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Carter expects Olympic panel to OK boycott

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter says he expects the U.S. Olympic Committee to heed his recommendation that U.S. athletes not participate in the Summer Olympics in Moscow if the Soviet Union has not withdrawn its troops from Afghanistan by Feb. 20.

The president has no legal authority to dictate a boycott and the U.S. committee will meet next weekend in Colorado Springs, Colo., to consider the president's request.

Carter, intensifying his attempts to punish the Soviet Union for its intervention in Afghanistan, called on the International Olympic Committee to move, postpone or cancel the Moscow games if Soviet troops are still in Afghanistan a month from now.

It seemed unlikely that the IOC would go along, and Carter called for a world boycott of the Moscow Games in that event. Carter outlined his proposal Sunday on NBC's "Meet the Press." Asked afterward if he thought the U.S. committee would abide by his request, he said, "I think so."

Presidential Counsel Lloyd Cutler said he anticipates that Canada, Great Britain and West Germany will support Carter's position.

Under Carter's proposal, the American boycott would take effect if the IOC ignores the president's appeal for a global boycott, as seems highly likely.

The IOC will meet in Lake Placid, N.Y., in mid-February, just before the Winter Olympics begin in that city.

For now, however, the focus is on the U.S. Olympic Committee, which will attempt to poll some 10,000 prospective American Olympic athletes to help the 86 voting members of the USOC's executive board decide on Carter's proposal.

USOC President Robert Kane said he was pleased that Carter made his appeal to the IOC rather than calling for a unilateral American boycott.

"We don't want to abdicate our position in the IOC," Kane said. "To

boycott would take us out of that." Kane said a decision not to participate at Moscow would not jeopardize U.S. standing in the IOC.

"There is no nation within the Olympic movement, and no athlete who has to go to the games," Kane told the Washington Post. "If for good reason — domestic, international or whatever — you do not wish to appear, all you have to do is notify the IOC. That would be working through proper channels."

Nations must notify the IOC by May 19 as to whether they plan to participate in Moscow.

Douglas F. Roby of Ypsilanti, Mich., a past president of the USOC and a U.S. representative on the international committee, told the Post in reaction to the president's call. "That's it. If the Soviets aren't out of there in 30 days, we probably won't go. We certainly have to obey the command of our government and our president. I feel I'm sure the International Olympic Committee would not accept moving the Games at this late date, or postponing them."

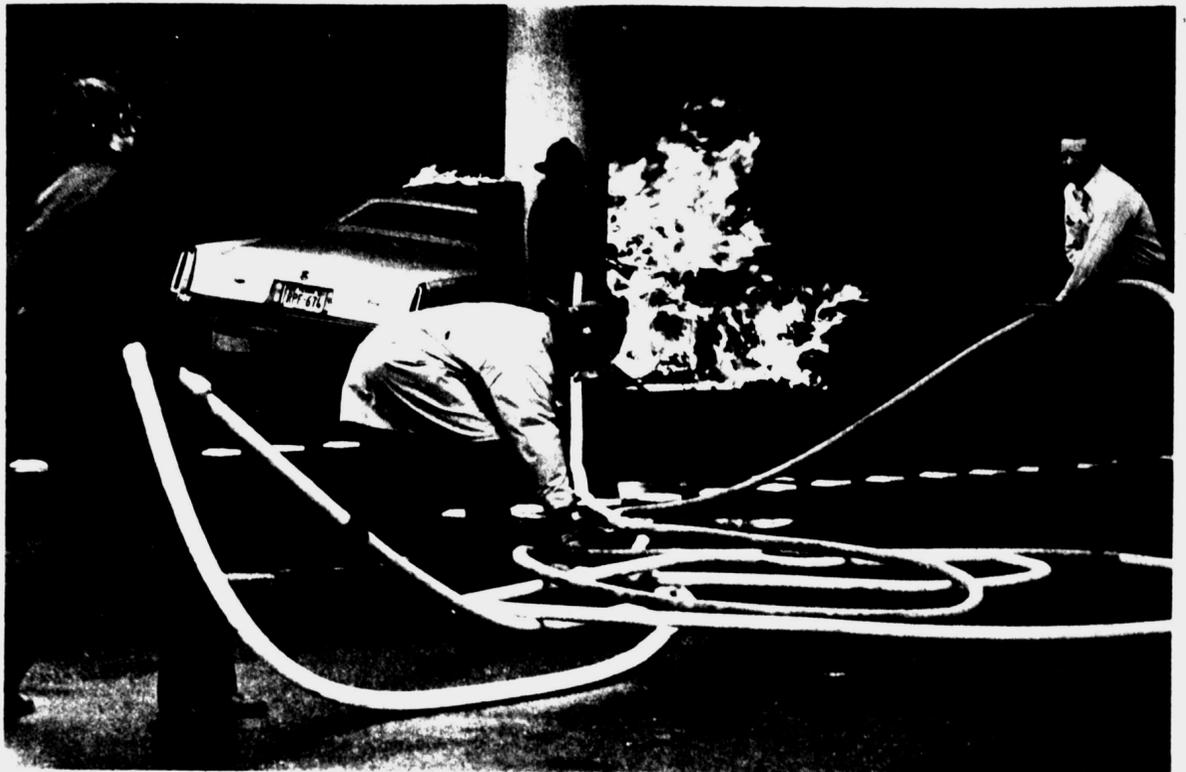
Lord Killam of Ireland, president of the international committee, today called Carter's move "a hasty decision" and said the Olympic movement, not the Soviet government, would suffer from an American boycott.

"I am disappointed about this hasty decision made without the consultation of those concerned in the Olympic movement," Killam said from his home in Dublin.

"I am enormously encouraged by the stand the USOC has taken in the face of political pressure," he added.

It is the USOC that has to decide whether American athletes will take part in the games, not the U.S. government.

After the president announced his proposal, Moscow Radio called Carter's proposal "futile" and accused him of trying to revive the Cold War.



Firefighters scramble Sunday afternoon with water lines as flames engulf a car owned by Scotty McNeill, 2501 Culppepper Drive. Mrs. McNeill was not injured in the fire, which

ignited when she attempted to start the car. Fire department officials blamed the blaze, which destroyed the car, on a possible electrical short. The blaze also did minor damage to

the roof of the Commercial Bank and Trust Drive-In facility in the 2300 block of W. Missouri Ave. (Staff Photo by Mike Kardos)

Swap could make districts 'ideal'

But redistricting isn't that simple

By BILL KIDD
Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — U.S. Congressman Kent Hance will need to get rid of the estimated population of Andrews County to bring the 19th Congressional District into line with the projected "ideal district" for 1981, according to a preliminary redistricting study.

If all other things were equal, the study indicates, Hance might be able to retain most of his current district, giving Andrews County to El Paso Congressman Richard White in a trade that would allow White to give up his voters in Ector County. By adding some other counties, this would allow Midland and Odessa to go into the same congressional district.

Unfortunately, such a neat, simple swap probably will be difficult to arrange.

A report on the progress of redistricting from Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby's office, mailed to the Texas congressional delegation, shows that an expected "ideal district" for 1981 (when the Legislature redraws district lines) will have a population of 518,958.

That prediction is based on the expectation that Texas will have a total population of 13.5 million — with the state due to gain two congressional districts for a total of 26.

Total population growth for the 1970 to 1980 period is expected to be in excess of 20 percent, but the average congressional district will grow by only some 10 percent, from 466,000 to 519,000.

Exact data from the 1980 census, however, even at the county level, won't be available until early 1981 — and the Legislature is expected to have the data needed for redistricting available with only some two months left in its regular 140-day session. That session will start in January.

Projected figures show District 19 is expected to have a population growth of 59,000 or 13 percent, putting it at 2 percent over the expected "ideal," with 12,000 more people than needed.

Hance's home county, Lubbock, is expected to increase from 179,295 in 1970 to 214,100 in 1980 — an increase of 34,805 or 19 percent.

At present, District 19 includes the counties of Lubbock, Deaf Smith, Parmer, Castro, Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Cochran, Hockley, Yoakum, Terry, Games, Andrews, Martin, Midland and parts of Ector and Dawson.

It adjoins four other districts: 16, White's district, and 21, Tom Loeffler of Hunt, to the south; 17, Charles Stenholm of Stamford, to the east; and 13, Jack Hightower of Vernon, to

the east and north. Stenholm and Hightower both must add population — 22,000 and 12,000 respectively — to meet the "ideal" projections. White, due largely to the growth of El Paso County (some 82,700) and Loeffler, who now takes in part of Bexar County (with an estimated 152,000 additional population), must get rid of 39,000 and 109,000 respectively.

Bexar County's growth is exceeded only by Harris and Dallas counties, with 501,000 and 180,000 respectively.

Harris County's expansion virtually assures that it will receive a new congressional district — so that the drawing of new district lines around Dallas, Fort Worth and San Antonio becomes of great importance not only to those areas but to the West Texas region as well.

In either case, it appears likely that the West Texas centers of Lubbock and Midland-Odessa could be grouped into the same district.

Midland County's estimated population is 76,900, an increase of 11,467 (or 17.52 percent) while Ector County is shown as 107,800, an increase of 15,140 (or 16.34 percent).

That would mean about 120,000 voters would be needed in combination with those three counties to bring Hance's district up to the 519,000 figure. That can be done easily with the

counties now in District 19, with additional counties left to be shifted to the Stenholm and Hightower districts.

In any event, Lubbock County apparently will remain the controlling force in whatever district is created — even if a more radical restructuring of districts takes place, such as placing Lubbock County with the Amarillo area.

Potter County shows an estimated growth of only 2,689 (or 2.97 percent) to 93,200 while Randall County shows a growth of 15,515 (or 28.79 percent) to 69,400.

That would result in a need for some 142,000 population apart from Lubbock, Randall and Potter counties, which could be made up from the more rural counties, and leave Midland and Ector counties to be joined with others to the east and south.

It will be choices such as that which will result in much pressure — from incumbent congressmen, area residents and multitudes of special interests — which will create the pressure-cooker atmosphere which accompanies redistricting efforts.

And while Hobby's report and its projections are still highly speculative, it should be a sure bet that the material will be looked at very carefully by the congressmen to whom it was sent.

Arab envoys, Afghan rebels seek united fronts

By The Associated Press

In closed-door meetings and hurried jet flights, Arab envoys were engaged in intensive diplomatic activity in the Middle East today that informed sources in Beirut said was aimed at forging a common front on the issue of the Soviet military intervention in Afghanistan.

Afghanistan's seven rebellious Moslem factions, meanwhile, were reported trying to unite for a "holy war" against the Soviet occupation army.

The Mideastern Arab states and other nations of the Islamic conference are scheduled to meet in Islamabad, Pakistan, next Saturday to discuss the situation in Afghanistan, where Soviet and Afghan government forces are trying to put down a rebellion by the fundamentalist Moslem tribesmen.

Several Islamic states, including Saudi Arabia, have already announced they will be boycotting the summer Olympics in Moscow in protest.

U.S. ambassadors delivered personal messages from President Carter to the leaders of Bahrain, Oman and Sudan today dealing with the Afghan crisis, according to official reports from those governments. The contents of the messages were not revealed.

Meanwhile, British envoy Douglas Hurd, minister of state for foreign affairs, met with officials of the United Arab Emirates in that Persian Gulf oil state. Hurd has already visited Bahrain and Qatar.

The Arab envoys on the move in-

cluded Saudi Arabia's foreign minister, Prince Saud al-Faisal, who visited Iraq and Kuwait, the U.A.E. oil minister, Mana Sa'eed Otaiba, who called on Saudi King Khaled with a personal message from U.A.E. President Sheik Zayed Bin Sultan al-Nahyan, and Saudi minister of state Dr. Mohammed Almilhim, sent by Khaled to the U.A.E. and Qatar.

Radio Tehran reported that an official of the Afghan Islamic organization in the Iranian capital told it discussions were under way among the rebel groups to form a single guerrilla front.

"The Afghan revolutionaries' duty is to expel the Soviet forces from Afghanistan through jihad (holy war), not through negotiations," the official reportedly said.

The Moslem rebels in Afghanistan are divided along tribal lines. They have been fighting their own separate wars since the first communist coup in April 1978 and were reported to control half the country or more. But the necessity for unification and coordination became apparent last month when the Soviet Union sent as many as 100,000 troops into Afghanistan to crush the rebellion and support the coup that eliminated President Hafizullah Amin and replaced him with Babrak Karmal, a more pliable Russian proxy.

Pentagon sources in Washington said the fighting since the Soviet intervention has been fiercest in the northeastern part of Afghanistan, bordering the Soviet Union, Pakistan and China.

Tapes of Super Bowl delivered to embassy

By The Associated Press

A radio broadcast of Sunday's Super Bowl football game was delivered to Islamic militants at the U.S. Embassy today on the understanding it would be played for the American hostages, now in their 79th day of captivity.

Radio reporter Alex Paen, of radio station KMPX in Los Angeles, passed the militants taped cassettes of the game through the embassy's iron gates after receiving assurances they would be given to the hostages.

The tape of Sunday's game, in which the Pittsburgh Steelers beat the Los Angeles Rams 31-19, was fed to Paen by telephone earlier in the day from the Los Angeles station.

In an interview outside the embassy gates, Paen said he was confident the tape would be passed on to the hostages. Only a handful of curious Iranians watched from outside the main embassy compound gate, where thousands used to gather to chant anti-American slogans.

"I've been told several times they would play the tapes for the hostages and the students have kept their word in the past," he said.

"If they didn't want the hostages to hear the game, they wouldn't have received the tapes." He said commercials and half-time events had been deleted.

Paen said he had also delivered several letters and Christmas cards and a personal message from the wife

of one of the hostages.

The radio reporter has been in Tehran for two months. In December, he delivered some 3 million Christmas cards sent to the Americans from the United States.

Paen was granted special permission to stay in Iran and deliver the tape although American journalists were ordered out of Iran last week. He said he plans to return home Tuesday.

The arrangements to make the taped broadcast available to the hostages came out of the Christmas Eve visit to the embassy by three American clergymen. At the time, some hostages questioned the group about developments in the National Football League results, the clergymen

said on their return to the United States.

In another development, Foreign Minister Sadegh Ghotbzadeh said today Iran's "own borders are in danger" because of the presence of Russian troops in neighboring Afghanistan and pledged Iranian aid to end the Soviet intervention.

Ghotbzadeh, a candidate in Friday's presidential election, did not say what kind of aid Iran would offer, according to a statement carried by the official Pars news agency.

But he hinted Iran would offer support for the Afghan Moslem guerrillas who are resisting the Soviet troops sent into Afghanistan in late December.

Tito in 'good condition' following amputation

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — President Josip Broz Tito spent a quiet night and was in good condition today following the life-saving amputation of his left leg, his doctors reported.

Yugoslavia's 87-year-old leader was operated on Sunday for the second time in eight days to prevent fatal gangrene poisoning due to blockage in the arteries of the leg.

"The general condition of President Tito is good," his doctors said in a medical bulletin issued today. They said his pulse, blood pressure and temperature were within normal limits.

Belgrade remained calm despite

speculation all week that the Russians might try to coerce Yugoslavia back into the Kremlin's orbit if Tito, the pioneer of the independent communism, died. Anti-aircraft guns were set up at the Belgrade and Zagreb airports, but this appeared to be part of a nationwide, low-priority "vigilance" program ordered after the Soviet intervention in Afghanistan.

In Bonn the West German Defense Ministry denied German newspaper reports that the Soviets were reinforcing their troops in Central Europe because of Tito's condition.

"A strengthening of Warsaw Pact troops in Central Europe or unusu-

al troop movements cannot currently be observed — also not against Yugoslavia," a spokesman said.

"We are with Tito as always," the newspaper Borba said today. "Tito is with us and in us."

It published a telegram from one of his World War II Partisans, a machine-gunner at a famous 1941 battle, who said: "Your deeds will live forever but you must recover."

"We are Tito's, Tito is ours," a chorus of Bosnian children sang before the announcement of the operation on the government television service.

The operation was performed at a hospital in the northern city of Ljubli-

jana where Tito had been undergoing treatment since Jan. 2 for arterial blockage in his left leg.

Tanjug, the official news agency, reported: "Today at noon the left leg of President Tito was amputated because of heavy damage to the arteries which brought stoppage of circulation and speeded up devitalization of tissue of the leg and jeopardized life."

The announcement did not say how much of the leg was removed.

The amputation had been expected since the doctors announced last Monday that surgery performed the day before failed to restore circulation to the lower leg.

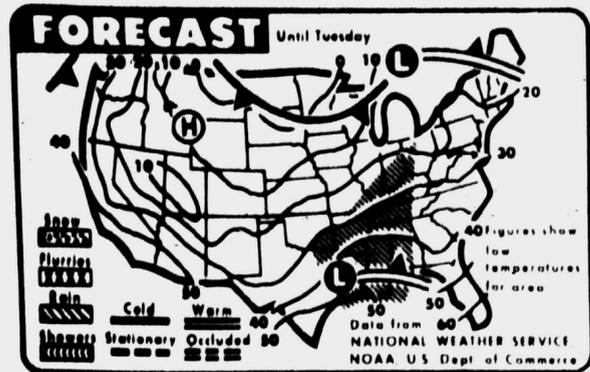
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WEATHER SUMMARY



Rain is expected from the central Gulf to the Midwest until Tuesday morning. Cloudy skies are forecast for the East but the West will be mostly clear. Except for extreme southern regions temperatures will be cold. (AP Laserphoto Map)

Midland statistics

WEATHER FORECAST

Chance of rain through Tuesday. Colder through Tuesday. Low tonight and Tuesday in low 30s. High Tuesday 40 to 45. Winds southerly 10 to 15 mph tonight. Chance of rain in 30 percent tonight and Tuesday.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Coldest Low	38 degrees
Hottest High	40 degrees
Wettest 24 hours	0.10 in.
Driest 24 hours	7.00 in.
Precipitation	0.00 inches
Wettest month to date	11 inches
Driest month to date	11 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

11 a.m.	34
1 p.m.	35
3 p.m.	36
5 p.m.	35
7 p.m.	34
9 p.m.	33
11 p.m.	32
Midnight	31
1 a.m.	30
3 a.m.	29
5 a.m.	28
7 a.m.	27
9 a.m.	26
11 a.m.	25

NORTHWEST TEMPERATURES

Arlington	30
Chico	27
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The weather elsewhere

Monday	High	Low	Wind
Albany	38	25	10-15
Albuquerque	32	22	10-15
Albuquerque	32	22	10-15
Albuquerque	32	22	10-15
Albuquerque	32	22	10-15
Albuquerque	32	22	10-15
Albuquerque	32	22	10-15
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Albuquerque	32	22	10-15
Albuquerque	32	22	10-15

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Travelers advisory in the Panhandle early this morning. Scattered light rain most sections through Tuesday. Scattered light freezing drizzle in the Panhandle this morning causing hazardous driving conditions. Fog as well as scattered light rain and drizzle through Tuesday. High today mid to north in near 60 southern in 60s. Low tonight in the Panhandle and mountains in 40s. High Tuesday near 60 southern in 60s. Low Tuesday in 40s.

North Texas: Intermittent rain or drizzle over the north part of the area today and tonight. Over the southeastern two-thirds of the area Tuesday. Scattered thunderstorms mainly central and east today. Precipitation changing to scattered rain or drizzle northwestern third of area Tuesday. Partly cloudy with snow in late afternoon. Colder than last night. High tonight in the Panhandle and mountains in 40s. High Tuesday near 60 southern in 60s. Low Tuesday in 40s.

South Texas: Intermittent rain or drizzle in effect in the Hill Country through Tuesday. High today watch in effect in Southeast Texas and parts of the Coastal Bend today. Occasional rain or drizzle continuing through Tuesday with scattered thunderstorms.

High: Previous day's high
Low: Previous day's low
Precipitation for 24 hours ending 8 a.m. CST
Monday
Wind: Sky conditions (sun, clouds, etc.)

Weather stays cold, wet

Midlanders can expect more cold and wet weather today and Tuesday. The National Weather Service at Midland Regional Airport predicts there will be a 30 percent chance of rain tonight and Tuesday. Unfortunately, it will also be colder Tuesday and tonight since the low will be in the low 30s. There was 0.6 inch of precipitation recorded Sunday which brings

the total amount of precipitation for this month to 11.1 inches. The high today and Tuesday is expected to reach into the low 40s. In 1975, the record high was 75 degrees. The record low was a cold, cold 5 degrees in 1966. In the rest of the West Texas area, the weather is cloudy with a light mist. However, Big Spring reported about 10 inch of rain Sunday.

Iowa voters declare preferences

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — In living rooms, church basements and schoolhouses, Iowa Republicans and Democrats meet today to declare their presidential preferences in primary campaigns marked by sharp swings in public opinion polls. The parties' precinct caucuses, most of which start at 8 p.m. CST, are the first official tests of the presidential campaign and a majority of the 10 Republicans and three Democrats seeking nomination campaigned hard in the state. But not President Carter, who said the Iranian crisis required him to remain in Washington. Instead, he sent Vice President Walter F. Mondale, members of the Cabinet, his wife Rosalynn, their children and his mother.

And on Sunday, Carter demonstrated again the ability of a president to capture attention when he appeared on NBC's "Meet the Press." He urged a boycott of the Summer Olympics in Moscow and defended the policies pursued during his three years in the White House. Unless the Russians pull their forces from Afghanistan within a month, the president said, "neither I nor the American people would support the sending of an American team to Moscow." Carter's chief rival for the Democratic nomination, Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, was also on nationwide television Sunday. On ABC's "Issues and Answers," he said he would support an Olympics boycott, but called that proposal and

Midland's sales top \$281 million

AUSTIN — Midland County reported \$281,555,270 in gross sales during the third quarter of 1979, with \$281,406,792 of that amount being taxable, according to a report released by the office of State Comptroller Bob Bullock. Midland has 1,995 reporting outlets. From its \$281 million figure, deductions amounted to \$106,030,881. Use tax purchases totaled \$4,055,092, leaving the amount subject to tax by the state at \$119,511,003. Ector County, with 3,017 reporting outlets, recorded \$598,305,600 in gross sales during the final quarter last year. The gross taxable sales was \$598,302,133 while deductions amounted to \$423,728,105. Use tax purchases totaled \$14,874,118. The final amount subject to tax was \$189,448,146. Howard County, with Big Spring as its county seat, had an unusually good quarter with only 824 reporting places. The county had \$281,772,450 in gross sales. Big Spring reported \$281,763,581 in gross taxable sales.



Workers for the Carter-Mondale team keep the telephone lines busy on the eve of the Iowa precinct caucuses. Using a bank of 26 telephones at the Carter-Mondale headquarters, the workers urge voters to support their candidates at the caucuses Monday night. The Iowa caucuses are one of the earliest indications of strength for upcoming political conventions. (AP Laserphoto)

Carter to release program for '80

WASHINGTON (AP) — During the next 10 days, President Carter will reveal to the American public his blueprint for domestic and foreign programs in the fourth and most crucial year of his term in office. The president was to make public a 70-page statement of his domestic programs and priorities later today. He makes his State of the Union address to Congress on Wednesday, followed by his proposed 1981 budget Monday and his annual economic report early next week. Taken together, the four documents will detail the president's goals for 1980. Carter also is expected to use them to put the best possible face on his presidency in an election year. Looking relaxed and confident, the president started his fourth year in office Sunday by appearing on NBC's "Meet the Press" program. He later traveled to Camp David to

spend the night. Carter is thought by many of his opponents to be vulnerable in his handling of the nation's economy during the past three years. Inflation has worsened and a recession is expected to occur in 1980. But the president made clear in his television appearance that he plans to stay on the offensive on economic issues as much as possible. He said he had been successful in reducing unemployment, which he described as "the prime threat to the country" when he took office, and contended the worsening inflation rate was almost entirely the fault of higher oil prices decreed by oil-exporting nations. "All of the increase in inflation, for practical purposes, since I have been in office, has been directly attributable to the increase in oil prices," Carter said.

Many economists would dispute that the rising inflation rate can be blamed totally on oil prices, however. They have singled out other causes — an increase in Social Security taxes, rising farm price supports and an increase in the minimum wage. The nation's unemployment rate was 5.8 percent last month, down from 7.9 percent when Carter took office. Inflation, on the other hand, increased to about 13 percent last year, up from 4.8 percent in 1976, the year before Carter took office. Carter directed some criticism at Congress, saying he had been "working with a Congress that sometimes acts too slowly." But he acknowledged that many problems remain. "We are struggling with these very difficult and complicated questions I think need to be pursued further, hopefully in a second term for myself," he said. Carter's major domestic initiative for fiscal 1981, which begins next Oct. 1, will be \$5 billion program to strengthen literacy among jobless youths. Carter has said previously it will be aimed at providing 3 million poor youths with sufficient education to enable them to find and hold jobs. Administration sources have said Carter also will support a 20 percent increase in subsidized housing for the poor for fiscal 1981. But Carter's budget and domestic proposals may be more notable for things that may not be included. For example,

He will finally have to acknowledge he has been unable to meet his 1976 campaign commitment of a balanced budget by 1981. — The budget will not include a tax cut that is often standard in election years. He is expected to emphasize the need to restrain government spending and hold down inflation, although he may hold out the prospect for a tax cut later in the year. He is unlikely to propose a rollback in the major Social Security tax increase now scheduled for 1981. For the first time in several years, there will not be a major new initiative with respect to energy.

Ward files for re-election

Judge William E. Ward announced Saturday he is a candidate for re-election as Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals for the Eighth Supreme Judicial District of Texas. The Eighth District includes a large area of West Texas and cases appeal from local district and county courts are heard there. "In many situations, our Appeals Court is the court of final jurisdiction, the court of last resort," Ward said in a prepared statement. "Other cases can be appealed from us to the Supreme Court sitting in Austin." "It is, therefore, of vital importance to your area that this court be a strong one," the statement said. A native of El Paso, Ward practiced law there and became judge of the 11th District Court in 1955, a position

he occupied until 1969 when he was appointed to the Court of Civil Appeals. Ward concluded his announcement with an attack on his only announced opponent in the race, Woodrow W. Bean II, stating "I am aware of the poor appellate record made by my announced opponent. His incompetency to hold any judicial position is reflected in the opinions which have been published by this court. He certainly lacks the legal ability necessary for any appellate judge, and it is my opinion that he is not qualified to hold this office," the statement said. Bean, currently judge of the 243rd District Court, filed for the May 3 Democratic primary Wednesday.

New boarding record set at Midland Airport

Boardings at Midland Regional Airport set a new record in 1979 with 114,720 leaving on planes from the facility, according to Col. Wilson Banks, director of aviation for the city. "The calendar year 1979 boardings exceeded our master plan forecast by 124,720 passengers," he said. By comparison, boardings in 1978 — which had set the previous record — hit 113,820. In 1977 the figure was 112,177, while in 1976 235,188 passengers boarded planes.

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Judge Garwood seeks re-election

AUSTIN — Judge Will Garwood filed recently as a candidate for re-election to the seat he now holds on the Texas Supreme Court. He filed in the Republican primary. "Texans for Judge Will Garwood," a nonpartisan 395-member steering committee for the campaign, is headed by former Supreme Court Chief Justice Robert W. Calvert, who was once chairman of the Texas Democratic Party, and Virginia Upham of Mineral Wells, member of the State Republican Executive Committee. Former Gov. Allan Shivers and former Ambassador Edward Clark are finance co-chairmen. New members announced last week include former Attorney General John Ben Shepperd of Odessa and two former State Bar presidents, Travis Shelton of Dallas and Paul Carrington of Lubbock.

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Hostage has strength, say Iowa neighbors

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Kathryn Koob, 41, one of the 49 American hostages held by the militant Iranian students since early November, has the stamina and spiritual strength to endure the captivity, former neighbors of Ms. Koob in her native Iowa said in Midland last weekend. "She is very strong-willed and strong in faith; she is a very strong person," said Beulah Bauer of Jubilee, Iowa. Mrs. Bauer and her husband, Harold, were in Midland last week-end visiting Midlanders Brian and Pat Conway, whom they had befriended while living in Phoenix, Ariz., in the early 1970s. Ms. Koob, who was cultural affairs officer at the Iran-American Society of Tehran, is fluent in five languages, including Persian. She apparently is suspected by the Iranian students of being a spy and may be subject to trial by the government of Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, the Bauers said. Ms. Koob went to school in Jasp, near Jubilee, with the Bauers' daughter, Barbara, now 48, and Geraldine, now 48.

Ms. Koob, a former school teacher who entered governmental service 10 years ago, has been in Iran since July. Her parents (Harold and Elsie Koob) told the Bauers that they believe President Carter's peaceful negotiations to free the hostages and avert war are sound and sensible. "Kathryn's father feels that our government is doing all it can do — exercising patience," Bauer, a retired farmer, said. And Bauer said that he approves of the U.S. imposed grain embargo as a ploy to free the hostages by depriving the Iranians of American raw food products. "I think it's all right," he said. "It may hurt (farmers) for a while. I think we have to do something to slow this aggression down." Apparently the only alternative to ensure the safety of the American hostages is for the American people to "pray, hope and pray," Mrs. Bauer said. She said that Ms. Koob left school-teaching for governmental service in foreign lands because "she likes a challenge." "And I guess this time she got more of a challenge than she expected."

the administration's partial embargo of grain sales to the Soviets "symbols" and added, "I don't think symbols are a substitute for an effective foreign policy." Kennedy said Carter must receive at least 50 percent of the caucus votes to claim victory — a difficult goal in a state that traditionally elects many uncommitted delegates. Kennedy found himself in the role of an underdog, a dramatic reversal from the days before he became a candidate and before the takeover of the U.S. Embassy in Iran, when the senator led Carter two to one in most polls. A poll conducted Jan. 6-9 by the Des Moines Register gave Carter 57 percent popular support to Kennedy's 25 percent. Just a month before, each man had drawn a 40 percent rating. Regardless of the outcome in Iowa, said Kennedy, he's in the race "for the duration." On the Republican side, former California Gov. Ronald Reagan still led in the latest Register poll but had slipped badly from his showing in an earlier one, taken before the televised debate earlier this month in which he declined to participate. Several other Republican hopefuls predicted former U.N. Ambassador and CIA Director George Bush, who campaigned hard and organized well in Iowa, will finish ahead of Reagan. Appearing Sunday on the CBS program "Face the Nation," Bush said no one should expect him to win but "we might do better than expected." Then he summed up the kind of predictions many of the candidates have been making about each other: "It's the oldest thing in politics. Lower your own expectations, elevate the other guy's, then if you get clobbered you can say I told you so." Sen. Howard H. Baker Jr. told a rally in Des Moines that "I hope you'll turn out in massive numbers... That's the only way Howard Baker is going to do well." Former Gov. John B. Connally of Texas wound up his Iowa campaign on Saturday after a 40-hour marathon stint that demonstrated his stamina and, Connally hoped, provided an obvious reminder that Reagan will be 69 years old next month. The other active Republican candidate in Iowa was Rep. Philip Crane of

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Lily M. Hooten

DEL RIO — Services for Lily M. Hooten, 62, sister of Mary Cauttrell of Andrews, were Friday in Humphreys-Doran Funeral Home with Harold Thomas of the Central Church of Christ officiating. Burial was Saturday in Senterfet Cemetery at San Saba.

Mrs. Hooten died Wednesday in a Val Verde Hospital.

She was born June 11, 1917, in Sanderson. She was married to James Hooten of Del Rio.

Other survivors include two daughters, a son, three brothers and a sister.

Mark Simmons

ANDREWS — Services for Mark Simmons, 84, of Fort Worth, father of Maurice Simmons and Bob Simmons, both of Andrews, were to be at 2 p.m. today in the Church of Christ here. Burial was to be in Andrews Cemetery directed by Singleton Funeral home.

He died Saturday in a Fort Worth hospital after an illness.

Simmons was born March 4, 1895, in Libersfield. He retired in 1958 as a pipeline engineer for Mobil Oil Co.

Other survivors include his wife, a son, two daughters, a brother, a half-brother and a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Louis Scott

WINTERS — Services for Mrs. Louis (Mildred Allen) Scott, 64, of Andrews will be at 3 p.m. Tuesday in Winters Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor of Winters First Baptist Church officiating. Burial will be in Wingate Cemetery directed by Winters Funeral Home.

She died Sunday afternoon in an Andrews hospital after a long illness.

Mrs. Scott was born Nov. 8, 1915, in Wingate. She was married to Louis Scott April 1, 1933, in Ballinger. The couple had lived in Wingate for several years. They had been longtime residents of Andrews.

Other survivors include her husband; two daughters, Peggy Miller and Mrs. Houston McMillan, both of Midland; two sisters, Mrs. Jo Wilson of Tatum, N.M., and Juanita Wilson of Odessa; and two grandchildren.

Douglas' burial in Arlington

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court's champion of free speech and the right to privacy for nearly four decades, William O. Douglas, will be buried Wednesday at Arlington National Cemetery.

Today, the first order of business for the nation's highest court was to be a tribute to Douglas from Chief Justice Warren E. Burger. It is traditional that the chief justice pay tribute the first time the court meets after a justice's death.

Funeral services were scheduled at 11 a.m. EST Wednesday at the National Presbyterian Church here. Douglas will be buried near the grave of Supreme Court Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes.

He is survived by his fourth wife, Cathleen Curran. They married when he was 67 and she 23.

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Will R. Trammell

LAMESA — Services for Will Ray Trammell, 83, of Lamesa were to be at 3 p.m. today at Branon Funeral Home with the Rev. Olin Butler, pastor of the Northridge United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was to be in Lamesa Memorial Park.

Trammell died Friday in an Amarillo hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was a native of Dawson County. He was a longtime member of the Northridge United Methodist Church.

Survivors include a brother, Fred Trammell, of Lamesa.

Merle B. Rogers

Graveside services for Merle B. Rogers, 57, 2221 Cimmaron St., will be at 3 p.m. Tuesday in Resthaven Memorial Park with Dr. Ray Riddle of the First Presbyterian Church officiating. Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Rogers died Sunday in a Midland hospital.

He was born May 12, 1920, in Shidler, Okla., and spent his early life in Webb City, Okla. He entered the Army Air Force during World War II, and then returned to Webb City. He moved to Ozona in 1948 from Missouri. He moved in 1951 to Jal, N.M., where he worked for El Paso Natural Gas Co. Rogers moved to Midland in 1960. Recently he was a representative for Jewel Electronic Production.

Rogers was a member of the Masons, the Lions Club and the First Presbyterian Church of Midland.

Survivors include his wife, Elda; two sons, Barry Rogers of San Diego, Calif., and Rudy W. Rogers of Houston; his mother, Laura Chesnes of Tulsa, Okla., and four grandchildren.

The family requests that memorials be sent to the Allison Perennial Basin Cancer Therapy Center in care of Wayne Ulrich at Midland Memorial Hospital.

C.A. Castleberry

VERNON — Services for Clifford A. Castleberry, 75, of Vernon, stepfather of Martha Holton of Midland, were to be at 2 p.m. today in Sullivan Funeral Home chapel here. Burial was to be in Eastview Cemetery.

He died Saturday in a Vernon hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born Oct. 16, 1904, in Denton County. He was married March 9, 1970, to Elizabeth Arnold in Vernon.

Other survivors include his wife, a daughter, three brothers, three sisters, two stepchildren, 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

V. M. Valgamore

Vernon M. (Val) Valgamore, 70, of Wickenburg, Ariz., died Sunday in a Midland hospital.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Friday in the First Presbyterian Church in Wickenburg, Ariz. with the Rev. W.W. Hutchison officiating. Burial will be in Wickenburg directed by the Wickenburg Funeral Home.

He was born Oct. 12, 1909. He spent his early life in California and later Montana. He moved to Arizona in 1945. He lived in Wickenburg since that time. He came to Midland four months ago. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Wickenburg and the Fraternal Order of the Eagles.

Survivors include two brothers-in-law, Davis Williams and Horton Williams, both of Mesa, Ariz.; and two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Howard Stanley and Mildred Johnson, both of Midland.

Mrs. J. Cornett

SAN ANGELO — Services for Mrs. J.A. (Gertrude) Cornett, 81, of San Angelo, mother of Sylvia Pruitt and E.A. Cornett, both of Lamesa, will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Johnson's Funeral Home chapel here with Elder Freddie Bowen of New Hope Primitive Baptist Church, and Elder Spencer Kirkpatrick officiating.

Burial will be in Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens.

She died Sunday at her residence.

Mrs. Cornett was born Feb. 15, 1898, in Williamson County and was married to J.A. Cornett April 4, 1918, in Vincent. She was a resident of San Angelo 22 years and was a member of New Hope Primitive Baptist Church.

Other survivors include her husband, a daughter, five sons, a brother, three sisters, 20 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

Aaron Mayo

LUBBOCK — Services for Aaron Mayo, 74, father of Jane Mayo of Lamesa, will be at 2 p.m. here Tuesday in the First Church of the Nazarene with the Rev. Eugene Sanders officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park directed by Sanders Funeral Home.

Mayo died Sunday in a Lubbock hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was married to Pauline Mitchell Nov. 26, 1924 in Chillicothe. They moved to Lubbock in 1957. He was a member of the First Church of the Nazarene.

Other survivors included his wife, a son, three brothers, two sisters, 12 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

Debra Furlow

LAMESA — Services for Debra Fuqua Furlow, 28, of Slaton and formerly of Lamesa, will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Harrell Funeral Home chapel in Dublin. Burial will be in Gentry Mills Cemetery directed by Harrell Funeral Home. Local arrangements were handled by Branon Funeral Home of Lamesa.

Mrs. Furlow died Saturday in Lubbock.

The Lamesa native was a meat inspector for the state health department. She was a 1969 graduate of Lamesa High School.

Survivors include two daughters, Audra Turney and Vanessa Turney, both of Slaton; two step-sons, Lee Furlow and Michael Furlow, both of O'Donnell; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Fuqua of Lamesa; a brother, Glenn Fuqua of Lamesa and her grandparents, Mrs. Ben Fuqua of Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. E.D. Westfall of Dublin.

Apolonio Garcia

FORT STOCKTON — Services for Apolonio L. Garcia, 86, of Fort Stockton, brother of Isibro Garcia of Big Lake, were to be at 4 p.m. today in St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Burial was to be in Holy Family Cemetery directed by Fort Stockton Funeral Home.

Garcia died Friday in a Fort Stockton nursing home.

He was born Feb. 7, 1893, in Fort Stockton. He was married Aug. 4, 1933, to Angellita Pina in Fort Stockton. Garcia was a retired ranch worker and a member of the Catholic Church.

Other survivors include his wife, six sons, three daughters, a brother, two sisters, 17 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Harry Klemm

NAZARETH — Services for Harry Klemm, 79, father of Nora Barnette and Valerie Brockman, both of Midland, were to be at 11 a.m. today in the Holy Family Church here. Burial was to be in Holy Family Cemetery directed by Wallace Funeral Home.

Klemm died Friday in a Dimmitt hospital.

A native of Ottawa, Ohio, he married Clara Acker Feb. 16, 1909, at Hereford. He had moved to Nazareth from Ohio in 1906.

Other survivors include his wife, two daughters, two sons, a brother, 35 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

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AMATEUR NIGHT



Use tax dollars wisely

When does "a good thing" become "too much of a good thing" and turn into something that's counterproductive?

Take, as an example, California's now famous Proposition 13, authored by Howard Jarvis. That tax reduction method set a new trend and resulted in the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations terming 1978 "The Year of the New Populism."

Spurred on by California's example, taxpayers throughout the nation began to organize similar tax reduction movements. Legislatures in several states responded to the growing movement by cutting personal income taxes and sales taxes to some extent.

That isn't necessarily a bad thing. Certainly taxpayers should not be overburdened by exorbitant, unfair or unwise taxes.

On the other hand, however, the services that the residents of any state enjoy are funded by the tax dollars the taxpayers furnish.

In some instances, taxpayers pay for services they never receive the benefit from. That's the American way — sometimes we

help to provide services for those less fortunate than ourselves.

California voters, now, are looking at another tax reduction method, a June 3 proposal that would cut personal income taxes in half. According to news accounts, the cut in taxes would result in a \$5 billion loss to the California treasury.

Once again, as in Proposition 13, author of the initiative is Mr. Jarvis.

Voters certainly should have this say in how their tax dollars are to be spent and to a degree they should be able to control the decisions of for what items their taxes are spent.

With that power, however, comes a responsibility — the responsibility of making certain that no services actually needed by the majority of the state's residents are curtailed.

Voters should have a say in cutting taxes whenever possible, but they should carefully study the impact of their actions. Failure to do so could result in more harm than the tax savings would justify.

A great service given

This year's version of the Midland County Livestock Show was the biggest and the best ever.

During the show, held last week, more than 200 4-H and FFA youngsters exhibited 362 head of livestock.

Those youngsters worked diligently with their livestock, learning the principles of good business practices, and they saw their toils pay off at the livestock auction when their animals were sold for nearly \$57,000.

The values and the principles these youths learn from their 4-H and FFA projects will remain with them throughout their lives and help to make them better businessmen and businesswomen.

During the past several years the county livestock show and auction has been becoming bigger and better, and has become a source of pride for many residents of Midland and Midland County.

That success is due primarily to a group of individuals known collectively as the Midland County

Livestock Association. That organization's role, and that of those who support it, in the livestock show cannot be overemphasized.

But some of the success for the livestock show and auction can be attributed to County Agent Charlie Green, who has worked hard and long over a period of 30 years building the show and sale.

His efforts and the efforts of the Midland County Livestock Association are deserving of the appreciation and respect of all the residents of Midland County.

BROADSIDES



INSIDE REPORT:

Mideast peace stance stirs trouble for John Connally

By ROWLAND EVANS AND ROBERT NOVAK



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WASHINGTON — In another effort to end Jewish anger over his Middle East peace plan, John B. Connally spent two hours in an unannounced talk with Israeli Ambassador Ephraim Evron at the Palm Beach home of Max Fisher, a prominent Republican Jewish leader from Detroit, the day after Christmas.

Connally's Mideast proposals were bold and comprehensive but they were considered unfriendly by Israel and some American Jewish leaders. They have kept him in hot water with the American Jewish community ever since his Oct. 11 speech.

At the time, aides of the Republican presidential candidate were furious at alleged "leaks" from the Israeli Embassy here, adding fuel to the anti-Connally fires. The meeting with Evron, arranged by Fisher, gave Connally a chance to explain pro-Israeli parts of his Mideast peace plan and counter his critics. Connally also told Evron that he would make an other major Mideast speech in the near future elaborating on his bold October speech.

A footnote: The sudden ouster of Sam Hoskinson, Connally's top issues operative, by the campaign's new superboss, Charles Keating, sent a shock wave through Connally's Arlington, Va., headquarters operation here last week. Hoskinson, who left President Carter's National Security Council staff to join Connally's campaign last spring, was the 13th campaign aide to be fired by Keating.

THE REAGAN CABINET

Front-running Ronald Reagan and

his Republican presidential campaign reached solid agreement on one post-election policy during their three-day, closed-door strategy session in Los Angeles last week: to bring conservative and moderate Democrats into a Reagan Cabinet and government.

All this, of course, depends on Reagan holding his lead position, winning nomination and then election next November. The Reagan operatives will push hard for a conservative coalition not only to help Reagan staff his government but to give him a shot at a working coalition-majority on Capitol Hill. Congress has heavy Democratic majorities in both houses today, a situation that the Republicans might substantially improve in the Senate but probably not in the House.

Particularly targeted for courtship by a Reagan administration would be leading lights in the Coalition for a Democratic Majority (CDM), the defense-oriented political lobby headed by Ben Wattenberg, a former White House aide to Lyndon B. Johnson. Honorary CDM chairmen are Sens. Henry M. Jackson and Daniel Patrick

CULVER THE NEUTRAL

President Carter's campaign operatives had a moment of fear — needlessly, it turned out — that Sen. John Culver of Iowa was going to deliver a last-minute endorsement of his Harvard buddy and close friend, Sen. Edward M. Kennedy.

Culver has been studiously neutral in the Carter-Kennedy race. He worried the Carter camp when he bought statewide radio time the evening of Jan. 21 — coinciding with Iowa's important Democratic caucuses that will choose between Carter and Kennedy. What's more, Culver sent out letters urging each of the 2,510 caucuses to tune in the radio to hear him. Was he planning a dramatic 11th hour plea for old pal Teddy? Not a chance. Culver, facing a tough battle for reelection to the Senate has no intention of antagonizing Carterites (though nobody doubts his personal preference for Kennedy). Culver's Iowa staffers now have made clear that his radio message will urge support for his Senate campaign and certainly not choose sides for president.

WILL OTTAWA PLAY?

Bogged down in a torrid election campaign, Canada's government has not yet given the U.S. the pledge Jimmy Carter has implied he already has: that Canada will not cash in on the U.S. grain embargo to the Soviet Union by upping its own sales to Moscow.

But despite lack of hard promise, the White House is convinced Canada will go along with Washington, as Australia — a third major grain exporter — quickly did. Until Feb. 18, when the Canadian election will be

held, the White House will be

WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

Is Pakistan the Kremlin's goal?



By JACK ANDERSON

Red Army pinned down in a war of attrition, costly in both men and material. But the barren hills of Afghanistan don't afford the protection that the jungles of Vietnam gave to guerrilla operations.

Furthermore, the NSC analysts concluded glumly, the rebels are not only poorly armed and running out of food, but they have no leader of Ho Chi Minh's stature to organize the battle against the Soviets. Intelligence agencies have identified more than 50 distinct, semi-autonomous rebel groups in various areas of Afghanistan.

There is, however, one potential similarity to our involvement in Southeast Asia — and it is a dangerous one. Afghan refugees are already streaming into Pakistan by the thousands. If they were to establish bases there to supply the rebels in their homeland, the Russians might follow in "hot pursuit" across the border, citing the Nixon administration's "incursion" into Cambodia as a precedent.

An immediate decision of the NSC was to give military aid to the faltering dictatorship of Pakistan's president, General Zia ul Haq. Congressional leaders were asked to find a way around a Foreign Assistance Act loophole known as the Symington amendment, which forbids military aid to a country that may be developing nuclear weapons.

GRAIN EMBARGO POLITICS

The usually even-tempered Gov. Robert Ray of Iowa was outraged when Republican National Chairman William Brock supported President Carter's Soviet wheat embargo.

It was not merely Brock's decision that rankled but the fact that it was reached without consulting senior Republican politicians from the farm belt — such as Bob Ray, the man who has governed Iowa for 12 years. Ray felt Brock undercut Republican presidential hopes, all of whom (with the exception of maverick Rep. John Anderson) have opposed the embargo.

Ray, who normally does not seek out confrontation, planned to telephone Brock in Washington with a piece of his mind.

CHARLEY REESE

Reasserting our values important to success



Charley Reese

ORLANDO, Fla. — The key to understanding what is happening to us is to realize that we as a nation are not dealing with the world on a moral basis and that we haven't been doing that for many years.

It may seem strange to some that morality has anything to do with geo-strategic politics, but it really has everything to do with it. Your morality provides the framework for all of your decisions.

There was a time when the United States and especially its leaders were moral. We believed in individual freedom and we made no apologies for that. We believed in the value of each individual human life and we made no apologies for that. We believed in honesty, both public and private; in frugality and in hard work.

When public issues arose, we made our decision on the basis of our morality. In other words, we would ask ourselves, will this decision promote freedom, respect for life, honesty, frugality and productivity.

It was at the precise point where our leaders no longer believed in those values (they still occasionally pay lip service) that things began to go wrong.

No man or group of men can function without a set of moral values so when you discard one set, you automatically replace them with another set even though you choose not to define and identify them explicitly.

Let me give you an example. At the end of World War II, there were some 600,000 people who had defected from the Soviet Union. The Soviet tyrant, Joseph Stalin, wanted them back. They were in our custody.

Therefore, we had a decision to make. We knew that if we returned those people, they would be killed or imprisoned. If our leaders at that time had been moral men, they would have told Stalin: look, all men, including these are free. It is their decision and we will respect their decision.

Sadly, our leaders did not say that. They chose to sacrifice the lives of 600,000 people in order to placate Stalin. In one of the most shameful episodes in American history, American soldiers forced these people at gunpoint onto trucks and delivered them to Stalin. Many of them committed suicide. It became known as Operation Keelhaul and it was so disgraceful that it was kept from the American people for a long time.

Our leaders had changed. They were now valuing other things higher than human life and that is why, in my opinion, we have failed since World War II to even contain communism, much less defeat it. Our leaders adopted the communist morality, but lack the communist ruthlessness and dedication.

Instead of making decisions on the basis of liberty and respect for the individual life our leaders have been making decisions on the basis of short-term benefits, like what promotes business or avoids conflict. Those values inevitably lead to appeasement of evil and that is exactly what we have been doing for 30 years.

It is no surprise then that so many people in the world today look upon us as cynically as they do the communists. In terms of moral values, there is no difference between our leaders and theirs, though our leaders have gone to great lengths to keep up a pretense.

No leader who had the traditional American morality would have signed the Helsinki Agreement which officially recognizes the Soviet colonization of Eastern Europe and the Baltic States. A moral American would have said, "We may lack the means to free those people but we will never condone their slavery."

No moral person would even suggest dealing with the PLO, for to do so reflects the belief that political goals have a higher value than respect for human life.

No moral leader would propose, as a solution to the Vietnamese refugee problem, that the Vietnamese put them in prison or kill them rather than allow them to flee.

I believe that if you will pursue this line of thought, you will see that all of our problems — the increasing collectivization of our economy at the expense of liberty and the continued appeasement of communism — are logical consequences of a shift in American morals from our traditional values.

I believe that if we re-assert the values of liberty and respect for individual life, we will triumph but if we refuse to do this, we will fail.

THE BIBLE

CAN YOU QUOTE IT?

By LAVINA ROSS FOWLER AND ELIZABETH ROSS WIERSEMA

1. John Wesley (1703-1791) founder of Methodism, later came to America and established it here. When he returned to England he sent Francis Asbury (1701-1861), who was the first Bishop. He arrived here 208 years ago on Oct. 27, 1771, following instructions of his teachings. What? Matthew 28: 19.
2. Saul (Paul) was struck blind on the Damascus Road. He remained that way until the Lord sent a man who talked with him. Whom? Acts 9: 17.
3. What was the punishment for contempt of court in Moses' time? Deut. 17: 9-12.
4. Was the father of Shem, Ham and Japheth named Nathan, Neriah or Noah? Gen. 5: 32.
5. Which of the following men said, "I am an old man and my wife well stricken in years."? Genesis 18, Luke 1, 1 Sam. 1.
- Four correct...excellent. Three correct...good.

BIBLE VERSE

Every word of God is pure; he is a shield unto them that put their trust in him. — Pro. 30: 5.

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Tom Snyder, model trains buff, watches the action provided by fellow enthusiast Gary Coleman (star of NBC's "Diff'rent Strokes") at Coleman's home in Los Angeles during a portion of "Tom Snyder's Celebrity Spotlight" a prime-time, celebrity-filled show to be presented on NBC, Monday, Jan. 21.

After working for almost 15 years in a variety of broadcasting jobs, Snyder joined KNBC, the NBC Station in Los Angeles in 1970. Snyder added the assignment as "Tomorrow" host to his duties in 1973, for which he won an Emmy in 1974.

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

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6:00	News NBC News	News Carol Burnett	News Joker's Wild	El Chapulin	Bewitched Jeannie	Another Voice MacNeil	Star Trek
7:00	Little House On Prairie	WKRP In Cin. Last Resort	Laverne Angie	Los Ricos Esta Noche	Gunsmoke	Newsday America	Jim Rockford
8:00	Hope, And Song	M.A.S.H. House Calls	Stone	Hogar Musical	M.T. Moore Bob Newhart	Special "Joan"	700 Club
9:00	Tom Snyder's Spotlight	Lou Grant	Family	La Otra Mujer	Movie "The"	Robinson 1 Woman's	D. Thompson
10:00	News Iowa Caucus	News Harry O	News Barney Miller	Pecado 24 Horas	Great Ice Rip-Off	Story Follow-Up	Prophecy Faith Lives
11:00	Tonight Iowa Caucus	McCloud	Police Story	Sin De	Late Movie "Butter"	Previews Disco	Pentecost Life Of Riley
12:00	Tonight		Wrestling	Noche	field 8"	Earth, Sea & Sky	

Drug useful against opiates

By SANDRA L. BALMER

CHICAGO (AP) — A drug commonly used to treat high blood pressure can help eliminate physical addiction to heroin and other opiates in two weeks, researchers at Yale University report, in a breakthrough that one doctor calls the most important development for addicts "since the hypodermic needle."

The drug, clonidine hydrochloride, stimulates the brain, causing it to suppress the agonizing symptoms of withdrawal, the physicians wrote in the Journal of the American Medical Association.

"For addicts it's the most important thing since the hypodermic needle," said Dr. Mark S. Gold, one of four physicians whose work was reported in the journal's Jan. 25 edition.

"It's the first treatment for addiction and withdrawal that does not

involve the use of another opiate."

Clonidine would be effective in treating physical addiction to all drugs derived from opium, including heroin, morphine, codeine, and the synthetic narcotic methadone, Gold said.

The article reported on the treatment of 10 patients at Fair Oaks Hospital in Summit, N.J.

Gold said in an interview that he has since used the drug to help at least 50 other persons withdraw from physical opiate addiction, with a success rate of 90 percent to 100 percent.

But emotional, psychological or environmental pressures may lead to re-addiction, Gold said about half the 60 patients treated so far with clonidine became re-addicted — the same rate as for other detoxification programs.

Traditional detoxification programs usually involve a slow, progressive

decrease in the use of opiates, producing symptoms including extreme anxiety, nausea, vomiting, watery eyes, runny nose and delusions of dying. Withdrawal is so unpleasant that most users continue their dependency, Gold said.

For instance, methadone treatment used to wean patients from heroin requires using the drug for a year or more, then gradual withdrawal over six months. Most studies say only 50 percent of those who start detoxification with methadone physically kick the habit. Only half of those stay drug-free. Methadone is itself addictive and patients also experience withdrawal pains from it.

"And even with a slow decrease in methadone dosage, people are sick over a six-month period," Gold said.

Clonidine stimulates the brain to suppress symptoms of withdrawal,

al, he said. During withdrawal, certain brain pathways become irritated or hyperactive, causing pain and discomfort.

In earlier research, the team identified a group of cells which heroin acts upon to block the symptoms of withdrawal. The cells, located in a part of the mid-brain called the locus coeruleus, control cells in other areas of the brain — the cortex, the hypothalamus and the lymphatic system.

The doctors found that in the brains of non-addicts, a substance is released to suppress the irritation naturally. But taking opiates "changes the body chemistry so it can't do that," Gold said.

After identifying the cells involved, the team began searching for a drug which would act on the brain to suppress withdrawal symptoms even for addicts. They found clonidine.

"Clonidine stimulates the kind of cell regulators which inhibits the cells until they relax, even though the brain is in opiate withdrawal," Gold said.

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Grocery workers plan strike

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Operators of some 300 food markets in the San Francisco Bay area vowed to keep their stores open today despite a threat of selective strikes by grocery workers.

"No one will go hungry," said John Bacon, a spokesman for the Food Employers Council. He said managers and interim workers would operate the stores.

Bacon said the markets, including those of several chains, amount to 75 percent of the food stores in an eight-county area.

Those not singled out for walkouts by the United Food and Commercial workers will lock out union employees, Bacon said.

"The greed displayed by these local unions is emphasized when one realizes that they are the highest paid food clerks in the United States, and

they have the best fringe benefits and working conditions of any food clerks in the United States," Bacon said.

The council says union grocery workers in San Francisco receive \$351 weekly, compared to \$348 in Kansas City and \$285 in New York City.

The strike was called after rejection of a contract Sunday by the food workers union, whose members voted 7,531 to 231 against the council's latest offer. The union has about 17,500 members.

The strike was scheduled to begin at the close of business Sunday, which meant at midnight for most stores.

The council's offer called for a three-year pact increasing wages for experienced clerks by \$1.73 hourly from the current \$8.79. The total wage and fringe benefit package amounted to \$3.97 an hour.

But the union had sought an hourly wage increase of \$1.81 1/2, with fringe benefits totaling \$4.58.

Union spokesman David Selvin said the strike was called initially against Safeway, Cala Foods Inc. and Fry's Food Stores Inc. Selvin said their selection did not mean that other stores might not be struck later.

Selvin said operators of other stores, including Alpha Beta, Lucky, Albertson and Ralphs, were asked to sign interim agreements saying they would accept the contract, a move rejected by the employers.

Bacon said employers who were not initially struck would implement a "defensive lockout." He said the "lockout" was recommended so the union would be "informed, and knows, that a strike against one company or a limited group of companies will be considered a strike against the entire group of employers."

"We can't permit a whipsaw tactic to cause one firm to suffer while others pick up their businesses," he said.

SHEINWOLD ON BRIDGE

Trumps as Stoppers

By Alfred Sheinwold

The trump suit gives you not only something to name during the bidding but also extra stoppers during the play. Take care of your trumps and your trumps will take care of you.

West's jack of diamonds drew out the queen, king and ace. South led the ace of trumps and then ran three clubs to discard dummy's low diamond. So far, so good.

South ruffed a diamond in dummy and then foolishly led a trump to the king. After ruffing another diamond South had to lead hearts. West took the ace of hearts, drew trumps and took the setting trick with the jack of clubs.

South dealer
North-South vulnerable

NORTH
♠ 8 6 5 4
♥ K Q 7 6 3
♦ Q 8
♣ A 4

WEST
♠ Q J 9 3
♥ A 9
♦ J 10 9
♣ J 9 6 2

EAST
♠ 10
♥ 10 8 5 2
♦ K 7 5 4 3
♣ 10 8 5

SOUTH
♠ A K 7 2
♥ J 4
♦ A 6 2
♣ K 7 3

South West North East
1 NT Pass 2 ♠ Pass
2 ♦ Pass 4 ♣ All Pass

Opening lead — ♦ J

KEEP CONTROL

South should keep control of the trumps by leading a low heart from dummy after ruffing the first diamond in dummy.

West takes the ace of hearts but cannot draw trumps. South wins the spade return, ruffs his last diamond in dummy and leads two top hearts.

West can ruff the third heart, but South will then get his tenth trick with a low trump.

DAILY QUESTION

Partner bids one notrump (16 to 18 points), and the next player passes. You hold: ♠ Q J 9 3 ♥ A 9 ♦ J 10 9 ♣ J 9 6 2. What do you say?

ANSWER: Bid two clubs, the Stayman Convention, asking partner to bid a major suit of four or more cards. If partner bids two spades, you will raise to four, if he bids anything but two spades, you will bid three notrump.

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Volkswagen picketed

SOUTH CHARLESTON, W.Va. (AP) — Employees at the Volkswagen stamping plant here returned to the picket lines after rejecting a three-year contract, according to a United Auto Workers Local 1933 official.

The workers turned down the contract 239-180 after a two-hour debate Sunday because the hourly wage increases offered by the carmaker did not equal the pay received by workers at General Motors, Ford and Chrysler, according to a union official who asked not to be named.

The strike, which began Jan. 4, has affected almost 500 workers at the company's West Virginia plant and some 4,000 workers at the Volkswagen manufacturing plant in New Stanton, Pa.

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around town

By PATSY GORDON Lifestyle Writer

Several Midlanders were honored with awards at the Big Spring State Hospital Volunteer Services council annual awards luncheon.

The event also honored Agnes Currie, long-time resident of Big Spring and former school teacher. She was named recipient of the 7th annual Jack Y. Smith Award for exemplary volunteer service to the hospital.

Making the presentation to Ms. Currie was Lexeen Weaver of Midland, chairman of the Volunteer Services State Council.

Midlanders honored for their hours of service were Geri Collins, 100 hours; Ila Khory, 1,000 hours; Afton Fondren, 1,500 hours; Nan Prothro, 2,500 hours; Mari Tidmore, 2,500 hours; Ann Braselton, 6,500 hours; and Tup Ferguson, 12,500 hours.

DAVID HESTER, airman first class and son of Barbara A. Hester, 403 E. Cedar Ave., has completed Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base.

The airman, who is remaining at Lackland for specialized training in the security police field, studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

He is a 1977 graduate of Robert E. Lee High School. His wife, Ola, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oddis Owens, 101 S. Lamesa St.

THREE MIDLAND STUDENTS have been named to the Dean's List at Lubbock Christian College for the fall semester 1979.

They are: Kirk Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Davis, 507 San Angelo St., a sophomore business administration major with a 4.0 GPA.

Steven Joiner, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Joiner, 4610 Thomson Dr., a junior Bible major with a 3.82 GPA; and

Kelly Alexander, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Alexander, 4404 Anetta St., a junior accounting major with a 3.60 GPA.

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AIRMAN FIRST CLASS EDDIE L. COLEY, son of Lynell Coley, 1212 E. Jay Ave., Midland, has completed Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base.

Completion of this training earned the individual credits towards an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

He is a 1977 graduate of Robert E. Lee High School.

His wife, Carla, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allen, 1603 E. Oak Ave. His uncle, Lichon Coley, resides at 936 N. Weatherford St.

KATHLEEN HOGUE, 1904 Western Drive, has been named to the President's Honor Roll at Adams State College of Alamosa, Colo., for fall semester 1979.

To achieve this honor a student must have a 4.0 or straight A average.

MIDLAND CHAPTER, A.E.Y.C., will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at West Elementary School.

Officer Steve Otto of the Crime Prevention Unit of the Midland Police Department will give a presentation on crime prevention programs available to the public schools.

Preparations for the Week of the Young Child slated April 7 to 13 will begin.

THE LUNCH BUNCH, the new weekly series of programs sponsored by the Friends of the Midland Public Library, will meet at 11:45 a.m. Tuesday in the old American Legion Hall, 206 S. Colorado St., to hear Harrell Feldt, Midland attorney, review Henry Kissinger's book, "The White House Years."

The free programs are open to the public and interested persons are urged to bring a brown bag lunch. Coffee will be served.



Discussing final arrangements for the 18th annual National Young Artist Competition scheduled Friday and Saturday at Midland College are Midland Symphony Guild members Mrs. Danny O'Grady, Mrs. Earl Bruno and Mrs. Charis Koch, from left. The competition will present gifted

young musicians from throughout the U.S. and several foreign countries. Mrs. O'Grady heads the ushers committee for NYAC, Mrs. Bruno is co-chairman of the physical arrangements committee, and Mrs. Koch is co-chairman of the refreshments committee. (Staff Photo by Mike Kardos)

DEAR ABBY



By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: Whenever my husband and I have an argument we can't seem to settle, he says, "Write to Abby," so I'm writing.

On what holiday do the nation's florists do the biggest business? I say that the biggest day is Mother's Day. My husband says it's Valentine's Day. Also, is more money spent on flowers for funerals or weddings?

Orchids to you for any help you can give us. — THE BATTLING BRIGHAMS

DEAR BRIGHAMS: No orchids to me. I asked the Florists Transworld Delivery, and they listed the holidays in order of sales reported by the nation's florists:

- Christmas
Mother's Day
Easter
Valentine's Day
Thanksgiving

As for weddings versus funerals, funerals represent approximately 40 percent of an average florist's business, while weddings represent only 10 percent.

And what better time is there to remind my readers to give flowers to those you love while they can smell them!

DEAR ABBY: My sister is 46, divorced and a part-time swinger. I don't know what the definition of an alcoholic is, but I think she's one. When she's sober, she's a perfect lady, but after a few drinks she will go to bed with any guy who looks at her.

Sis recently met a fine gentleman who seemed very much interested in her, but he was turned off fast when after a few drinks she said, "If I ever marry again, my husband will have to let me have men friends once in a while because I need variety!" Well, Abby, what respectable man would want a wife like that?

If I could get her to quit drinking, do you think she would straighten out sexually? I think her appetite for "variety" is brought on by whiskey.

— CONCERNED BROTHER

DEAR BROTHER: Alcohol relaxes (and sometimes removes) inhibitions, so it would seem that your sister's promiscuity is brought on by her drinking.

Her "need for variety" can be cured only if she is strongly motivated to cure it. Work on one problem at a time. Keep her sober, and you may not have to worry about her promiscuity.

DEAR ABBY: I have never seen anything in your column about this subject. Perhaps it's not regarded as a problem by most, but I think it deserves a mention. I'll call it "Advice for parents-in-laws."

Parents, when you buy gifts for your married son or daughter, don't spend more on your son or daughter than you spend on his or her spouse. Example:

Christmas gifts for son: Cashmere sweater, tennis racquet, brief case, wrist watch.

Christmas gifts for his wife: A pair of oven mitts, a box of dusting powder, a Monopoly game, a subscription to TV guide.

And please don't give your married child a personal gift on his birthday, and give his spouse something "for the two of you." (Save the gifts "for the two of you" for their anniversary.)

I realize most parents are naturally inclined to be a little more generous to their own flesh and blood, but please don't be so obvious. It's tacky. — ME IN TEXAS

DEAR ABBY: Regarding what to give a couple for a wedding gift when they have lived together before marriage: I made a donation to PLANNED PARENTHOOD in their

honor. Sign me ... — PRACTICAL IN POMONA
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Your horoscope



By JEANE DIXON

Tuesday, January 22, 1980

YOUR BIRTHDAY TO-

DAY: Like talented actor Bill Bixby, who was also born on this day, your home is your fortress. You build a career, security, carefully plotting each move like a master chess player. This year holds many interesting possibilities, opportunities. Stick to the sure thing to boost income or advance your career. Meeting someone new could lead to a permanent romantic connection now.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Friend may share exciting news with you. Avoid envying another's good luck—your day is coming also. Remarkable mental rapport in a personal relationship delights you.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Relatives, in-laws are features today. Travel looks promising and even gadding about locally is productive as well as pleasurable.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Handle work that requires special concentration. Immediate gains are small but welcome. For parents, there is a happy development regarding offspring.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Discussions about earning

power with knowledgeable people are especially productive. Harmonious atmosphere tends to help you relax and do your best work.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Unpredictable actions by loved one may have you confused. Be calm and loving when requesting explanation. Cut back on buying nonessential items.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Your social life is booming now. Accept an interesting invitation, but make certain you are free of an old entanglement before becoming involved with someone new.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Financial events work in your favor and the immediate future looks better than ever in terms of security. Go along with an offset suggestion from mate or partner.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Temporary personal sacrifices required. You take pleasure in helping one who needs you, and show how capable you can be in times of trouble.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): An old friendship means more than ever and could turn into a romance.

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The wedding is set for Feb. 22 at 7:30 p.m. at Alamo Heights Baptist Church.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Lee High School and is employed by State Farm Insurance.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Midland High School and of South Plains Junior College in Levelland. He is employed by Wes-Tex Equipment Co.



Pamela K. Johnson

Bread fruit

Copley News Service

The baobob bears a fruit called monkey bread. Why is it called that? Because usually only monkeys will eat it in its raw form.

Baobob trees, which abound in the tropical parts of the African continent are known as some of the largest shade trees in the world.

The monkey bread is a fruit, but not much sought after as a delicacy. However, its pulp is made into a quite refreshing slightly acidic drink, sometime called the lemonade of Africa. A great deal of this drink is consumed in the Middle East.

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COPING WITH YOUR INCOME TAX

Income taxpayers to find '79 rates lower than last year

EDITOR'S NOTE — This is the first in a series of five articles entitled "Coping With Your Income Tax." They were written to help taxpayers prepare their 1979 tax returns.

By **GLENN RITT**

WASHINGTON (AP) — When you finally buckle down and face those income tax forms, you'll find what appears to be welcome news, a lower tax rate.

The government not only cut the rate this year by widening tax brackets, but it is allowing you to take a larger personal exemption than ever before.

But, don't cheer too loudly. Because of inflation, you may wind up paying more than you did last year.

Those who received a cost-of-living raise had cause for celebration, particularly with expenses rising so fast.

So did those who received extra interest on savings and investments. But, here's the catch: The greater your income, the higher percentage of it Uncle Sam wants.

"That shocks a lot of people," said George Ross, a Treasury spokesman. "People are making more money, but they're not prepared psychologically to pay more taxes."

Of course, it would be worse without the reduction in tax rates, he noted.

This year's forms contain major changes, reflecting the 1978 Tax Reform Act, which cut individual income taxes by \$13 billion.

The standard deduction (now called the zero bracket amount in legal taxese) has increased from \$2,200 to \$2,300 for an individual and from \$3,200 to \$3,400 for married couples.

In addition, the personal exemption has gone from \$750 to \$1,000. However, the general tax credit

cannot be claimed this year.

Not counting the effect of inflation, a taxpayer earning under \$5,000 a year will have his or her taxes cut, on average, by 36 percent. For those earning between \$5,000 and \$10,000, taxes will be reduced, on average, by 19 percent. For higher income brackets, the cuts will range from about 5 percent upwards, the Treasury Department says.

Last year, a married couple, filing jointly and earning \$17,000 would have paid \$2,710 in federal income taxes. This year, they will pay \$2,505 on the same salary, the IRS says. That's a \$205, or 8 percent, saving.

Another married couple that earned \$25,000 last year paid \$4,288 in taxes; this year, with the same income, they will pay \$4,050.

Here are other major changes:

— You no longer can claim state or

local gasoline taxes as an itemized deduction.

— Some unemployment compensation payments are taxable if they push your 1979 earnings over \$20,000 as an individual or \$25,000 as a married couple filing jointly.

— The earned income credit, which provides tax payments to many low income people to discourage them from taking welfare, has been liberalized.

The maximum credit has increased from \$400 to \$500, and people can get advances on that money to give them more take home pay. In addition, people now qualify for the credit if their income is \$10,000 or less. Last year's ceiling was \$8,000.

— People who itemize can no longer claim a deduction for political contributions. But the maximum tax credit for such contributions has been

doubled to \$50 for single taxpayers and \$100 for married couples filing a joint return.

The tax forms themselves again try to read as simply as possible, say IRS officials. That helps the agency as well as the taxpayer.

The IRS includes separate instructions in its tax booklet for each line of the return. The expanded tax tables, adopted in 1977, have been retained so that people can rely more on the 1040a short form.

As a result, more people are preparing their own taxes, the IRS says. In 1976, about 47 percent of all taxpayers sought outside help. Last year, that figure dropped to 39 percent.

"Last year, we had an error rate about the same as the year before, which itself showed a marked drop," said Robert Brauer, chairman of the IRS' tax form committee. Despite this improvement, the IRS

still is concerned that their forms are too complicated. It is spending \$1.2 million to study ways to improve the tax package.

Brauer said the study is asking: "Can we get the right forms more effectively into the hands of the right people? Can we set up specific forms for special segments of the population, for example, the elderly or the handicapped? Can we cut back some of the information in our general tax booklet?"

This year's forms will be mailed out beginning in late December and must be returned, of course, by April 15. As always, taxpayers who file early will get refunds faster than those who wait. If you file in January, your refund could arrive within four weeks. If you wait until April, the check won't arrive for eight weeks, the IRS advises.



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EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the fourth in a series of tax tip articles provided by the Permian Basin Chapter of the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants.

Each year millions of taxpayers ask themselves, "Should I file an itemized tax return?" The answer is "yes, if your deductions exceed the zero bracket amount already allowed."

For single taxpayers, that means deductible expenses must exceed \$2,300, or \$3,400 for married persons.

When considering itemizing, examine five major areas: interest; taxes; medical and dental expenses; charitable contributions and miscellaneous deductions.

Interest on loans frequently contributes the greatest amount to itemized deduction expenses. Be sure you account for all interest fees whether you borrowed to simply have cash on hand or pay for a mortgage, car or education. And, don't overlook the "finance charge" incurred when purchasing items by credit card, installment plan or budget charge cards.

Deductible medical/dental payments include non-reimbursed fees which exceed 3 percent of your adjusted gross income. Such fees include those paid to physicians or dentists; payment for hospital services, laboratory fees or x-rays; and costs for eyeglasses, hearing aids and parts, dentures and crutches.

These and other questions concern-

ing your 1979 tax return will be answered in the Taxpayer Education program. This public service course, sponsored by the Permian Basin Chapter of the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants and the Internal Revenue Service will be offered Feb. 5 and 7 from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Allison Fine Arts Building at Midland College and at Wilkerson Hall, Room 108, Odessa College.

To register for the program, send your name, address and location preference to Taxpayer Education, Box 870, Midland 79702. Registration fee is \$1 per person or \$1.50 per couple. Mailing deadline is Feb. 1. You may also pick up registration forms at the Administration Building, Room 156, Midland College.

Congress to convene Tuesday

WASHINGTON (AP) — Foreign policy and national security issues are expected to dominate the second session of the 96th Congress, which begins this week. Also competing for the lawmakers' attention, however, will be inflation and energy questions.

The House and Senate will convene at noon Tuesday, taking up where they left off Dec. 20.

Even before the opening gavels, however, members were focusing on the continuing crisis in Iran and Soviet moves in Afghanistan. Secretary of State Cyrus Vance was to meet with the Senate Foreign Relations Committee in a closed meeting late today.

Tuesday morning, a Senate subcommittee on international finance will hear testimony on the U.S. embargo of grain shipments to the Soviet Union. The panel's chairman, Sen. Adlai E. Stevenson, D-Ill., said a 1979 law gives Congress 30 days to veto controls on exports of farm commodities.

That afternoon, the Senate Agricul-

ture Committee is scheduled to hear from Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland on the same subject. Sen. Herman Talmadge, D-Ga., the committee chairman, said he is considering legislation to soften the embargo's impact on farmers.

Legislation to give preferred trade status to China is scheduled for floor consideration in both houses shortly after they convene.

On Wednesday, the Senate Armed Services Committee has called Defense Secretary Harold Brown to testify about events in Iran and Afghanistan and his just-completed trip to China. Vance will report to the House Foreign Affairs Committee the same day.

Wednesday night, President Carter will deliver a State of the Union address which press secretary Jody Powell said would deal almost entirely with the Afghan and Iranian crises.

The current budget is the first in history to exceed \$500 billion. Brown has said the president will ask \$137.5 billion in defense spending, a 5 percent increase after inflation is taken into account.

For members of the House-Senate conference committee working on the "windfall" tax on the oil industry, the session began in earnest last week. They spent Thursday and Friday trying to figure out how to tax the industry about \$227 billion of the extra \$1 trillion that gradual decontrol of U.S. crude oil prices will cost consumers in the 1980s.

Technically, the tax would be on extra revenue generated by decontrol, not profits. But without the tax, the oil companies would keep more of the revenue as profits.

Also awaiting agreement by conferees are measures creating a \$50 billion synthetic fuels program and a proposed Energy Mobilization Board, designed to speed construction of energy-producing projects. These conference committees are expected to resume meeting this week or next.

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Italian communists trumpet condemnation of Soviet move

ROME (AP) — Trum- peting condemnation of the Soviet intervention in Afghanistan, the Italian Communist Party is waging a new campaign

to prove its indepen- dence from Moscow as another Italian govern- ment crisis approaches. Party leader Enrico Berlinguer and other top

officials have been trav- eling up and down the peninsula criticizing the Soviet move. They also condemn the American reprisals, calling them threats to peace.

At the same time, they have been expressing an affinity with the West German Social Democ- rats' views on the need for detente and have taken favorable note of Pope John Paul II's re- cent expressions of alarm over the threats to peace.

The fate of Premier Francesco Cossiga's Christian Democratic government appears to have been sealed when the Socialists announced three days ago they would no longer support it in parliament. They urged that the Commu- nists be included in an "emergency" govern- ment.

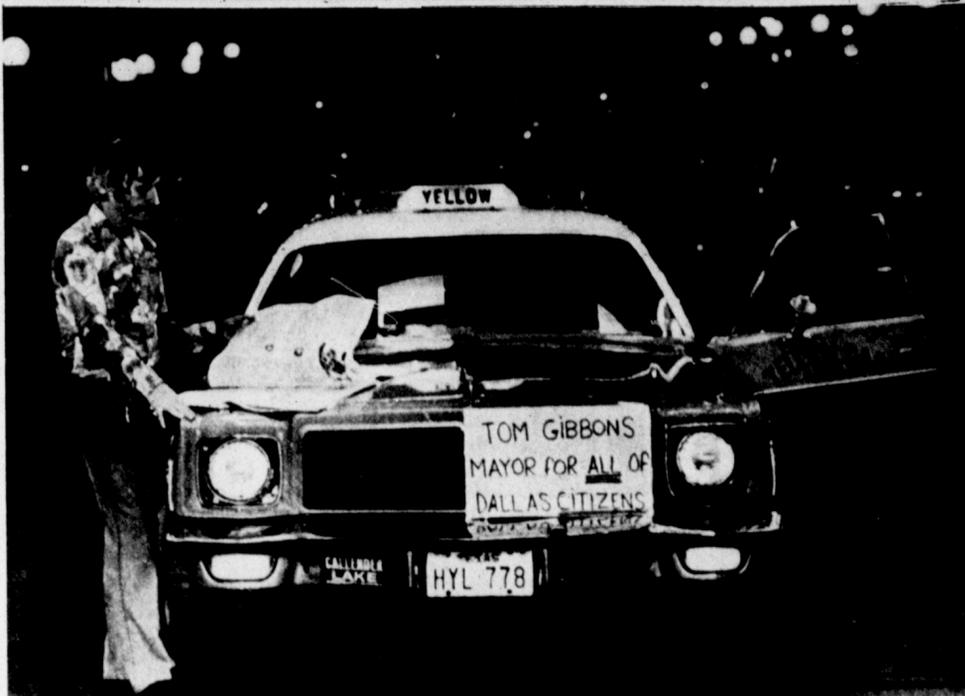
The Christian Democ- rats will have to decide their response to the Socialists at a party con- gress early next month. Already, however, party president Flaminio Piccoli referred to the fears raised by the deteriorat- ing health of President Josip Broz Tito in neigh- boring Yugoslavia. He said this could only heighten his party's opo- sition to admitting the Communists to the gov- ernment.

Cossiga will be in Washington on Thursday and Friday. The new agi- tation for Communist participation in the gov- ernment of this NATO nation will give a new

dimension to his talks with President Carter, Secretary of State Cyrus Vance and other leaders, all of whom are opposed to admission of the Com- munist to the Italian government.

Cossiga, whose minor- ity cabinet is Italy's 38th government since the end of World War II, has come under increasing criticism for failing to stamp out terrorism and slow down inflation, which reached 20 percent last year. The Commu- nists, who won 30 percent of the vote in parliamen- tary elections last June to 38 percent for the long- dominant Christian Democrats, claim the country cannot be gov- erned without them.

Their present cam- paign appears aimed at removing lingering doubts among the Ital- ians of their indepen- dence from Moscow de- spite their Eurocom- munist course pledging adherence to Italy's par- liamentary system and respect for civil liber- ties.



Taxi cab driver Tom Gibbons looks through a newspaper while waiting for mayoral election returns Saturday night in Dallas. Gibbons, the I-don't-want-to-win challenger of Mayor Robert S. Folsom, changed his mind in mid-cam- paign and started courting votes seriously. However, he lost as expected. (AP Laserphoto)

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Grandstands collapse, 162 dead

SINCELEJO, Colombia (AP) — The death toll in the collapse of a crowded wooden grandstand in this northern Colombian city climbed to 162 today, police said. The weekend accident at a bull-running left 500 spectators injured.

The bleachers, an upward extension of the grandstand at Colombia's largest bullring, were supported by long beams sunk into the ground. Officials said recent heavy rains softened the ground and the beams gave way under the weight of the crowd. Some witnesses said that when rain started to fall,

people rushing to the back of the stands where there was an overhead shelter caused the collapse. An estimated 40,000 fans had packed the bullring Sunday afternoon. Witnesses said about 3,000 were in the five sections that crashed down.

Each of the five sections was designed to hold about 500 persons, but witnesses said there were about 700 in each. The tragedy occurred as the fans were excitedly cheering scores of youths and men in the ring running from several bulls before the start of the bullfights.

"We were at the eastern-end grandstand when suddenly I noticed that one of the sections began to fall backwards, and then the other four fell, trapping thousands of persons," said one of the spectators, Eduardo Ruiz.

Some of the victims were impaled on the splintered beams; others were trampled by panic-stricken survivors. Many of the victims were children who were seated around the ring and hit by the falling debris.

Holcomb shows top steer at Stanton

STANTON — Clay Holcomb, a 16-year-old Martin County 4-H Club member, exhibited the grand champion steer, a 1,240-pound exotic breed, at the annual Martin County Livestock Show over the weekend.

The blue-ribbon calf, one of 33 steers exhibited, is a heavyweight Limousin cross. Reserve grand champion calf, also a Limousin cross, was shown by Judith Yates, 17, a 4-H'er at Grady. The calf weighed in at 1,175 pounds.

Grand champion swine was a 184-pound Duroc shown by Meg Vann, 16, a Future Farmers of America student at Stanton High School. Reserve grand champion pig was a 205-pound Hampshire shown by Kaki Elmore, 9, a 4-H'er in Stanton.

Bobby Matthews, 16, also a Martin County 4-H'er, showed the grand champion lamb, a finewool crossbred. Kara Welch of Grady showed the reserve grand champion, a finewool.

"It was a real good turnout; all of our people

supported it fantastically," Rick Vestal, the Martin County agent for agriculture, said of the show. The 85 FFA and 4-H youths exhibited 33 steers, seven heifers, 70 hogs, 72 lambs and three commercial beef cattle. Youngsters in the Martin County 4-H Club and in FFA chapters at Stanton, Grady and Klondike participated in the show.

Champion and reserve champion livestock according to breed were shown by:

- CALVES**
- American Breed: 1. Walton Stone, Grady FFA; 2. Koy Blocker, Stanton, 4-H.
 - British Breed: 1. Kody Newman; 2. Christopher Stone, Grady.
 - European Cross: 1. Clay Holcomb; 2. Judith Yates.
 - Heifers: 1. Bobby Matthews; 2. Clay Black, Grady.
 - Commercial Beef: 1. Heath North, Stanton, 4-H; 2. Tray North, Stanton, 4-H.

Angie Airhart wins blue ribbon

LAMESA — Angie Airhart of Klondike became Dawson County's 1980 "blue-ribbon" lass, as she showed the grand champion steer and grand champion barrow and then turned around and won the showmanship award over the weekend at the annual Dawson County Livestock Show.

Miss Airhart is a sophomore at Klondike High School, where she is a member of the Future Farmers of America chapter.

Her blue-ribbon calf is a 1,275-pound crossbred. Brent Airhart of the Klondike 4-H Club showed the reserve grand champion calf.

Benny Gass of the O'Donnell 4-H Club showed the reserve grand champion pig.

The three champion lambs were exhibited by Brent Airhart, Klondike 4-H, finewool lamb; Cleet Griffin, Lamesa 4-H, finewool cross; and Roxanne Airhart, Klondike 4-H, medium wool.

Showing the reserve champion lambs were Kent Airhart, Klondike 4-H, finewool; Traci Snell, Klondike 4-H, finewool cross; and Cleet Griffin, Lamesa 4-H, medium wool.

Roxanne Airhart also showed the champion Southdown lamb, and Cleet Griffin showed the reserve champion Southdown.

Exhibitors of the champion and reserve champion steers according to breeds were:

- Angus: 1. Lance Hunt of Lamesa 4-H; 2. Steve Bell of Lamesa.
- Shorthorn (Durham): 1. Chuck Senter; 2. Angie Airhart.
- Polled Hereford: 1. Nae Harris of Lamesa 4-H; 2. Brandon Harris of Lamesa 4-H.
- Hereford: 1. Brandon Harris; 2. Lance Hunt.
- Crossbred: Angie Airhart; 2. Brent Airhart.

Winning showmanship awards were: Benny Gass of O'Donnell, barrows; Dana Harp of Welch, lambs; and Angie Airhart, steers.

The Lamesa FFA chapter won the trophy for the nearest pen. Between 125 and 150 FFA and 4-H Club members showed approximately 210 pigs, 150 lambs and many heads of cattle.

Nkomo may seek U.N. intervention

SALISBURY, Rhodesia (AP) — Former guerrilla leader Joshua Nkomo said he will call on the U.N. Security Council to intervene in Rhodesia unless auxiliary forces are withdrawn from security operations.

"They are a political grouping of armed men and this cannot be allowed to go on," Nkomo told The Associated Press in an interview.

"They have molested people and ordered people to vote for (former Prime Minister Abel) Muzorewa. So Britain has got to move, and move fast."

Nkomo, who is running for Parliament in next month's black-majority rule elections, called on British Governor Lord Soames to take the estimated 30,000 auxiliaries out of circulation.

Intelligence sources said the auxiliaries are armed, most are loyal to Muzorewa and are being used by Rhodesian security forces to guard villages throughout the country.

"We shall call on the governor, if not the Security Council, to stop some of the things that are happening here, which have allowed making reconciliation very, very difficult," Nkomo said.

Nkomo said he warned British Foreign Secretary Lord Carrington of the problems during the Rhodesian cease-fire negotiations that ended in December.

He said last weekend he called for a Commonwealth force of between 5,000 to 10,000 men to monitor the elections and keep the peace between the Patriotic Front guerrilla alliance and Rhodesian forces.

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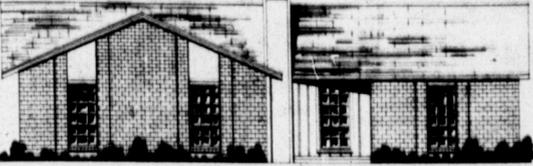
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NEW LISTINGS

ARROYA—3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, Townhouse beauty, sprinklered, Jennaire, compactor, Italian tile \$129,500

CAROL LANE—3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, very pretty, new 1/2 year, carpet in den & living room, paint, electric door opener, greenhouse \$108,000

ILLINOIS—2 bedrooms, 1 bath, lovely sun room. Water well for yard. Metal storage building \$96,500

LOUISIANA—3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, water well, tile electric, 25x30 super storage \$73,000

SIX BEDROOMS

PRINCETON—Spacious two story home. Beautiful fireplace, room for pool. Custom built, huge country kitchen, 3 1/2 baths \$187,500

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AUBURN—Kitchen is a dream, 2 baths in master, large wet bar with wine racks, Jenn-Air range, sequestered den, built-in desk, 4 1/2 baths, very nice, cathedral den w/wet bar, 2 1/2 baths, light & bright \$112,000*

MIDLAND'S FINEST & MOST PRIVATE ESTATE—Split level on 2 lots, 3 1/2 baths, 3 fireplaces, excellent landscaping. \$298,000

DAVEY CIRCLE—Custom built, 2 1/2 baths, sunken living room & dining. Kitchen island, built-in microwave \$88,850

DENVER—Great location & room for the money. New carpet, paint, wallpaper. Den w/fireplace, fr. \$84,500*

#1 GREENHILL—Overlooks the S/E green of Green Tree Country Club. Just completed elegant country estate w/gameroom, study, formal dining Zoned A/C & city luxuries. \$187,000

MRTZ—Comfortable family home, FHA approved for fun & growing. FHA equity or bond money. Near Emerson & Goddard. Offers wanted \$80,000

NEELY—Large bedrooms, well priced, vacant, immediate possession, bond money. W. Taylor appraisal of \$74,000 \$78,500

REBEL DRIVE—SWIMMING POOL. Enclosed patio w/wine way glass, wet bar, 4 1/2 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, 2 story \$140,000

STONEY—4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, cedar closets in hall, 2 fireplaces, vaulted ceilings, 1500 block 407 TAMPON, 43W OFF NORTH MIDLAND DRIVE—Green tree country club area. Heated pool, pool house on 2 acres, large metal barn, complete underground water system including pasture & pecan orchard. 2 1/2 baths \$128,750

AURORA—Two living areas, wallpaper touches, mini blinds, frg, fireplace, 1 1/2 baths \$87,000*

SOUTH BENTWOOD—Cheaper than new. Ramon builder, equity buy, immediate possession, 1 1/2 baths, bond money \$49,500

DRIZZLY—Sunny den, fresh as a daisy. Exterior paint new this year. 1 1/2 baths \$1,900*

DOUGLAS—Beautifully decorated home in super neighborhood. Lovely den, country kitchen, much storage. Workshop, 1 1/2 baths, 2 car garage \$79,500*

EASTWOOD—3 bedrooms, 2 baths, new A/C changed this year, will rent for \$375 \$33,000*

KRIE—New home, covered patio, fireplace, frg., can select colors, 2 baths \$55,500*

IMPERIAL—Spanish with courtyard, excellent area. Sequestered den, clean and good repair. \$74,150

KESLER—Lots of livable space & storage, tile fence, 2 living areas, 1 1/2 baths \$48,900

LAURA—Front courtyard w/inside patio. Expensive stoner doors, automatic sprinkler system w/summer 2 years young \$89,500

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McCLINTIC—Townhouse in mature area, 2 1/2 baths, professionally decorated, landscaped \$108,000

MUR—w/sumken tub, built-in built-ins, immediate possession, appraised \$108,000

EAST MAPLE—Low down payment. Will sell FHA. New carpet, fresh exterior paint, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths \$87,500*

NORTH—3 living areas, frg, fireplace, new decor, 2 car garage, good equity buy, 9 1/4% interest will not escalate an assumption, will sell on bond money \$67,500

NORTHTOWN PLACE—Jenn-Air range, cooking island, cathedral ceiling, formal dining, master bath has tub & shower, 3 baths, less than two years old \$104,000

SHELL—Nice family home. Good storage, water well, automatic sprinkler, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, 2 car garage w/electric opener. OFFER \$88,500*

SIESTA—Last of its kind in area. Contemporary 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, convenient to schools & college. Owner will help with financing \$45,000*

WADLEY—3 bedrooms, 2 baths. Will lease w/FHA approval until closing, financing available \$88,800

WADLEY—Atrium, skylights, one living area w/fireplace. Earth tone decor. Appraised, Kimberlea pool & tennis. OFFERS \$83,400*

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MELTON ALLEY—Atrium, skylights, decor young & versatile, fireplace, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths \$76,064

SCHARBAUER—Professionally decorated studio, Selected location, Sutton Place, you'll like this one, 2 bedrooms \$54,000

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12500 MOBILE HOME—Located in Sunter Mobile Home Park, 1/2 block to Town & Country Shopping Center, includes stove & refrigerator. \$6,500

CARRIZO—Good investment rental property, 3 units. Owner financed. Near Downtown \$50,000

1815 SOUTH—4 BR mobile home, 1.8 acres. Owner financed w/15,000 down. \$25,000

FINDO—3 miles from new shopping mall. 1 acre restricted home site, only 4 available. Owner financed with 25% down. \$4500 UP

NEELY—Good large residential lot, owner will sacrifice. \$6,000

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WASHINGTON: 2 houses on 1 lot. 2 BR, 1 bath & 1 BR, 1 bath \$29,500

SPRUCE: 1 BR & 2 BR duplex, income investment, remodeled. Owner financed with 1/2 down \$28,000

MONTGOMERY: 2 BR with 3 lots. Owner financed \$19,500

CLARK: 2 BR, 1 bath, owner financed to develop, city water \$16,000

PENNSYLVANIA: Duplex investment property, owner financed \$7,500

COMMERCIAL

HWY 80 & HOLIDAY RD: 3 acres & large metal bldg. w/office. Owner financed. \$200,000

W. FLORIDA: 1/2 block zoned C-3 \$100,000

MARINEFIELD & FLORIDA: 6 rental units, income \$845. per mo. Zoned C-3 \$68,500

RESTAURANT SITE: In Big Spring \$60,000

CAFETERIA: Downtown, 5 day wash, excellent local large eq. \$40,000

INVENTORY: food inventory. Owner financed \$40,000

COMMERCIAL BLDG.: Gregg St. w/office & yard for lease \$6,500

FLORIDA: Small commercial building \$6,500

N. HWY. 80: 30x80 metal bldg w/office & yard for lease \$9,000

W. LAMAR HWY.: 160 acres ready to develop, city water \$724,095

30 PRIME ACRES: Greenwood dist. Hwy. frontage \$80,000

GOLF COURSE & LAMAR RD: 2.09 acres, owner financed. \$30,000

RANKIN HWY. & IS 20: 23.29 acres, per acre \$15,000

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Rams valiant, but Steelers live in another world

By BOB OATES* The Los Angeles Times PASADENA, Calif. — For the last several years it has sometimes seemed that there is one league for the Pittsburgh Steelers and another for the rest of those who play pro football.

But you can now put another team on that top shelf. With an extraordinary performance by young quarterback Vince Ferragamo, the Rams often outplayed the champions, coming from behind to take the lead three different times — once in each of the first three quarters.

Moreover, in the tense last quarter of a consistently exciting, marvelously well played game, Ferragamo was on the verge of overtaking them once more when Pittsburgh linebacker Jack Lambert stopped him with the turning point play, an intercepted pass.

There were only 5 1/2 minutes left and the Steelers were only five points in front, 24-19, when, after Ferragamo had moved the surprising Rams 52 yards to the Pittsburgh 32, Lambert stepped forward and beat him.

Thereupon, the Steelers counter-marched 70 yards (with the help of a close but probably correct interference call) to score their last insurance touchdown.

Pittsburgh quarterback Terry Bradshaw, always interesting, often brilliant, sometimes erratic, made the big plays that won again for Pittsburgh, which scored two touchdowns in the last 12 minutes after the Rams had led for three quarters, 19-17.

But you always expect that of Bradshaw. He played as he has almost always played in the big games of the last six years and because he did, the Steelers have twice won back-to-back Super Bowls in those six years.

THEY WON first with their 1974-75 teams and again with their 1978-79 teams to make Coach Chuck Noll by far the most successful football leader on the planet. No other club has won more than two of the first 14 matches of this series for the championship of the National Football League.

In Noll's football, the Steelers can usually do one thing well when an opponent shuts down most of their offense; and in the drama of the second half, the Rams took away everything except Pittsburgh's long pass.

So Bradshaw beat them with that, throwing two touchdown bombs to Lynn Swann (49 yards) and John Stallworth (75 yards) to end the Ram dream in the last 30 minutes after they had led for 30, 13-10.

One of the surprises on a day of surprises was Bradshaw's passing against the Ram defense. Completing 14 of 21 attempts for 309 yards, Bradshaw set up two of Pittsburgh's four touchdowns with well-thrown balls and got the other two with bombs.

For three quarters, nonetheless, Ferragamo matched him pass for pass and almost yard for yard to convert the expected defensive struggle into a game of surpassing excitement.

After 12 rather dull Super Bowls

Oh hum, again

At Pasadena, Calif. Los Angeles 7 6 6 0-19 Pittsburgh 3 7 7 14-31

Table with 2 columns: Category and Value. Rows include First downs, Rushes-yards, Passing yards, Return yards, Passes, Punts, Fumbles-lost, Penalties-yards.

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING — Los Angeles, Tyler 17-60, Bryant 6-30, McCutcheon 5-10. Pittsburgh, F. Harris 20-46, Bleier 10-25, Bradshaw 3-9.

PASSING — Los Angeles, Ferragamo 15-25-1-212, McCutcheon 1-1-0-24. Pittsburgh, Bradshaw 14-21-3-309.

RECEIVING — Los Angeles, Waddy 3-75, Bryant 3-21, Tyler 3-20. Pittsburgh, Swann 5-79, Stallworth 3-121, F. Harris 3-66.

there have now been two big ones, thanks, probably, to the newly found derring of the coaches: Noll, the Rams' Ray Malavasi and, last year, Dallas' Tom Landry.

This time, Malavasi opened up the Los Angeles offense with a successful gambling pass on fourth-and-8, a halfback scoring pass and other all-out plays to stay in sight of the Steelers for most of an afternoon that began disarmingly enough with a Pittsburgh field goal.

BEFORE A record Super Bowl crowd of 103,985, the first of a series of electrifying runs by halfback Wendell Tyler — the top ballcarrier on the field — enabled the Rams to take a 7-3 first quarter lead.

Then after a Pittsburgh touchdown, Frank Corral's two field goals gave the Rams a 13-10 halftime lead.

Finally, after Pittsburgh's second touchdown, Malavasi's free-wheeling pass offense produced a 19-17 third quarter lead for the Rams with six points set up by a 50-yard bomb (Ferragamo to Billy Waddy) and scored on a first-down, 24-yard halfback pass



Steelers' John Stallworth makes over the shoulder catch, one of two that swung momentum to Pittsburgh in Sunday's Super Bowl game. This catch set up fourth quarter touchdown. (AP Laser-photo)

(Lawrence McCutcheon to Ron Smith).

But an ominous thing followed that touchdown. Corral missed the extra point, and although the Rams twice intercepted Bradshaw in what remained of the third quarter, they never scored again.

Bradshaw was to strike with one last pass — to Stallworth for 45 yards — setting up the touchdown that made the Steelers a 12-point winner. They had been favored by 10 1/2.

Stallworth's remarkable, leaning-backward, downfield catch that time planted the Steelers on the Los Angeles 27 with 4 minutes left.

As of that instant the Rams had been guilty of only one turnover — with a young quarterback playing only his eighth NFL game — and one penalty.

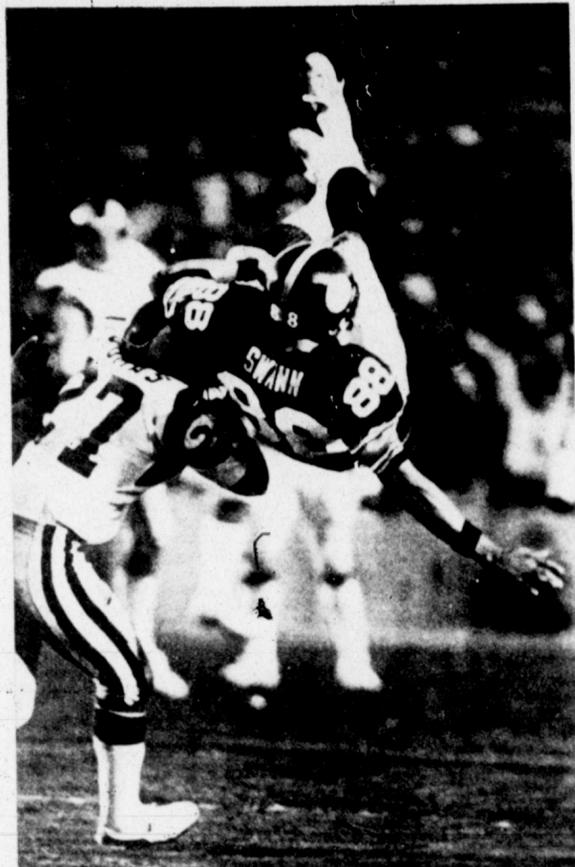
Their next, and last, penalty was to kill them. On second-and-10, still on the Ram 22, Bradshaw threw toward wide receiver Jim Smith at the goal line, where the field judge, Charlie Musser, flagged Los Angeles cornerback Pat Thomas for interference.

This advanced the Steelers to the Los Angeles 1-yard line, whence fullback Franco Harris scored his second short-yardage touchdown.

Thomas' infraction, if any, was mild and insignificant — hardly comparable with two earlier defensive plays by Pittsburgh that seemed uncalculated for and at least dirty pool if not illegal.

The officials, however, didn't see anything wrong with either after, first, Pittsburgh linebacker Robin

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Receiver Lynn Swann makes the catch, but hit by Rams' Pat Thomas puts Steelers' receiver out of game. (AP Laserphoto)

Chaps to host OC at Center

After surviving a half-graying experience Thursday night, the Midland College Chaparrals face a pair of conference toughies next week.

The Chaps had their hands full on Thursday as the Frank Phillips College Plainmen came down from the Panhandle and outplayed the nation's fourth-ranked junior college team until the last 90 seconds.

Then, on Thursday night, the Chaps journey to Snyder for another encounter with nationally top-ranked Western Texas College.

The Westerners, 18-0 and tied with MC for the conference lead, put the only blemish on the Chaps' record Jan. 11 with an 87-82 victory in the ABC Classic in Big Spring.

Although MC coach Jerry Stone wasn't too pleased with the showing of his charges Thursday night, there were some bright spots. First, the Chaps played badly and with lapses of concentration, yet hung on to win. Second, Ernie Tate, playing in just his fourth college game, showed he was still improving and his 6-foot-7 frame got high enough to block five shots.

Third, sophomore letterman Chucky McGill returned to action after having been sidelined since Nov. 30 with a fractured toe.

Freshman Kevin Willingham, who had been taking up the slack inside during McGill's absence, was sidelined with a sprained ankle but is expected to be ready for action Monday night.

"When you're ranked high, everyone is gunning for you," Stone said. "We know we are going to have to play our best this week...and the rest of the way down the stretch. Frank Phillips proved to us that we can't win just by showing up and going through the motions."

Spanish boxer in coma

SANTA CRUZ DE TENE-RIFE, Canary Islands (AP) — Spanish lightweight boxer Santiago Gonzalez Monzon, 22, was reported in a coma Monday after suffering a brutal beating in a bout against his countryman Jose Garcia Requena here Saturday night, doctors said.

Requena knocked out Monzon in the seventh round of a scheduled eight-round bout.

Monzon was rushed to the general hospital of this Canary Island where he was under three operations after he suffered cerebral damage, doctors said.

Games reaction sharply divided

By KEN RAPPOPORT AP Sports Writer

The U.S. Olympic Committee, facing an appeal by President Carter and sharply divided opinions from American athletes, will meet next weekend to consider the possibility of not sending a team to Moscow for the Summer Olympic Games.

"That will be one matter discussed, among others," says Col. Donald F. Miller, executive director of the USOC. "All options and alternatives will be properly discussed."

At this time as well, the USOC will poll thousands of prospective American Olympic athletes in hopes of getting a feel of the national pulse on the subject.

In addition to the USOC affair in Colorado Springs, Colo., on Jan. 26 and 27, Miller said Sunday that he has arranged a subsequent meeting between representatives of his organization and Ireland's Lord Killanin, president of the International Olympic Committee, to discuss "all aspects of this difficult and sensitive situation."

The meeting with Killanin was scheduled to take place Feb. 8, 9 or 10

Girls begin District 5-4A second half race tonight

As far as the girls of District 5-4A basketball are concerned, everyone is back to square one as the second half of the girls chase begins today on four fronts.

Well, maybe they're not back at square one, but there are seven of the eight teams that hope so. The Midland Lee girls, the two-time defending 5-4A champions, already have put the lid on the first half title and need only to win or tie for the second half crown to go to the playoffs for the third year in a row. That's not exactly bad to step one. That's a decided advantage for the Rebels.

However, interest is back a peak level for the seven other teams in the loop, hoping to knock off the Rebels and force a district playoff.

That all begins today, and things should get off to a heated start. Abilene High moves into the Lee gym today at 8 p.m. with the first crack at the Rebels. AHS served Lee with its only first half loss, and finished only a game behind the Rebels in the first half standings. The Eagles would like nothing better than to start action again with a win over the defending champs.

Midland High, which finished with a 3-4 first half reading, travels to Abi-

lene to face Cooper, also 3-4 in the first half. Midland High defeated Cooper the first time around and they need some quick momentum for the second half.

On other 5-4A fronts tonight, San Angelo meets Odessa High while Odessa Permian takes on Big Spring.

Thursday the two local schools move to Chaparral Center for a matchup between cross-town rivals. Lee took a narrow victory over Midland High in the first half and that victory sent the Rebs on their way to the first half title.

"This does not mean that I or the IOC are condoning the political action taken by the host country," Killanin, in a weekend interview in Dublin, said

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5-4A Girls Basketball Final First Half Standings

Table with 3 columns: District, Team, Season. Rows include Midland Lee, Abilene High, Odessa High, Odessa Permian, Midland High, San Angelo, Abilene Cooper, Big Spring.

Winner of first half title: Monday's Games

Beginning of Second Half: Midland High at Abilene Cooper, San Angelo at Odessa High, Odessa Permian at Big Spring

Thursday's Games: Midland Lee vs. Midland High at Chaparral Center, Odessa High vs. Odessa Permian, Abilene High vs. Abilene Cooper, San Angelo vs. Big Spring

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NHL at a glance SWC standings Super Bowl records

Conference	W	L	T	Pts
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Philadelphia	20	11	3	43
NY Rangers	19	12	3	41
NY Islanders	18	13	3	39
Atlanta	18	13	3	39
Washington	17	14	3	37
Smiley Division				
Chicago	18	12	3	42
St. Louis	18	12	3	42
Vancouver	15	15	3	33
Edmonton	12	20	3	27
Winnipeg	12	20	3	27
Colorado	12	20	3	27

Conference	All Games	W	L	T	Pts
W. I. Pct.					
Arkansas	5	1	4	0	2
Texas A&M	5	1	4	0	2
Texas Tech	5	1	4	0	2
Houston	5	1	4	0	2
Baylor	5	1	4	0	2
SMU	5	1	4	0	2
TCU	5	1	4	0	2

Conference	All Games	W	L	T	Pts
W. I. Pct.					
Ahline C	3	0	3	0	0
Sam Houston	3	0	3	0	0
Howard	3	0	3	0	0
South Tex	3	0	3	0	0
S.F. Austin	3	0	3	0	0
East Tex	3	0	3	0	0
Tex A&I	3	0	3	0	0
Angelo S	3	0	3	0	0

Conference	All Games	W	L	T	Pts
W. I. Pct.					
SW Louis	0	0	0	0	0
Texas Tech	0	0	0	0	0
Texas A&I	0	0	0	0	0
Howard	0	0	0	0	0
South Tex	0	0	0	0	0
S.F. Austin	0	0	0	0	0
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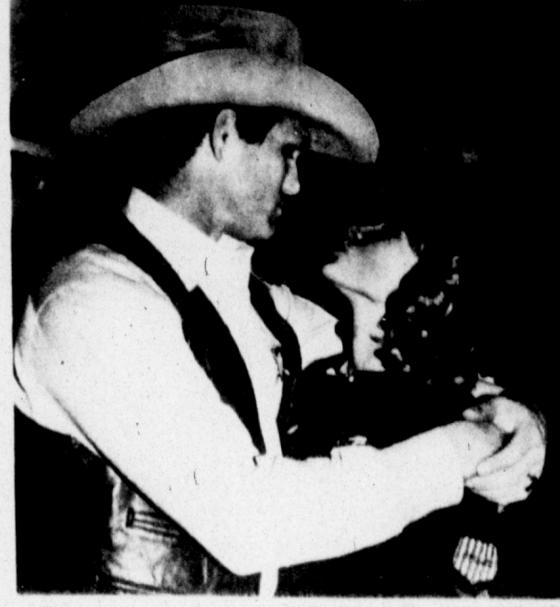
Conference	All Games	W	L	T	Pts
W. I. Pct.					
McMurry	2	0	2	0	0
Trinity	2	0	2	0	0
Southwest	2	0	2	0	0
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Terry Bradshaw, the Super Bowl's MVP, collects the spoils of victory from his wife, Jo Starbuck, after the game. (AP Laserphoto)

Arguello knocks out Castillo to keep title

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — Getting punched in the face is a tough way to make a living, but after he knocked out Ruben Castillo to retain his championship, Alexis Arguello told reporters: "I love my work."

Arguello, 27, of Nicaragua, was trailing on the cards of all three judges in the ninth round of Sunday's bout for the World Boxing Council's super featherweight title.

He and Castillo, 22, of Bakersfield, Calif., traded punches evenly in the tenth round but the champ took control in the 11th and put the previously unbeaten Castillo on the canvas to stay at the 2:03 mark.

The scheduled 15-rounder was Arguello's seventh successful title defense. After the fight, he said in halting English, "I think he never trained for 15 rounds. I think, physically, he go down and I go up. I am double in shape."

Arguello's manager, Cuyo Hernandez, added, "We were waiting for the moment to get close. Alexis wanted to get close to him slowly. That was the plan."

Castillo, who at 5-6 and 129 pounds is four inches shorter and one pound lighter than Arguello, said, "I was doing well until the tenth. He was trapping me in the corner. I was blocking a few punches but the ones that penetrated were effective."

"He is a great champion. I did my best," Arguello said. Castillo is "a good fighter, a very good fighter who needs more experience."

About himself, the champ added, "Every day I learn more. I'm not yet at my optimum ability. But I work very hard. I love my work. I want to make my country and my family proud of me."

Arguello said his championship experience helped him in the 11th round, when he forced Castillo into a neutral corner and pummeled him for 15 seconds with a series of punches to the face and body before the challenger went down.

The fight was televised nationally by ABC except in Phoenix and Tucson.

Castillo, ranked third best in the world in that division, put on extra pounds to challenge Arguello.

Terry surprised by MVP award

By WILL GRIMSLEY

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — There he stood on a one-foot podium, his bare midriff showing beneath a cut-off undershirt, a red baseball cap sitting rakishly on his head and one hand clutching a package of chewing tobacco.

Knee-deep in reporters, microphones and clicking cameras, he looked beat but happily relieved and like anything but the Most Valuable Player of Super Bowl XIV.

"I was surprised to get the MVP," said Terry Bradshaw. "Usually it doesn't go to someone who throws three interceptions."

Then, as if recalling that the honor brings him a new sports car from Sport Magazine, he added quickly: "But I'll take it."

It was typical of the old bald eagle of the Pittsburgh Steelers who as quarterback not only led his awesome-talented, hard-hitting teammates to an unprecedented fourth Super Bowl crown but also matched Bart Starr's consecutive game MVP honors won in 1968 and 1967.

HE BASKED in the victory limelight with dignity and grace. And humility — especially humility.

He didn't thrust out his chest. He refused to gloat. He had nothing but praise for his beaten adversary, the Los Angeles Rams, beaten 31-19 in one of the most exciting slugfests in the 14-year history of the season-end extravaganza, and the team's raw young quarterback Vince Ferragamo.

"This one was the toughest," he said, looking back over the Steelers' previous triumphs in 1975, 1976 and last year. This one was the most satisfying. I tried to warn all you guys (the Rams) were going to be hard to beat.

"We had never beaten them. They were playing in their home city. They had never been in the Super Bowl before. We were on the verge of setting history."

"They were really charged up. We had doubts, especially in the first half when we were lethargic. Every time we'd score, they would come back at us. Ferragamo played a super game."

ALTHOUGH intercepted three times, Bradshaw produced one of his finest performances, completing 14 of 21 passes for 300 yards and two touchdowns passes. With his ninth touchdown pass, he moved ahead of Roger Staubach's Super Bowl career record.

It was a soothing balm for the guitar-thumping, country-singing good ol' boy from Louisiana whose first six years with the Steelers were marked by spectator boos and newspaper accounts putting his intelligence under fire.

Bradshaw was particularly pleased with his two long passes to wide receiver John Stallworth in the final quarter — the first a 73-yard guided missile early in the third to take the lead, the second a 46-yarder with five minutes to go that set up the final touchdown.

"The first one was the big one," he said. "The second one drove the nail in the coffin."

It's been an exhausting though satisfying year for the raw-boned, 31-year-old veteran from Grand Crane, La.

"I AM drained. I am tired of football," he confessed. "I will play in the Pro Bowl in Hawaii Sunday but after that I'm going to settle down on the ranch."

"I can't wait. I want to think about football and what it means to me for three months."

Newsman pricked up their ears. "Does that mean you're thinking about quitting football?" someone asked.

"Don't write that in the paper," he corrected quickly. "It would stir up some waves. I just want to get away from it all for a while."

Bradshaw is a home-loving man. He and his wife, former Olympic skating star Jo Jo Starbuck, have a nice spread with a stable of stand-by horses.

Jo Jo is just coming off a skating tour and now the handsome couple in sports can go home and compare trophies.

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Conference	All Games	W	L	T	Pts
W. I. Pct.					
Ahline C	3	0	3	0	0
Sam Houston	3	0	3	0	0
Howard	3	0	3	0	0
South Tex	3	0	3	0	0
S.F. Austin	3	0	3	0	0
East Tex	3	0	3	0	0
Tex A&I	3	0	3	0	0
Angelo S	3	0	3	0	0

College Basketball

Conference	All Games	W	L	T	Pts
W. I. Pct.					
Arkansas	5	1	4	0	2
Texas A&M	5	1	4	0	2
Texas Tech	5	1	4	0	2
Houston	5	1	4	0	2
Baylor	5	1	4	0	2
SMU	5	1	4	0	2
TCU	5	1	4	0	2

NBA summaries

Conference	All Games	W	L	T	Pts
W. I. Pct.					
Philadelphia	30	11	19	0	22
Washington	30	11	19	0	22
New York	30	11	19	0	22
Atlanta	30	11	19	0	22
San Antonio	30	11	19	0	22
Houston	30	11	19	0	22
Indiana	30	11	19	0	22
Cleveland	30	11	19	0	22
Detroit	30	11	19	0	22

NBA at a glance

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MHS Boosters meet

Midland High School's Booster Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Midland Youth Center. Films of the Bulldogs' victory over Houston Westchester in the recent San Antonio tournament will be shown by basketball Coach Jack Stephenson. Fans, friends and parents are invited.

Figure skating

ATLANTA (AP) — Results at the U.S. Figure Skating Championships.

Senior Men's Final Standings — 1. Charlie Tickner, Litchfield, 187.40 points; 2. David Sutter, Park Ridge, Ill., 183.50; 3. Scott Hamilton, Haverford, Pa., 180.50; 4. Robert Waggoner, Fontana, Calif., 157.75; 5. Reggie Baijard, Denver, 156.50; 6. Mark Cockerill, San Jose, Calif., 156.50; 7. James Santee, Park Ridge, Ill., 154.50; 8. Allen Schramm, Greenbrae, Calif., 150.50; 9. Robert Paulsen, Ashburnham, Mass., 149.50; 10. David Michelowski, Park Ridge, Ill., 141.50; 11. Bill Hamilton, Denver, withdrew.

Senior Dance Final Standings — 1. Stacy Smith, Wilmington, Del., and John Summers, St. Albans, N.H., 217.00 points; 2. Judy Blumberg, Tarzana, Del., and Michael Seibert, Washington, Pa., 215.00; 3. Carol West, Westland, Mich., and Robert Dalley, Lathrop Village, Mich., 212.00; 4. Kim Krutin, Erie, Calif., and Barry Hagg, Bellflower, Calif., 210.00; 5. Ellen Pulver, Pittsburgh, and Donald Adair, Farmington, Conn., 207.00; 6. Jerry Patis, Silver Hills, N.J., and Scott Gregory, Shannock, N.Y., 205.00; 7. Susan Dymock, Wyndmoor, Pa., and Anthony Barling, Montreal, Quebec, 203.00; 8. Kathleen Marx, Santa Monica, Calif., and Jay Pinner, Weston, Mass., 201.00; 9. Nancy Berghoff, Bloomfield, N.J., and Jim Rowser, Marion, Ind., 199.00; 10. Mark Smith, Bloomfield, N.J., and Edie Mann, San Leandro, Calif., and Peter Nassmore, 193.00; 11. James Cygan, Colorado Springs, 191.00; 12. Craig Henderson, Stockton, Calif., 187.00; 13. Tom Schneider, Dublin, Calif., 186.00.

Junior Pairs Final Standings — 1. Dana Graham and Jeff Wells, Littleton, Colo., 187.00 points; 2. Deborah Lynch, Santa Monica, Calif., and Keith Green, La Habra, Calif., 185.00; 3. Maryann Amaral and Bryan Amaral, Cumberland, R.I., 181.00; 4. Tanya Ledia, Final Standings — 1. Vikki DeVries, Newport Beach, Calif., 181.00 points; 2. Tiffany Chin, San Diego, 178.00; 3. Melissa Zanone, Thomas, Mass., N.Y., 176.00.

Snooze in Clover wins

SUNLAND PARK, N.M. (AP) — Snooze in Clover captured Sunday's feature horse race at Sunland Park with a strong run to the wire in the final furlong.

Sunday's results:

First — Sena Somelody 10.60, 4.20, 3.20. Mr. Pando 3.00, 2.40. Silver Flyer 1.20, T — 1:12.45.

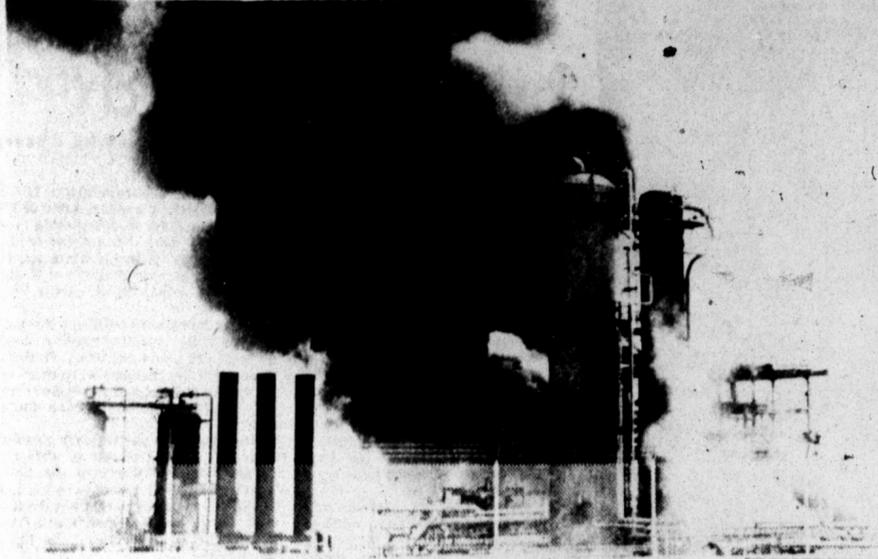
Second — 4 furlongs, Running Jester 10.60, 3.20, 2.40. Timexon 2.80, 2.30. Leaffer's Time 2.40, T — 1:11.15. Quintola — 1:10.20. Daily Double — \$72.80.

Third — 400 yards, Luck's Lightning 10.60, 3.20, 2.80. Sprinkled Brown 5.80, 3.00. Spotted Qu 3.00, T — 30.74. Quintola — 1:11.10.

Fourth — 400 yards, Ramble Deer 3.40, 2.80, 2.40. Glittering Moon 6.10, 4.80. Father Knows When 4.40, T — 30.53. Quintola — 1:11.10.

Fifth — 4 furlongs, Lively Lady 4.20, 2.80, 2.40. Can Hactop 3.80, 3.00. Let's Go 2.80, T — 1:10. Quintola —

Four explosions at refinery injure at least 41 persons



At least 41 persons were injured Sunday when a series of four blasts rocked this cracking unit at a Phillips Petroleum Co. refinery at Phillips. The

blasts shattered windows at Borger four miles away. (AP Laserphoto)

BORGER, Texas (AP) — A cracking unit at a gasoline refinery exploded four miles from Borger in the second accident at the site in four months, causing widespread destruction and injuring at least 41 persons. Flames sprouted 200 feet high Sunday following a series of four blasts that sparked the spectacular fire and demolished part of the refinery. Shock waves collapsed ceilings in nearby homes, shattered plate glass windows in Borger and were felt 30 miles away in Pampa.

"It was more like an earthquake," said Ada Westbrook who lives in a

cracking units 22 and 23, said Berkley. In October, two persons died and 13 were injured when poisonous gas escaped while they were trying to repair a gas line at unit 22.

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration investigated that accident, cited Phillips for four safety violations and fined the company \$15,000.

In Sunday's accident, three minor explosions triggered the bigger blast, according to residents.

"There was a 'whoof' before the explosions," said Julia Owens, who lives about 100 yards from the plant. "My husband said, 'Get out of bed... the plant's blowing.' Just when he said that, the plant exploded."

Company officials would not give a damage estimate or a cause.

"A fire like that is so devastating that if there were any clues as to what caused it, they're all gone now," said

Berkley. "Our main concern is just to get an itemized estimate of what we need to get our operation back in order."

Berkley said the interruption in gasoline refining would affect customers in Chicago, Denver, St. Louis and several cities in Texas. He could not say how severe the impact would be.

Thirty-five persons were treated for minor injuries and released from a Borger hospital, Berkley said. Four were hospitalized, and two were transferred to an Amarillo hospital for further treatment.

Borger firefighters brought the main blaze under control about noon Sunday, but decided to let another small fire burn through the night.

Dick Robinson, a spokesman for the Oklahoma-based company, said he did not know when the plant could resume operations.

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mobile home about a mile and a half from the scene.

"All the stuff on the walls just shot right off and landed on the floor," she said. "We opened the door and saw a big ball of fire."

Most of the injured were struck by flying glass, said Norman Berkley, a spokesman at the Phillips Petroleum Co. refinery.

About 200 residents in the plant-side community of Phillips were evacuated at the height of the fire. They were allowed to return late Sunday, but many opted to stay with friends rather than return to windowless homes in freezing rain and 28-degree temperatures.

The explosions started in gasoline

DRILLING REPORT

ANDREWS COUNTY
Gully No. 1 Malcolin Madera, 17,832 feet, pulling out of hole with drillpipe.
Gully No. 1122 Glen Brunson, 10,465 feet, recovered all fish, inspecting bottom hole assembly.

BREWSTER COUNTY
Texas Pacific No. 1 Madre Grande, drilling 11,342 feet.

CHAVES COUNTY
Flag Leaders Oil Co. No. 10'Brien, 10,830 feet, tripping.

COKE COUNTY
Discovery Operating No. 1 Ivey, 10,165 feet, plugged and abandoned.

MARTIN COUNTY
John L. Cox No. 2 Mabee Ranch, drilling 9,556 feet.

LOVING COUNTY
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MCCULLOUGH COUNTY
Goumas Energy No. 1 McNeely, 12,000 feet, waiting on orders.

MIDLAND COUNTY
A. G. Kasper No. 1 Elaine, 11,425 feet, preparing to take drillstem test from 5,825 to 5,926 feet.

NOLAN COUNTY
Hanson Corp. & Masten Oil No. 1 HTO, drilling 2,350 feet in shale and anhydrite.
Gully No. 2 D Ivey B. Weatherby, drilling 15,500 feet in lime, shale and chert.

PECOS COUNTY
Gully No. 118 Slaughter-Pik, side track total depth at 13,396 feet, preparing to pick up bottom hole assembly.
Gully No. 1 Charlie Davis, drilling 1,946 feet.

REYES COUNTY
Gully No. 11 Miriam Ratcliff, 13,216 feet, drilled landing collar, cement, float collar and shoe, cleaning bits.
NAPECO No. 1 Gore, 12,600 feet, shut in, preparing to take potential test, through perforations, from 2,802 to 2,831 feet.
Gully No. 19 Caryl Rapp, drilling 15,060 feet.

ROBERTS COUNTY
Gully No. 2 D Ivey B. Weatherby, drilling 15,500 feet in lime, shale and chert.

ROPER COUNTY
NAPECO No. 1 Centurian, drilling 9,350 feet in shale.
Arkman Petroleum No. 1 Thigpin, drilling 5,900 feet.

ROSS COUNTY
Gully No. 11 S. E. Ligon-Stein, 13,070 feet, ran logs and perforated 13,017 to 13,022 feet, going in hole with packer.

SCHLEICHER COUNTY
Delta Drilling No. 3 J. Jones, 5,953 feet, drilling to bottom.
Delta Drilling No. 4 B. Jones, drilling 6,600 feet.

SCURRY COUNTY
Gully No. 1 E. E. Eike, drilling 7,786 feet in lime and shale.
Terra Resources No. 3 Dan Whitley, 12,206 feet, perforated from 7,832 to 7,839 feet, acidizing.

TARRANT COUNTY
Terra Resources No. 3 Jones, 12,206 feet, perforated from 8,043 to 8,047 feet, swabbed 41 barrels of oil and 100 barrels of water.
IHN Operators No. 1 Lillie Brown, drilling 1,103 feet.

WINKLER COUNTY
Gully No. 13-21 University, 11,153 feet, cemented 85-8 inch casing at total depth, nipple up blow out preventive.

YOUNG COUNTY
Gully No. 1-21 University, drilling 11,300 feet.

YUCCA COUNTY
Gully No. 2-0 Beshears, drilling 7,200 feet.

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Sterling, Ward gain wildcat projects

The Desana Corp. of Midland has filed application to drill the No. 1 Council as a 9,000-foot wildcat in Sterling County, one mile north of an 8,201-foot failure and 1.5 miles northwest of Canyon production in the Horwood field, which produces at approximately 7,306 feet.

Drillsite is 1,320 feet from north and 3,960 feet from east lines of section 1, W.A. Keenan survey, 14.5 miles southwest of Sterling City.

WARD WILDCAT

Exxon Corp. of Midland will drill the No. 1-B Gulf as a 6,800-foot wildcat in Ward County, 3/8 mile north of the Fusselman gas opener in the Quibar field, which is the same firm's No. 1 Gulf, two miles northeast of Barstow.

Location is 660 from northeast and northwest lines of section 181, block 34, H&TC survey.

ANDREWS OILER FINALS

Charles L. Walker of Odessa has finalized the No. 1-3 Fisher, 3/4 mile east of San Andres production in the Block A-34 field of Andrews County, 11 miles northwest of Andrews.

Operator reported a 24-hour pumping potential of 107 barrels of 33-gravity oil and one barrel of water, through perforations ranging from 4,637 to 4,671 feet, which was acidized with

2,000 gallons. Drilled to 4,690 feet, 5.5-inch casing is landed on bottom. Plugged back depth is 4,688 feet.

Location is 560 from north and 660 from west lines of section 24, block A-34, PSL survey.

CRANE PRODUCER

Bass Enterprises Production Co. of Midland has finalized the No. 20 L.D. Moss and others, one location northeast of production in the Troporo, North (Devonian) field of Crane County, seven miles south of Grandfalls.

On 24-hour flowing potential it made 198 barrels of 38.2-gravity oil and one barrel of water, through a 20/64-inch choke and perforations from 5,460 to 5,524 feet.

The pay was acidized with 1,000 gallons. Gas-liquid ratio is 1,576-1.

Total depth is 5,600 feet, with 5.5-inch casing set at 5,592 feet. Plugged back depth is 5,545 feet.

Location is 6,400 from northeast and 467 from northwest lines of section 29, block 1, H&TC survey.

GULF OILER CORP. OF ODESSA

will re-enter and plug back to 6,130 feet for test in the Sand Hills (Wolfcamp) field of Crane County, 5/8 mile southwest of production, 19 miles northwest of Crane.

Strawn discovery completes in Kent

Hammom Oil & Refining Co. of Houston has completed a Strawn discovery in Kent County, one and one-eighth miles northeast of production in the Ida Sue (Strawn oil) pool, one location southwest of the field's depleted discovery well, 13 miles southwest of Clairmont.

The No. 1 Ida Sue Johnson finished to pump 18 barrels of 36-gravity oil and 46 barrels of water, through Strawn perforations from 6,970 to 7,064 feet.

Gas-oil ratio is 111-1. No stimulation, if any, was reported.

Scheduled as a 7,700-foot wildcat, it drilled to 7,657 feet, where 4.5-inch casing is set.

Operator picked the following tops on kelly bushing elevation of 2,148 feet: Strawn, 6,932 feet; Mississippi, 7,410 feet and Ellenburger, 7,638 feet.

Location is 467 feet from north and east lines of section 31, block 5, H&GN survey.

EDDY PROBE STAKED

Collier & Collier of Artesia, N.M., will drill a 2,200-foot wildcat in Eddy County as the No. 1 Yalty, one mile northwest of Angel Ranch (Morrow gas) production, 1.5 miles southwest of Grayburg oil production in the Millman field, 13 miles north of Carlsbad.

Drillsite is 1,650 from south and 330 from east lines of section 23-19S-27E. Ground elevation is 3,480 feet.

An undesignated Atoka gas field of Eddy County gained its sixth producer and a one and seven-eighths-mile northeast extension to production, with the completion of Mesa Petroleum Co. of Amarillo No. 1 Derrick Federal Communized.

The extension finished two miles east of the two-well Diamond Mound (Morrow gas) field, for a calculated absolute open flow potential of 2,065,000 cubic feet of gas per day, through perforations from 8,925 to 9,079 feet.

Gas-liquid ratio was measured at 39,125-1.

Total depth is 9,357 feet, with 4.5-inch casing set at 9,351 feet.

Location is 2,160 from north and 1,980 from west lines of section 5-16S-28E, 16 miles northwest of Loco Hills.

RUNNELS RE-ENTRY

The Townsend Co. of Abilene will re-enter and plug back to 4,460 feet for completion attempt as the Jennings sand re-opener at the No. 1 A.C. Minzenmayer, former Gardner lime opener of the Norton, North (Goen and Gray) field, three miles northeast of Norton.

It originally drilled to 4,717 feet and was plugged back to 4,650 feet.

Wellsite is 467 from south and 2,477 from west lines of Lawrence Martin survey No. 444.

LUBBOCK PROJECT SITED

H.L. Brown Jr. of Midland will drill the No. 1 Fischer as a 3/4-mile north-

west extension to the Edmission, Northwest (Clear Fork) field of Lubbock County, three miles north of Lubbock.

Location for the 5,500-foot project is 990 from north and 1,980 from west lines of section 15, block C-2, HE&WT survey.

SCHLEICHER GAS WELL

J. Cleo Thompson of Dallas has completed the No. 1 Page-Jeffers as a one-mile south extension to the Canyon gas production in the Kama (Strawn) field of Schleicher County, 19 miles northeast of Ozona.

Operator reported a calculated absolute open flow of 1,260,000 cubic feet of gas per day, with condensate gravity of 50 degrees.

Gas-liquid ratio is 4,394,000-1. Production was through perforations from 7,278 to 8,096 feet, which was acidized with 9,000 gallons.

Scheduled as a wildcat, it was drilled "tight" to 8,396 feet, with 4.5-inch casing set at 8,249 feet.

Location is 1,320 from south and 660 from west lines of section 24, block 2, GC&SF survey.

IRION TEST STAKED

Texas Oil & Gas Corp. of Midland filed application to drill the No. 3-C Winterbotham, one mile southeast of the lone Cisco oil production and 2.24 miles northwest of the six-well Canyon C oil area, surrounded by Canyon D oil production, in the Dove Creek field of Irion County, 14 miles southeast of Mertzon.

Location for the 6,900-foot test is 1,980 from north and west lines of section 33, block 21, H&TC survey.

COKE PRODUCER FINALS

Texaco Inc. of Midland has filed potential test on the No. 11 March Ranch, tenth producer and a 933-foot south extension to the Higgins Ranch (Canyon) field of Coke County, nine miles northeast of Carlsbad.

Operator reported a 24-hour pumping potential of 19 barrels of 44.4-gravity oil and 11 barrels of water, through perforations ranging from 6,006 to 6,010 feet.

The pay was acidized with 500 gallons. Gas-liquid ratio is 1,578-1.

Total depth was reached at 6,300 feet, where 5.5-inch casing is set. Plugged back depth is 6,147 feet.

Location is 1,400 from north and 3,254 from west lines of section 642 1/2, Alex E. Patton survey.

FISHER OILER

Hill Production Co. of Fort Worth has finalized the No. 1 B.F. Carter as the ninth Strawn producer in the Fisher County portion of the Raven Creek (Strawn) field, 10 miles southeast of Sylvester.

Operator reported a daily pumping potential of 28 barrels of 40-gravity oil and 50 barrels of water, through perforations between 4,591 and 5,175 feet, which was washed with 1,000 gallons

of mud acid. Drilled as a wildcat to 5,126 feet, 4.5-inch casing was set at 4,965 feet.

Location is 2,400 from south and 1,900 from west lines of section 2, block 19, T&P survey.

STONEWALL WELL

Rumuda Oil & Gas Co. of Midland completed the third Tannehill producer and a 5.5-mile northeast extension to production in the Gloria Gay, West (Tannehill) field of Stonewall County, eight miles north of Aspermont.

The No. 1 Jones, a re-entry operation, finalized to pump 80 barrels of 30.2-gravity oil and four barrels of water, through perforations from 2,921 to 2,929 feet.

Production was natural. Originally drilled by J.M. Hazelwood as the No. 1 Morrow, it was abandoned in 1953 at 6,450 feet.

It was re-entered to 3,100 feet, where operator set 4.5-inch casing and plugged back to 3,091 feet.

Location is 467 from north and west lines of section 76, block d, H&TC survey.

Capps strike completes in Runnels

Charles M. Childers of Abilene has announced completion of the No. 1 Braden as a Capps gas discovery in Runnels County, one location east of one of his two recent Capps oil discoveries, 1/2 mile north of oil production and one and one-eighth mile northwest of the "gas re-opener and lone producer of the Urban (Miles) field.

Operator reported a calculated absolute open flow of 114,200 cubic feet of gas per day, through perforations from 4,224 to 4,238 feet. Production was natural.

Total depth was reached at 4,298 feet, where 4.5-inch casing is set. Plugged back depth is 4,284 feet.

The following tops were picked on ground elevation of 1,801 feet; Palo Pinto, 3,865 feet and Capps, 4,210 feet.

Location is 1,518 from north and 467 from west lines of J.E.K. Neill survey No. 132, abstract 817, 2.1 miles northwest of Miles.

Lacy & Byrd, Inc. of Midland filed potential test at the No. 1-X Fuchs as a Capps discovery in Runnels County, a re-entry operation, 1/5 miles southwest of T.J.C. (Capps) field, 3.25 miles southeast of Rowena field, 5.3 miles southeast of Rowena.

On 24-hour pumping test, it made 54.3 barrels of 4.18-gravity oil and 190 barrels of water, through perforations between 3,637 and 3,643 feet, which was acidized with 500 gallons.

A re-entry test, it was cleaned out to 3,680 feet, where 5.5-inch casing is set.

Originally drilled by the same firm to 4,050 feet as the No. 1 A. Fuchs, it was abandoned in 1979.

Operator picked the following tops on kelly bushing elevation of 1,698 feet: Home Creek, 2,811 feet; Dog Bend, 3,572 feet; Upper Capps, 3,615 feet; Lower Capps, 3,714 feet and Caddo, 3,950 feet.

Location is 525 from south and 480 from east lines of section 552, H.H. Howard survey, abstract 794.

Bentsen predicts fast work

WASHINGTON (AP) - Sen. Lloyd Bentsen is predicting the conference committee working to reconcile House and Senate versions of the windfall profits tax may finish its work relatively quickly.

The Texas Democrat also says he expects a compromise on the amendment he sponsored exempting from the tax the first 1,000 barrels of oil produced by an independent operator.

That amendment is contained in the Senate version of the bill but not in the House.

The conference committee resumed discussions on the tax Thursday, before Congress returned from its winter recess this week. Bentsen is a member of the conference committee.

Major oil companies and independent oil producers are lining up on opposite sides of how the difference between the House and Senate versions should be split.

"It will be a fight between the majors and the independents," Bentsen said in an interview. "I've been fighting for the independents."

"I think major oil com-

panies do a very important job, but in this particular fight I've fought for the exemption for the independents. I'm not fighting the majors; I'm fighting for the independents," he said.

Bentsen returned Wednesday from a congressional trip to the Far East looking into ways to reduce the growing balance of payments deficit with many of the emerging industrial powers of the areas.

He said the question of human rights, often raised in relation to the government of the Philippines, did not come up in his conversations with Philippine President Ferdinand Marcos.

The senator said he "had a very excellent

meeting with President Marcos, who reiterated his support for this country."

"I saw no soldiers in the streets. The martial law was certainly a loose one, and the American businessmen I met there praised him (Marcos) very much," Bentsen said.

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We, as an independent, are currently faced with this problem. It could be very costly to us and others with the same problem if it is not solved now. How can we or the gas purchaser satisfy contractual requirements to set a new gas price based on the highest prices prevailing under other agreements if we do not know what new gas purchase prices apply to gas sold or purchased in the contract area after deregulation occurred on November 1, 1979? There is no reporting agency, either private, state or federally sponsored that provides this information in a complete, comprehensive manner. Therefore, it is up to the operators to provide each other with all such information so that we can effectively renegotiate gas purchase contracts.

This information is needed not only to protect our own interests but also the interests of our investors, working interest owners and the mineral owners to the best of our ability. We cannot depend upon gas purchasers to provide this information. FERC rules and regulations not applicable to us as operators may prohibit the gas purchasers from releasing this information.

Our company has access to some information on contracts involving other operators which have been renegotiated and executed after November 1, 1979. These use the Pemex base price as the base price for the high risk gas produced and sold in Railroad Commission District No. 8 effective November 1, 1979 on a retroactive basis. Further, we have been informed that there are other contracts now being renegotiated which also use this same base price as the new renegotiated price.

If you are interested in receiving information which we have or if you have any information on any contracts for high risk gas in Railroad Commission District No. 8 which have been executed after November 1, 1979, or contracts which have been or are being renegotiated due to deregulation in this same district, please call the following number immediately: 915-684-5835.