight points in high cards and excellent distribution should provide a decent play for game opposite a notrump opening bid.

Dancers invited to MCT audition

Dancers in the city and surrounding area are being invited to audition for places in Midland Community Theatre's dance company.

Cherry Jones will provide necessary steps and combinations for the tryouts.

Additional information on the Sunday afternoon auditions may be obtained from the Theatre Midland office, 682-2544.

The ensemble, known as the Theatre Midland Dancers, was organized last fall and staged its first dance concert in November. A spring dance concert is scheduled for early May.

The tryouts for places in the ensemble will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Taubman Dance Room at Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

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V U C E R

R A H N E G



I told the girl at the checkout counter, "Thirty-five dollars worth of groceries, and you put it in that little bag?" She said, "You want me to put it in a ----- bag?"

4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing word you develop from step No. 3 below.

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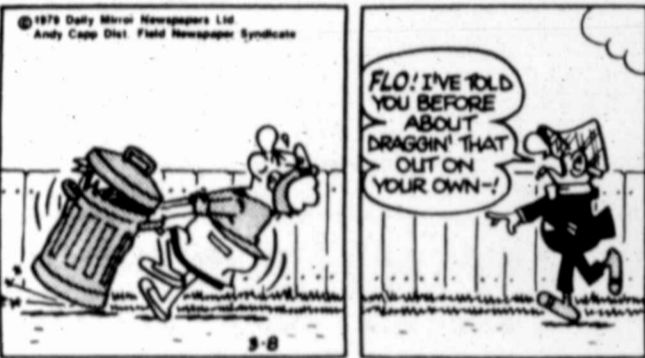
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THE BETTER HALF



"Fine breakfast, Dear. My compliments to the hen and the pig."

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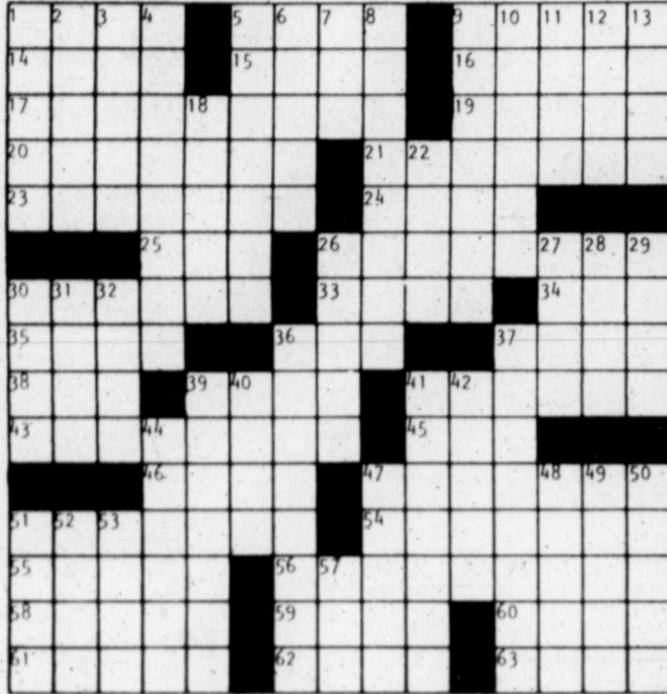


DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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- ACROSS**
- 1 Score
 - 5 Fish dish
 - 9 Gleamed
 - 14 On the sheltered side
 - 15 Asian sea
 - 16 Estate, in India
 - 17 Zaire residents
 - 19 Raffle
 - 20 Shakespearean queen
 - 21 Water bottles
 - 23 Underwrote
 - 24 Twofold
 - 25 Lake, as in place names
 - 26 Looted
 - 30 "The Sleeping Beauty," for example
 - 33 The Adagio, highlight of 30 Across
 - 34 Samuel's teacher
 - 35 Cap (from head to foot)
 - 36 Weight unit
 - 37 Canvas
 - 38 Point
 - 39 Convertibles
 - 41 Without a sense of ethics
 - 43 The end of summer
- DOWN**
- 1 Prickly pears
 - 2 Pharmaceutical obtained from the aloe
 - 3 Lets
 - 4 Paris airport
 - 5 Conspicuous
 - 6 Nymph
 - 7 Spanish article
 - 8 Voting time
 - 9 Useless
 - 10 Port of Cuba
 - 11 Norwegian saint
 - 12 Devoid of covering
 - 13 Supplements (with "out")
 - 18 Ham
 - 22 Piercing tools
 - 26 Tedious
 - 27 Clothes, mod style
 - 28 Well-known nom de plume
 - 29 Pickle of a sort
 - 30 Ancient Semitic deity
 - 31 City of Samoa
 - 32 Bough
 - 36 Send
 - 37 Piece of music as by Ravel
 - 39 Intersected
 - 40 "Giselle" composer
 - 41 A liar
 - 42 Napoleon's cavalry leader
 - 44 Bird
 - 47 Results of some summit meetings
 - 48 Baker's
 - 49 City SE of Buffalo
 - 50 Maiden in "The Flying Dutchman"
 - 51 Sounds of sorrow
 - 52 Wife of Elmer Gantry
 - 53 Relative of Mynheer
 - 57 Sea food

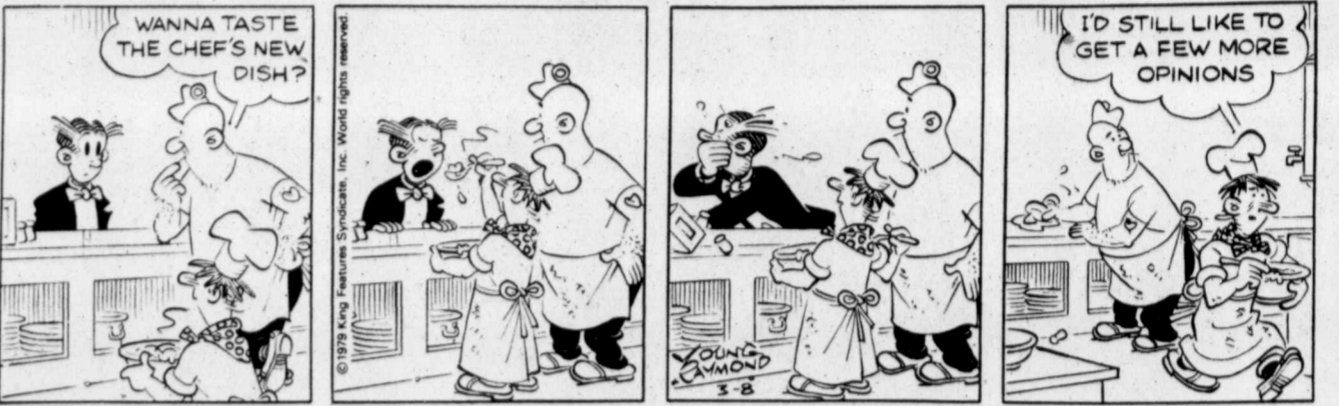


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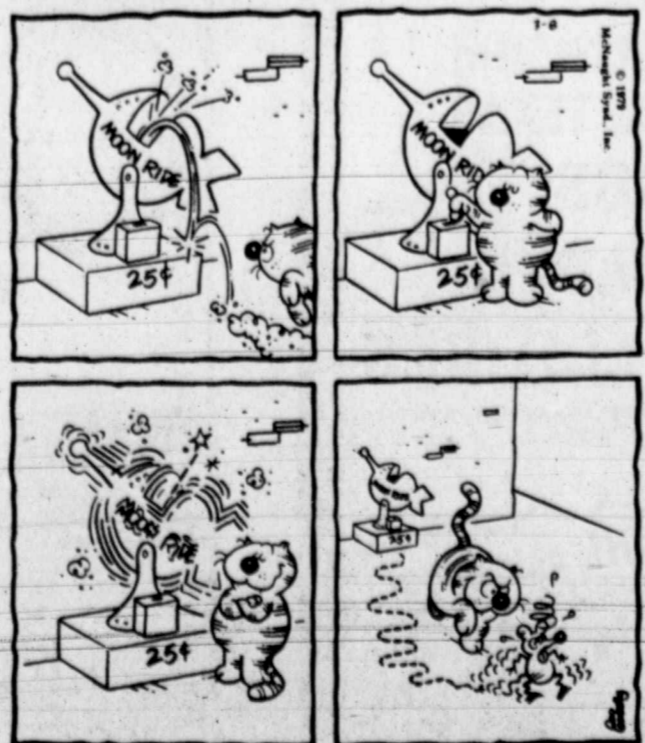


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ERA's foes claim time's up

WASHINGTON (AP) — The original time limit for ratifying the proposed Equal Rights Amendment expires two weeks from today and opponents argue that the ERA will expire with it in at least 30 states.

"My argument is that they (the 30 states) relied on the time limit as one of the terms on which they ratified," says Professor Jules Gerard of Washington University Law School in St. Louis. He maintains that a deadline extension voted by Congress "invalidates the ratification" votes in the 30 states.

That argument, which is rejected by the Justice Department and women's rights organizations, is being pressed in state legislatures and is expected to be argued in at least one court.

Ellen Malcolm, press officer for the National Women's Political Caucus, said the caucus was not worried about the outcome since "the Supreme Court has ruled that Congress has the authority to settle such disputes."

The ERA, which would prohibit discrimination based on sex, has been ratified by 35 state legislatures, although those of Idaho, Kentucky, Nebraska and Tennessee subsequently voted to withdraw their approval.

North Dakota's ratification of the ERA was upheld Wednesday by the state House of Representatives, which voted 53-46 against a resolution to rescind the state's 1975 approval.

Files of the Federal Register show that all but five of the 35 legislatures which originally voted for the proposed amendment specified in one way or another that the measure would become part of the Constitution if ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the states by March 22, 1979.

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Sunlight filtering through the seats at Midland Cub Stadium makes for an interesting combination of lines and light. Cub Stadium is located in north Midland and is the farm team home of the Chicago Cubs.

Witnesses can't identify woman as slayer of polygamist Allred

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Two prosecution witnesses have been unable to identify Rena Chynoweth as one of those who killed polygamist leader Rulon Allred nearly two years ago.

However, one of the witnesses, Melba Allred, told the court Wednesday: "I'm not saying she wasn't" one of those who allegedly shot Allred to death in his suburban Salt Lake City office on May 10, 1977.

Allred, 71 and the father of 40, led an unnamed group who considered themselves Mormons. Most of them have been excommunicated from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints for practicing polygamy.

Ms. Chynoweth, 20, her brother Mark, 26, and Edward Marston, 23, have been charged with second-degree murder and conspiracy in Allred's death. Victor Chynoweth, 31, another brother, has been charged with one count of conspiracy in Allred's death.

Mrs. Allred, the victim's receptionist, and Richard Bunker, who was in Allred's office at the time of the shooting, were the first prosecution witnesses called in the trial.

Mrs. Allred, who declined to reveal her relationship to Allred on grounds that it could incriminate her, also testified that at preliminary hearings and during a police lineup, she was unable to identify Ms. Chynoweth as one of the killers.

Bunker told the court he struggled with two women at Allred's office, and that one had pointed a gun at his face, but did not fire. He also said he could not point out the women at a lineup or at earlier hearings.

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In submitting ERA to the states in 1972, Congress said it would "be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the Constitution of the United States when ratified by three-fourths of the several states within seven weeks from today and opponents argue that the ERA will expire with it in at least 30 states."

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Well, he didn't cut off his ear

AMSTERDAM, Netherlands (AP) — The Amsterdam artist who slashed a van Gogh self portrait 11 months ago tried to deface the Dutch master's "Potato Eaters" Wednesday but did only superficial damage.

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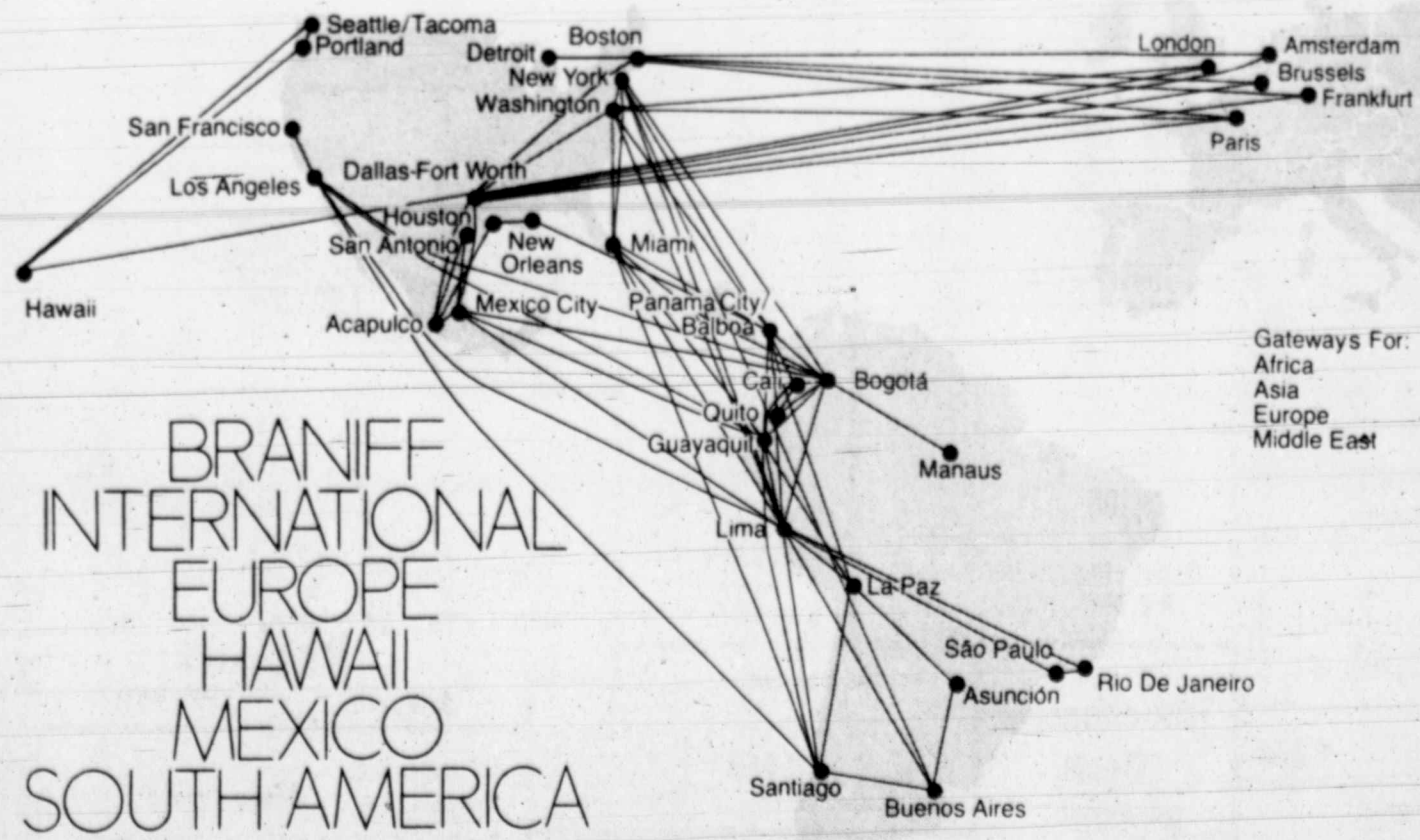
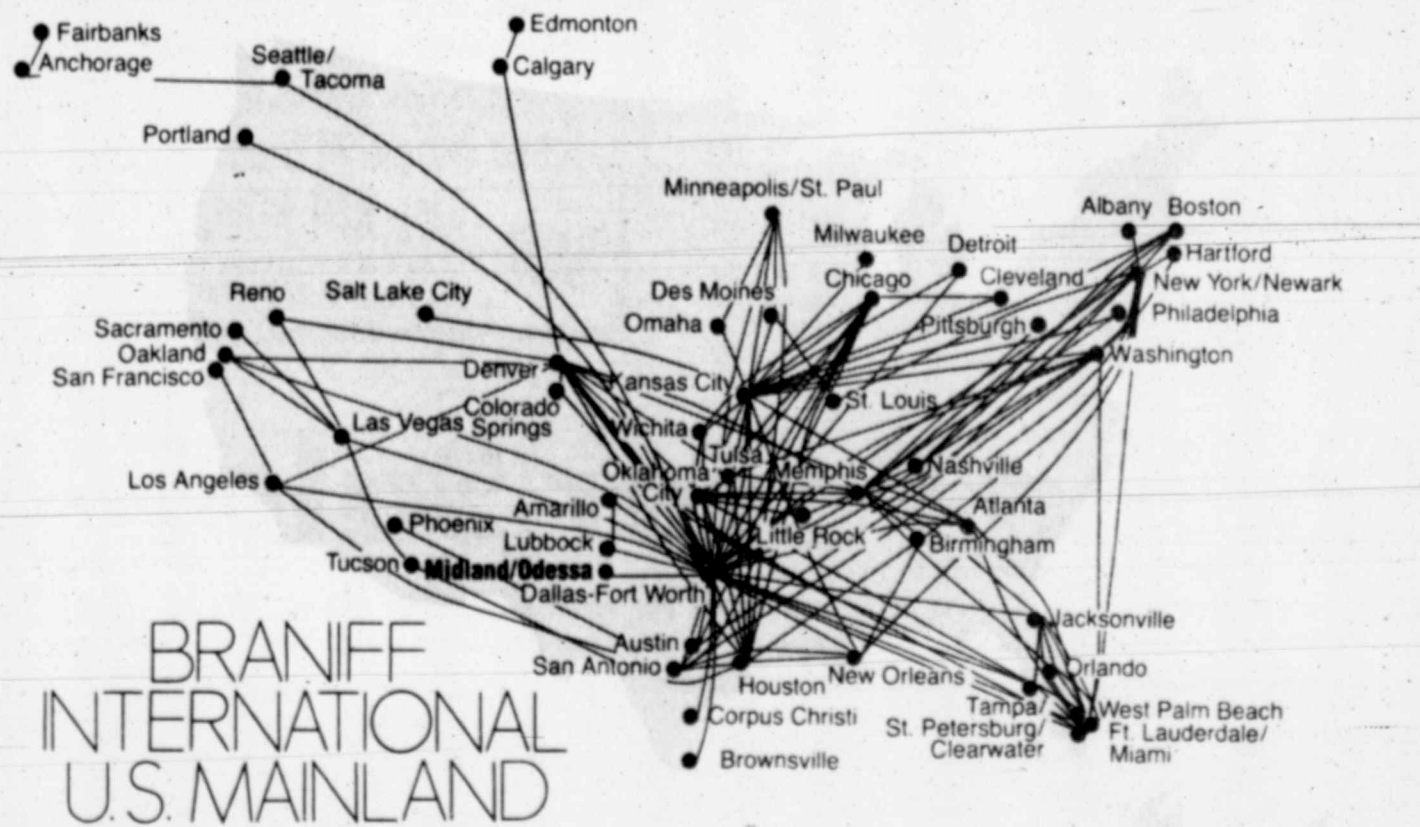
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Space shuttle 'excitement' building

By HOWARD BENEDICT

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — The space shuttle and a new era of exploration is at hand, and it can't come soon enough for the people here involved in dispatching men into the cosmos.

It's been nearly 10 years since Americans first set foot on the moon and four years since the United States last sent men into space. The launch pads of Mercury and Gemini and Apollo and Skylab are silent now, many gone, their girders sold for scrap.

The shuttle is a reusable vehicle capable of making 100 or more round-trips into space. It will be used to carry up satellites, repair satellites in orbit and perhaps eventually lead to the first stations where man can live and work in space.

The work force at the Kennedy Space Center here, at 27,000 in the Apollo heyday, is down to 10,600. Those left have watched with envy as the Russians have regularly launched men into space, breaking all American endurance records.

America's last manned space flight was a joint mission with the Soviets in 1975. Since then, 12 Soyuz craft, bearing a total of 24 cosmonauts, have rocketed into orbit.

While watching the Soviets, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration has been developing a new manned craft — the shuttle.

That program reaches a milestone on Saturday when a Boeing 747 jet sets down here. Perched on its back will be Columbia, the first shuttle earmarked for space. It is being ferried cross-country from the Rockwell International plant at Palmdale, Calif.

Thousands of workers and their families are expected to turn out to greet it. "They're excited; you can feel a great increase in the pulse here," center director Lee Scherer said in an interview.

"Their job is putting men in space, and finally, they're going to get another manned vehicle to work on," he said. "They can't wait to get their hands on the...thing."

Months of work lie ahead before the shuttle is ready to fly. The main engines have to be tested, delivered

and installed. Thermal tiles must be positioned to protect Columbia from searing re-entry heat. Booster rockets and fuel tanks must be readied.

The launch is scheduled Nov. 9. But Scherer conceded NASA is working on a "success-oriented" schedule. He said:

"If there's a problem of any magnitude, it could cause a delay. We'll have a better handle on how we're

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doing after a couple months. We're dealing with a very sophisticated machine that is pushing the state of the art, and we won't launch until we are ready."

How sophisticated? The shuttle is a space plane — a hybrid of rocket, spacecraft and airplane. After each flight into space, it will glide back to a landing on a three-mile-long runway and be towed to a hangar to be readied for another trip within two weeks or so.

Each of the four shuttles approved by Congress will be capable of making 100 or more roundtrips into space.

The main engine, the most advanced rocket power plant ever, is made to burn super-cold liquid hydrogen and liquid oxygen. Pressures inside the chamber are four times greater than those in the engines that drove Apollo's Saturn V rocket.

Columbia's first flight will be relatively brief, a 54-hour orbital test. The astronauts will be John Young, a veteran of four space trips, including a moon walk, and Robert Crippen, a rookie spaceman.

Five or six test flights are planned before Columbia is operational, probably in 1981. Then it will be ready to do things never tried before in space. The first 28 flights are sold out to government agencies, industry and others who want to put payloads into orbit.

The shuttles will put satellites in

space for research, weather forecasting, communications, and military reconnaissance. They will carry up a small European Space Agency station called Spacelab.

The space planes will have a capacity of hauling up to 65,000 pounds and, once in orbit, also will launch probes bound for other planets.

Each shuttle can carry up to seven people — some of them women. Six

women currently are in training. Crews will be able to repair an ailing satellite in orbit or bring it back to Earth for maintenance, cutting costs and considerably extending the lives of many payloads.

Eventually, the shuttle fleet may ferry people and parts for building solar satellites, space factories, moon bases and habitats for colonies far from Earth. "The more we fly the

shuttle, the more things we'll discover to do with it," said Scherer.

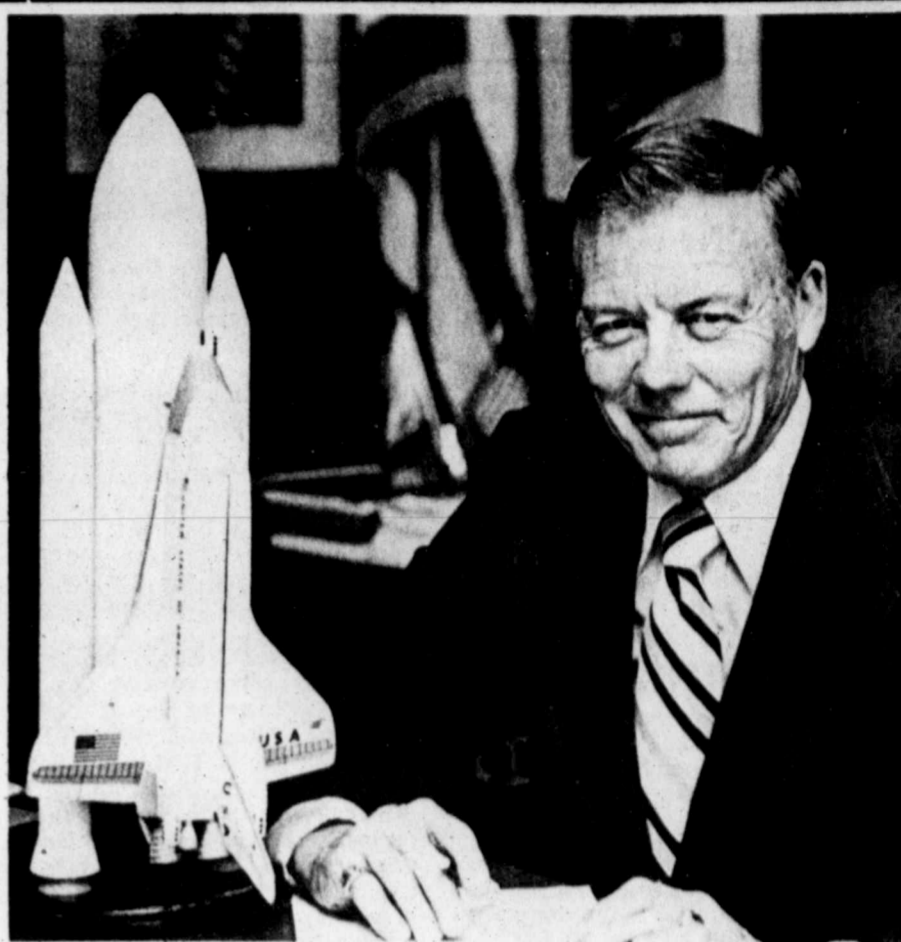
To prepare for an expected 40 to 50 launches a year in the 1980s, shuttle bases are being built here and in California.

Dick Lyon, chief of the project engineering office here, said wherever possible, NASA is modifying Apollo facilities for the shuttle. "About the only things we've had to build are the 15,000-foot runway and two orbital processing facilities," he said. The latter are hangars where shuttles will be refurbished after missions.

After servicing, the shuttle will go to one of the world's largest buildings to be mated with two booster rockets and a fuel tank, then to one of the extensively modified Apollo launch pads.

The Apollo launch control center also will be used, but gains in computer technology means the facility can be run by 45 persons, one-tenth the 450 needed for Apollo. The final countdown also will be slashed — from Apollo's 28 hours to 2½ hours.

The preparation of shuttle facilities is being done at a cost of about \$600 million, Lyon said.



Kennedy Space Center director Lee Scherer, seen with a model of the space shuttle, is anticipating the arrival of Columbia. (AP Laserphoto)

Black man questions complaint of coworker

By WOODY BAIRD

VACHERIE, La. (AP) — James Nailor, a \$25,000-a-year electrician who is the son of black field hands, doesn't understand Brian Weber's complaint or why the Supreme Court should be ready to hear it.

Nailor got his job at Kaiser Aluminum & Chemical Corp. through a training program that paid special notice to minorities. Weber, a white man, alleges reverse discrimination in the program, and the Supreme Court has agreed to hear his case on March 28.

The court challenge does not focus on Nailor's job but on the concept behind the program that gave him his boost. This story is about Nailor's views on the controversial issue.

"I don't know why he's coming up with all this stuff. He had this opportunity all along," he said. "When Brian Weber was born into this world, the opportunity was there for him right then."

"This is the first time I had an opportunity to really try to get somewhere," he said as he bounced his 2-year-old son, James Jr., on his knee. "As black men, we had nothing. I had nothing."

Legal scholars say the Weber case could reach further than the court's ruling last year in favor of Allan Bakke, a white applicant to a medical school who said he was excluded because of his race.

The high court's decision could affect millions of workers like Nailor — and like Weber — and drastically alter so-called affirmative action programs aimed at helping minorities catch up from years of discrimination.

Kaiser and the United Steelworkers union set up such a training program in 1974. It led to advancement into skilled trades at the company's big refinery at Gramercy, La., about 25 miles up the winding river road from New Orleans.

Half of the training slots in the Kaiser program were set aside for blacks, and Nailor was accepted. But Weber — who had more seniority — was rejected, leaving him in a job as a lab technician that pays several thousand dollars less each year than electrician's work.

He sued, arguing that he had not discriminated against blacks and should not be punished because others had. He has said:

"I know the arguments they have about past decisions, but I don't interpret the 1964 Civil Rights Law as half one way or half the other. The violation of the law seems so obvious."

Two lower courts have agreed with Weber, ruling that the Kaiser program was illegal because there had been no previous finding that the company had discriminated in the past.

From Nailor's point of view, meanwhile, a special minority employment program like Kaiser's was necessary for blacks to break the cycle of generations of low-paying, menial jobs.

When Kaiser first opened its Gramercy plant, only whites were hired, he said, so they would always have seniority over blacks.

Nailor is 47, and when he was growing up here, the public schools for blacks stopped at the eighth grade. His parents sent him to Alabama where he finished high school.

"Many nights at that boarding school I didn't have too much to eat, but I was trying to get an education," he said.

Nailor said he went on to finish junior college in California, and to participate in the two-year training program at Kaiser he had to take a healthy pay cut and forgo any chance at overtime.

After becoming an electrician at Kaiser, he ran for a seat on the St. James Parish School Board and was elected.

"My mother and dad worked in the sugarcane fields trying to send me to school, cutting sugarcane by hand," he said. "Man, there's no way in the world I could be a failure, because I know how mother suffered."

He said that being on the school board has gained him respect and given him a feeling of trying to improve his community.

"By going through these real hard times, I can really communicate with the youngsters now... I can say, 'Look man, it was hard for me but look what I'm doing now. I'm able to drive a Lincoln. I've got this house and another house. I own property and a boat. And I didn't have a thing. You can do the same, young man.'"

But Nailor said he still feels resentment from a few white workers who resent it because he has become a skilled tradesman.

"Most of the guys have changed but there are still a few of these diehards," he said. "You know what makes me feel so good about it is that I've come so far — and all these years they've had these opportunities and I'm way ahead of them."

But Nailor, the father of eight children, said his improved standing in the community and job advancement were not the main benefits flowing from the special training program.

"I'm able now to get more for my kids," he said. "I'm able to support my family — that's it in a nutshell." And as he held James Jr. on his lap, Nailor said he believed his children would have an easier time in life than he had.

"I've tried to instill this in my kids — try and do your utmost. People will respect you for what you are... If you do your level best, you will be recognized."

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New regulations to boost supply

By STAN BENJAMIN

WASHINGTON (AP) — Government and natural gas industry officials say the adoption of new regulations on natural gas sales mean up to 1 trillion cubic feet of additional gas should start flowing into the U.S. market.

The larger amount of natural gas would replace nearly half a million barrels of oil a day.

The regulations were adopted and made effective by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission on March 1 but the action was not announced publicly until Wednesday.

Gas producers had been waiting for the regulations since last November, when President Carter signed a new law eliminating a split-regulation system.

The old system had discouraged some interstate gas sales and caused producers to keep that gas within the boundaries of the producing states where it could be sold for higher prices.

While the law solved the problem legally, producers still held back the gas while waiting for the regulatory commission to adopt final regulations that would govern sales contracts.

Meanwhile, the revolution in Iran shut down that nation's oil production, reducing imported U.S. oil supplies an estimated 500,000 barrels a day.

The held-back natural gas, equivalent to some 472,000 barrels of oil a day, could almost replace the loss, and Energy Secretary James R. Schlesinger urged the gas industry and regulatory commission to get it moving.

The regulations finally announced Wednesday cover natural gas previously available for sale only within producing states and therefore exempt from federal price ceilings.

The regulations, based on the November law, provide the mechanisms for bringing all new gas under federal price ceilings until 1985, by which time all natural gas price controls are to be eliminated.

"From all indications, I think we're going to see a lot of gas move now," said J. Curtis Moffatt, aide to regulatory commission chairman Charles B. Curtis.

George H. Lawrence, president of the American Gas Association, a trade organization of pipeline and distribution companies, also said in an interview that the new regulations "will be one of the main vehicles for getting some of that extra gas that's available into the market to replace foreign oil."

Lawrence said the gas should start flowing "within a matter of months."

President Carter has proposed tougher mandatory fuel-saving measures — weekend service station closings, building heating-cooling limits, and restrictions of advertising lighting — as "standby" programs that could be used if fuel-switching and voluntary conservation don't save enough oil.

Officials ask for decontrol

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Attorney General Mark White and Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong urged the federal government Wednesday to act on the state's petition to remove price ceilings on crude oil as of May 31.

White said the first petition on Nov. 22 was lost or misplaced, and the state filed a second petition Jan. 12.

"Our legal proceeding asks for decontrol of all crude oil," White said. "As an alternative, we are requesting decontrol of crude oil on the state's public lands from which we obtain revenue for our public schools and universities."

White said in a statement oil price controls cost Texas \$42 million a year in state royalties.

"Decontrol of all crude oil prices would be a powerful incentive to increase production," White said. "At the very least, decontrol on state lands would be only fair, as the federal government is exempted from price regulations on its lands."

The White-Armstrong letter asking the government to act on Texas' petition was sent to Assistant Administrator Douglas Robinson of the Economic Regulatory Administration.

Superport endorsed

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The House has endorsed continuing efforts to build an offshore port for jumbo oil tankers 26 miles south of Freeport.

It voted 114-26 Wednesday for a \$2.4 million appropriation to the Texas Deepwater Port Authority.

The authority will use the money to pay the costs of seeking a federal license for the superport and to administer a \$1.2 billion construction bond program.

A final House vote is expected today. That would send the bill (SB126) back to the Senate for action on amendments.

Backers say the superport is needed to assure a continued flow of oil into Gulf Coast refineries and chemical plants when Texas production is no longer sufficient.

"I want those (refinery and chemical) jobs to be in Houston and on the coast when we run out of oil, and that day will come," said Rep. Stan Schlueter, D-Salado.

The House changed the Senate bill to allocate the money to the authority in stages. Most of it — \$1.6 million — could be spent only if federal authorities license the port and Gov. Bill Clements approves its bonds.

The state appropriation would be repaid from the first proceeds of the bonds.

Former Gov. Dolph Briscoe appointed the authority after the Seadock consortium of oil companies abandoned its efforts to obtain a federal license and build the port.

Rep. Jerry Benedict, D-Angleton, said several oil and chemical companies are interested in using the superport but won't commit themselves publicly at this time because they fear anti-trust actions.

"They all say, 'We are interested but we can't lobby for it,'" Benedict said.

"The basic consideration is do we or don't we want a deepwater port. If we want it, we had better get it done right now," said Rep. Cullen Looney, D-Edinburg.

Iran to slash oil yield; Mexico to boost price

NEW YORK (AP) — Iran plans to cut by half the amount of oil produced under the regime of Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi and to seek the highest price possible, the new revolutionary government said today.

The announcement came one day after Mexico — which supplies about 2 percent of the crude oil used daily in the United States — said it "almost certainly" will boost prices.

The United States' southern neighbor also cautioned on Wednesday that it can't assist U.S. airlines, some so hard-pressed they have canceled hundreds of flights. "We manufacture jet fuel ... but we only make enough for our national consumption," said a spokesman for Pemex, Mexico's state-run oil monopoly.

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despite gasoline sales running 20 percent ahead of a year ago, it will limit its customers to the amount of gas they bought in March 1978.

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Mexico, seen as an increasingly important oil exporter by U.S. officials, will boost prices when members of the Organization of Petroleum Ex-

porting Nations do so at the end of March, the Pemex spokesman said.

"The Mexican increase, he said, will reflect "increases in world prices." He did not speculate as to exactly how high the boost could be.

Mexico traditionally follows OPEC pricing decisions, although it is not a member of the cartel. OPEC is scheduled to raise its crude oil price 3.9 percent April 1 from its current \$13.35 a barrel. But it may decide at a special meeting in Geneva March 26 to enlarge that increase because of supply problems caused by the Iranian revolution.

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Field trip scheduled

The Permian Basin Section of the Society of Economic Paleontologists and Mineralogists will sponsor a one-day field trip to Sutton and Crockett counties Saturday.

Persons making the trip will meet in Sonora, south of the Interstate 10 and San Angelo Highway 277 overpass, near a Dairy Queen, at 9 a.m.

Johnny Brown of Midland, will be the field trip leader.

DRILLING REPORT

CHAVES COUNTY
Gulf No. 2 Lena Rogers, id 380 feet in surface sand and redbeds, circulating and conditioning hole to run 8 1/2-inch casing.

MARTIN COUNTY
Exxon No. 1 Rufus Green, id 11,700 feet, preparing to pump test.

NOLAN COUNTY
The Lovelady No. 1 Howard, id 6,725 feet, swabbed 8 barrels oil and 6 barrels water in 10 hours, fair show of gas, swabbing dry.

PECOS COUNTY
International Oil & Gas No. 1-44 Coates, id 11,232 feet, pumping load water, dropped from report until completed.

CRANE COUNTY
Gulf No. 317 Waddell, went in hole with packer, plug and tubing, tried to break down each set of perforations but could not break any, pulled out of hole with tubing, packer, and removed bridge plug, shut down overnight.

CROCKETT COUNTY
Rial Oil No. 13-F University, id 8,300 feet in lime and shale, running casing.

DAWSON COUNTY
RK Petroleum No. 1 Ray Cline, drilling 3,800 feet in lime.

EDDY COUNTY
Texas Pacific No. 2 Phantom Draw, drilling 3,800 feet, shut in, preparing for fracture.

GAINES COUNTY
Forest Oil Corp. No. 1 Pheasant, drilling 12,800 feet in lime and dolomite.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY
MWJ Producing Co. 1-3 TXL, plugged back depth 8,541 feet, recovering load.

IRION COUNTY
Union Texas No. 1-44-10 Farmer, id 7,340 feet, pumped 63 barrels oil and 12 barrels water in 24 hours, recovering load.

JEFF DAVIS COUNTY
Texas Pacific No. 1 Weinacht Estate, drilling 6,186 feet.

LEA COUNTY
Adobe No. 1 Hannah, pulled out of hole with tubing and set cast from bridge plug at 13,750 feet.

CROCKETT COUNTY
Allen K. Trahaug, wildcat, No. 1 BO, 800 feet from south and east lines of section 11, block B-18, psi survey, eight miles southeast of Monahan, id 7,000 feet.

EDDY COUNTY
Morris R. Antwell, Kennedy Farms (Morrow), No. 1 KD, 600 feet from south and east lines of section 23-15-28, three miles southeast of Artesia, id 8,446 feet, temporarily abandoned.

FISHER COUNTY
John W. Barbee, wildcat, No. 1 Young, 777 feet from south and 1,000 feet from west lines of section 2, block 20, T&P survey, six miles north of Roscoe, id 6,840 feet.

LYNN COUNTY
Cotton Petroleum Corp. wildcat, No. 1 W. D. Nevels, 800 feet from north and east lines of section 4, block C-42, psi survey, 11.5 miles west of Tahoka, id 11,285 feet.

TERRELL COUNTY
Texas Pacific No. 1 word, drilling 3,400 feet.

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Wildcat operations, discoveries reported in Permian Basin areas

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Hilliard Oil & Gas, Inc., No. 1-X Webb is to be dug as an 11,800-foot wildcat in Yoakum County, four miles southwest of Plains.

Surrounded by production in the Branahay (San Andres) field, it is 1,650 feet from south and 350 feet from west lines of section 513, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

The location is 20 feet west of Hilliard No. 1 Webb which was abandoned at 11,202 feet in November 1978.

LAWRENCE TESTS
C. F. Lawrence & Associates of Midland announced a pair of wildcat operations in Crockett County.

The No. 1-G Chambers County School Land is a 1,500-foot wildcat 14 miles north of Ozona and one location east of shallow production in the Midway Lane multipay field.

The drillsite is 467 feet from north and 6,400 feet from east lines of Chambers County School Land survey No. 4. Ground elevation is 2,646 feet. The shallow production in the Midway Lane field is Queen at 1,120 feet and sand zones 1,050 and 1,300 feet.

SECOND PROJECT
Lawrence and Associates will re-enter the former Ledge Petroleum Co. No. 1 Half Estate seven miles south of Iraan and deepen to 1,650 feet. The old total depth is 1,585 feet.

The re-entry will be operated as No. 1-63-E Half.

Ledge plugged the project in 1944. The site is 330 feet from north and 4,950 feet from east lines of section 63, block 1, H&G survey and one location southwest of the Fergus (upper Grayburg gas) field that produces at 2,398 feet.

DISCOVERY FINALS
Belco Petroleum Corp. of Midland No. 1 Ela Sugg has been completed as an Ellenburger discovery in Irion County, 10 miles northwest of the Irion (Clear Fork and Ellenburger) field.

Ten miles north of Barnhart, it finalized for a 24-hour flowing potential of 151.58 barrels of 40-gravity oil and 13 barrels of water, through a 1/64-inch choke. The gas-oil ratio is 2,590-1.

Completion was through perforations from 8,769 to 7,849 feet after 2,000 gallons of mud acid wash and 12,000 gallons of acid.

Total depth is 9,020 feet and 5.5-inch casing is set on bottom. Plugged back depth is 8,981 feet.

Wellsite is 1,320 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 115, block 14, H&TC survey.

It is surrounded by producers in the Spraberry Trend area.

LEA OPENER
Southern Union Exploration Co. No. 1-L Lea-State, a re-entry operation 28 miles southeast of Caprock in Lea County, N.M., has been completed as a Morrow gas discovery.

Operator reported four point

gauges ranged from 473,000 to 1,407,000 cubic feet per day through a one and one-quarter-inch opening. Tubing pressure was from 2,210 to 3,615 pounds. Information on the calculated potential has not been learned.

The strike, originally drilled by The Pure Oil Co. and plugged and abandoned at 14,304 feet in 1961, has 5.5-inch casing set at 12,950 feet.

Wellsite is 5.5 miles north of the Shoe Bar, North (Morrow gas) field) and 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 14-15-24 and 10 miles northwest of Lovington.

TIPPERARY STRIKE
Tipperary Oil & Gas Corp. of Midland No. 1 Wiser-State has been finalized as a San Andres oil discovery in Lea County, nine miles southeast of Crossroads.

On 24-hour potential test, it pumped 48 barrels of oil and 86 barrels of water. The gas-oil ratio is too small to measure. Gravity has not been reported.

Total depth is 5,003 feet and 4.5-inch casing is set on bottom.

Location is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 18-10-37E. It is two and one-quarter miles southwest of the Sawyer, West (San Andres) field.

CHAVES DISCOVERY
McClellan Oil Corp. and J. Penrod Toles of Roswell No. 1 Penjack has been finalized as an Abo discovery 19 miles north of Dexter in Chaves County.

The operator reported four-point gauges ranging from 318,000 cubic feet per day, through a 1/8-inch choke, to 1,272,000 cubic feet per day through a 5/16-inch choke.

Completion was through perforations from 4,314 to 4,334 feet after 2,000 gallons of acid and 10,000 gallons of fracture solution.

Hole was made to 5,570 feet and 4.5-inch casing was set at 4,550 feet. Hole is plugged back to 4,489 feet.

There is no other nearby Abo gas production.

Wellsite is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 6-10-26E.

EDDY WILDCAT
A 9,400-foot Morrow wildcat has been spotted in Eddy County, 22 miles southwest of Lakewood.

It is Inexco Oil Co. of Houston No. 2 L. A. Federal, 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 12-22s-22e and 2.5 miles southeast of the Rocky Arroya (Morrow gas) field and 1.5 miles southwest of a 5,521-foot failure.

Wellsite is 1,320 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 115, block 14, H&TC survey.

It is surrounded by producers in the Spraberry Trend area.

Operator reported a calculated absolute open flow potential of 590,000 cubic feet of gas per day, through perforations from 9,387 to 9,528 feet after 2,500 gallons of acid and 30,000

gallons of fracture solution.

Total depth is 9,747 feet and 4.5-inch pipe is set on bottom.

Location is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 36-20s-24e.

MORROW GASSER
Black River Corp. of Midland No. 1 Cerro Communized has been finalized as an extension to the Carlsbad, South (Morrow gas) field of Eddy County.

One and one-quarter miles southeast of other Morrow gas production, it finalized for a daily flow of 559,000 cubic feet of gas per day, through a 3/4-inch choke and perforations from 11,766 to 12,300 feet. The pay was acidized with 7,500 gallons.

Total depth is 12,401 feet and five-inch casing is set on bottom.

Wellsite is 2,080 feet from north and 760 feet from west lines of section 11-23s-27e and six miles southeast of Carlsbad.

BOYD PRODUCER
Yates Petroleum Corp. of Artesia, N.M., No. 1-G-JE Irish Hills-State Communized is a new gas well in the Boyd (Morrow) field of Eddy County, 14 miles southwest of Artesia.

It finalized for a daily flow of 3,000,000 cubic feet of gas per day, through a 1/2-inch choke and perforations from 8,931 to 8,942 feet. The pay was treated with 2,500 gallons.

Total depth is 9,093 feet and 4.5-inch pipe was landed on bottom.

Location is 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 12-19s-24e.

GAINES TEST
Wood, McShane & Thames of Monahan No. 2 Alexander is a new test in the Block A-34 multipay area of Gaines County, 13 miles north of Andrews. It is 1,980 feet from south and 2,000 feet from west lines of section 23, block A-22, psi survey. It is to drill to 3,100 feet.

Association meeting set

ABILENE — The West Central Texas Oil & Gas Association will hold its 46th Annual Meeting in the Abilene Civic Center Sunday and Monday.

The program will include an address at noon Monday by Jim Gillie of Bartlesville, Okla., assistant to the vice president of Public Affairs for Phillips Petroleum Co. He will talk on industry coordination.

Other featured speakers include: —James E. Russell of Abilene, Russell Petroleum, Inc., who will talk on the proposed regulations on oil pricing.

—Frank M. Burke Jr. of Dallas, Peat, Marwick, Mitchell and Co., who will discuss current and proposed tax regulations affecting the oil industry.

—Bill H. Abington of Dallas, executive vice president of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association. He will brief the meeting participants on current legislation in the Texas Legislature.

All of the speakers are on the Monday program.

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121 oil, gas projects announced in Basin regions

Permian Basin oil and gas operators have announced plans to drill 121 more operations in West Texas and southeast New Mexico.

Twenty-seven of the new operations were scheduled as wildcats, and 94 were spotted in proven field areas or as steepouts or outposts to field production.

District 8 of the Railroad Commission of Texas, headquartered in Midland, processed 29 requests for permission to drill in field areas and five in wildcat country.

Ector County gained 11 of the new field projects, while seven were staked in Pecos and five in Ward. The five wildcats were staked in five counties — Martin, Pecos, Reeves, Sterling and Ward.

District 8-A, headquartered in Lubbock, handled 28 field applications and five wildcat projects.

The top county in that district was Gaines with 10 filed tests. Garza and Yoakum each gained six. The wildcats were requested for Garza, Hockley, Kent, Lubbock and Scurry counties.

Fourteen wildcat operations and 18 field tests were announced in District 7-C, headquartered in San Angelo.

Schleicher County gained seven projects, including four wildcats. The other District 7-C wildcats were staked in Kimble, 4; Runnels, 2; and one each in Coke, Crockett, McCulloch and Upton.

The county-by-county tally:

County	Wildcat Field
District 8	
Andrews	0
Crane	0
Ector	0
Glasscock	0
Martin	1
Mitchell	0
Pecos	1
Reeves	1
Sterling	1
Ward	1
Total	5
District 8-A	
Gaines	0
Garza	1
Hockley	1
Kent	1
King	0
Lubbock	1
Scurry	1
Terry	0
Yoakum	0
Total	5
District 7-B	
Fisher	3
Nolan	1
Total	4
District 7-C	
Coke	1
Crockett	1
Kimble	4
McCulloch	1
Reagan	0
Runnels	2
Schleicher	4
Upton	1
Total	14
Southeast New Mexico	
Chaves	0
Eddy	0
Lea	0
Roosevelt	0
Total	0
GRAND TOTAL	121

DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY
Fuhrman-Mascho—Rule 37—Amended—Amoco Production Co. No. 7 L.T. Davis, 330 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 5, block 4-A, PSL survey, eight miles southwest of Andrews, 4,500. (Amend field)

CRANE COUNTY

Block 31 (Devonian)—Rule 37—Atlantic Richfield Co. No. 6-GG Block 31 Unit, 205 feet from south and 225 feet from west lines of section 23, block 31, University Lands survey, six and one-half miles northwest of Crane, 9,125.

ECTOR COUNTY

Foster—Rule 37—Kerr-McGee Corp. No. 21-A Gist, 2,050 feet from north and 2,180 feet from east lines of section 9, block 42, T-2-S, T&P survey, one-quarter mile northwest of Odessa, 4,500.

FOSTER—RULE 37

Kerr-McGee Corp. No. 23-A Gist, 4,510 feet from north and 1,950 feet from west lines of section 9, block 42, T-2-S, T&P survey, one-quarter mile northwest of Odessa, 4,500.

COWDEN, NORTH—BTA

Oil Producers No. 4 7814 JV-P Cran, 2,200 feet from north and 700 feet from east lines of section 20, block 42, T-1-S, T&P survey, five miles north of Odessa, 4,700.

GOLDSMITH, EAST

(Holt)—Sun Oil Co. No. 3103 Goldsmith, East Holt Unit, 730 feet from north and 215 feet from east lines of section 6, block 43, T-1-S, T&P survey, two miles southeast of Goldsmith, 5,300.

GOLDSMITH, EAST

(San Andres)—Sun Oil Co. No. 1001 East Goldsmith San Andres Unit, 660 feet from south and 510 feet from west lines of section 21, block 43, T-1-N, T&P survey, two and one-half miles northeast of Goldsmith, 4,600.

TXL (Waddell & San

Andres)—OWPB—Getty Oil Co. No. 2 A.E. Thomas, 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 42, block 45, T-1-N, T&P survey, three and one-half miles north of Nortrees, 9,345, OTD 9,815.

TXL (Waddell & San

Andres)—OWPB—Getty Oil Co. No. 3 A.E. Thomas, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 42, block 45, T-1-N, T&P survey, three and one-half miles north of Nortrees, 9,350, OTD 9,185.

GOLDSMITH, EAST

(San Andres & Holt)—Sun Oil Co. No. 2413 East Goldsmith San Andres Unit & East Goldsmith Holt Unit, 2,050 feet from north and 890 feet from east lines of section 31, block 43, T-1-N, T&P survey, two and one-half miles northeast of Goldsmith, 5,300.

COWDEN, NORTH—BTA

Oil Producers No. 2-7814 JV-P Henth, 1,400 feet from south and 440 feet from north and east lines of section 20, block 42, T-1-S, T&P survey, five miles north of Odessa, 4,700.

GOLDSMITH EAST—RUI

37—Sun Oil Co. No. 201 East Goldsmith San Andres Unit 21364, 2,150 feet from north and 550 feet from west lines of section 24, block 44, T-1-N, T&P survey, five miles east of Goldsmith, 4,400.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Garden City—Estoril Producing Corp. No. 3 G.W. Currie, 1,980 feet from south and 3,107 feet from east lines of section 13, block 33, T-4-S, T&P survey, seven miles east of Garden City, 9,800.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry Trend Area—Amended—RK Petroleum Corp. No. 3 Wolcott-Adobe, 739 feet from south and 6,310 feet from east lines of league 250, Hartley County School Lands survey, five miles northwest of Tarzan, 12,196. (Amend field)

WILDCAT—MARALO, INC.

No. 1-18 Dickenson, 2,025 feet from north and 2,200 feet from west lines of section 18, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey, eight miles northeast of Midland, 11,800.

MITCHELL COUNTY

Jameson, North (Strawn)—Sun Oil Co. No. 5-A B. Anderson, 637 feet from north and 2,128 feet from west lines of section 230, block 1-A, H&G survey, two miles north of Silver, 6,050.

PECOS COUNTY

Massey (1000)—Amended—Rippy Branch Oil Co. No. 1A Bonebreak, 330 feet from south and 1,650 feet from east lines of section 111, block 8, H&G survey, 12 miles south of Grandfalls, 1,200. (Amend well number from 1-111)

MASSEY (1000)—

Amended—Rippy Branch Oil Co. No. 2A Bonebreak, 330 feet from north and 990 feet from east lines of section 114, block 8, H&G survey, 12 miles south of Grandfalls, 1,200. (Amend well number from 2-114)

WILDCAT—FURRY

Operating Acc't. No. 1 Bonebreak Estate, 467 feet from north and 1,915 feet from east lines of section 111, block 8, H&G survey, eight miles south of Grandfalls, 2,500.

PECOS VALLEY (HIGH

Gravty)—Rainey

McKAY NO. 1-A IOWA

Realty Trust, 1,650 feet from northeast and 330 feet from northwest lines of section 31, block 10, H&G survey, nine and one-half miles southwest of Imperial, 2,000.

WALKER—THE LEVENS

Corp. No. 2 White & Baker, 2,110 feet from north and 330 feet from east lines of section 4, block 207, TCRR survey, eight miles east of Bakersfield, 1,850.

WALKER—THE LEVENS

Corp. No. 3 White & Baker, 2,310 feet from north and 990 feet from east lines of section 4, block 207, TCRR survey, eight miles east of Bakersfield, 1,850.

ROJO CABALLS, SOUTH

(Devonian)—Gulf Oil Corp. No. 2 Ivy B. Weatherby, 990 feet from north and east lines of section 24, block 49, T-8, T&P survey, nine miles southwest of Coyanosa, 19,000.

WALKER—THE LEVENS

Corp. No. 4 White & Baker, 1,450 feet from north and 330 feet from north half of section 4, block 207, TCRR survey, eight miles east of Bakersfield, 1,850.

WALKER—THE LEVENS

Corp. No. 5 White & Baker, 790 feet from north and 330 feet from east lines of north half of section 4, block 207, TCRR survey, eight miles east of Bakersfield, 1,850.

WASSON—SHELL OIL

Co. No. 8536 Denver Unit, 250 feet from south and 1,250 feet from west lines of section 48, block AX, PSL survey, three miles southwest of Denver City, 5,250.

WASSON—SHELL OIL

Co. No. 8537 Denver Unit, 1,760 feet from north and 880 feet from east lines of section 48, block AX, PSL survey, one and one-half miles southwest of Denver City, 5,250.

WASSON—SHELL OIL

Co. No. 8538 Denver Unit, 250 feet from south and 1,250 feet from west lines of section 48, block AX, PSL survey, three miles southwest of Denver City, 5,250.

WASSON—SHELL OIL

Co. No. 8539 Denver Unit, 1,500 feet from south and 1,675 feet from east lines of section 44, block AX, PSL survey, one and one-half miles southeast of Denver City, 5,250.

WASSON—SHELL OIL

Co. No. 8540 Denver Unit, 880 feet from north and 1,885 feet from west lines of section 48, block AX, PSL survey, two miles southwest of Denver City, 5,250.

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Co. No. 8542 Denver Unit, 850 feet from north and 750 feet from east lines of section 53, block AX, PSL survey, two miles southwest of Denver City, 5,250.

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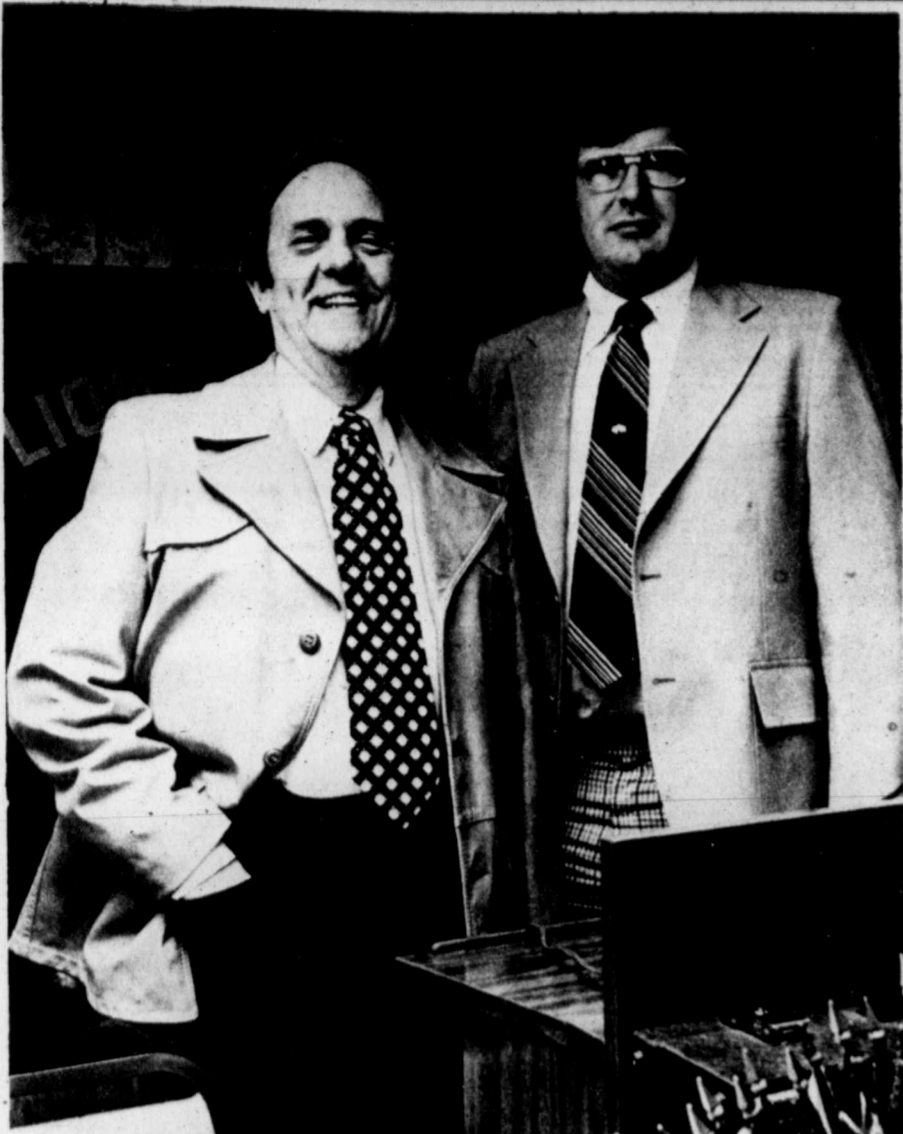
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Oren Watson of Tullia, right, who addressed the Downtown Lions Club Wednesday noon, appears with Duke Jimerson, who introduced him. (Staff Photo)

Downtown Lions nominate new '79-80 officers

Members of the Downtown Lions Club nominated officers for 1979-80 and heard a talk given by a spokesman for the American Agriculture Movement at their meeting Wednesday noon in the Midland Hilton.

The speaker was Oren Watson, a farm leader from Tullia, who discussed some of the problems facing farmers today.

Farmers do have a problem, he said, "and when farmers have a problem, you, the consumers, also have a problem."

Watson, who was introduced by Duke Jimerson, said that the American Farm Movement was born out of desperation and frustration.

He said that increased production does not appear to be the answer to this particular problem, because the producer is not receiving a fair price for his produce.

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School board candidate offers Plan O alternative

School board candidate Joyce Sherrod disputed the school administration's contention that Midland's two high schools could not house ninth through 12th grade students in explaining her plan to restructure the public schools as an alternative to Plan O.

Mrs. Sherrod, a Lee High School teacher with 17 years experience, is running for the Place 7 spot on the board currently held by Ann Page.

Her plan calls for keeping two high schools, but moving the ninth grade from the freshman schools they currently attend into the two high schools.

The city's three junior highs and the freshman schools would be used as middle schools for grades six, seven and eight.

She offered two alternatives for the elementary grades.

One would keep students in their neighborhood schools through the fifth grade while using Carver Center as a mixing area the way it is used by the primary grades now.

The other alternative would leave grades four and five in the restructured clusters.

The plan could work within the boundaries of HEW directives, Mrs. Sherrod said in a press conference Wednesday, because students are simply being moved from one desegregated building to another.

The increased use of Carver Center in the elementary plan would meet desegregation requirements for those grades, she contended.

School administration officials said in the Tuesday school board meeting that the ninth grade could not be moved to the high schools because there was not room to house them.

"Under my plan, the current high school facilities would be able to handle grades nine through 12. Some 1,350 vocational students are on campus only half a day, reducing the apparent high enrollment considerably," Mrs. Sherrod said.

Moving the ninth grade to the high schools, she said, is a sound educational concept.

"Studies have shown that children's social, emotional and academic needs are best satisfied in such groupings. Putting nine through 12 together would eliminate the need to duplicate materials and facilities and would increase the students' opportunities at the ninth grade."

To increase the number of students in elective programs, Sherrod suggested doing away with "senior privilege" — the practice of allowing seniors to take less than a full course load and attend classes only four hours a day.

"The number of students taking elective courses would increase, allowing us to keep the strong elective program at both high schools," she said.

Summarizing the program she said "everyone would benefit — students, taxpayers and the total community. It is fiscally sound and much less disruptive to students than either the current system or Plan O."

The plan was offered as an alternative to Plan O, the proposal to consolidate the two high schools into a single unit with 10th grade students housed at the Midland High School campus with 11th and 12th grade housed at the current Lee High School campus.

Plan O will be placed on the April 7 school ballot as a referendum item.

Candidates to face voters at LWV rally

Candidates for the Midland city, school district and hospital district April 7 elections will face voters at the League of Women Voters of Midland's candidates rally March 15.

The event will take place at 7:30 p.m. in the Commercial Bank & Trust community room.

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Lawyers for the Washington Teachers Union also were appearing in court today to explain why they should not be held in contempt for defying a temporary restraining order barring the strike.

Superior Court Judge Gladys Kessler met for about two hours Wednesday with lawyers for both sides in the dispute. The school board is asking that the union be cited for contempt.

The teachers began striking Tuesday morning, but the schools have been opening as usual with parents, administrators and non-striking teachers staffing the classrooms.

LEGAL NOTICES

The Texas Department of Health has established in accordance with the Federal Public Health Services Act the current level of uncompensated services for Midland Memorial Hospital, Midland, Texas at \$12.50. The documents upon which the determination was based are available for public inspection at 1100 West 4th Street, Austin, Texas from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on regular business days. The level of services set out meets the presumptive compliance guidelines of the Federal regulation. (March 8, 1979)

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IN GREENWOOD SCHOOL DISTRICT - 3/1 w/moek Fp. Fronts on Hwy 80. Fruit trees & 10 acres cultivated land. \$48,750

ODESSA - 3 bdr. home in Permian High district, Spanish style w/corner Fp. Bay in dining rm. Lovely large home. \$72,000

NEELY - Lovely 4 Bedroom, Ref. Air. Over 200 sq. ft. \$82,500

SIX BEDROOMS
PRINCETON - 3 1/2 baths, 2 story, country kitchen, separate dining, stone fireplace. \$150,000

FOUR BEDROOMS
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HAYNES - Builders own custom w/double courtyard. Soak to your chin in lovely hot tub. Jennaire & Xtras in Kit. \$175,000

HUMBLE - Light & bright, 4 1/2 baths! Elegant MBR bath overlooks beautiful pool. 2 car garage. \$240,000

NORTHWOOD - 3 baths & 4 bedroom, 2 liv. areas. Custom drapes, Fp, trash comp. \$127,500

STANOLIND - Brick wall & shutters in kitchen. 1 1/2 baths. all the amenities, large den. \$87,750

STUTZ - Colonial priced below appraisal. Fp. Hg. Mexican tile/foyer & den. Corner lot. \$80,900

EXTRA SPECIAL
GOLD-BRONZE-APRICOT Carpet, woven wood blinds. Fp. Rfg. Redecorated. 3/1 1/2.

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DAWN CIRCLE - Game room, Encl. patio, 2 Fps., Rfg. 2 baths, 6 skylights. \$107,000

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HARVARD - Kluge den, Spacious kit. & Brkfst. Rm. 2 baths. Water well, apr. story in covered.

HARVARD - Townhouse concept controlled mature yard, Italian tile, imported doors, leaded glass, room for pool-FOYERS.

HAYNES - Colonial, Cathedral ceilings in den, 2 1/2 baths, Fp. Rfg. Sec. Mbr. Lots of new.

HAYNES - Cathedral ceilings, skylights, Fp. w/huge hearth, large dining, big trees. \$85,500

ILLINOIS - Grey Colorado lodgestone Contemporary. Glass walls overlooking pond & lovely yards, 3 baths plus maid quarters. \$155,000

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MERCEDS - Clean, bright, young home in new neighborhood. Low utilities! \$48,250

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SHELL - Creme puff, sparkling home on quiet street. 1 1/2 baths. Parking for boat, etc. \$51,000

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Northtown-3-1 1/2, frpl., ref. patio, 2 gar., sunken den, bar. \$75,000
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Jolla-4 br., 2 1/2 ba., frpl., ref. patio, 2 gar., attic, nice. \$75,000
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