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Kennedy backs Carter

Carter is launching his fall re-election campaign today with the endorsement he sought so fervently from Sen. Edward M. Kennedy and, at least seemingly, the party unity he needed to meet the twin challenges from Republican Ronald Reagan and independent John Anderson.

"I will support and work for the re-election of President Carter," Kennedy said in a post-midnight

That, perhaps even more than the declaration of nomination, was what Carter and his lieutenants wanted to hear to cap their anxious efforts to bring the Massachusetts senator aboard the campaign after the long and bitter struggle for the nomina-

The often-turbulent Democratic National Convention concludes tonight with the formal renomination of Vice President Walter F. Mondale and the winners' acceptance speeches.

And while there was no definite word, it was widely assumed Kennedy would seal his support with a closing appearance on the podium with the ticket he wanted to dis-

For Carter, Wednesday night's convention session was a triumphant moment in his embattled presidency but one he was forced to share with his defeated rival.

As the roll call of the states was read for the presidential nomination balloting, the cheers often were louder for Kennedy than for Carter.

When the heads of delegations called out their votes, they consis-tently referred to Carter as "the next president of the United States." For Kennedy, they used words like "gal-

lant ... eloquent ... courageous. The loudest cheer for Carter came when the Texas delegation announced shortly after midnight that its 108 votes had put Carter over the 1,666 he eded for renomination.

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Simulated leather binders

earn Golden Fleece Award

WASHINGTON (AP) - Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., today awarded his Fleece of the Month Award to the Government National Mortgage

Association for spending \$6,918 on simulated leather binders sent to

In his tongue-in-cheeck statement on the monthly award for wasteful

The senator said the 1,200 9-by-12-inch binders marked the total of \$100

billion in mortgage-backed securities by the association, which is

Ronald Laurent, president of the association, said in response, "We believe that the achievement of \$100 billion in securities was a significant

milestone, one which was worthy of commemoration in some kmall

way.
"In addition, we saw the issuance of these commemorative ldtters as

an opportunity to mark the unique private-federal partnership that has

been responsible for the success of this pRogram. Given these aims, we

felt the expenditure of \$6,918 which came from GNMA's 1980 profits -

and not the taxpayers' pockets - was a justified expense," Laurent

Proxmire said, "Directly or indirectly, they (taxpayers) had to pick up

The senator is chairman of the Senate Banking Committee, which has

'Television Viewguide' coming

in Reporter-Telegram Sunday

Television listings for the week begin a new format this Sunday

with introduction of "Television Viewguide," a new condensed

The new booklet of complete program listings for the upcoming

Be watching for it Sunday in

week was chosen for its easy-to-use style with convenience of the

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version of our former West Texas Life TV section.

reader as a prime consideration.

jurisdiction over legislation on the mortgage associations

spending, Proxmire said the binders "left the taxpayers in a bhnd."

At that, the delegates waved Carter-Mondale signs and shouted and stomped about the floor as Carter's wife Rosalynn, his mother, Lillian Carter, and other members of his family watched in Madison

Square Garden. But the cheers of these unity-hungry delegates grew into a roar of relief a few minutes later when House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., the convention chairman, interrupted the demonstration with a message from

"I congratulate President Carter on his renomination. I endorse the platform of the Democratic Party," O'Neill read from the five-sentence statement. "I will support and work for the re-election of President Carter. It is imperative that we defeat Ronald Reagan in 1980. I urge all Democrats to join in that effort." Then, the speaker added, "And so,

united we stand." That was only mostly true. A short time later, when the Minnesota delegation offered the traditional motion to make Carter's nomination unanimous, delegates shouted, "No,

There was a pause. Delegates milled about. Finally, there was a stir in the Massachusetts delegation and Lt. Gov. Thomas O'Neill, the speaker's son who had been Kennedy's New England campaign coordinator,

asked for recognition. He told the delegates that he had just spoken with Kennedy and "it is his wish in the interest of harmony and unity and success in 1980" that Carter's nomination be made unani-

With a roar of approval, the delegates acceded to Kennedy's request.

The platform adopted earlier in the day was the key to Kennedy's endorsement. It was on that document that he made the last - and most successful - stand of his campaign, winning concessions from Carter on most of the key economic issues.

Carter had defeated Kennedy with unexpected ease in a string of early primaries. By the end of the primary election season, the president had amassed more than the convention majority he needed for renomination. But Kennedy refused to quit.

Only after failing to defeat a rule that required delegates to abide by preconvention commitments did Kennedy give up. Carter had the votes and he was certain of keeping them, but he still didn't get them all.

was 2,129 for Carter, 1,146.5 for Kennedy, 2.5 for Rep. Ronald Dellums of California and 51 for others.

Only Carter's and Dellum's names were placed in nomination. Kennedy formally released his delegates from their obligation to him, but most sup-

ported him anyway.

And even in losing, Kennedy put his stamp on the platform, including a call for a \$12 billion anti-recession program to 800,000 jobs that Carter eventually accepted in principle if not

Texans put Carter 'over the top'

NEW YORK (AP) - "The Eyes of Texas" rang out in Madison Square Garden as 108 Texas Democrats cast their votes for President Carter's nomination Wednesday and clinched his bid for four more years in the

White House. The song started the traditional demonstration for the party's nomi-nee at the Democratic National Con-

Carter's victory was a virtual certainty for two days but not officially clinched until the Texas numbers put it over the 1,666-delegate convention majority in the roll call of the states.

Texas supporters of Sen. Edward Kennedy cast 38 votes for his unsuccestal bid to derail the president's re-election. Three of the 152 Texas delegates

voted uncommitted and two wrote in Rep. Kent Hance, D-Texas, for the nomination. The freshman congressman from Lubbock was not a candi-

Former Texas Attorney General John Hill announced the state's votes by first telling the convention that the state was the cornerstone of the Carter-Mondale campaign's victory

The delegation steps into the convention's concluding session today in search of the party unity most delegates said is needed to secure a Democratic victory over Republican candidate Ronald Reagan.

'They're our friends; this is not a divided state party," Billy Goldberg, the state Democratic Party chairman, said about the Kennedy delegates after the vote. "That's normal for Democrats to have two candi-

He said there would be no problem convincing Kennedy supporters in Texas to work for the Carter campaign this fall.

The Kennedy delegates said their votes meant they were standing by their commitment to the primary and convention voters that sent them to New York, despite the senator's with-



A weary Carter-Mondale supporter clutches a poster on the floor of New York's Madison Square Garden Wednesday night after the convention chose President Carter as their nominee. (AP

Grand jury inquiry continuing

Gambling investigation reported

By ED TODD

The Midland County Grand Jury, which for weeks has been checking into possible wrongdoing by a county official, apparently is continuing its investigation.

"No indictments were returned against any public official today," District Attorney Vern Martin said moments after the 12 grand jurors had returned some 30 indictments shortly before 7 p.m. Wednesday and reported their findings to 238th State District Judge Vann Culp.

The grand jurors, whose six-month term draws to a close Sept. 1, reportedly have been investigating alleged illicit gambling by a high county offi-

A second grand-jury investigation - on abuse of public office -

emerged Wednesday and is imparting even more drama to the situation. But, Martin said, the public office abuse investigation "could not, is not and would not be related to this thing (gambling investigation).

The 12 grand jurors, including County Commissioner Charlie Welch, were in session from about 9 a.m. until 6:40 p.m. Wednesday.

Inkling of an investigation involving a public official was touched off July 31, when television anchorman Gary Hopper of KOSA-TV in Odessa reported that the grand jury was checking into the gambling allegations. He did not disclose his source.

The next day, Aug. 1, Sheriff Dallas Smith admitted that his office and the Department of Public Safety were into a "joint investigation" with the grand jury but "I can't acknowledge or deny that we are engaged in a gambling investigation.'

At that time, Smith said he did not know how secret proceedings of the grand jury was leaked to the news media. However, he speculated that a witness may have divulged proceedings and "That's flat illegal," he

At mid-morning Wednesday, Hopper, who was standing outside the Grand Jury Room on the fourth floor of the Midland County Courthouse, was called before the grand jurors by Martin and remained in the room for

about 50 minutes. Later, Martin said the grand jurors — not he — had requested testimony by the news-

Shortly after Hopper appeared before the grand jurors, another witness, County Commissioner Jack Leonard, went before the grand jurors and did not emerge until far more than an hour later.

Sheriff Dallas Smith also appeared before the jurors.

Witnesses before the grand jurors are sworn to "keep secret all proceedings by the grand jury.'

Swearing in witnesses, which in-cluded police officers, sheriff's deputies, private citizens and Texas Ranger David Byrnes, were Sheriff's Deputies Roy Merket and Ava Lee

Akins praises city's budget

By LANA CUNNINGHAM Staff Writer

"We don't like taxes any more than you do, but we feel like we came up with a good budget," Mayor G. Thane Akins said Wednesday in defending the city budget during a hearing on the proposed 45-cent tax rate.

The hearing is required under state law if the effective tax rate will be increasing more than 3 percent over last year's rate.

The city of Midland last year had a 63-cent tax rate. But revaluations this year upped the price of property an average of 63 percent and the city dropped its tax rate accordingly to 39 cents per \$100 assessed valuation. To fund the increase in the 1980-81 budget, the tax rate had to be increased 15 percent to 45 cents.

Before hearing comments from a scattered audience of about 20 persons, Akins explained the council spent five days on the budget this year, the longest amount of time out of the five years he has been on

the panel. "The city had been scrimping and saving for years, and it finally came home to roost," he said. And because

Some tax increase is justified," Mayor Akins told the audience.

crease in the budget.

"Some tax increase is justified," Akins told the audience. The city's tax rate - which has dropped over the past 10 years - puts Midland third from the bottom on the list of cities

the city is labor-intensive, the addition of more personnel and wage increases accounted for the biggest in-

with 50,000 population or more-in

Katherine Shriver was the first to speak out. And while she didn't criticize the budget or tax rate, her request elicited comments from others in the audience.

As an officer with the Senior Citizen Council, she sought a higher homestead exemption. Instead of the current \$6,000, she recommended \$15,-

Akins agreed the exemption needs to be studied with an eye toward what increase would keep senior citizens at the tax level of last year.

Tom Stovell, saying he would be retiring in a few years, urged the council to consider upgrading the senior citizens exemption. But he also asked what criteria

were used to revaluate the property. "People need a chance to go to someone and figure out valuations. We're not complaining," he added.

"We want to pay our fair share." Ed Vogler, a member of the Board of Equalization which heard almost 900 complaints on the revaluations, explained the State Legislature has mandated all property be put on tax rolls at "fair market value."

"I'm still confused about what fair market value is," he confessed. "Supposedly, it's a willing buyer and a willing seller."

But Midland is finding itself in an unusual situation in that the energy business has caused a boom in the city, resulting in a shortage of houses with inflated prices. "There's a lot of buyers and not too many sellers. The market place determines that

value. Vogler explained that a tax apprais-

er can't go onto private property to valuate it unless he is invited by the property owner.

In appraising a house, a basic cost begins with the amount of square footage. Additional costs come in the type of roof it has (cedar is higher), more bathrooms, garages and the type of air conditioning. "One woman" told us the other bathroom wasn't extra - she used it all the time.' Vogler recalled with a laugh.

Although a member of the board, Vogler said he couldn't believe his own revaluation and was going to have it reappraised. But within a few days "I had an offer within \$200 of the valuation."

Dennis Bowlin, however, wasn't satisfied with the explanations on the budget and valuations. Nor did he see a need for increasing the senior citizens exemption.

By increasing the exemption, it will reduce revenue and the city will have to make up for the loss elsewhere, he said, adding that he didn't want it coming out of his pocket. The city's growth should be bring-

ing in more ad valorem taxes and sales taxes "and you shouldn't need a tax increase," he told the City Council. And he charged that his taxes while living in Dallas were cheaper than in Midland. Akins disagreed, pointing out that

the effective tax rate for Midland was 47.3 cents per \$100 while the Dallas rate is 99.8 cents per \$100.

The City Council passed a resolution showing its intention to adopt the tax increase on a 3 to 1 vote. The dissenter was Carroll Thomas.

A public meeting on the budget and tax rate will be at 4 p.m. Aug. 26 in City Hall Council Chambers.

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Critic seeks text space for 'pro-family' material

AUSTIN (AP) - Textbook critic Norma Gabler said Wednesday publishers give too much room to organizations such as National Organization for Women and not enough to "pro-family" groups.

"It appears that every minute group of activists rate space in textbooks, but the great majority is always cheated," Mrs. Gabler told the State Textbook Committee.

Specifically, she protested a high school sociology book, "Understanding Society," offered for adoption by Prentice-Hall.

Mrs. Gabler complained of a picture showing N.O.W. activists and said many well-known women oppose

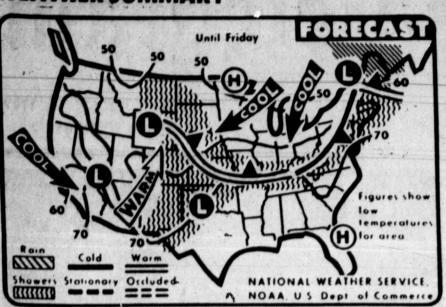
causes supported by N.O.W., such as the Equal Rights Amendment.

"Proof of the effectiveness of profamily ladies is evidenced by the fact that states have quit ratifying the E.R.A. since legislators have realized the views of the great silent moral majority," she told the committee.

Mrs. Gabler and a paid researcher for her non-profit textbook analysis corporation, Sheila Haralson of Kilgore, waved the phonics flag in criticizing readers proposed for adop-

A committee member asked why, if phonics is the best way to teach readng, "learned societies" such as the International Reading Association don't endorse it.

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Showers are expected today through Friday morning from the Southwest to the Nothern Plains and through the lower Midwest into to the Northeast. Warm weather is forecast for the southern half of the nation and most of the East. Cooler weather is expected for the northern Plains, Great Lakes and Northwest. (AP Laserphoto Map)

Midland statistics

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Temperatures today and Friday

will remain somewhat cool, although

they are still on the rise from the

beginning of the week. High today

was expected to reach the upper 80s.

The low should be near 70 degrees.

Winds are southerly, 10-15 mph,

Wednesday's high of 87 was a good

deal cooler than the record high of 105

degrees for the date set in 1946. The

low of 72 Wednesday was much

warmer than the record low of 60

The National Weather Service said

the 7 inches of rain was reported

along the Rio Grande between El

Paso and the Big Bend area. Other

parts of Southwest Texas got about 2

today and Friday, decreasing to 5-10

High Friday will be in the low 90s.

Midland area may experience more backlash from hurricane

There may be some more backlash from Hurricane Allen in Midland tonight and Friday, according to the National Weather Service at Midland Regional Airport, with cloudy skies and a 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms through tonight. Friday has a 20 percent chance of rainfall.

Although Midland is still far behind the average rainfall amount for the year to date, August has started out pretty close to the norm for this month.

By this date, the Weather Service spokesman said, Midland should have had 8.76 inches of rain. Instead, the Tall City has received only 5.55 inches for the year to date.

By the end of the month, the spokesman said, Midland should have 1.52 inches recorded for August. Now halfway through the month, Midland has

Soviet navy 'formidable,' book says

LONDON (AP) - The Soviet Union has welded a massive naval force "far beyond the needs of defense of the Soviet sea frontiers," and is beef-

ing up its armada with a powerful new nuclear-powered aircraft carrier and two giant battle cruisers, the authoritative "Jane's Fighting Ships" reported today.

"The Soviet navy at the start of the 1980s is truly a formidable force," said the usually-reliable analysis of the world's navies in its 1980-81 edi-

Capt. John Moore, a retired British Royal Navy officer who edits the annual reference work, said the first frames of the new 75,000-ton Soviet carrier are in place at the Nikolayev

South shipyard near the Black Sea.

He predicted the Soviets eventually may build four of the giant carriers, which would be matched only by the latest in the U.S. fleet, the Nimitz and the Dwight D. Eisenhower.

The Soviet carriers are likely to be armed with two-seater, swept-wing aircraft, capable of carrying 10,000 ounds of weapons at twice the speed

of sound, the report said.

In addition to the carrier, the Soviets are building two cannon and

cruisers, and may build two more, creating the nucleus "of a force hitherto unrecognized in the Soviet fleet,

the strike group," Moore wrote. With the new cruisers, Moore said, the Soviets are following the U.S. idea that cruisers should protect carriers

and also operate independently. Beside the Kirov-class cruisers, the Kremlin is building three different classes of cruisers, ranging down to 7,600-tonners, he said.

The Soviet fleet, according to Moore, includes 70 nuclear-powered submarines with missiles that can strike at targets 700 to 4,800 miles away. He claimed the Kremlin is producing additional submarines at a rate of 10 a year.

Moore criticized U.S. politicians for slowing down the building of new warships, making them ultimately

more expensive because of inflation. He also fired a broadside at the NATO fleet, accusing members of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization of "dissipating scarce funds on outmoded ideas and equipping their fleets with obsolescent systems in over-expensive ships."

In the event of a major crisis, he said, the Soviet Union could have 240



Thomas was also aboard the Air Florida flight that was hijacked to Havana last Sunday. (AP Laserphoto)

Hurricane Allen 'good' to isolated Terrell County

SANDERSON, Texas (AP) — Ter-rell County Sheriff Dalton Hogg says Hurricane Allen may have brought death and misery to hundreds in the Caribbean, but it was good to the people in his isolated Southwestern

"We hate that they had trouble down below, but it's been good for us. I've been sheriff here for 20 years, and it's the best rains I've ever seen. Everything about it has been good," Hogg said late Wednesday.

The Haitian government said 67 people were killed when Allen raged through the Caribbean before it weakened near Texas and arced through South Texas into northern Mexico. Two people drowned in Texas.

Gov. Bill Clements, after a helicopter inspection of the hurricane path through Texas, estimated the damage toll from the storm might hit \$600 million in Texas.

Six Texas counties have been declared disaster areas and aid has been requested for three others. A claims office was set up in Corpus Christi Wednesday to provide claims service to insured Texans who lost property in the hurricane. Disaster service centers were opened in Har-

lingen, Aransas Pass and Alice. Further into the state, however, Allen brought only much-needed rains.

"I drove 175 miles around the county tonight, and I haven't seen any flooding at all. We got a real smooth, slow rain for two or three days, and the only part that ran off was what the ground couldn't hold," he said.

Hogg patrols Terrell County, which sits along the Rio Grande in the Big Bend of Texas, adjacent to the Mexican Border. The county is 100 miles wide at one point and has 2,391 square

"You couldn't draw a picture and get it any better than this rain has been for us," Hogg said.

Hurricane Allen pushed into Texas 625 miles to the southeast near Brownsville in the Rio Grande Valley and became a tropical depression in Mexico, south of Sanderson, touching off thunderstorms over a wide re-

"It looks like we're pretty well over the rain. We had no bad effects from the hurricane at all. It was a blessing

submarines at sea, while the combined NATO navies, deployed worldwide for all purposes, would have about 150 submarines and some 300

destroyers, frigates and corvettes. The Western navies, Moore said, are failing to keep abreast of the accelerating pace of modern technology and must learn to appreciate that the "Micro-Processor Revolution promises to be an even more climactic period than the Industrial Revolu-

At the same time, he said, "The result of the largest naval and mercantile peacetime building program of the century, has provided the So-viet Union with a massive force far beyond the needs of defense of the Soviet sea frontiers and not required, as the army would be, for the suppression of uprisings withing the Soviet Union and Warsaw Pact coun-

Jane's Publishing Co., which puts out eight other yearbooks in addition to its naval reference, was purchased last week by the Canadian-owned Thomson organization in a \$7.1 million deal. The latest volume of "Jane's Fighting Ships" sells for \$95. The naval reference first appeared in

to us," said Maggie McBeath of Eagle Pass, about halfway between Sanderson and Brownsville.

"It gave us some rain, which we hadn't had in six months. Everything was so dry here it wasn't even funny," she added. The Rio Grande slightly overflowed its banks Tuesday at Eagle Pass, and minor flooding was reported near the Kickapoo Indian village near Eagle Pass.

Much of Southwest Texas was under a flash flood watch Wednesday because of the rains and runoff associated with Hurricane Allen, but officials along the Rio Grande reported no major problems.

A drought that had the river at below-average levels apparently enabled the Rio Grande to handle the heavy rains of the past several days.

Soviets call for arms talks

MOSCOW (AP) - The Kremlin today issued an urgent call for a renewal of nuclear arms limitation talks with the United States, and indicated that any U.S. nuclear strike against the Soviet Union, even a "limited" one, will be met by massive Soviet retaliation.

The call for arms talks, published in the Communist Party newspaper Pravda, was the latest move in an angry Soviet reaction to a new U.S. nuclear strategy that sets up the Soviet military-industrial complex and Kremlin leaders as primary targets in the event of a U.S. nuclear strike.

U.S. authorities, who formally approved the strategy late last month, suggested it would give the United States the choice of limited and selective nuclear responses to Soviet military moves - such as a nuclear attack on American missile bases instead of forcing Washington to choose between surrender and an allout nuclear war.

In a major commentary, Pravda denounced Washington's "outspoken declarations" about possible nuclear war and condemned the idea that a nuclear conflict could be limited in

"As for talk of carrying out a "localized" nuclear war against the U.S.S.R., this approach can stand up to no criticism and is designed for uninformed people," wrote senior Pravda commentator Yuri Zhukov.

"The very nature of nuclear weaponry as a means of mass destruc-tion, and the means of delivering it quickly over enormous distances, imply a resolute and fast response, a

full-scale response."
Similarly, Soviet military specialist Rair Simonyan wrote in this week's issue of New Times, a Soviet political journal, that the new U.S. strategy was "suicidal." He said the concept of a limited nuclear war was designed to convince people that nuclear war is an acceptable national policy.

Zhukov reiterated the Soviet position that Moscow and its allies are capable of all necessary measures to stand up to Pentagon "blackmail."

Grant awarded

WASHINGTON - Sen. Lloyd Bentsen was notified Wednesday that the Department of Transportation has awarded a \$245,000 airport development grant to Midland.

The funds will be used to reconstruct and mark runway 7-25 and to reconstruct and mark taxiway A at Midland Regional Airport.

Air Florida now hijacking 'veteran'

By BRUCE COLLISON

MIAMI (AP) — Before Sunday, Air Florida had flown for seven years without a hijacking. Now the airline is the veteran of two unscheduled trips to Cuba — one apparently sparked by homesick Cuban refugees — and wary airline officials say they will ask the FBI for security advice.

"It isn't our week," said Air Florida spokeswoman Robin Cohn after Wednesday's hijack to Havana of a Miami-Key West flight.

"Any airline would be concerned," said vice president John Fasolino. Seven men described by FBI agent William Nettles as homesick Cuban refugees brought to Key West in the "Freedom Flotilla" boatlift were being held by Cuban authorities after the incident, the second in four days. The 61 other passengers and crew members returned safely to Miami — The 61 other passengers and crew members returned safely to Miami -

including two who had weathered the first Air Florida hijacking. Passenger Martin Thomas of Key West and co-pilot Doug Watters were aboard the carrier's Boeing 747 Miami-Key West flight Sunday when a Spanish-speaking man commandered that flight to Cuba. He threatened to detonate what turned out to be a box containing a bar of soap.

On Wednesday, a Boeing 737 was commandeered about 10 minutes after its 10: 30 a.m. takeoff. The hijackers dumped gasoline on the plane's floor, pulled out their cigarette lighters and demanded to go to Cuba, Nettles said. "I felt more threatened this time because we could smell the gas fumes," said Thomas, who was flying to Miami to pick up the car that had broken down and forced him to take the flight Sunday to Key West. "I

thought someone was going to go crazy and light the gas.

Wednesday's hijacking was the seventh successful hijacking since June 12, 1979. From 1961-1973, hjjackings were almost commonplace and generally politically motivated. But Nettles said the latest incident was committed by homesick refugees unable to find jobs.

"My understanding is that they (the hijackers) came in on the boatlift," he said. "They had gone down to Key West seeking jobs and I guess they decided they wanted to go home."

Asked if the men might have been Cuban agents, he replied, "It seems that if (Cuban President Fidel) Castro wanted to embarrass the United States, this might be the way to do it."

Officials said that moments before the plane took off for what was to be a 15-minute flight to Miami, police arrested an eighth man who tried to slip a toy metal gun past security. He was identified as J. Hernandez. He was charged with conspiracy to commit air piracy and was imprisoned at the

The man triggered a metal detection device his first time through and pulled out a cigarette lighter, Nettles said. The man then walked back into the main lobby with four other men, who were on the passenger list as P. Rodriguez, L. Rodriguez, L. Rivera and E. Flores, Nettles said.

"They went through the checkpoint ahead of Hernandez, and they went through OK. When Hernandez went through, he set off the alarm again,

He said a hand-held metal detector turned up the toy gun. The agent said the three other alleged hijackers were identified on the passnger lists as Raoul Vicaz, Mr. Beneavides and Mr. Milan.

A flight controller at the Key West tower said the plane had taken off for Miami when the pilot, Capt, Gordon Krause, contacted the U.S. Naval base at nearby Boca Chica to report the plane had been ordered to Cuba. A 1973 U.S.-Cuba hijacking treaty was terminated by Castro in 1976. The Cuban government still returns U.S. planes, but no longer provides information on the names or fate of hijackers, said Myles Frenchette of the

State Department's Cuban desk. Air Florida, the only commercial airline servicing the Key West-Miami route, usually has three or four flights a day between the South Florida

At least 85 killed following rumor pig strayed in prayers

least 85 people were killed in this feast ending Ramadan. Pork is taboo northern Indian town in Moslem riot- for Moslems an ing started by rumors that a pig strayed into prayers marking the end of Ramadan, the Moslem holy month,

police said today.

A top police official said Moslem mobs battled police and attacked Hindu shops and homes in the Wednesday rioting in this town 100

miles east of New Delhi. Police Superintendent D.V. Mehta, who said the death toll was at least 85, said many died "in a stampede in the Moslem prayer grounds."

Nineteen children were among those killed, Mehta said, and mobs beat to death a district police official and four constables who tried to quell the rioting. He said 61 persons were injured and that five policemen were

News reports in New Delhi said police used gunfire, baton charges and tear gas to break up the crowd of

rioters. Mehta and other officials said a rumor spread about a pig being driven among the 60,000 Moslems gathered at the Idgah Mosque compound

MORADABAD, India (AP) - At in this dusty town to celebrate the

prayers would be desecration. A curfew was imposed and army troops and paramilitary troops rushed to reinforce police in the city. Policemen armed with rifles and cane. clubs patrolled the narrow, deserted

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Cocaine trade aided by officials

WASHINGTON (AP) - Carter administration officials say they believe at least two cabinet members of Bolivia's month-old military government are involved in that country's highly-profitable cocaine export

The official administration position is that such involvement cannot be confirmed. But the State Department said Wednesday it is terminating the U.S. anti-narcotics program in Bolivia because it cannot count on Bolivian cooperation in the effort.

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Speaking privately, American officials sy credible evidence has been accumulated which substantiates allegations that key members of Bolivia's rightist regime are involved with cocaine traffickers.

The administration has been reluctant to make its evidence public because of fear for the safety of the remaining official American community in Bolivia, the sources said.

State Department spokesman David Passage told reporters Wednesday that the official American presence is being reduced from 120 to 80 since the Bolivian military took power on July 17, preventing the installation of a democratically-elected government. Among those being recalled are five officials of the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration.

Production of coca leaves, which yield cocaine, is centered in the area of Santa Cruz, Bolivia's second largest city and the stronghold of rightist groups which helped Army Commander Luis Garcia Meza to power.

Coca leaf output around Santa Cruz is said to have increased dramatically in recent years to meet a growing

Passage stopped just short of directly implicating Bolivian government officials in cocaine exports. He said the United States is terminating drug-related programs in Bolivia because allegations of Bolivian government involvement in this trade "call into question the degree of coopera-

Asked if that means the United States believes the allegations, Passage told reporters, "I leave it to you to draw parallels between the two."

tion we could expect.

Bolivia and Peru are the only major cocaine exporters in the world. According to U.S. officials, annual cocaine street sales in the United States net anywhere from \$500 million to \$2

The New York Times reported recently that the nited States consumes 60 to 120 tons of South American cocaine each year. The report said

that in New York City, a single kilo, or 2.2 pounds, can be diluted into enough portions to be worth \$250,000 on the retail market.

Bolivia's democratically-elected leadership was expected to investi-gate the country's drug trade.

Mexican held

The man was arrested at 10:35 p.m. Wednesday in Odessa by U.S. Mar-shal H. Harkrider.

Further details of the arrest were unavailable early this morning.

on drug charges

A 36-year-old resident of Mexico was in City Jail this morning on charges of importing narcotics.

Two girls injured in hit-and-run

Two girls were injured Wednesday afternoon when the bicycle they were riding apparently was struck by an automobile which left the scene.

As far as police can determine, the incident occurred shortly before 1:56 p.m. in the 1000 block of Carter Avenue. Eleven-year-old Ruth Alvarado, 1211 S. Pratt St., was riding on the handlebars of the bicycle, and Rita Lujan of 1211 S. Pratt was pedaling when the accident occurred. The

girls told police a 1965 or 1966 yellow Ford was heading west on Carter when it struck them and then left. Both girls were taken to Midland Memorial Hospital emergency room where they were treated and re-

A Houston woman and her passenger were injured when their car and a truck-tractor-trailer collided on the south service road to Interstate 20, near South Midkiff Road

Timothy B. Gerod of Odessa, driver of the truck-tractor-trailer, was eastbound on the service road, negotiating a left turn. Toni Lynn Cheatwood of Houston was westbound on the same road, making a right turn. The car and the back trailer tire collid-

Ms. Cheatwood, 15, and Jennifer Benson, 15 months, of Route 3, Box 416, were taken to Midland Memorial Hospital and admitted. Both were listed in satisfactory condition this

Midland firemen were called to two grass fires and a car fire since 1 p.m. Wednesday

The grass fires occurred at 2:04 p.m., 206 S. Tyler St., and 5: 14 p.m. on East Highway 80 about a mile out of Midland. The car fire was at 2:55 p.m. at Big Spring Street and George Ave-

Three people were transported by CFD ambulance.

Archbishop appeals to Iran's Khomeini

By The Associated Press

The Archbishop of Canterbury urged Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini to free Jean Waddell, a British missionary held on spy charges in Iran. He also expressed concern for the safety of Dr. John Coleman and his wife Audrey, a British couple reported arrested and questioned by Iranian

Meanwhile, hundreds of protesters gathered again outside the British Embassy in Tehran in a mass display of anger once reserved solely for

the U.S. hostages, now in their 285th day of captivity.

The Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr. Robert Runcie, the spiritual head of the Anglican Communion, told Britain's Press Association on Wednesday he had become increasingly alarmed about the fate of the Anglican Church in predominantly Moslem Iran.

He said Miss Waddell, a 58-year-old Anglican missionary, still suffered from wounds suffered during an attempt on her life before her detention Aug. 8 in the central Iranian city of Isfahan, about 140 miles south of

"As events in Iran continue to unfold, my thoughts and porayers are focused on Jean Waddell ... and Dr. John Coleman and his wife," the

archbishop said. He denied the Iranian claim that Miss Waddell, secretary to the former Anglican bishop in Iran, had been involved in espionage. "The secretary of the Anglican bishop was not engaged in spying," he said.

Meanwhile, the British Foreign Office said it was "urgently" trying to locate the Colemans, who had been expected back Monday at their clinic in Yezd, 400 miles outhwest of Tehran.

In addition to seeking the release of the American hostages seized Nov. 4, the United States is asking for the freedom of Cynthia Dwyer, a 49-year-old free-lance reporter from Buffalo, N.Y., arrested in April on

Both the United States and Britain remain under threat of reprisal from segments of the Iranian regime who accuse them of mistreating Iranian demonstrators, a charge the U.S. and British governments have

Reports of growing anti-British sentiment in Iran followed the arrest of dozens of Iranian militants in London last week when they clashed with police during a protest of the arrest of more than 100 Iranians at anti-American demonstrations in the United States.

Sixty-six Iranians remain jailed in London. About 37 of those were on a hunger strike, authorities said. All but one of the Iranians jailed in the United States had been released last week. The Iranian still in custody faces a deportation hearing in Washington.

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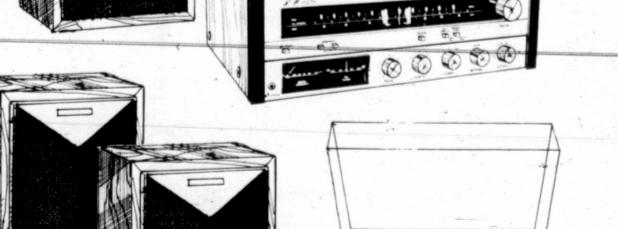
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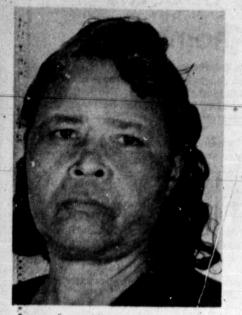
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DEATHS



Inez Reese

Inez Reese, 87, of 1302 E. Parker ve., died Tuesday in her home. Services will be at 3 p.m. Friday in Antioch Baptist Church with the Rev. Johnny Mitchell officiating. Another service will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Mt. Olive Baptist Church in Corsicana with burial in a Corsicana cemetery directed by Thomas Funeral lome of Midland.

Mrs. Reese was born Sept. 13, 1892, in Tyler. She had lived in Midland since 1963 and was the mother of the Antioch Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Adeline Woodson and Emma Massey, both of Midland, a granddaughter. two grandsons and two great-grand-

Percy Robinson

Services for Percy Robinson, 67, of Big Spring and formerly of Midland, will be at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in the Thomas Funeral Home chapel with burial in Fairview Cemetery in Mid-

Robinson d'ied Sunday in a Stanton

Kathryn Wright

STANTON - Services for Kathryn Florence Wright, 84, of Stanton will be at 3 p.m. Friday in Christ Episcopal Church in San Antonio with the Rev. John McNaughton officiating.

Burial will be in Mission Burial Park under direction of Porter-Loring Funeral Home in San Antonio. Local arrangements were handled by Gil-

breath Funeral Home. She died Wednesday afternoon in

Stanton after a lengthy illness. Born Aug. 24, 1895, in Denver, Colo. she moved to San Antonio in 1900 and from there to Stanton in 1979. She was a former employee of the City of San Antonio and was a member of Christ Episcopal Church there.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. W.S. Decker Sr. of Stanton; three grandchildren and six great-grand-

Clara White

BIG SPRING - Mrs. L.B. (Clara) White, 63, of Big Spring and formerly of Martin County, died Tuesday in a local hospital after a sudden illness.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel with burial in Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home.

Mrs. White was born June 12, 1917. in Hill County. She was married to L.B. White June 15, 1935, in Stanton. A Big Spring resident since 1946, she had previously lived in Martin County and was a member of the Hillcrest Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Gertrude White, in 1937, and by two brothers, Leonard Coolbaugh and Alfred Coolbaugh.

Survivors include her husband; three sons, Doyle White, Bobby White and Curtis Wayne White, all of Big Spring; three daughters, Bonnie Daniels, Ola Mae Hale and Juanita Lytle, all of Big Spring; five sisters, Lizzie Roberts of Big Spring, Nora Smith and Bertha Sherman, both of Mid-

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land, Mary Toon of Waco and Myrtle Cathey of Tucson, Ariz.; a brother, Charlie Coolbaugh of Gustine; and 11

Lena B. Curry

Services for Lena Brunson "Lena B" Curry, 50, of Stanton and formerly of Midland, were to be at 10 a.m. today in the Bellview Baptist Church with the Rev. L.M. Hammitt officiating, assisted by the Rev. G.A. McGee of Bellview Baptist.

Graveside services were to be at 3:30 p.m. today in Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock under the direction of Newnie W. Ellis Funernal

Mrs. Curry died Saturday.

Born Nov. 9, 1929, in Gainesville, Mrs. Curry was raised in Smyer, Texas, and lived for a time in Snyder. She moved to Midland in 1952 and owned and operated Lena B's Beauty Shop at 4311 W. Illinois Ave. She had been in failing health for a year. She was a member of Bellview Baptist Church of Midland.

Survivors include two daughters, Emmie Ruth Walker of Houston and Virginia May Hash of Midland: three brothers, John I. Jones of Acuff, Wilburn Jones of Lubbock, and Wendell Jones of St. Lawrence; three sisters, Helen Jennings and Mary Ann Gestes, both of Lorenzo, and Penny McLaughlin of Lubbock; and six grandchildren.

Mabel Whatley

ANDREWS - Services for Mabel Edna Whatley, 78, of Andrews are pending with Singleton Funeral

Home. Mrs. Whatley died Tuesday at an Andrews hospital after a lengthy ill-

She was born in Danville, Ark., and had lived in Andrews for 25 years, moving here from Columbia, South America.

She is survived by a sister, Mrs. A.E. McDaniel of Andrews; and a brother, D.B. Murdock of Planada,

Saudi calls for 'Holy War'

By The Associated Press

Saudi Arabia, the world's biggest oil exporter, declared that "holy war" is the only way to deal with Israel's annexation of Jerusalem. But most of the 13 nations with embassies in the holy city are resisting Arab pressures to move.

Meanwhile, Butros Ghali, Egyptian minister of state for foreign affairs, met in Bucharest with Romanian Foreign Minister Stefan Andrei to discuss the impasse over Jerusalem, which led to Egypt's suspension of Palestinian autonomy talks with Israel. Ghali's five-day visit comes amid signs that Romanian President Nicolae Ceausescu, a past go-between in sensitive Mideast negotiations, is

launching a new peace effort. In a declaration issued Wednesday, Saudi Arabia, long a moderate amidst the Mideast's more radical regimes, said Israel's new Jerusalem Law approved two weeks ago showed that a desire for restraint and moderation" was useless in dealing with the Jewish state.

The oil-rich kingdom also warned the West — and in particular, parties to the 1978 Camp David peace accord signed by Israel and Egypt and sponsored by the United States - that Arab and Islamic nations could not be blamed "if we took the matters in our hands ... in one battle at whatever the cost and whatever the duration, alloting to it (the battle) all our capabilities and possibilities - everything, expensive and cheap."

The Saudi statement was made by Crown Prince Fahd, who rules the kingdom on a day-to-day basis and is the most likely successor to King Khaled. The statement, carried by the Gulf News Agency, was "a pledge from us to the Arabs and Moslems, Fahd said. He indicated the Saudis were trying to set up an Arab summit to form a unified stand on the Jerusa-

Fahd's 500-word declaration marked a hardening in the Saudi position and followed a warning three months ago that his kingdom was

prepared to use "all weapons within our reach," including oil, if a just Mideast peace was not realized "and if the international community fails to discern our good faith."

That warning was delivered May 24, the original target date for Egypt and Israel to agree on a plan for Palestinian autonomy under the Camp David accords.

The talks were deadlocked over differing views on the extent of autonomy for the 1.2 million Palestinians living on land seized by Israel in the 1967 Mideast war. They are now stalled because of Israel's formal annexation of Jerusalem's eastern or Arab sector in the city holy to Jews, Moslems and Christians.

In his latest declaration, Fahd addressed the question of "jihad," or holy war, saying:

"Here, the question is inevitable -What has moderation achieved and is this (Israel's annexation of Jerusa-

lem) the West's concept of just peace? And where is the comprehensive peace framework they envisaged, formulated at Camp David and promised us. Hasn't the call for Arabs and Moslems to a long and persisting jihad become the only answer to the Zionist religious and racist arrogance?"

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"... As regards autonomy for the Palestinians, it requires from those still betting on it to take a dignified stand, admit failure and courageously retreat from whatever has happened and still is happening."

There was no immediate reaction to his statement from Egypt, or other Mideast nations or Israel.

Byt Israeli intelligence analysts in Jerusalem said they viewed it as an attempt to reassert Saudi authority in the Arab world.



Iranian mood said worst since hostage crisis began

LAWRENCE, Kan. (AP) - The mood in Iran now is "the worst its been since against Americans since the hostage crisis began in November," says a man who has headed two private peace missions to

Norman Forer, a University of Kansas associate professor, blamed the situation on "police mishandling" of last month's demonstration by Iranians in

Washington. He also said negotiations for a third peace pilgrim-mage to Iran by the Coalition for U.S.-Iran Understanding have been put off because of that incident. Forer led two missions to Iran by the recently

Gon privately.

"The police handled this situation just like they

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statements

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — The South Kore-

an government "deeply regrets the intemperate

statements of foreign government officials concerning the trial of Kim Dae-Jung and 23 of his supporters," a government spokesman said loday. He apparently was referring to a State Department comment.

Kim Su-doc, director

general of the Korean **Overseas** Information

Service, said that "it is an internationally ac-

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ters, and premature expressions of concern are nappropriate and can be considered tantamount to an attempt to manipu-

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On Wednesday, U.S.

State Department spokesman David Pasage urged South Korean authorities to adopt mea-

sures which conform with accepted judicial standards and expressed

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formed activist organization without government

handled the 1968 Democratic National Convention in Chicago," Forer said. His group has written to Iranian officials apologizing "for the regrettable behavior of the Washington, D.C., police," he

The 192 Iranians were arrested for disorderly conduct July 27 by Washington police after their pro-Khomeini demonstration near the White House turned violent. Only a few Iranians identified them- students at Midwest colleges and universities. selves, hardly any carried identification and almost all began a hunger strike.

Six days later, the charges were dropped and the Iranians were turned over to the U.S. Immigration is obvious that many were students at Midwes' and Naturalization Service, which negotiated an colleges and universities. agreement in which the students identified themselves and were released.

Only one demonstrator, a student from Louisiana,

faces deportation.

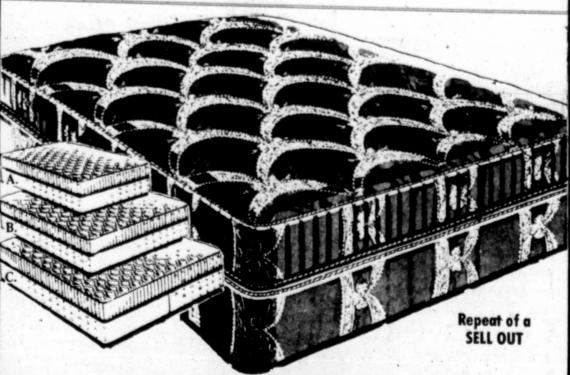
Those events "have created an atmosphere of antagonism with the Iranians, and have seriously damaged negotiations for the release of the hos-

Meanwhile, the INS has concluded that many of the Iranians arrested at the demonstration were

Spokesman Vern Jervis said Wednesday that while the INS review of the arrests is only half finished, it

The INS has refused to release the names of those arrested because no charges were formally brought

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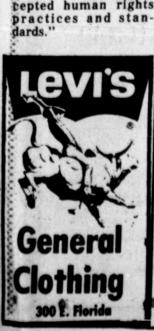
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Legal implications of takeover studied

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — As the takeover of a west side high school moved into its seventh day today, school officials were heading for a meeting on the legal implications of the occupation and protesters were

working on proposals to resolve the standoff.

Neighborhood residents last Friday seized the West Business-Management Center, formerly West High School, to protest the school's closing. They ousted school staff and chained the doors shut. Sympathetic neighbors have been bringing them food.

The board of education decided Aug. 5 to close the specialized school because of dwindling enrollment and high costs.

But angry residents said that without a secondary school of their own,

the neighborhood could lose its identity. The board planned to meet in closed session today, its second meeting in three days, to discuss legal issues raised by the takeover.

Meanwhile, spokesmen for the protesters say they are preparing pro-posals for the Kansas City School District that could help end the fight

City Councilman Robert M. Hernandez, who has been meeting with the protesters, said a solution could come as soon as a proposal is given to the board. He would not reveal details of the plan.

On Wednesday, another group of west side residents met with District Superintendent Robert R. Wheeler and two school board members to discuss a possible compromise.

John Sanchez said he urged officials to give residents one more year to make the school economically viable. He said his group would develop a proposal for the possible use of West

for presentation to the board today. The Coalition for the Preservation of Education on the West Side, whose members took over the school, said it was trying to work out plans

WASHINGTON (AP) — Billy Carter is being questioned by Senate investigators who are preparing to hear as early as next week his public testimony on his dealings with

The investigators for a special Senate judiciary subcommittee were to take a deposition from the president's brother today at his lawyers' office

Carter met with his lawyers, Henry Ruth and Stephen Pollak, for five hours Wednesday and told reporters later he does not know what the Senate investigators will ask.

"I guess the same things they've been asking," he said.

Asked if he thinks the affair has been blown out of proportion, he said "Of course. Of course. The president's brother may testify

to the Senate subcommittee late next week, according to Richard Paul, an aide to Sen. Birch Bayh, D-Ind. Paul said the schedule for hearings

next week has not been completed but said the investigators want to hear Billy Carter's testimony early in the investigation. President Carter has said he also is

willing to testify publicly in an effort to dispel questions of White House involvement in his brother's dealings

But Bayh has said he does not know if the president's testimony will be tor upcoming probe

Billy Carter told reporters Wednes-day that Libyan officials agreed to talk to him about a business deal in which he would supply Libyan crude oil to the Florida-based Charter Oil Co. But he said Libya made no commitment to supply the oil.
"The Libyans have at no time ren-

eged on any commitment," he said.
"They really never made a commitment.... They said we'd talk about

Asked if he still has any expectation of getting the oil, he replied, "I have no expectation of anything."

The subcommittee is investigating the brother's delayed registration as a foreign agent for Libya, his acceptance of \$220,000 from that country, and the Carter administration's handling of the affair.

Billy Carter has said the \$220,000 was a business loan and has denied he was an agent for Libya. He said he registered as a foreign agent only under pressure from the Justice Department.

President Carter says his brother's relationship with Libya has not influenced U.S. policy, although Billy Carter did arrange a White House meeting with a Libyan official on efforts to free the American hostages

On political matters, Billy Carter said Wednesday he enjoyed Sen. Ed-

ward M. Kennedy's speech at the Democratic National Convention Tuesday night and said he thinks President Carter's prospect for re-election is getting better.

critics are using him as "a scape-goat" when their real target is President Carter's economic and other po-

Nine climbers killed, another 20 injured in massive Mt. Fuji rockslide

TOKYO (AP) - Hundreds of rocks up to 61/2 feet in diameter tumbled from the upper slopes of Mt. Fuji today, killing nine climbers and injuring at least 20 others, police said.

Officers in Fujiyoshida at the base of the volcanic mountain, Japan's highest peak, said the climbing party was abut 9,180 feet up the 11,385-foot mountain when the rock slide occurred. Rocks continued to cascade down the slope more than an hour afterward, they said.

Police said a rescue team and a helicopter from a local ground self defense force base were on their way to the accident scene. Neither the cause of the slide nor information about the victims was immediately available

More than three million people climb or visit the barren, conical mountain every year. Many ascend it at night to see the sunrise from the peak. Paths are carefully maintained and accidents on the mountain are rare, officers said.

Construction site damaged in fire

HOUSTON (AP) - A four-alarm fire Wednesday did an estimated \$1.2 million in damage to an apartment complex under construction, Houston Fire Department officials said.

The blaze, which started about 5: 30 p.m. Wednesday, gutted 70 units in an 328-unit complex being built in north-

west Houston. Officials said the fire started in a corner of the complex. Firefighters brought the blaze under control after about an hour. Three firefighters and a civil defense worker were treated at local hospitals for minor injuries and released.

Arson investigators were investigating the cause of the blaze.

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Dropouts recieve "college" degrees

By NANCY SHULINS
Associated Press Writer
EVANSVILLE, Ind. (AP) — Can a 70-year-old former ketchup-shaker from Cloverport, Ky., find happiness recruiting students for one of the world's strangest universities?

J. Henry Ballman, who holds a "doctorate" from the University of Hard Knocks, is living proof.

UHK was born 30 years ago in the imagination of Jim Comstock, publisher of the weekly West Virginia Hillbilly. Comstock, a college graduate, had a partner and a problem.

The partner, Bronson McClung, had never been to college. Despite his success, he still felt disadvantaged.

Comstock remedied the situation with a trip to the printer. He returned with a diploma, which he hung over McClung's desk. And like the Scarecrow who felt smarter when the Wizard of Oz awarded him a

degree, McClung's feelings of inferiority lessened. The University of Hard Knocks was born. Hundreds became overnight "graduates." Alderson-Broaddus, a Philippi, W.Va., college, invited the mythical UHK to use its cam-

Diplomas, 1,200 to date, were printed in the official UHK colors - black

and blue. They come with a gold seal and a bandage.

For awhile, that was that. Then came Ballman, Class of '66, and holder of one of UHK's rare "doctoral" degrees. What's a university without a

branch campus, Ballman wondered. The University of Hard Knocks-Evansville Branch was born. It will hold its first graduation ceremony Sept. 12 for men and women who have succeeded sans sheepskins.

"I left school after the eighth grade," recalls Ballman, a round-faced man with white hair and bushy black eyebrows. "There were six of us kids and my father wasn't well. My brother and I dropped out to help

The family left Kentucky seeking a better life in Indiana. In Evansville, Ballman worked first at a canning factory, shaking bottles of ketchup to distribute the spices. He drove a truck and built river levees. As an employee of a refrigerator manufacturing company, Ballman

climbed the ladder from welder to regional sales manager. Ten years ago, he retired. But he and his wife, Mildred, have a musical-comedy act they put on at nursing homes and conventions, and between performances, Ballman writes his memoirs and builds up his basement collection of woodpecker holes. He has 40. But of all Ballman's projects, UHK is his pet.

"When I first started out way back when, I felt I couldn't go out and compete with people who had college degrees," he recalls. When I did go out and start competing, I found that the woods were

full of successful people who didn't go to college.' UHK is not a diploma mill, he says. Only those who have never graduated from a bona fide college are eligible, and in lieu of tuition, applicants must show they have donated \$100 to the Shrine Crippled Children's Fund.

Nuke operators ordered to produce documents

HARRISBURG, Pa. (AP) - A federal nuclear hearing panel has ordered the operators of the Three Mile Island nuclear plant to produce computer records that allegedly could show whether maintenance was improperly deferred on its undamaged reac-

Labeling the allegations by an anti-nuclear group "a serious, serious matter," a three-member hearing board of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission directed Metropolitan Edison Co.

Chairman Ivan Smith said his panel is interested in "whether work orders went undone to avoid a shutdown."

If that is the case, he said, "it certainly reflects on the management ability of Met

The utility was also told to submit a better explanation of a June 27 spill of 10,000 gallons of radioactive water within the Unit 1 plant.

And the board rejected he company's motion that the charges of neglected repairs be dismissed before the start of hearings Oct. 1 on the reopening of Unit 1.

Although ready for service, Unit 1 has been closed since a March 1979 accident crippled its sister reactor, Unit 2...

The board, which was to meet again today, is holding preliminary discussions with Met Ed and a number of groups opposed to the company's plans to restart its undamaged reactor.

Company attorneys said computer personnel were to be sent to today's meeting to explain what information is available.

"The board wants us to be as helpful as possible and we will," said Met Ed counsel George Trowbridge. "We need somebody (at the meeting) who understands computers."

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stical cures abound for hiccups

By JANE SEE WHITE

NEW YORK (AP) — In horses, they're called "the thumps."

For 58 years, they've prevented an Iowa farmer from swallowing solid food. Aristophanes cured his by tickling his nose until he sneezed. They plagued Pope Pius XII in his last

In Old English, they were spelled "hicket;" the Swedish pronounce them "hickning" or "hicka." Though

the proper medical term is "singul-tus," we commonly describe them by their sound: Hiccups.

Popping up, as they do, from no-where — out of beat in a sing-along or as shrill punctuation in conversation - hiccups can be comical. Everyone has a pet cure, a cure that absolutely never fails. Often the treatment is more absurd than the mala-

Wait them out with a brown paper bag over your head; arrange a sud-

den fright; knock back an eye-watering shot of vinegar; sit quietly, firmly gripping your out-thrust tongue be-tween thumb and index finger.

Hippocrates warned that "if singultus supervenes on excessive purging in those of advanced years, it is not a good sign." He recommended an induced sneeze as a cure.

In medieval times, cures like these were touted: pulverize and eat the yellow membrane of a hen's stomach;

arms above your head; rub your little finger in your ear; if all else fails, hold Masterwort root in your hand.

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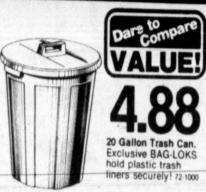
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Usually hiccups simply stop the way they started, suddenly

But when hiccups linger, when no cure works, when the spasms go on ... and on ... and on ... for hours, days yes, even years - then hiccups are a special sort of torture.

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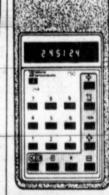
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Anti-nuclear protesters in bizarre costumes wander outside Madison Square Garden in New York Tuesday as the Democratic National Convention is held inside. Person at left symbolizes death and

person at right symbolizes Three Mile Island. Madison Square Garden is building at right. (AP Laserphooto)

Operators announce field drillsites in several Permian Basin counties

FISHER LOCATIONS

producer

Anderson Petroleum Inc., operating from Midland, will drill a southwest stepout to the Canyon sand production in the Ozona multipay field in Crockett County.

The test, No. 12-55 Bill Clegg "B," is located 7,577 feet from north and 1,300 feet from west lines of Runnels County School Lands survey No. 55, 30 miles southwest of Ozona. Contract depth is 6,800 feet.

J. Cleo Thompson, Dallas, will drill No. 2-34 University "E" as a one-mile north outpost to the University 31 (Strawn detrital) field of Crockett

Contract depth is 10,000 feet. Drillsite is 2,173 feet from north and from east lines of section 34, block 31, University Lands survey, 11 miles west of Ozona.

DAWSON OFFSET

RK Petroleum Corp. of Midland. will drill No. 2 Lamesa Farms, a north offset to its discovery well, No. 1 Farms (Siluro-Devonian) field of Dawson County

Location is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 106, block M, EL&RR survey, 12 miles northwest of Lamesa.

Robinson Drilling Co. of Texas ofBig Spring, is the contractor, the contract depth is 12,400 feet, and the estimated spud date is August 23,

ECTOR RE-ENTRY

Marathon Oil Co., Midland, will reenter its No. 2 J.D. Slator, and plug back to 9,758 feet for a recompletion attempt in the TXL, North (Waddell) multipay field of Ector County.

The project, a former Ellenburge producer in the TXL field, is 660 feet from north and from west lines of section 4, block 45, T-1-S, T&P survey, 2.5 miles northeast of Notrees.

EDWARDS TEST

Foy Boyd Management Corp., also operating from Midland, will drill a one-mile southwest outpost to lower Pennsylvanian gas production in the Edwards County portion of the Frances Hill multipay field, 21 miles northwest of Rocksprings.

No. 2 Mrs. Grady Hill is located 660 feet from south and from west lines of section 86, CCSD&RGNG survey, ab-

Contract depth is 7,000 feet, and the ground elevation is 2,247 feet.

approximately four miles southwest

The field currently has one Canyon

Two wildcat failures will be re-en-

tered by John W. Barbee, Abilene, in

the Bennett field of Fisher County,

of Rotan. No. 1-A Terrell, located 467 feet from south and 2,143 feet from west lines of section 51, block 2, H&TC survey, will be deepened to 6,300

Formerly No. 1 Ludie M. Terrell, operated by Fox & Ransdell, the project was abandoned in November, 1963, at a depth of 6,200 feet.

The other project, No. 1 John Carl Gruben, will be deepened to 3,750

Location is 664 feet from south and 658 feet from west lines of section 49, block 2, H&TC survey.

Formerly No. 1 Hardy operated by S. and D. Daube, the project was abandoned in October, 1938, at a depth of 3,727 feet

A northwest offset to the Kemp (Canyon and Fry) field of Fisher County has been staked by The Townsend Co., Abilene, as No. 1-B Kemp. Townsend's No. 1 Kemp is the Canyon reopener and current lone producer in

Wellsite is 1,533 feet from north and 3,830 feet from east lines of section 21, block 2, HeTC survey, three miles west of Roby

It is a replacement for the firm's No. 2 Kemp, scheduled in January.

KING PROJECTS Taubert, Steed, Gunn & Medders, operating from Wichita Falls, has scheduled two tests in King County.

Located 1,320 feet from north and 467 feet from east lines of section 10, block F, H&TC survey, 15 miles southeast of Guthrie, No. 39 S.B. Burnett Estate "N" will test both the Strawn and the Tannehill pays of the Big N field.

Contract depth is 5,600 feet.

No. 5 S.B. Burnett Estate "WM" will test pays in the Twin Peaks

field. It is a north offset to the two-well Conglomerate area, and is threeeighths mile northeast of the Strawn opener and current lone producer from that pay.

It will also test various pays in the Anne Tandy field.

Lea gets wildcat sites

A pair of wildcats and several field operations have been announced in Lea County, N.M.

Amoco Production Co., operating from Hobbs, N.M., spotted No. 1 State "IY" as a prospector 23 miles southeast of Halfway and 21/2 miles northeast of the Brinninstool (Morrow) gas field. It also is four miles northeast of the Cruz (Delaware) field.

Contract depth is 5,400 feet. The location is 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 14-23s-33e.

Pogo Producing Co., operating from Midland, spotted location fo a 15,500-foot wildcat in Lea County, 14 miles southeast of Halfway.

It is No. 1 NBR, 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 18-22s-33e and 41/2 miles northeast of 14,596foot Morrow gas production in the Red Tank field, and two miles northeast of 14,614-foot Atoka gas production in an unnamed field.

Cactus Drilling Co. has the con-

Internorth Inc. of Midland No. 1 Tonto-State Communitized is to be drilled as a 13,700-foot project in the Gem (Morrow) field of Lea County, 20

miles southeast of Maljamar. Drillsite is 1,980 feet from south and 2,200 feet from east lines of sectidon 32-19s-33e. Warton Drilling Co. of Odessa has the contract.

Monsanto Co., operating from Midland, staked its No. 1 Back Basin Unit as a 14,600-foot project in the Bell Lake (Morrow gas) pool of Lea County, 22 miles northwest of Jal. It is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 20-23s-

Amoco Production No. 1 State "IT" is a new 5,300-foot test in the Salado Draw (Delaware) field of Lea County, 36 mile southeast of Halfway.

Location is 1,980 feet from north and west lines of section 16-26s-33e. Ground elevation is 3,271 feet.

Gifford, Mitchell & Wisenbaker of Midland No. 1 Irion Mountain is to be drilled in gthe Comanche Stateline (Yates oil) area of Lea County, 37 miles southeast of Halfway. Contracted to 4,000 feet, it will be

drilled 660 feet from north and west lines of section 34-26s-36e. Amoco Production No. 39 State "A" is to be drilled in the Bowers (Seven Rivers) field one mile south of Hobbs

in Lea County. Drillsite for the 3,400-foot test is 760 feet from south and east lines of section 4-19s-38e. Ground elevation is

southeast of Guthrie Contract depth is 6,000 feet. **NOLAN ACTIVITY**

Feagan Energy Inc. of Midland will drill two confirmation tests to Ellenburger production in the Withers multipay field of Nolan County, three miles south of Sweetwater.

No. 2 Richards Gesin, a north offset,

is 1,752 feet from south and 2,173 feet from west lines of section 72, block 22. T&P survey.

from west lines of section 72, block 22, T&P survey.

Garrett Energy Inc., Carlsbad, N.M., will re-enter the former Hanson Exploration Inc. No. 1 Blankenship, and attempt completion in the Koolsman, South (Strawn) field of Nolan County

Located 2,173 feet from south and 467 feet from west lines of section 41. T-2-S, T&P survey, two miles northwest of Roscoe, the well was originally drilled to a depth of 6,665 feet as a wildcat, and abandoned in October,

C.E. Long Jr. of Midland will reenter and deepen a former 6,700-foot wildcat failure. No. 1 Davis will drill to 7,000 feet,

attempting completion in the one-well Long (Ellenburger) field, three miles southeast of Roscoe in Nolan County. Location is 467 feet from north and from east lines of section 62, block 23, T&P survey.

Formerly Roark & Davis No. 1 Davis, the project was abandoned in August, 1967.

REAGAN STEPOUT

No. 1-114 Ella will drill as an 8,000foot, %-mile northeast stepout to the Reagan County portion of the Calvin (Dean) field, 15 miles northeast of

Wellsite is 1,460 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 114, block 2, T&P survey, abstract

Cola Petroleum Inc., Midland, is the operator.

SCHLEICHER OUTPOST

Transcontinental Oil Corp., operating from San Angelo, will drill No. 1-4 University as a three-mile north outpost to the University 54 (Canyon gas) field, 23 miles northwest of Eldora-

Location is 660 feet from north and 1,996 feet from west lines of section 4, block 54, University Lands survey.

Contract depth is 7,450 feet. Elevation is 2,551 feet, ground

STONEWALL RE-ENTRY

H.W. Herndon Jr, operating from Fort Worth, has scheduled No. 3 Tom Rutherford as a re-entry project for completion attempt in the Coot (Canyon reef oil) field of Stonewall Coun-

A %-mile southeast stepout to the field, wellsite is 1,124 feet from south and 711 feet from east lines of section 146, block 1, H&TC survey, eight miles southwest of Aspermont. Herndon will deepen to 5,300 feet.

Originally drilled as Texland, Rector & Schumacher, Fort Worth, No. 2 Tom Rutherford, the 5,200-foot wildcat failure was abandoned in April,

UPTON PROJECT

Hunt Oil Co. of Dallas will drill a stepout to the Amacker-Tippett, Southwest field of Upton County, 13.7 miles northwest of Rankin.

Contracted to 9,500 feet, No. 4-81 Halff is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 81, block Y, GC&SF survey.

Drillsite is 2,100 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 12, block F, H&TC survey, 15 miles

Both projects are scheduled to 6,800

No. 3 Richard Gesin, a west offset, is 1.667 feet from south and 973 feet

Lee in Coke County. Scheduled to 6,000 feet, it is 660 feet

It is Charles M. Childers of Abilene

1,974 feet.

the depleted discovery well of the Don (Fry oil) pool, and 1% miles southwest of the field's reopener which produces at 3,920 feet.

staked No. 1-20 A. A. Sugg 21/2 miles northeast of one of the two wells in the Andrew A (Canyon gas) pool of Irion County, 15 miles northwest of Mert-

east of one of the field's three Canyon oil wells, will be dug 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 20, block 6, H&TC survey.

Joy Petroleum Corp. of Midland announced plans to re-enter and drillout to 8,000 feet in an 8,260-foot dry hole near production in the Gin, North field of Dawson County, four miles northwest of Lamesa.

The project, No. 1 R. Woodward Guardian, is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 2, block 2, D. L. Cunningham survey. The project is one location north of production It originally was drilled as Gulf Oil

DAWSON LOCATION

seven miles south of Lamesa.

The project, contracted to 11,700 feet, is 660 feet from north and 1,650 feet from west lines of section 6, block 35, T-4-N, Tk&P survey. Delta Drilling Co. has the contract.

It is a west offset to Cisco production and 467 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 266, block 2, H&TC survey. Ground elevation is 2,291 feet.

SCHLEICHER WELL

Transcontinental Oil Corp. of San Angelo has completed its No. 1-19-A University as the fourth Ellenburger gas well in the University 53 multipay field of Schleicher County, 21 miles northwest of Eldorado.

It finaled for a calculated absolute

Kimsey completes deep gas discovery in Reeves county

Roy E. Kimsey Jr. of Midland has filed potential test with the Railroad Commission of Texas on his No. 1-325 Lindsey, unidentified discovery in Reeves County, 12 miles west of Bal-

The Midland Reporter-Telegram

THURSDAY, AUGUST 14, 1980

The project, originally staked by HNG Oil Co. of Midland, completed for a calculated absolute open flow potential of 367,000 cubic feet of gas per day, through perforations from 15,564 to 16,032 feet. No fluid was produced with the gas.

Operator fractured the pay zone with 90,000 gallons. Total depth is 16,500 feet, 4½-inch liner is set at 16,450 feet and hole is

plugged back to 16,150 feet. Location is 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 325, block 13, H&GN survey and 11 miles southeast of Saragosa.

The discovery is 2% miles northwest of the Pec-Reeves (Devonian

gas) field which produces at 16,112

CROCKETT WILDCATS Jackson Exploration Inc. of Dallas announced location for a 9,850-foot wildcat 32 miles southwest of Ozona in

The prospector is No. 1 P. C. Perner, 660 feet from north and 960 feet from east lines of section 22, block NN2, William Hornsbuckle survey, abstract 4873

Ground elevation is 2,331 feet. The drillsite is 61/2 miles southeast of the Ingham (Devonian gas) field and 2% miles south of the Perner Ranch (Devonian) field. It also is 21/4 miles northeast of the Dudley (Devonian gas) field.

Delta Drilling Co. of Midland No. 1-88 Friend is to be dug as a 7,200-foot wildcat in the Ozona multipay field,

two miles northeast of Ozona. The operator also will test for production as a field well in the Ozona (Canyon gas) pool.

Drillsite is 860 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 88, block H, GC&SF survey. It is an east offset to Canyon gas production. Ground elevation is 2,434.8 feet.

COKE EXPLORER

Fisher-Webb Inc. of Abilene spotted No. 1 Gillingham and others as a wildcat 12 miles northwest of Robert

from south and east lines of section 321, block 1-A, H&TC survey.

The drillsite is one location northwest of the Meadow Creek (Canyon) field which produces at 5,260 feet.

RUNNELS PROSPECTOR

A 4,600-foot wildcat has been announced for Runnels County, 1.7 miles

No. 1 Bean, 467 feet from south and 3,170 feet from west lines of ETRR survey No. 123. Ground elevation is

The location is % mile northwest of

IRION PROJECT

Moran Exploration Inc. of Midland

The project, also 11/8 miles north-

DAWSON RE-ENTRY

Corp. No. 1 Woodward.

D. B. Baxter of Midland staked No. 1 H. G. Graham and others as an east offset to Fusselman production in the Knight Miller field of Dawson County,

SCURRY OFFSET Samedan Corp. of Midland will dig

its No. 1 Hamlett as a 5,100-foot project in the two-well Tonto, Northeast (Cisco) field of Scurry County, eight miles northeast of Snyder.

open flow potential of 1,378,100 cubic feet of gas per day, through pderforations from 7,091 to 7,146 feet. The pay

fractured with 59,700 gallons. Location is 1,980 feet from south and 1,997 feet from west lines of section 19, block 53, University Lands survey. It is 11/4 miles west of the closest

was acidized with 1,000 gallons and

other Ellenburger gas well. CRANE LOCATION

Southland Royalty Co. of Midland staked No. 2-28 Moss in the Troporo (Devonian) field of Crane County, 1.4 miles northeast of Impdrial

Contracted to 5,700 feet, it is 8,100 feet from northeast and 467 feet from northwest lines of sectidon 28, block 1, H&TC survey.

HOWARD PRODUCER

North American Royaltis Inc. of midland No. 1 Stokes is a new well in the Howard County portion of the

On 24-hour potential test it pumped 77 barrels of 37-gravity oil and 63 barrels of water, with gas-oil ratio of

Completion was through perfora-tions from 6,516 to 6,760 feet after 4,850 gallons of acid and 71,000 gallons of fracture fluid.

the Modesta, South (Cisco) field and was drilled to 8,756 feet. Operator set 41/2-inch casing at 8,433 feet. The hole

is plugged back to 8,334 feet. Wellsite is 467 feet from south and 660feet from west lines of section 22, block 33, T-3-N, T&P survey.

DRILLING

ANDREWS COUNTY
Sanchez-O'Brien No. 1-A Allbright:
td 9,800 feet, plugged back to 9,252
feet, preparing to complete:
Asnoco No. 8 Davis "A;" td 12,524
feet, preparing to test, set retainer at
12,418 feet, perforated from 12,335-12,
366 feet, spotted 500 gallons of acid,
swabbed 32 barrels of load water in
unreported time.

swabbed 82 barrels of load water in unreported time.

Amoco No. 1 David Fasken 1"BI;" td 12,606 feet, perforated from 12,619-12,180 feet, acidized with 5,000 gallons, swabbed 44 barrels of water in 10.5 hours, preparing to fracture. Discovery Operating Inc. No. 1-11 University "A;" drilling 3,415 feet, set 12%-inch casing at 350 feet.

CHAVES COUNTY ROOSEVELT COUNTY

COKE COUNTY
Sun Oil Co. No. 14 Central National
Bank "A;" td 7,285 feet, perforated
the Pennsylvania lime from 6,760-6,768
feet, acidized with 800 gallons, then
reacidized with 2,500 gallons, set
bridge plug at 6,750 feet, preparing to
perforate up the hole.

ECTOR COUNTY ECTOR COUNTY

Amoco No. 85 Elliott F. Cowden

"B;" td 10,643 feet, perforated from

10;174-10,301 feet, acidized with 3,000
gallons, set bridge plug at 10,120 feet,
perforated from 9,703-9,743 feet, acidized with 3,000 gallons, swabbed 246
barrels of water in an unreported
time, preparing to set another bridge
plug.

Amoco No. 1 J.L. Johnson "E;" td

EDDY COUNTY
Cities Service No. 1 Federal "F;"
Id 1,125 feet, temporarily abandoned,
will complete as water well.
Getty No. 1-24 Getty-State; drilling
14,134 feet.

14,134 feet.
Cities Service No. 1 Government
"AK;" id 7,145 feet, plugged back to
6,605 feet, set 5½-inch casing at 6,606
feet, waiting on completion unit.
The Superior Oil Co. No. 1 Meander-Federal; id 11,641 feet, still waitline on completion unit. der-Federal; td 11,641 feet, still waiting on completion unit.

Gulf No. 1 Nopal Draw-Federal; td
10,365 feet, lpumped 3 barrels of oil
with no water in 24 hours through
unreported perforations.

Gulf No. 1 Rustler Bluffs; td 15,800
feet, pbtd 11,185 feet, swabbing
through perforationsfrom 7,754-7,766
feet, no gauges.

freet, no gauges.
Ellwade Corp. No. 1-Y SRC-State:
dd 12,262 feet, set 5-inch liner from
11,509 feet to total depth, waiting on GAINES COUNTY

GLASSCOCK COUNTY Sun Oil Co. No. 1 W.A. Hutchison "A;" drilling 2,690 feet in salt and anhydrite, set 13%-inch casing at 471 feet. Charles O. Semple No. 1 Clyde C. Reynolds; td 2,843 feet, waiting on logging tools.

Tahoe Oil & Cattle Co. No. 1 Tee pee; drilling 5,056 feet.

KENT COUNTY
Tipperary Oil & Gas Corp. No. 1
Swenson; waiting on rotary tool.
Jack G. Elam No. 1-60 Wallace
"D;" td 6,896 feet, shut-in for re-LAMB COUNTY

Threshold-Blocker Venture No. 1 W.B. Jones; drilling 2,902 feet in reabed, shale and sand. LEA COUNTY
The Superior Oil Co. No. 1 Triste
Draw-Federal; drilling 285 feet in Getty No. 1-6 Getty-State; drilling 13,876 feet.

13,876 feet.
Sun Oil Co. No. 1 Jennings-Federal
"B;" td 3,400 feet, set 5 ½-inch casing at total depth, waiting on completion Sunmark Exploration No. 1 Loretta Lowe; td 9,550 feet, waiting on pumping unit.

David Fasken No. 1-16 Mobil State: to 13,110 feet, spotted plug at 12,910 feet, waiting on cement.

Southland Royalty Co. No. 1 Parkway.State. "B," drilling 3,160 feet in schoolding and lime. Southland Royalty Co. No. 1-4 Scharb, drilling 8,736 feet in lime and

American Trading and Production Co. No. 1 Talco Unit; drilling 17,370 feet. LOVING COUNTY Border EXploration Co. No. 1 John-son TXL Unit No. 1; drilling 19,150 feet in shale. Getty No. 1 Tom Linebery Strip; drilling 13,757 feet. Getty No. 1-25-76 Tom Linebery; 1 18,655 feet, preparing to run liner.

LUBBOCK COUNTY
The Superior Oil Co. No. 1 Cora
Grimes: td 7,000 feet, plugged back to
6,937 feet, squeezed Wolfcamp perforations from 6,858-6,890 feet, waiting
on cement. MIDLAND COUNTY Texas American Oil Corp. No. 1 Baumann; drilling 8,700 feet in lime and shale, set 8%-inch casing at 4,243 feet

CABLE TOOL DRILLING Top-To-Bottom Deepening Lease Holding

Todd Aaron

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Spraberry Trend Area field.

The well was scheduled as a test in

REPORT

gauges. Sun Oil Co. No. 32 V.T. McCabe; rs 7,250 feet, moving in well service

REEVES COUNTY REEVES COUNTY
The Superior Oil Co. No. 2 Camp
Unit; drilling 5,076 feet in sait, shale
and anhydrite.
Union Texas Petroleum Co. No. 1
UTP-NRM Chapparral; td 11,975
feet, drilling out cement at 11,334
feet.

CROSBY COUNTY

tion unit.

American Trading No. 1 Sutton Hil-lyer Unit; td 6,979 feet, pbtd 6,897 feet, pumping through perforations from 6,126-6,134 feet, no gauges. DAWSON COUNTY DAWSON COUNTY Sunmark Exploration Co., No. 1 Sarah Ruffin; td 12,415 feet, still test-ing through Canyon perforations from 10,592-10,696 feet, no gauges. WARD COUNTY

Amoco No. 73 J.E. Witcher; td 5,425 feet, set 8%-inch casing at 3,608 feet. FIELD TESTS COCHRAN COUNTY
Threshold-Blocker Venture No. 1
Jack W. Hudson: Blowing Sand; td
1,733 feet; has been plugged and aban-

> EDDY COUNTY
> Coquina Oil Corp. No. 1 Carisbad-Pecos: Dublin Ranch (Morrow); td 12,536 feet; still waiting on completion unit.
> Gulf No. 1 Eddy "C" State: Undesignated (Bone Spring); td 12,600 feet;
> pb 9,000 feet; still testing; pumped no
> oil, 78 barrels of water in 24 hours,

feet.
Cities Service No. 1 Governmant
"AG": Burton Flat; td 11,325 feet; pb
11,304 feet; spotted acid, now preparing to perforate.
David Fasken No. 1 Maralo-Pederal: Avalon (Morrow); td 11,360 feet;
pb 11,297 feet; rigging up pulling unit;
set 4.5-inch casing at td.
Southland Royalty No. 1-32-A
State: Winchester (Morrow); td 11,329
feet; preparing to perforate. Texaco No. 3 State of Texas "F": War-Wink, South (Wolfcamp); drill-ing 7,545 feet in shale.

through unreported perforations.

LEA COUNTY

Durham Inc. No. 2 Elkan: Cercu
(upper Pennsylvanian); drilling 3,046
feet in anhydrite and salt; set 13 3/8
inch casing at 44 feet.

Getty No. 2-2 Getty-State: Grama
Ridge, East (Morrow); drilling 13,030
feet.

Lusk, North (Morrow); drilling 5,231
feet in dolomite.
Conoco No. 9 State F-1: Undesignated (Blinebry); td 7,000 feet; still
it esting; flowed 30 barrels of oli; 110
barrels of water and 302,000 cubic feet
of gas in 24 hours, through a 15,764-inch
choke and Drinkard perforations at
6,635-6,835 feet; flowed 76 barrels of
oli, 28 barrels of water and 328,000
cubic feet of gas in 24 hours, through
an 11,764-inch choke and Blinebry perforations at 3,685-3,851 feet.
LUBBOCK COUNTY
H. L. Brown Jr. No. 2 Fischer:
Edmission, Northwest (Clear Fork);
td 5,486 feet; still testing; pumped 8
barrels of oli and 22 barrels of load
water in 24 hours, through perforations at 3,385-3,411 feet.
Brown No. 3 Gray; td 5,446 feet;
preparing to perforate.
MIDLAND COUNTY
Texaco No. 2 Zula B. Wylie; drilling 4,822 feet in lime and sand.
MITCHELL COUNTY
Sun Oli Co. No. 1 J. C. Barkley:
Dixon (Strawn, Odom lime & Ellenburger); td 7,311 feet; still recovering
load, through perforations at 6,257-4,
1325 feet.
PECOS COUNTY TOM GREEN COUNTY
American Trading and Production
No. 1 H.S. Unit; td 888 feet, still waiting on rotary tool.
American Trading No. 2 Rust Estate; td 5,931 feet, waiting on completion unit.

WINKLER COUNTY
Coquina Oil No. 2 Mitchell "A;" td
6,400 feet, swabbed 52 barrels of fluid
and then 60 barrels of fluid through
perforations from 5,384-5,377 feet in
unreported time, preparing to set cast
Iron bridge plug.
Amoco No. 51 Sealy Smith Foundation "A;" td 8,599 feet, pbtd 8,178 feet,
running tubing.

at td.
Tipperary Oil & Gas No. 1 Holbert:
Rojo Caballos (Devonian); drilling 14,665 feet in shale.
Lewis B. Burleson No. 1 Holliman:
Leon Valley (O'Brien); td 2,756 feet;
still perparing to fracture perforations
at 2,565-2,624 feet.
Burleson No. 1-B University; td
2,756 feet; still preparing to fracture
perforations at 2,711-2,747 feet.
REEVES COUNTY
Gulf No. 1 Sherman: Scott (Cherry
Gulf No. 1 Sherman: Scott (Cherry Gulf No. 1 Sherman: Scott (Cherry Canyon): td 6,500 feet; ph 3,517 feet; recovering load; fractured unreported perforations with 14,100 gallons and 15,000 pounds.

WARD COUNTY
Gulf No. 4 Walker: Undesignated
(Cherry Canyon); td 6,850 feet; shut-



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Plains, 5,400, elev 3,701

Wildcat (OWDD):

John W. Barbee, Abi-

lene, No. 1 Terrell "A;

467 fsl, 2,143 fwl, sec 51,

blk 2, H&TC, 2 sw Rotan,

6,300. Originally Fox &

Ransdall No. 1 Terrell,

Bennett (Mississip-pian) plug back: John W.

Barbee, Abilene, No. 1

T.O. Upshaw; 467 fsl, 660

fel, sec 50, blk 2, H&TC, 3

sw Rotan, 6,609 pb. Origi-

nally completed 6/79

through Ellenburger per-

forations 6,715-6,737, otd

Wildcat: D.A. Metts,

Midland, No. 1 Ramsey;

1,650 fsl, 467 fel, sec 58,

blk 22, T&P, A-1474, 1

south Sweetwater, 4,200,

Koolsman, South (drill

deeper): Gerrett Energy

Inc., Carlsbad, N.M., No.

1 Blankenship; 2,173 fsl,

467 fwl, sec 41, blk 23,

T&P, 1 west Roscoe, 6,-

700. Originally Hanson

Exploration Co. Inc. No.

1 Blankenship, D&A

Withers (Ellen-

burger): Feagan Energy

chard Gesin; 1,752 fsl, 2,-

173 fwl, sec 72, blk 22,

T&P, A-1033, 3 south

Sweetwater, 6,800, elev

Gesin; 1,667 fsl, 973 fwl,

STONEWALL COUNTY

liott Oil Co., Abilene, No.

1 Carl Hunt; 600 fnl, 660

fwl, M.D. Ballard sur, A-

932, 10 north Old Glory,

2,999. D&A 11/56 by Nor-

vell Douglas, otd 5,974.

mell, Houston, No. 1

Trammell-Bryan Unit; 1

fsl, 1,356 fwl, subd 15,

W.M. Vanderman sur

Wildcat: Stearns

Operating Co., Abilene,

No. 1 L.T. McArthur; 1,-

980 fsl & fwl, sec 321, blk

2, H&TC, A-92, 17 sw

Old Glory, East (Bend

Conglomerate): Calhoun

& Ellison Oil Co., Asper-

mont, No. 1 Bristow Es-

tate; 844 fsl, 2,891 fwl.

sec 2, blk 1, BBB&C, 8 ne

Green Mountain (Can-

yon reef): Ike Lovelady,

Inc., Midland, No.1 Feld

man; 2,173 fsl, 467 fwl,

sec 233, blk 2, H&TC, A-

260, 9 west Robert Lee,

Jameson (Strawn):

Exxon, Midland, No. 9

Lou E. Johnson Estate

"B;" 1,980 fnl, 660 fwl,

sec 26, blk 2, H&TC, 15 ne

Johnson Estate "B;

Same: No. 10 Lou E.

Janieson, Southeast:

Sun Oil Co., Midland, No.

1 D.M. Millican; 2,163 fsl,

467 fwl,sec 461, blk 1-A, 3

Lygay: Sun, Midland,

No. 17 Central National

Bank; 597 fnl, 646 fel,

C.C. Taylor sur No. 3,

A-1205, 6 sw Silver, 6,-

Same: No. 16 Central

National Bank; 754 fsl,

CROCKETT COUNTY

Wildcat: Harrison In-

terests, Ltd, Houston,

No. 2 John Lee Hender-

son; 660 fsl & fwl, sec 20,

blk G, GC&SF, A-4549, 15

Adams-Baggett

Ranch: Blue Ridge Oil &

Gas Exploration, Inc.,

Detroit, Mich., No. 3 Adams; 1,680 fnl, 1,466

fwl, sec 167, blk O,

GH&SA, A-1658, 26 south

Ozona, 5,500, elev 2,205

Same: No. 57 A. Phil-

lips; 1,822 fsl, 4,610 fel,

sec 4, blk O, N.B. Rogers

sur, A-4552, 26 south

Ozona, 5,500, elev 2,198

Same: No. 58 A. Phil-

Same: No. 59 A. Phil-

lips; 1,306 fnl, 1,458 fel,

elev 2,125 gl. Same: No. 60 A. Phil-

lips; 8 fsl, 3,856 fel, sec

lips; 1,061 fnl, 3,725 fel,

elev 2,142 gl.

se Ozona, 9,400.

6,200, elev 2,019 gl.

Sterling City, 7,150.

1400 fnl, 660 fel.

se Silver, 6,100.

No. 347, 6,500.

Peacock, 4,000.

Old Glory, 6,000.

DISTRICT 7-C

COKE COUNTY

Wildcat: W.B. Tram-

Wildcat plug back: El-

Same: No. 3 Richard

Inc., Midland, No. 2 Ri-

10/71, otd 6,665.

2,154 gl.

elev 2,126 gl.

NOLAN COUNTY

elev 2,176 gl.

D&A 11/63, otd 6,200.

DISTRICT 7-B

FISHER COUNTY

Undesignated Blinebry

& Drinkard: Conoco Inc.,

"A;" 990fnl, 660 fel, sec

8-21s-37e, 4 north Eunice,

D-K (Abo): Post Petro-

leum Co. Inc., Midland,

No. 1-31 Llano-Federal;

1,980 fnl & fwl, sec 31-20s-

39e, 7 south Nadine, 7,-

Hightower, East

(lower Pennsylvanian):

Harper Oil Co., Oklaho-

Sawyer, West (San

600, elev 3,562 gl.

44 more wildcats staked in Permian Basin counties

Forty-four wildcats 28, blk 43, T-1-N, T&P, 5 were among 158 new oil east Goldsmith, 5,700. and gas projects sche- Johnson oil: ARCO, and gas projects sche- Johnson oil: ARCO duled in the Permian Midland, No. 112 J.L. Basin of West Texas and Johnson "AB"; 1,650 fsl, southeast New Mexico 2,310 fel, sec 48, blk 43,

Twelve of the wildcat sa, 4,300. operations were spotted in Midland District 8 of District 8-A, headquar- Odessa, 4,230. tered in Lubbock, and 11 were announced for counties in San Angelo's District 7-C office. Table for locations

County Wildcat Field District 8 **Andrews** Crane Ector Glasscock Howard Loving Martin Mitchell Pecos Sterling

Ward Winkler 12 Total District 8-A Borden Cottle Dawson Garza Hockley Kent King Lamb Lubbock Scurry Terry Yoakum

Total District 7B Fisher Nolan Total District 7C Coke Crockett Irion Reagan Runnels Schleicher Sutton Terrell Tom Green Upton Total 11 District 1

Edwards Val Verde Total Chaves Eddy Lea Roosevelt Total Total **Grand Total**

ANDREWS COUNTY

DISTRICT 8

Fullerton (San Andres oil): Amoco, Midland, No. 61 Fullerton (San Andres) Unit; 1,250 fnl, 2,450 fel, sec 5, blk A-32,

Same: No. 62 Fullerton (San Andres) Unit; 1,320 fnl. 1,200 fel.

psl, 14 ne Andrews, 5,-

CRANE COUNTY

Wildcat: Exxon Corp. No. 69 Jax M. Cowden "B"; 660 fnwl, 3,300 fswl, sec 23, blk 2, H&TC sur, 15 sw Crane, 5,850. Crawar (Devonian,

North): Southland Royalty Co. No. 2 Bryant "19", 1,567 fsl, 660 fel, sec 19, blk B-18, psl sur, 6 se Monahans, 6,900. Same: No. 3 Bryant

"20", 660 fsl, 1,567 fwl, sec 20, blk B-18. Same: No. 4 Bryant "20", 2,130 fsl, 1,567 fwl, sec 20.

Crane (Devonian oil): Galaxy Oil Co., Midland, No. 2 Hallie C. Day; 1,980 fnwl, 660 fswl, sec 15, blk

X. CCSD&RGNG, 5 sw Crane, 8,800. Sand Hills (Tubb): Gulf, Midland, No. 33 J.B. Tubb et al; 1,980 fsl,

660 fwl, sec 8, blk B-27, psl, 18 nw Crane, 4,600.

ECTOR COUNTY Wildcat & Cowden, South (Canyon 8790 oil): Amoco Production Co. No. 139 Elliot F. Cowden

'A"; 995 fsl, 2,386 fel, sec 23, blk 43, T-2-S, T&P sur, 6 west Odessa, 10,000. TXL, North (Waddell oil) OWPB: Marathon Oil Co. No. 2 J. D. Slator, 660 fn&wl, sec 4, blk 45,

T-1-S, T&P sur, 2.5 ne Notrees, 9,758 (orig comp in Ellenburger). Cowden, North oil: ARCO Oil & Gas Co.,

Midland, No. 8 B.H. Blakeney "B"; 660 fsl, 2,080 fel, sec 28, blk 43, T-1-N, T&P, 5 east Goldsmith,

Cowden, North (Deep oil): ARCO, Midland, No. 7 B.H. Blakeney "B"; 960 fsl, 700 fel, sec

T-1-S, T&P, 5 nw Odes-

Johnson oil: ARCO Oil & Gas Co., Midland, No. the Railroad Commis- 109 J.L. Johnson "AB"; sion of Texas. Ten of the 2,310 fnl, 950 fel, sec 48, explorers were staked in blk 48, T-1-S, T&P, 5 n2

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Garden City, West (Spraberry oil): Joy Petroleum Corp., Midland, No. 2 Books; 1,750 fsl & fwl, sec 13, blk 34, T—4-S, T&P, 1.5 south Garden City, 7,700.

HOWARD COUNTY Wildcat: R.A. Mendenhall Assoc., Ltd., Mid land, No. 1 Quinn; 2,310 fnl & fel, sec 16, blk 34, T-1-S, T&P, 9 sw Big Spring, 10,400. Howard-Glasscock

(San Andres oil): Conoco Inc., Midland, No. 12 G.O. Chalk "A"; 330 fsl, 1,700 fwl, sec 95, blk 29, W&NW, 6 east Forsan, 3,050. To commingle with Glorieta. Same: No. 23 G.O.

Chalk "C"; 330 fnl, 919 fel, sec 140, blk 29, 3,250. No. 20 G.O. Chalk "E"; 330 fsl, 794 fwl, sec 124, blk 29, 3,250.

Howard-Glasscock (Glorieta): Exxon Corp. No. 32 H. R. Clay, 1,650 fsl, 2,310 fwl, sec 138, blk 29, T-2-S, W&NW sur, 13.5 se Big Spring, 3,125.

Vincent (lower Clear Fork oil): Murphy H. Baxter, Midland, No. 2 Bobby Cathey; 1,367 fnl, 467 fwl, sec 6, blk 29, T-1-N, T&P, 4 south Vincent, 4,800.

LOVING COUNTY Wildcat gas: Tenneco oil Co., San Antonio, No. 1-37 Brunson; 2,260 fsl, 990 fel, sec 37, blk 76, psl, 14 ne Mentone, 23,000.

Red Bluff (Wolfcamp gas): H. L. Brown Jr., Midland, No. 3 Red Bluff "12", 1,980 fnl, 1,320 fel, sec 12, blk 57, T-1, T&P sur, 11 north Orla, 15,-

MARTIN COUNTY

Wildcat oil: RK Petroleum Corp., Midland, No. 4 Anchor; 5,155 fnl, 1,980 fwl, lge 252, Ward csl, 10 north Lenorah, 11,000. Wildcat: McCormick

Operating Co., Houston, No. 1 Davis, 2,174 fnl, 467 fel, sec 30, blk 35, T-2-N, T&P sur, 8.5 north Stanton. 11.500.

Lacaff (Dean): John L. Cox No. 5 Mabee Ranch, 660 fn&wl, tr 7, lge 318, Parmer CSL sur, 24 north Midland, 10,000.

MITCHELL COUNTY

Turner-Gregory (Clear Fork oil): Robert G. Cox & Assoc., Inc., Dallas, No. 1-A Lynn Halbert; 975 fsl. 2,310 fwl. sec 23, blk 29, T-1-N, T&P, 6.5 nw

Westbrook, 2,900. Westbrook: Exxon Corp. No. 2 Etta Holt Brown, 467 fsl, 2,173 fel, sec 11, blk 29, T-1-S, T&P sur. 11.5 east Coahoma,

Same: No. 3 Etta Holt Brown, 2,153 fnl, 853 fel, sec 11.

Jameson. (Strawn): C&K Petroleum Inc. No. 1 McCabe ; 2,173 fn&wl, sec 3, blk 1-A, H&TC sur, 18.5 se Colorado City, 6,300.

PECOS COUNTY Wildcat: Lewis B. Burleson, Inc., Midland, NO. 1 Pioneer; 1,980 fsl, 467 fel, sec 101, blk 3, T&P, 8

sw Fort Stockton, 2,700. Wildcat oil: WTG Exploration, Inc., Midland, No. 1 Hart; 5,559 fsl, 467

fwl, sec 18, blk 9, H&GN, 2 north Imperial, 6,200. Wildcat: Termo Co. of Texas, Midland, No. 1 Perry; 1,980 fsl, 467 fwl, sec 2, blk Z, TCRR, 20 nw Sheffield, 2,100.

Wildcat: Texas Oil & Gas Corp., Midland, No. 1 Young "I;" 3,450 fsel, 467 fswl, sec 4, blk 3, H&TC, 4 east Imperial,

Wildcat oil or gas: C. F. Lawrence & Associates No. 1 IRT "69", 1,980 fsl, 467 fel, sec 69, blk 10, H&GN sur, 14 west Gir-

Bedding (Yates gas): Lewis B. Burleson, Inc., Midland, No. 1 Puckett State "A"; 660 fnl, 1,980 fel, sec 104, blk 3, T&P, 10 sw Fort Stockton, 2,700. Santa Rosa (Ellenburger oil) re-entry,

deepening: A.A. Archer Jr., Midland, No. 1 Peerless; 1,220 fsl, 4,100 fel, sec 106, blk 8, H&GN, 8 south Grandfalls, 9,500. Originally Slick-Urschell & Shell Oil Co. No. 1 Peerless, D&A at 5,705

Coyanosa, North (Del-

aware oil): Mobil Producing Texas & New Mexico, Inc., Houston, No. 6 Effie Potts Sible "B;" 1,980 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 45, blk OW, TTRR, 5 south Coyanosa, 5,500.

STERLING COUNTY Wildcat OWPB Wagner & Brown N. 1-12 Glass "F", 1,780 fsl, 1,440 fel, sec 12, blk 32, T-5-S, T&P sur, 15 sw Sterling City, 4,945, otd 7,400; (pb from Conger (Pennsylvanian).

WARD COUNTY Caprito (middle Delaware oil): Texaco Inc.,

Midland, No. 5 State of Texas "DC;" 660 fsl, 1,-980 fel, sec 3, blk 18, uls, 6 nw Pyote, 6,600. Same: No. 6 State of Texas "DC;" 660 fsl, 1,-980 fwl. Same: No. 7 State of

Ward-Estes, North OWWO: Gulf Oil Corp. No. 100 Hutchings Stock Association, 2,310 fnl, 1,-660 fel, sec 76, blk N, G&MMB&A sur, 3.5 sw Monahans, 3,200, (orig drilled 9-8-76, P&A as a dry hole, re-entry to comp as prod in.enhanced recovery

Texas "DC;" 660 fsl &

project. War-Wink, South (Wolfcamp gas): HNG Oil Co. No. 3 University 18-4, 933 fs&wl, sec 4, blk 18, ULS sur, 7 nw Pyote, 13,500.

WINKLER COUNTY

Monahans (Clear Fork): Shell Oil Co, Midland, No. 183 Sealy-Smith Foundation; 1,980 fnl, 660 fel, sec 56, blk A, G&MMB&A, 4 north

Monahans, 5,400. Arenoso (Strawn, Detritus oil): Sage Energy Co., Midland, No. 1-72 Sealy-Smith "A;" 1,320 fsl & fel, sec 72, blk A, G&MMB&A, 17 se Kermit. 900.

Same Amended: No. 1-72 Sealy-Smith "B;" 660 fsl & fwl, 9,000. Amended lease from 72-A.

Emperor (Wolfcamp) plug back: Cotton Petroleum Corp., Midland, No. 1 Thomas; 660 fsl, 1,980 fel, sec 18, blk B-5, psl, 4 south Kermit, 9,497. Plugged back from Emperor (Devonian).

DISTRICT 8-A

BORDEN COUNTY

Wildcat: Texana Resources Corp., Dallas, No. 1 Vittrup; 1,980 fsl & fel, sec 35, blk 32, T-6-N. EL&RR, A-406, 8 nw Gail, 10,200, elev 2,940

Wildcat: G.W. Brock Inc., Midland, No. 1 Miller; 660 fsl, 467 fwl, sec 30, blk 97, H&TC, 14 ne Gail,

COTTLE COUNTY

Jack Grimm, East (Conglomerate): Jack F. Grimm, Abilene, No. 2 L. Brothers; 2,173 fsl & fwl, sec 9, IRR sur, A-366, 5 se Paducah, 7,200, elev 1,667 gl.

DAWSON COUNTY Ackerly (Dean): The Superior Oil Co., The Woodlands, No. 1802 Ackerly (Dean) Field Unit; 660 fsl, 2,100 fel, sec 35, blk 35, T-4-N, T&P,

A-106, 12 south Lamesa, ,850, elev 2,389 gl. Gin, North (OWWO): Joy Petroleum Corp., Midland, No. 1 R. Woodward "A;" 1,980 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 2, blk 2, D.L. Cunningham sur, A-350, 4 nw Lamesa, 8,000.

GARZA COUNTY

Wildcat: Andover Oil Co., Midland, No. 1-19 J.B. Slaughter; 660 fnl, 1,980 fel, sec 19, blk 2, T&NO, A-249, 9 west Justiceburg, 8,400.

Wildcat: Powell & Stone, Gauge, Okla., No. 1 E.L. Thomas; 2,334 fsl, 467 fel, sec 1253, TTRR, A-345, 7 se Southland, 4,-400, elev 2,977 gl.

Wildcat Replacement: The Wil-Mc Oil Corp., Irving, No. 1-A Mrs. Ray Smith: 760 fnl, 660 fel, sec 28, blk 6, H&GN, A-899, 3 south Justiceburg, 8,200. Replacement for

Garza: George R. Brown, Houston, No. 57 Post Estate; 2,284 fsl, 928 fwl, sec 1229, D&SE, 2 south Post, 3,300, elev 2,-

Same: No. 58 Post Estate; 2,318 fsl, 338 fel, sec 1230, elev 2,562 gl. Same: No. 59 Post Estate; 1,692 fsl, 994 fel,

elev 2,580 gl. HOCKLEY COUNTY Wildcat: Bullet Oil Corp., Levelland, No. 1 Oehrlein; 660 fnl, 440 fel, lab 23, lge 32, Baylor csl, 6 south Levelland, 6,600.

back): Hulen H. Lemon, son sur, 10 nw Denver Midland, No. 1 Kinser; City, 5,500, elev 3,705 gl. 467 fsl, 922 fwl, lab 18, lge ergy Corp., Midland, No. 1 Pharr "B;" 467 fnl & 31, Baylor csl sur, 5 sw Levelland, 7,550 pb. Orifel, sec 309, blk D, J.H. ginall Hunt Energy Corp. No. 1 W.C. Kinser, D&A Gibson sur, 3 north

1979, otd 8,669. Anton, South (Strawn): Ike Lovelady Inc., Midland, No. 1 Dobkins "A;" 853 fsl & fwl sec 64, blk A, R.M. Thompson sur, 6 south Anton, 10,200, elev 3,374

Yellowhouse, South (San Andres): Maralo Inc., Midland, No. 1 Nelson "NA;" 660 fsl & fel, lab 22, lge 703, scl, 13 nw Levelland, 4,700, elev 3,-618 gl.

Levelland: Texaco Inc., Midland, No. 9 Ira P. DeLoache; 660 fsl & fel, lab 18, lge 78, Reeves csl, 9 nw Levelland, 4,-

Same: No. 10 Ira P. DeLoache; 660 fsl & fwl, lab 22, lge 78, 4,810. Same: No. 11 Ira P. DeLoache; 660 fsl & fel,

Same: No. 12 Ira P. DeLoache; 660 fnl & fwl, Same: No. 13 Ira P. DeLoache; 660 fnl & fel,

4.815.

4.805 Same: No. 14 Ira P. DeLoache; 660 fsl & fwl. lab 21, lge 78, 4,807.

KENT COUNTY Wildcat: Cobra Oil & Gas Corp., Wichita Falls, No. 1 Bert C. Wallace: 660 fsl & fel, sec 384, blk 2, H&TC, 12 se Clairemont, 4,300, elev 2,081

KING COUNTY Big-N (Tann): Taubert, Steed, Gunn & Medders, Wichita Falls, No. 26 S.B. Burnett Estate "NA;" 680 fnel, 1,050

Thompson sur, A-642, 17 se Guthrie, 2,900. Same: No. 27 S.B. Burnett Estate "NA;" 467 fswl, 1,900 fnel.

fnwl, sec 2, blk X, R.M.

Same: No. 38 S.B. Burnett Estate "N;" 150 fnl on el sec 46, J.L. Parson sur, A-1187, 16 se Guthrie, 3,000, elev 1,737

Big-N (Tann, Strawn): Taubert, Steed, Gunn & Medders No. 39 S.B. Burnett Estate "N;" 1,320 fnl, 467 fel, sec 10, blk F, H&TC (C.E. Pratt sur), A-857, 15 se Guthrie, 5,-

Anne Tandy & Twin Peaks: Taubert, Steed, Gunn & Medders, Wichita Falls, No. 5 S.B. Burnett Estate "WM;" 2,100 fsl, 660 fel, sec 12, blk F, H&TC, A-858, 15 se Guthrie, 6,000.

LAMB COUNTY

Anton Irish: Amoco, Levelland, No. 421 Anton Irish (Clear Fork) Unit; 330 fsl. 1.650 fwl. sec 31. blk 1, R.M. Thompson sur, A-96, 6 ne Anton, 6,-

LUBBOCK COUNTY Idalou (lower Clear Fork): New Reserves Group, Inc., Midland,

No. 1 Lawson; 467 fnl & fel, sec 43, blk D-7, EL&RR, A-402, 6 nw Idalou, 5,900, elev 3,232 gl. SCURRY COUNTY Sharon Ridge (1700):

Ellpen, Inc., Colorado City, No. 2 P. Echols 1.650 fnl. 330 fwl. sec 22, C.A. O'Keefe subd No. 3, J.P. Smith sur, 3 se

Sharon Ridge (Clear Fork): Ellpen, Inc., Colorado City, No. 3 Martin; 2,310 fnl, 1,650 fwl, sec 139, blk 97, H&TC, A-2364, 2 nw Ira, 3,250, elev 3,250

Same: No. 1 Wood; 330 fnl & fwl, lot 21, sec 2, G.A. O'Keefe subd, 3 se

Ira, 1,900. Tri-We (Reef): J.A. Wilburn, Roby, No. 1 Fenton; 1,787 fsl, 791 fwl, se/4 sec 187, blk 97, H&TC, A-2533, 5 sw

Snyder, 7,000. Lee Harrison: South Ranch Oil Co., Inc., Oklahoma City, Okla., No. 2 Fritz; 1,440 fsl, 1,-155 fel, sec 71, blk A, EL&RR, A-329, 6 east Lubbock, 4,950.

TERRY COUNTY Wildcat: The Superior Oil Co., The Woodlands, No. 2 Pearl Rushing; 3,-050 fnl, 1,800 fwl, sec 40,

ne Tokio, 13,600. Prentice (6700): Adobe Oil & Gas Corp., Midland, No. 2 Clare; 1,787 fnl, 2,073 fel, sec 27, blk D-14, C&M, A-50, 5 ne Tokio, 6,800, elev 3,531

blk D-14, C&M, A-873, 1

YOAKUM COUNTY Wildcat: Jack G. Elam, Midland, No. 1 Hinkle; 2,173 fsl, 660 fwl,

Wildcat re-entry (plug sec 727, blk D, J.H. Gib- 22½, blk TG GC&SF, A-4928, 23 south Ozona

> Ozona Amended: Ladd Petroleum Corp., Denver City, No. 1-140 W.A. Childress; 1,320 fsl, 1,220 fwl, sec 140, blk O, GH&SA, 30 sw Ozona, 7,-000. Amended location and survey.

Same: No. 1-142 W.A. Childress; 2,005 fnl, 900 fwl, sec 142, blk O, GH&SA, 30 sw Ozona, 7,-000. Amended location

IRION COUNTY

and survey.

Wildcat: Laguna Petroleum Co., Midland, No. 1 C&H; 990 fnl, 467 fwl, sec 13, blk 17, H&TC, 18 sw San Angelo, 7,500. Wildcat: Tucker Drilling Co., Inc., San Angelo, No. 1-47 Farmar; 467 fsl, 2,170 fel, sec 47, blk 1,

H&TC, 81/2 west Mertzon,

8,000. Spraberry Trend Area Amended: Moran Exploration Inc., Midland, No. 1 Mayer "A;" 1,320 fnl & fwl, sec 239, blk 1, T&P, A-635, 4 nw Barnhart, 6,500. Amended operator and lease, formerly Amarex Inc. No. 1-239

Mayer "A." Same Amended: No. 2 Mayer "A;" 1,320 fsl & fel, 6,500. Amended operator and lease, formerly Amarex Inc. No. 1-239 Mayer "B."

Same Amended: No. 3 Mayer "A;" 1,320 fnl & fwl, sec 240, blk 1, T&P, A-817, 6,500. Amended operator and lease, formerly Amarex Inc. No.

1-240 Mayer "A. Same Amended: No. 4 Mayer "A;" 1,320 fsl & fel. Amended operator and lease, formerly Amarex Inc. No. 1-240 Mayer "B."

Spraberry Trend Area: Moran Exploration, Inc., Midland, No. 6 Rocker B "G;" 880 fsl, 1,320 fel, sec 56, blk 1, T&P, A-1186, 17 nw Barnhart, 6,800.

Dove Creek (Cisco): Paul Page, Eldorado, No. 31-1 Winterbotham; 660 fsl & fwl, sec 31, blk 21, H&TC, A-420, 14 se

Mertzon, 7,000.

REAGAN COUNTY Wildcat re-entry: Tracy Engineering Co., Gainesville, No. 1-25 Vaughn; 660 fsl, 1,980 fel, sec 25, blk 1, uls, 15 sw Big Lake, 3,175.

Spraberry Trend Area: John L. Cox, Midland, No. 1 John Carr; 1,320 fsl, 660 fel, sec 4, M.N. Hines sur, A-737, 3 north Big Lake, 7,500.

Spraberry Trend Area: Knox Industries, Inc., Midland, No. 3 Tal-"A;" 2,764 fnl, 2,563 fel, sec 1, Oscar Davis sur, A-96, 7 nw Texon, 8,250, elev 2,590 gl. Same: No. 4 Talley

'A;" 909 fsl, 2,560 fel, elev 2,605 gl. Calvin (Dean): Cola

Petroleum, Inc., Mid-land, No. 1-114 Ella; 1,460 fsl, 1,980 fel, sec 114, blk 2, TP, A-867, 15 ne Stiles, 9,200, elev 2,655 gl. Spraberry Trend

Area: Palo Petroleum Inc., Dallas, No. 1 Husky; 660 fnl & fel, sec 231, blk 1, T&P, A-574, 5 east Big Lake, 6,800. Calvin (Dean): Energy Reserves Group,

Inc., Midland, No. 2 Owen D. Childress; 1,986 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 212, blk 2, T&P, A-139, 8,200, elev 2,652 gl. Farmer (San Andres): **Brotherton Production**

Co., Midland, No. 2 Friend "A;" 330 fsl, 1,735 fel, sec 3, William Allen sur, A-1, 7 south Big Lake, 2,600, elev 2,690

659 fel, C.D. Martin sur RUNNELS COUNTY No. 1, 6 sw Silver, 6,200. Wildcat (OWDD): Trojan Oil Production Ser-Wildcat: McCann vice Inc., Irving, No. 2 Corp., Big Spring, No. 1 James Palmer; 467 fnwl, 6,550 fnel (river), August J.B. Parker; 710 fnl, 3,-Kleincke sur No. 418, 3 200 fwl, sec 99, blk NN, GC&SF, 25 nw Ozona, 1,west Ballinger, 5,000.

Wildcat: Petrolero Exploration Inc., Abilene, No. 1 Mary L. Bauer; 475 fsl, 2,245 fwl, sec 49, blk 63, H&TB, A-295, 6 south Winters, 4,850. Wildcat: Petrolero Ex-

ploration No. 1 J.S. Sparkman; 3,107 fnl, 2,-112 fwl, sec 46, blk 63, H&TB, A-805, 5 sw Winters, 4,850 Wildcat Replacement: Texlark Exploration Co., Dallas, No. 1-A Dudley Ranch; 2,000 fnel, 482

fnwl, Carl C.A. Buvingh-

ausen sur No. 406, A-39, 5

nw Rowena, 4,500. Replacement for No. 1, D&A. Wingate, Northwest (Gray): Thomas-Powell Royalty, Inc., Fort Worth, No. 1 Kikeska; 949 fsl, 4,209 fel, Noah

Smithwick sur No. 452, A-440, 2 nw Wingate, 5,-Same: No. 2 Phillips et , Wildcat: Yates Petro-

al; 853 fnl, 2,089 fel. Same: No. 1 Vick; 949 fsl, 3,275 fel.

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Wildcat: R.A. Mendenhall Assoc. Ltd., Mid-land, No. 1 Humphrey; 467 fsl, 1,980 fwl, sec 17, blk A, HE&WT, A-400, 4 east Eldorado, 6,500, elev 2,423 gl.

Velrex: Energy Reserve Group, Inc., Midland, No. 2 R.S. Williams "B; " 1,980 fsl, 760 fel, sec 1158, TCRR, 17 nw Eldorado, 6,750.

SUTTON COUNTY Sonora, Southeast: HNG Oil Co., Midland, No. 1-71 Hunt; 660 fnl & fwl, sec 71, blk 14, TW&NG, 11 se Sonora, 6.250.

TERRELL COUNTY

Brown-Bassett (Strawn): Mobil Producing Texas & New Mexico, Houston, No. 4 Banner-Hoge Unit; 777 fnl, 1,020 fel, sec 29, blk 161, GC&SF, A-538, 29 ne Dryden, 12,000.

TOM GREEN COUNTY

Wildcat re-entry: C&E Operating Inc., Dallas, No. 1 Robert H. Block: 467 fnl & fel, sec 142, blk 11, SPRR, 2 se Vancourt, 5,000. Otd 5,005, D&A Wildcat re-entry: Re-

muda Oil & Gas Corp., Midland, No. 2 Weatherford; 660 fsl & fel, sec 104, blk 11, SPRR, A-8082, 10 east San Angelo, 4,650. Originally Auld & Auld No. 1 Mays, D&A 1954, otd 5,100. Susan Peak (Strawn)

Co., Midland, No. 2 J.D. Robertson "C;" 329 fmn'ly sl, 660 fwl, sec 6, S.O. Lubboch sur, 15 south San Angelo, 4,948. Same: No. 11 J.D. Robertson "C;" 1,320 fnl, 2,640 fel, sec 18, blk 25, H&TC, A-8562, 15 south

OWWO: Marathon Oil

San Angelo, 4,950. UPTON COUNTY

McElroy, North (OWWO): Gulf, Crane, No. 16 McElroy Ranch Co. "G;" 2,200 fnl, 4,500 fwl, sec 18, blk 42, T-5-S. T&P, A-1455, 8 north Crane, 11,130. Benedum: John L.

Cox, Midland, No. 1 J.R. Stewart; 1,980 fnl & fel, sec 6, blk Y, GC&SF,-12 ne Rankin, 11,700. Spraberry Trend Area: Lacy & Byrd, Inc., Midland, No. 1 Ross; 1,-

980 fsl, 1,320 fel, sec 40, blk 40, T-5-S, T&P, 21 nw Rankin, 9,300. Spraberry Trend Area: Tamarack Petroleum Co., Midland, No. 1 Exxon-Cowden "B;" 660 fnl & fel, sec 37, blk 39,

T-5-S, T&P, 5 sw Midkiff, 9,000 Spraberry Trend Area: Jackson Exploration, Inc., Dallas, No. 1 Venable; 660 fnl, 1,980 fwl, sec 25, blk 39, T-5-S, T&P, A-435, 21 nw Ran-

kin, 9,000, elev 2,771 gl. DISTRICT 1

EDWARDS COUNTY Sawyer (Canyon): Arapaho Petroleum Inc., Inglewood, Calif., No. 1 Denman Moody "B;" 950 fsl, 1,500 fel, sec 10, blk 16. GC&SF, 71/2 nw Rocksprings, 4,500. Same: No. 9 Denman Moody; 1,300 fnl, 1,500

fwl, sec 57, blk 12, GC&SF, 61/2 nw Rocksprings, 4,500. Same: No. 10 Denman Moody; 330 fsl, 1,038 fel,

sec 66, blk 12. VAL VERDE COUNTY Wildcat: Cities Service Co., Midland, No. 1 West "B;" 1,320 fsl, 840 fwl,

sec 28, blk Q, GH&SA, 10 nw Juno, 13,500. Wildcat: Ralph E. Fair, Inc., Boerne, No. 1 Holman; 1,140 fsl, 1,372 fel, sec 30, blk N, GH&SA, A-2666, 3 se Freeley, 2,336, elev 1,193

Will, O (Ellenburger): Exxon, Midland, No. 1 Mills Mineral Trust "B;" 1,470 fnl, 1,370 fwl, sec 19, blk Q-4, TCRR, 8 ne Pandale, 15,000.

NEW MEXICO

CHAVES COUNTY Wildcat: Anadarko Production Co., Loco Hills, N.M., No. 1 State "AD;" 1,980 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 11-11s-31e, 36 ne Dexter, 4,300, elev 4,469 Undesignated: South

land Royalty Co., Mid-

land, No. 1-22 Buffalo

Valley Communitized; 660 fnl, 1,980 fel, sec 22-14s-27e, 6 se Hagerman, 8,400. **EDDY COUNTY**

leum Corp., Artesia, fwl, sec 32-24s-36e, 7 nw N.M., No. 1 Latham- Jal, 3,700. State Communitized "OC;" 2,015 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 32-19s-21e, 26 west

Hobbs, N.M., No. 8 Hawk Lakewood, 7,710, elev 4,-Loco Hills: Anadarko 6,980, elev 3,509 gl. Production Co., Midland, No. 12 Ballard GSA Unit Tr. 20; no location given,

sec 17-18s-29e, 8 sw Loco Hills, 2,800.

LEA COUNTY Wildcat: Nucorp Energy Inc., San Antonio, ma City, Okla., No. 2 No. 1 Citgo-State; 1,980 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 23-12s- Seay; 1,980 fsl & fel, sec

Langlie-Mttix: Gulf, Hobbs, N.M., No. 10 Ar- Andres): Coastal Oil & nott Ramsay NCT—B; 1,- Gas Corp., Midland, No. 980 fnl & fwl, sec 32-25s- 6 Santa Fe; 560 fsl, 1,980 37e, 2 south Jal, 3,400, fel, 10 east Cross Roads, elev 2,996 gl.

500, elev 4,339 gl.

Same: No. 11 Arnott Ramsay NCT-B; 1,980 ROOSEVELT COUNTY fnl, 660 fwl, 3450, elev 2,988 gl.

Wildcat: Arbusto Energy Inc., Midland, No. 1 Langlie-Mattix: Mil- Moore; 1,980 fnl & fwl,

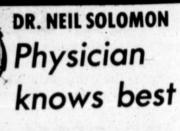
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lard Deck, Eunice, N.M., sec 8-6s-33e, 9 se Elida,

5,100, elev 3,952 gl.

No. 2 Possh; 1,650 fnl & 8,400.



Dear Dr. Solomon: My wife's obstetrician has instructed her to abstain from sexual relations during the last month of her pregnancy. While we certainly are going to follow all his directions to the letter, I wonder if this particular precaution is based on hard evidence or merely on intuition. Can you shed any light on this? - Mr. F.M.

Dear Mr. M.: The importance of refraining from sexual relations during the last month of pregnancy is well documented. For example, a recent study by Dr. Richard Naeye of the Milton S. Hershey Medical Center of Pennsylvania State University revealed an association between sexual relations during the last mont of pregnancy and the incidence of of amniotic fluid infections.

While 156 infections per 1,000 births were found among women who had sexual intercourse at least once a week during the month prior to delivery, only 117 infections were found among those who abstained. In addition, 11 percent of the infants of mothers who reported intercourse died, compared with 2.4 percent of the infants whose mothers abstained. According to Dr. Naeye, the difference can be explained by the severity of the infections. The amniotic fluid infection also resulted in more

illness at the time of birth.

Dear Dr. Solomon: My husband's firm provides an exercise room for its employees' use during their lunch hour and after work. The company explains it is trying to promote the workers' health and thus cut down on absenteeism. Yet my husband works in an enclosed area with three other people, two of whom smoke. If the company is interested in its employees' health, why doesn't it introduce a

stop-smoking program? —Mrs. L.C. Dear Mrs. C.: I must say you have a point. In fact, a survey of 3,000 businesses by the National Interagency Council on Smoking and Health revealed that about 15 percent of United States firms have helped their workers stop smoking. Smoking programs ranked third, after high blood pressure and weight control programs, among health efforts announced by business. In addition, one-third of those surveyed indicated they would be interested in developing or expanding smoking and health programs for

their employees. Dear Dr. Solomon: A cousin of mine has a youngster who was born without testicles. Since various organ transplant operations are now possible, I was wondering whether a testicle transplant is at all

possible. - Mr. G.L. Dear Mr. L.: The first testicle transplant was performed about three years ago by a surgecal team headed by Dr. Sherman J. Silber, a urologist at St. Luke's Hospital in St. Louis. That the operation was successful is attested to by the fact that the recipient

recently became a father. At present, however, only identical twins are being considered for the operation, although the possibility of using a father or brother as a donor is being

Game poachers said

rolling up big profits AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - Texas needs to beef up its enforcement of game and fish laws or poachers will

be making big time profits, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department says. "There has been a 27 percent increase in game law violations in Texas in the last three years," Chester Burdett, director of law enforcement for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, told a legislative budget committee Tuesday. "Violations in sports fishing are up 72 percent for the same period.

Burdett asked for 40 more game wardens the next

two years, plus a new 65-foot boat to chase shrimp law violators who now have faster and bigger "A new type (of game law violator) is the one who shoots trophy animals out of season," he said. "We know of an instance where a trophy white tail deer head was shot in South Texas out of season and offered for sale for \$25,000. There apparently is a demand for such trophy heads by unscrupulous hunters who will buy a head, hang it on their den wall

and say they shot it. Then there is the violator who shoots deer out of season to get horns still in the velvet or early development stage. Burdett said these horns, sold for up to \$110 a pound, are used to replace the scarce rhinoceros horn, used by Chinese medicine men for years as a supposed sex stimulant.

And there are the poachers who shoot deer any time of the year just to get the meat. They sell the carcasses for \$20 and \$25 each, although there is a state law against sale of deer meet. He said they have found instances where school children were fed hamburger made from poached deer.

"All this causes a year around pressure on deer," he said.

He estimated about eight percent of Texas' two million sport fishermen don't bother to get a fishing State game wardens seized 665,000 feet of illegal fish seines last year, along with 300,000 feet of illegal

A Madison County fisherman was arrested en route to Houston markets with 17,000 pounds of white bass he had illegally seined.

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Stock market loses

NEW YORK (AP) - Stock prices closed lower in moderate trading Wednesday after an unsuccessful struggle to partially recover from a steep drop in the previous

session The Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks finished with a 3.16 loss at 949.23 after trading in a narrow range throughout most of the ses-

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Declining issues outnumbered gaining stocks by a thin 7-6 margin on the New York Stock Exchange. The NYSE composite index fell 0.24 to 70.68.

Big Board volume Wednesday was 44.35 million shares down from 52.05 million in the previous session. International Business Machines was unchanged at 66%; Sperry Corp. slipped ¼ to 54%; National Semicon-

ductor dropped 1 to 34% and Honeywell gained 1/4 to 901/2. On the American Stock Exchange, CK Petroleum rose 11/2 to 301/4 as the most active issue.

The Amex market value index gained 0.49 to 319.45. In over-the-counter trading, the NASDAQ composite rose 40 to 177.02.

Standard & Poor's 400 industrial stock index fell 0.60 to 139.88. The S&P 500-stock composite closed down 0.51 at 123.28.

Livestock

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Texas Panhandle and western Oklahoma feedlot roundup. Confirmed: 9000.

Trade moderate in the Panhandle area Wednesday. Slaughter steers steady. Helfers steady to firm. Feedlots reported fair interest and inquiry from most buying sources. Sales on 7100 slaughter steers and 1900 helfers. 8,300 head sold for the week to date. Note: all live cattle prices based on net weights fob the feedlot after 4 percent shrink.

Slaughter steers: good and mostly choice 2-3, 70-85 choice, 1956-1150 lbs., 73.30-74.00; mixed good and choice 2-3 1000-1150 lb .72.50-73.25.

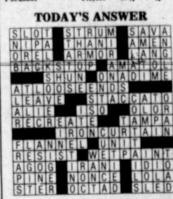
Slaughter helfers: good and mostly choice 2-3, 900-1000 lb. 68.00-70.00; few mixed good and choice 2-3, 875-950 lb. 68.50-69.00; 3 loads good, few choice 2-3, 760 lb. 67.00; good and choice 2-4, 1050 lb. helferettes, 67.50.

Grain

HOUSTON (AP) — No. 1 wheat export ordinary 4.66% 4.75%; No. 2 yellow grain sorghum export 6.30-6.58; No. 2 corn export 3.43%-3.48%; no. 1 soybeans export, no

Stocks in the spotlight

NEW YORK (AP)- Sales, 4 p.m. price and net change of the fifteen most active New York Stock Exchange issues, New York trading natisony Corp Warn Lamb Storge Tech Amer T&T BankAmer Mattel Inc Philips Pet IBM UAL Inc Int T&T Gen Elec Bally Mfg Natsemis AH Ford Mot



JIMMY'S WHITE HOUSE It's coronation night tonight

By JAMES GERSTENZANG

WASHINGTON (AP) — When President Carter leaves town, the pace around the White House, normally frenetic, becomes more normal and less

When most of his staff heads out, too, the pace

simply disappears.

Carter headed for Camp David, the presidential retreat in Maryland's Catoctin Mountains, last Friday, the last stop on his way to the Democratic National Convention. Tonight, if all goes according to plan, is coronation night, when the Democratic Party's presidential nominee will deliver his speech

accepting the nomination.

There is some question about how the president spent his time at Camp David. Aides said he and his chief speechwriter worked on the speech. His mother, Lillian Carter, said he went fishing all day.

Meanwhile, the president's senior aides spent the weekend and convention week in New York City and life continued at the White House, albeit slowly.

"It's been boring all day long," said Claudia
Townsend, an associate press secretary.

But even so, telephones kept ringing and routine

paperwork had to be handled. Although Carter was out of town and so was press secretary Jody Powell and other senior White House staff members, two press releases were distributed on Monday. One sent presidential greetings to "our fellow Americans of the Moslem faith" on the end of

the month of Ramadan. A second announced a trip the president will take

to Boston next week. Jo Carpenter, another staff member in the press office, was a living demonstration of how quiet the day had become. She wore a borrowed suit jacket. over her summer frock because for the first time all summer, the air conditioning was adequate to keep the press room cool.

On normal days, dozens and dozens of people pass through the press room, opening the doors and letting in fresh blasts of steamy, Washington sum-

But on Monday, there was so little traffic — even the number of tourists seemed to be down — that the air conditioning kept the temperature down and mandated the borrowed jacket to ward off the

By that night, all the heat appeared to be taken out of the convention, too, with Sen. Edward M. Kentnedy's decision to bow out of his challenge to

When it was suggested the next morning that the White House could hand out advance copies of the president's acceptance speech, one aide said: "If you had the acceptance speech now, you'd be really bored by Thursday."

IT WAS ALSO a good time to get some mainte-nance work done on the tiled promenade atop the White House residence and on a ter*race between the mansion and the West Wing, which houses Carter's

Workmen are spending the week on the terrace, which is also the roof of the press room. There, said one staff member, they are "patching the leaks."

For "he convenience of the workers, two portable.

outhouses were installed on the roof. But they were judged unbecoming to the White House. At the request of chief usher Rex Scouten, they were removed.

Once-famed Winterland scheduled to be razed

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Winterland, a creaky ice skating rink that was converted into a famous rock'n'roll concert hall in the 1960s, will be demolished to make way for housing.

The concerts that made the 5,400-seat Winterland.

famous were promoted by rock impresario Bill Graham and included performances by Janis Joplin, Jimi Hendrix, Jefferson Airplane and The Grateful

After 12 years of shows, Graham gave up his lease at the end of 1978, closing with an all-night performance on New Year's Eve by the New Riders of the Purple Sage, The Blues Brothers and The Grateful Dead.

Phil Maher, general partner of Consolidated Capital Corp. of Emeryville, said Tuesday his concern bought the auditorium from United Artists Theaters. The price was estimated at \$1.8 million.

Maher said the group is unsure what kind of housing will be built on the site.

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Reading expert to speak Tuesday

Roger Farr, internationally recognized reading specialist, will speak at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the San Jacinto Junior High School auditorium.

Dr. Farr has chosen as his topics "Challenges in Today's Education" and "Issues in Teaching Reading."

Farr, who is past president of the International Reading Association and current director of the Smith Education Research Center at Indiana, says that trends in education have changed to include 75 percent of the student population among those who go on for higher education as opposed to the 25 percent who sought to take college entrance exams in 1950.

"While critics point to a decline in test scores, they do not realize that we are working with a drastically

broadened group.
"We might have expected a very dramatic drop in the scores on college entrance exams, but scores have actually fallen off by only a few questions,"

Farr added he believes all children can be taught to read and comprehend. Also, he noted that all students who want to go to college can be prepared to

"There are many misconceptions about reading trends," says Farr, "and tales about a growing illiteracy rate are just not true.

"We have, however, focused too much on the ac-countability of the child and too little on teacher practices. When teaching is better, student outcome

will follow," Farr notes.

About a growing number of students who remain in school longer than ever before, Farr concludes, "It is not too much to expect equal education to be bound to quality education."

In addition to his talk with the public, Farr will work with school teachers and administrators while

Group disagrees with health report

WASHINGTON (AP) — Some members of the U.S. military serving in Hiroshima and Nagasaki after World War II were subjected to increased cancer risk, despite a government report asserting that working in the atomic bomb-struck cities did no such harm, one organization claims.

"The Pentagon's claims about safety of the postbomb radiation were false when first made 35 years ago and they are false now," said the statement Tuesday by the Committee for U.S. Veterans of Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

Norman Solomon of Portland, Ore., a researcher for the committee, said the group has about 350

members, either ex-servicemen or widows.

The committee said the Defense Nuclear Agency's report "provides the same old theoretical arguments but fails to come to grips with the evidence of extremely excessive multiple myeloma (bone mar-row cancer) among ex-Marines from the Nagasaki cleanup, for example."

In a report Monday, the Defense Nuclear Agency said its "extensive research over the past 10 months has disclosed no basis for concern by veterans of the Hiroshima and Nagasaki occupation force over an increased risk of adverse health effects."

Two students killed as plane collapses

WACO, Texas (AP) — Two students at a technical college here were crushed to death by the landing gear of DC-3 airplane that collapsed while they were practicing maintenance procedures during an aviation class Wednesday.

Bill C. Criss, 21, of Copperas Cove, and Stephen J. Wood, 18, of Van Horn, were inside the wheel well of the plane when the landing gear collapsed, officials said. The gear was forced back inside the well where the students were working, decapitating one of the men.

They were pronounced dead at the Texas State Technical Institue campus by Justice of the Peace John Cabaniss.

They were taking an actuator (hydraulic device "They were taking an actuator (hydraulic device which extends and retracts the landing gear) off the gear when it collapsed," said Nelson Wilcox, the last student to talk to the pair before the accident.

The two men were 10 minutes away from finishing the job and completing class when they were killed, shortly after 9:30 a.m.

Wilcox said the right side of the landing gear may not have been braced properly.

The students were alone when the accident occurred and had just received instructions from the teacher. Wilcox said.

teacher, Wilcox said.

A school spokesman said the state Attorney General's office had been advised of the accident and was sending an investigator to Waco since the mishap

occurred on state property.

An investigation by the school's safety department is under way, the spokesman added.

Criss was only four days from graduating after an 18 months training program, and Wood was a week from finishing his fourth quarter in aviation maintenance training officials said.

Slayer of 13 executed

nance training, officials said.

PEKING (AP) — A commune member in remote Guizhou Province in south-central China was exectuted for murdering 13 persons after he convinced them they would die and "fly to heaven and become immortals," the nation's leading newspaper report-

The People's Daily said Wednesday that that Xie Xianji, 24, killed eight children in a mountain cave and drowned five other persons who willingly weighted themselves with stones and waded into a river. Two persons entered the river carrying children in their arms, the paper said.



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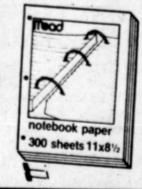


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