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Strike Still Looms...

Accord Is Reached On Coal Contract

WASHINGTON (AP) — Negotiators for the soft coal industry and the United Mine Workers union early today reached tentative agreement on a new three-year contract. But a strike Friday by the union's 160,000 members still appeared inevitable and union president Sam Church predicted it would last four to five days.

Church said the union won a compromise 36-percent increase in wages and benefits over the next three years but told an interviewer the industry had dropped its fight to open the mines on Sundays and drastically alter miners' pension plans.

"We have a settlement," United Mine Workers President Sam Church exclaimed to reporters at the hotel where bargaining took place.

Church was accompanied by B.R. Brown, head of the Bituminous Coal Operators Association team of negotiators.

The settlement, which now must be approved by the UMW's 39-member bargaining council and the union's 160,000 members, would shorten — but not avert — a nationwide coal strike at 12:01 a.m. EST Friday.

The tentative settlement will be sent to the union's rank-and-file miners in Eastern and Midwestern coal fields if approved by the bargaining council, which was summoned to Washington Sunday by Church.

It was believed the council would take up the proposed contract later in the morning.

Church said a contract was desperately needed because "our people must not suffer," but, when asked what led to the breakthrough, said, "I'm not going to get into details of the language of the contract before the bargaining council has a chance to see it."

A protracted strike seemed certain when talks broke off last week. Church steadfastly sought to get industry bargainers back to the table through telephone conversations over the weekend, but the industry's position had been that there was little point to resuming negotiations unless there was some movement in the positions.

The two sides went to the table at 1:45 a.m. today and announced their tentative agreement a little more than five hours later.

PIPELINE HEATER BLAST—Production was temporarily interrupted Saturday afternoon at the Sun Production plant northwest of town when a pipeline heater blew out releasing a cloud of carbon dioxide and blowing bricks and other debris across Farm Road 1611. Department of Public Safety troopers blocked off the roadway till the lines were shut down which took about 20 minutes according to plant supervisor David Pena Jr. The plant was back in action in about an hour, he said. No injuries were reported. (SDN Staff Photo)

Monday update

Spring Storms Plague Nation

By The Associated Press

Snow that blanketed the central Appalachian Mountains changed to rain early today as thunderstorms reached from Virginia into northern Florida and across the eastern Gulf states.

Rain and snow fell over western Montana into eastern Washington.

A winter-storm warning for heavy snow and strong winds was extended over the mountains of southwest Virginia early today, and gale warnings remained in effect over the coasts of Virginia, the Carolinas and Louisiana.

The wintry weather glazed roads, caused sporadic loses of electricity and forced the closure of some schools in Virginia, leaving up to 7 inches of snow in southwestern parts of the state.

Problems Stalk Vietnam Vets

NEW YORK (AP) — Nearly one-fourth of the men who saw heavy combat in Vietnam have since been arrested on criminal charges, according to a government study which concludes that Vietnam veterans as a whole "are plagued by significantly more problems than their peers."

The degree of alcoholism, drug abuse and medical and psychological problems attributable to combat in Vietnam was found to be "statistically significant" by researchers in the government's most comprehensive post-war inquiry.

Vietnam combat veterans who are black or members of other minority groups were found to be severely disadvantaged in post-war schooling and jobs, the study said, noting that the age of most of those veterans now could make most of those career setbacks irreversible.

KKK Chapters Disbanding

COLUMBUS, Ga. (AP) — With the Republicans in power in Washington, there's no need for the Ku Klux Klan, says a local Klan leader who has disbanded his chapter.

Calvin "Tex" Reeves of Columbus, a recruiter and organizer for the Invisible Empire, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, said his is one of three local Klan chapters in Georgia to disband.

Reeves said there is no need for the Klan, which he described as "a political organization to the far right," because the Republican administration "has taken over where we're going to leave off."

Escape Injury In Plane Crash

GRAHAM, Texas (AP) — A pilot and two passengers escaped serious injury Sunday when a light plane flipped over in mid-air and landed on its top in a field about 15 miles south of here, officials said.

Larry Raymond of Desoto and passengers Randy and Mary Fowler of Garland were treated for minor injuries at a Graham hospital and released after the 9 a.m. crash, a Young County Sheriff's Department spokesman said.

Efforts To Show Tulsa Game Fail

For a time this morning, it appeared that basketball fans here would would be able to see the Tulsa-West Virginia game in Madison Square Garden tonight, but it did not work out.

Mel Gilbert, executive vice president of Snyder Community Antenna Television, the local cable company, was in contact with people all the way from Snyder to New York City in an effort to bring the game into Snyder, but ultimately, all hopes were dashed when sources at Madison Square Garden advised that the game would not be televised in the Southwest. In fact, it was indicated that the Tulsa-West Virginia game would be seen only on a cable loop in the metropolitan New York area only.

The second game in the NIT semifinals, matching Syracuse and Purdue, is being televised, however, beginning at 8 p. m. and SCAT will have it on Channel 4.

"It is the best we could find," said Gilbert. "I talked to the director of television services at Madison Square Garden and with the director of cable service there. They said the Syracuse-Purdue game had been selected for televising because they thought it would have more interest than the Tulsa-West Virginia game. The Tulsa game will not even be put up on the satellite."

Gilbert said the NIT finals will be televised, and that SCAT plans to get the final game, especially if Tulsa is in it. Gilbert said the SCAT office had received numerous calls this morning concerning the possibility of televising the Tulsa-West Virginia game because local fans are following Nolan Richardson, the former Western Texas College coach, who now is head coach of the Tulsa team. Also, Tulsa has four former WTC stars on its starting line-up.

Water District Had Busy Year

On July 1-2 last year, the Colorado River Municipal Water District pumped 80,891,000 gallons of water to its customers. This lacked by some 6,000 gallons being a record, but what made it remarkable was that the peak day volume went practically all to municipalities.

This is one of the many statistics gleaned from the annual operating report of the district just off the press. Peak day for the various cities included: Odessa, 41,920,000 gallons; Big Spring, 14,553,000 gallons; Snyder, 6,385,000 gallons; Stanton, 746,000 gallons; Midland (which takes only part of its supply from the district) 15,363,000 gallons.

Other highlights include total deliveries of 16,754,000,000 gallons, of which 14.920 billion went to municipal customers. Lake J. B. Thomas contributed 3.406 billion gallons of that, Lake E. V. Spence 8.120 billion gallons. The other major source was the Ward County well field with 3.039 billion gallons.

During the year, two diversion works (one at Colorado City and one on Beals Creek) diverted about 4,200 acre feet of non-potable low-flow water which otherwise would have gone down to Lake Spence. Together, they diverted 22,462 tons of chlorides, bringing to 228,000 tons of chlorides which have been kept from going into the Spence reservoir.

Another interesting statistic has to do with the cost of electric energy to boost water from one pump station to another. The lowest unit cost per thousand gallons at pump stations is 1.84 cents at Big Spring, the highest 5.48 at Martin County Station. The combined energy cost of boosting 1,000 gallons of water from Lake Spence to Odessa was 19.72 cents (and now, due to rate increases, is 25.64 cents). When it is considered that water beyond fixed charges sells to cities at six cents per thousand gallons, the district produces at a substantial loss. However, this is recouped in the fixed charges of the succeeding year.

OPEC Campaigns To Improve Image

NAIROBI, Kenya (AP) — The Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries is campaigning to improve its image among the Third World nations that find their development plans stymied by high oil prices.

OPEC accuses the Western media of poisoning world opinion by creating the image of a ruthless cartel grabbing billions of dollars and strangling the economies of rich and poor nations.

It has launched a campaign among Third World journalists to get across the message that OPEC is really an organization of developing countries that have money only temporarily, help their brethren in the developing world and aren't responsible for high oil prices.

Since November 1979, OPEC has sponsored five workshops for journalists — three at its headquarters in Vienna, one in Bali, Indonesia, last December and one this weekend in Nairobi. Another is planned for Latin America later this year.

The organization of 13 oil-producing nations paid all expenses to bring more than 30 journalists to the Nairobi workshop from all over Africa and from African-oriented publications in Paris and London. Reporters from Western media were allowed to attend the opening and closing sessions but were barred from the workshop discussions.

"We in OPEC have the answers to the unjust charges which are leveled against us in certain hostile quarters," OPEC Secretary-General Rene G. Ortiz said as the conference closed. "But we need the understanding of the Third World media, here in Africa, in Latin America and in Asia, in putting those answers across to the peoples of the developing countries."

Topics covered in the three-day workshop were OPEC's birth, current activities and aid record as well as general energy issues and the international oil industry.

Ask Us

Q. When is the county going to paint center-stripes on the Clairmont road all the way out to the county line?

A. "As soon as possible," says Robert Greene, maintenance construction foreman for the Texas State Dept. of Highways in Snyder. He explains that there are only two center-striping machines to cover a 13-county area and the major roads get top priority. He says they have requested the machine.

New Site Is Selected For Dodson House

Plans are progressing for moving the Dodson House to a new location.

The Medallion Home, which is the oldest remaining house in the area, will be moved this week to a site on the Scurry County Coliseum grounds. County commissioners have designated a site just south of the west parking lot on the coliseum grounds.

Meanwhile, volunteer workers have been assisting in preparing the old dwelling for the move from its present location at 3007 College Ave.

The house is being moved to clear the property for construction of new office facilities for First Federal Savings and Loan. First Federal gave the house to Historic Scurry County, Inc., so that the organization could arrange for a permanent location to preserve the historic structure.

Devlin Plans To Run Again

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (AP) — Roman Catholic civil rights activist Bernadette Devlin McAliskey, still on crutches after being shot five times in a Jan. 16 assassination attempt, says she will run again for a seat in Parliament.

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Saturday, 68 degrees; low, 41 degrees; reading at 7 a. m. Sunday, 42 degrees. High Sunday, 58 degrees; low, 35 degrees; reading at 7 a. m. today, 35 degrees; precipitation, none; total precipitation for 1981 to date, 1.66.

West Texas — Fair through Tuesday, warmer today. Highs 60s north and mountains to low 80s Big Bend. Lows 30s north and mountains, 40s south. Highs Tuesday 60s north and mountains to mid 80s Big Bend.

Japanese Begin Drive To Keep Auto Market

WASHINGTON (AP) — Japanese Foreign Minister Masayoshi Ito, opening high-level talks with U.S. officials, is hoping to keep a large foothold in the giant American market for his country's automakers as the Reagan administration considers seeking a curb on Japanese cars.

The auto import issue was expected to dominate Ito's meetings today with Secretary of State Alexander M. Haig Jr. and special trade representative William Brock. Ito meets Tuesday with President Reagan.

Before leaving Japan, Ito expressed sympathy for the plight of the U.S. auto industry, which lost $4.2 billion last year, and said he favors voluntary restraints by Japanese automakers. He added, however, that the principle of free trade must be maintained.

In Tokyo today, Chief Cabinet Secretary Kiichi Miyazawa said Japan would take no action on the "considerable sacrifices" involved in limiting imports until it hears "what Washington has to say."

Ito said he hopes the auto question will be settled before Prime Minister Zenko Suzuki's May 4 visit to Washington.

West Germany's economics minister, Otto Graf Lambsdorff, warned over the weekend that blocking imports of foreign cars could touch off a trade war among the allied countries. His country, which has only 3.2 percent of the U.S. car market compared with 23 percent for Japan, is the only major European nation not already limiting Japanese cars.

As the auto issue comes to a head, economists and dealers are warning that import curbs could boost all car prices.

An administration task force which studied the question estimated that prices of Japanese cars would rise by $300 to $460, with an unknown effect on prices of U.S. makes. Japanese cars generally are cheaper than comparable U.S. models, by up to $200.

Ito's talks here are not be restricted to the auto issue. He also is expected to be questioned about Japan's defense spending.

The Carter administration complained loudly last December about Japan's proposed $10 billion defense budget for fiscal 1981. At the time, Japanese officials said that was the most Japan could afford.

Despite some bilateral differences, U.S. officials say the two countries are in agreement on most issues.

A recent Soviet military buildup in East Asia appears to have reinforced Japan's commitment to its security agreements with the United States, officials said.

The Russians have increased their firepower aimed at Japan from the Soviet mainland. They also have deployed about 10,000 ground troops on four islands north of Japan which were seized by the Soviets after World War II but which are still claimed by Japan.

Reagan's top advisers are deeply divided over the auto issue, with some recommending a request for a voluntary slowdown of shipments as a way to assist the recovery of the ailing U.S. auto industry. Others worry that such protection would signal that the administration was not serious about fighting inflation.

Ceiling Hike Eyed...

Bill Could Result In Higher Interest Tab

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Interest payments on auto loans, credit card balances, home improvement notes and installment purchases at department stores could rise as a result of a bill that comes before the Texas House today.

Speaker Bill Clayton predicted the House would wrangle into the night over Rep. Bill Messer's bill hiking state-imposed ceilings on interest rates.

Messer, D-Belton, says he has 96 votes to pass the bill, which he contends is necessary to make credit available to Texas borrowers and, perhaps, reduce the prices of some consumer goods.

"He's got the votes to pass it, but not in the shape it's in," says Rebecca Lightsey, legislative director of the Texas Consumer Association.

Messer's bill replaces a hodge-podge of ceilings on different kinds of loans with — in effect — two ceilings.

There would be an 18 percent cap except when the rate on six-month U.S. Treasury bills exceeds 18 percent.

If double the T-bill rate topped 18 percent, then what Messer calls an "escape valve" would come into play. The ceiling then would be twice the T-bill rate, up to an outside limit of 30 percent.

Existing limits include 12 percent for credit unions; 8 percent add-on (or about 14.5 percent annual percentage rate over 36 months) on bank and savings and loan installment loans; 7½ percent add-on (or 13.7 percent annual percentage rate) on dealer-financed cars; 18 percent on bank credit card balances below

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Statutory Rape Laws Are Upheld

WASHINGTON (AP) — A divided Supreme Court ruled today that state "statutory rape" laws do not discriminate against men, and that states may require parents be notified when a daughter seeks an abortion.

By a 5-4 vote, the justices upheld a California law that makes it a crime for men or boys to have sexual intercourse with consenting females not yet 18.

The court's majority said the law does not represent a form of unconstitutional sex discrimination just because women and girls cannot be charged with the same crime for having sex with boys not yet 18.

In a separate, 6-3 decision, the high court upheld a Utah law which requires parental notification in abortion cases.

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who has right to tv?

Who has the right to buy commercial time on television to promote candidates for public office, solicit support for assorted causes or advocate positions on controversial issues facing the nation?

Although never fully resolved, that question has been fervently argued in scores of cases brought before the Federal Communications Commission and the federal courts since the advent of commercial television in the mid-1940s.

Throughout that debate, television advertising has been dominated by what former FCC commissioner once described as the marketers of "tooth whiteners, clothes brighteners, skin purifiers and sink cleansers."

An FCC ruling in a 1976 political-advertising dispute was characterized by one exasperated commissioner as ordering that a Chicago station "shall not discriminate between President Ford and Arrid Extra Dry."

But two new developments offer the hope that lively debates over public affairs may be given an expanded opportunity to share time with sales pitches for indigestion remedies, pain relievers, deodorants, beer and laundry soap.

In the first case, the Supreme Court recently heard oral arguments (and presumably will rule later this year) on a legal complaint initiated by the campaign committee supporting the 1980 re-election bid of former President Carter.

The Carter organization sought to buy a half-hour of commercial time on ABC, CBS and NBC in December 1979 but was rebuffed by all three television networks on the grounds that the presidential campaign had not "officially" begun. (The networks did not mention that it was also to their financial benefit to maintain their regular evening schedules.)

The flimsiness of the networks' argument is demonstrated by the fact that in November 1979, one month before they rejected the Carter request as premature, all of the network news divisions dispatched correspondents and crews to report on presidential "straw votes" at Democratic and Republican statewide conventions in Florida.

If the networks' arbitrary ruling in the Carter case is allowed to stand, it will provide an unwarranted precedent giving them undue influence over the timing of political campaigns.

The FCC, the U.S. District Court and the U.S. Court of Appeals all have ruled against the networks in the case. Supreme Court reaffirmation of those decisions could substantially reinforce the federal law that grants political candidates the right to "reasonable access" in purchasing television advertising time.

The second development involves the decision of the American Broadcasting Co. to conduct a one-year experiment in allowing the sale of time for commercials advocating positions on matters of public policy.

The networks traditionally have resisted taking such a step because the FCC's "fairness doctrine" requires that when a broadcaster presents one side of a public issue, it is obligated to afford a reasonable opportunity for the presentation of conflicting viewpoints on that issue.

Terrified of opening a Pandora's box of claims upon their commercial time — including likely demands from those who insist they have the right to respond but lack the money to buy advertising time and therefore should be given access at no cost — the networks have resolved the matter by simply not allowing any "issue commericals" to be broadcast.

my turn

by the ad bunch

Lone Star Gas and JC Penney both lost windows in last Tuesday's sandstorm. Penney's manager Brian Boswell reported that they spent the next day sweeping. He also says that they are going to completely remodel the store in the near future.

Truett Bryan and family were in Arlington last week for a trip to Six Flags.

Mary Wilson of the Health Food Center has announced that they are now open in their new location in the 37th St. Shopping Center next to Travis Flowers.

Tim Burton at Snyder Electronics has announced a new product line for them. It's the RCA Videodisc--a record that plays sound and pictures through your own TV set.

Ed Thrift, owner of Men's II, has announced that the store will be moved next door and combined with Bea Owens. Ed has lost the lease on his present building, but will continue to carry a full line of men's clothing.

The current Men's II building and the old Whitfield's building next door will be combined and turned into a furniture store in the near future.

Construction of a Long John Silver's on College Ave. just north of Kmart is expected to begin in April.

Bill McCormick and family of McCormick and Sons Oil Co. returned last week from a trip to Florida.

La Casa De Blanca is making plans to move into a new location on the north side of the square. They will occupy the building that formerly housed the Gold Bond Redemption Center.

New Employees at the First National Bank are Pam Freeman, Elizabeth Neely, Lora Lovelady and Pam Kohl.

Howard Crenshaw, sales manager for Mal Donelson Chevrolet, was in Breckenridge last week to attend the funeral of his brother.

SJS Inc. will have a booth at the Lubbock Civic Center during the week for Farmer's Appreciation Week, according to Tommy Davis. The hours will be from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Don't forget the quarterly Chamber of Commerce fun breakfast to be held at 7 a.m. Thursday at the Smorgasbord Restaurant banquet room.

thoughts

The people in the kings' court wore gorgeous apparel as might be expected. Jesus makes reference to that fact in talking about John the Baptist, who was clothed with camel's hair.

"But what went ye out for to see? A man clothed in soft raiment? Behold, they which are gorgeously apparelled, and live delicately are in kings' courts." — Luke 7:25

at wit's end

by erma bombeck

One of the most-often-asked questions I get from readers is, "How many children do you REALLY have?

The answer is six.

I have the three "at home cildren." They're the ones who give me varicose veins of the neck from shouting, "Sit up straight! Say thank you! Clean up your plate. Get your feet off the furniture. Don't slam that door! Turn off the lights. Go to bed. Don't talk with food in your mouth. Get off the phone. Use your napkin. Tie your shoes. Wash your hands. Pay attention! I'm only saying this once."

Then there are the three "away from home" children people tell me about, who clear their own dishes away from the table, hold the door open for them, run errands, compliment them on their brownies, help them carry the groceries in from the car and devour vegetables they never touch at home.

The first time I heard of this phenomenon, I refused to believe it. My son had gone to spend the weekend at this friend's house. There was no doubt in my mind they would send him home by 10 in the evening, convinced he was sired by a tornado and raised by werewolves.

Morning came and still there was no frantic phone call. Around noon, a joyous voice came over the phone begging me to let my son stay through dinner.

"Who is this?" I shouted. "Is this some kind of a sick joke?"

She said my son was not only a pearl to have around and talk with, but he set a spiritual example for her son by washing out the tub, hanging up his towels, making his bed, and at this very moment was cutting the grass.

"Describe this child," I ordered.

"He's seven years old, has blond hair, a wonderful smile, and impeccable table manners."

The next sound I heard was one large surly whine. "Whadya want? I suppose you want me to rush home and clean my room or get your glasses for you and be your slave!"

It was him all right.

Only other mothers understand this phenomenon. The child who chews other people's gum out of an ashtray at home, but returns a spoon that has dropped on the floor to the cafeteria cook. The child who throws up eating cocoanut at home, but raves about Mrs. Miller's at Scout meeting. The kid who is so sick at home he cannot come to the table for his food, but becomes hysterical laughing at the doctor's riddle in the office.

A teenager visited our home last week and when he met me said, "Didn't I see you on the cover of Glamour magazine last week?"

Why call his mother? It would only depress her.

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Berry's World

"Maybe he'll grow up to be another John McEnroe!"

john cunniff

7 deadly mistakes

NEW YORK (AP) — Eugene Jennings was lamenting the weakened world position of American business. "Competitors in the international marketplace are beating us at our own game," the professor said.

The game and techniques for playing were established by U.S. firms years ago, he said. But as competitors learned, Americans forgot.

He forecast that "President Reagan's attempt to turn America around by investment incentives will surely fail if corporate chiefs don't return to wise management." America, he contends, "suffers more from a shortfall of wisdom than a shortfall of capital." The bitter pill, he said, "is that today's mistakes were yesterday's lessons."

1. Know your business. "It isn't determined by products or profits," he said, citing an observation by Harvard's Theodore Levitt that drill makers sell holes, not drills, and another by the inventor of the reaper, Cyrus McCormick, that his product was economics, not reapers.

By this reasoning, he said, you can see that General Motors and AT&T are in the same business, that of bringing people together. Their goals, he pointed out, are the same, though the instruments differ.

2. Technology and marketing must be married. "America was seldom first in technology, but we were first to marry it to markets in a timely, orderly fashion," he said. "Our asset was responsiveness."

3. Other companies cannot be bought blindly. "To acquire the other guy's products you should know either the technology or the market. Without either you don't know what you're buying." The message is proved daily as companies divest holdings acquired a few years earlier.

4. Quality begets customer loyalty. "We invented the principle," with Model T Fords and other products, said a chagrined Jennings. "We shouldn't have to have Sony reteach it to us." They know, he said, what Henry Ford learned: Quantity doesn't offset poor quality, because people buy products one at a time.

5. Strategy precedes structure. "We knew that once a business organization was functioning the management style had to defer to it."

The best corporations, including General Motors and IBM, he said in illustration, don't reorganize every time a new chief rises to the top. Less successful, more erratic ones, he pointed out, often do.

6. People are a company's most important asset. We knew that too, he said. "But then companies abandoned their employees."

One of the oldest maxims in American management, he said, is that you cannot hire a pair of hands. "Andrew Carnegie observed that a man also has a mind and a heart, and that he thinks and feels. But management abandoned the mind and heart, and the unions eagerly sought them."

7. A business needs a sense of purpose. The greats of American industry knew it. "A company is too abstract to give loyalty to," the professor asserted. "We must turn an organization to a purpose. It must have meaning and justification. This is the art of leadership."

And so, said Jennings, author of many books on corporate life, these seven bits of wisdom have become the seven deadly mistakes.

Apporixmately $60 billion is tied up in American shopping centers which account for about half of all the retail business in the U.S.

the wagman file

by robert j. wagman

WASHINGTON (NEA)—Many of those attending the recent meeting of the Democratic National Committee here expressed optimism that their party would sharply rebound in the 1982 congressional elections. They reasoned that the Democrats' problems at the polls last November were largely caused by President Carter and that his departure would enable them to make a strong showing next year.

But many neutral observers consider this to be just so much wishful thinking. They say that the Democrats could do even worse at the polls in 1982 than they did in 1980. The basis for this contention is the disorganization of the Democratic Party.

Here is a case in point: Recent private polls in Missouri showed Rep. Richard Gephardt of St. Louis to be the only Democrat with a reasonably good chance of unseating Sen. John Danforth, the Republican incumbent. Gephardt, one of the brightest of the young congressmen, has been making quite a name for himself on the House Ways and Means Committee.

But Gephardt was cautious about giving up the safe House seat that he has held since 1977. So, he sounded out Democratic leaders to see how much political and financial support he could expect for what would be a very expensive campaign against Danforth.

Officials of the national party seemed almost totally indifferent as to whether he made a Senate race. And leaders of the Democratic Senatorial Campaign said they could not guarantee him any help, financial or otherwise, so far in advance.

So, Gephardt announced that he would run for reelection to the House in 1982. That almost insures the re-election of Danforth to the Senate.

Other examples abound. In the past two years, the National Republican Congressional Committee raised $27 million for House candidates while its Democratic counterpart raised $1.6 million. In the same period, the National Republican Senatorial Campaign Committee raised $20 million while the Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee raised $2 million.

Republican Party officials recently launched a massive effort to raise at least $40 million for the 1892 elections; $13.5 million of the money is to go directly to House candidates and $8.5 million to Senate candidates.

In addition, the Republican Congressional Committee expects to spend $20 million this year to prepare for 1982. Several million of those dollars are to go for television advertisements and for a staff to work with state legislatures in redrawing congressional districts to favor the Republicans.

Contrast this with the Democrats Charles Manatt, the new DNC chairman, is having some success at convincing the three party campaign organizations to coordinate their fund-raising efforts for 1982. The House and Senate campaign committees as well as the DNC had planned largely competitive fund-raising campaigns.

But the Democrats still have far lower fund-raising goals for 1982 than do the Republicans. For example, Manatt has expressed the hope that the House and Senate committees can each raise $3 million in large donations and perhaps a like amount in small donations from direct mail.

So, is it any wonder that many observers question whether the Democrats can hold onto what they have in 1982 despite all the brave talk of a comeback?

It now appears likely that the Democrats will give up two more Senate seats and perhaps even lose their majority in the house. Their prospects will be especially bleak if President Reagan is thought to have done a good job during his first year and a half in office.

BARBS

Phil Pastoret

What this country needs is an effective medicine for stomach upsets caused by the gastric ads on the small screen.

The worst thing a weightwatcher can have is a vivid imagination capable of dreaming-up things like double-helpings of pistachio nut ice cream.

No one promised him a rose garden, says our neighbor, but he thinks the weed ranch the realtor stuck him with is ridiculous.

ASTRO·GRAPH

Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

March 24, 1981

You may have to rely more upon others this coming year instead of operating as independently as you'd like to. If you're careful in your associations, all will go well. Weak alliances could cause delays.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be tactful and diplomatic in important one-to-one relationships today. Brusque actions could cause larger-than-usual problems. Find out more of what lies ahead for you in the year following your birthday by sending for your copy of Astro-Graph. Mail $1 for each to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth date.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) People upon whom you can normally rely may not be able to bail you out of sticky situations today. Look only to yourself for help.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Keep your priorities in order today and concern yourself more with your duties than with frivolous pursuits. Neglect may spell trouble.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Try not to place too much emphasis on winning today in your athletic activities. Play the game for the fun of it and you'll have a better time.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Be careful today if you have to deal with someone who holds strong opposing opinions. One or both of you may let the discussion get out of hand.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Don't rely on verbal commitments in financial or business matters today. Important points should be spelled out and put in writing.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Protect your self-interests today, but don't do so in ways that could offend people with whom you're involved. Consider their needs as well.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Normally you're a take-charge type, but today you might let something you should be controlling slip from your hands and get fouled up.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Try not to become involved today with groups or cliques with which you don't feel comfortable. Your tolerance for metooers is low.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) This is one of those days when you might struggle very hard for something, only to learn after you get it that it wasn't worth your efforts.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Unfortunately, today you may be a better talker than a doer and in the process disappoint someone who was counting on you. Perform as promised.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Don't be afraid to ask hard, probing questions today if you're involved in something that could cost you out of pocket. You need all the facts.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

MONDAY

Delta Kappa Gamma meeting in the home of Monette O'Day, 4502 El Paso St., 7:30 p.m.

Rebekah Lodge 294, Lodge Hall, 7:30 p.m.

American Legion Layne Kite Post 181, regular meeting, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY

Patchwork Squares, 9:30 a.m.

Alpha Study Club, Martha Ann Woman's Club, Katie Jackson is hostess, 3 p.m.

If you are interested in losing weight, meet with TOPS 56, Snyder, at the National Guard Armory, 6:30 p.m.

Canyon Gun Club, West Texas State Bank, community room, public invited, 7 p.m.

Western Texas Genealogical Association will meet in conference room, Agricultural Service Center, 3423 Ave T, (Snyder Shopping Center) 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Snyder Palette Club, Tenth Annual Exhibition, Scurry County Coliseum, March 25-30.

Cosmorama Study Club, program by Roy Baze, "America's Energy Outlook," hostesses are Mrs. David Harlin and Mrs. J.D. Hinton, Martha Ann Woman's Club, 4 p.m.

Sparkle City Squares, National Guard Armory, workshop at 8 p.m., square dance lessons at 8:30 p.m.

THURSDAY

Women's Tennis Association, Snyder Country Club, 9:30 a.m.

Hope For Tomorrow Weight Control class, community room of Snyder National Bank, 6:30 p.m., enrollment at 6 p.m.

Weight Watchers of West Texas, basement of First Presbyterian Church, 6:30 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 6 p.m.

ABWA, dinner meeting, Martha Ann Woman's Club, 7 p.m.

Newcomers country-western dance lessons, National Guard Armory, 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY

Duplicate Bridge Club, Snyder Country Club, 1:30 p.m.

SATURDAY

People Without Partners, 42 at Inadale Community Center, 6:30 p.m.

Sparkle City Squares, National Guard Armory, dance, 8 p.m.

SUNDAY

Duplicate Bridge Club, Snyder Country Club, 1:30 p.m.

Six To Attend Seminole Meet

Six women from Scurry County are making plans to attend the District II meeting of the Texas Extension Homemakers Association in the Seminole Civic building Tuesday, March 24.

These women are part of the largest organization of homemakers in the United States, the National Extension Homemakers Council. The Texas organization has 25,000 members and hopes to double that figure in the next ten years.

The Extension Homemakers of District II contribute each year toward the Aubry Russell Scholarship which is given to a girl from this region who is entering college in Lubbock and majoring in Home Economics. Girls from Scurry county have been recipients of this scholarship in the past.

Highlights of the District II meeting Tuesday will be a presentation by Wynon Mayes of Plainview entitled, "A Medley of Erma Bombeck," and news of the state organization brought by Mrs. Jimmy Crawford of Ballinger, newly elected treasurer.

Three workshops are planned in the areas of safety, family life and cultural arts for participation by those attending. The Gaines County women will serve a salad luncheon at noon and have door prizes for those attending.

The six women elected by Scurry County to serve as delegates or alternates to this meeting are Brenda Lee of the Union club, Erika Blankenship of the Knapp club, Clovis Robinson from Plainview, Lonice Hall from Ira, Diane Price from Honey Do's and Gene Coonrod from Hermleigh.

Other members from these clubs and from Mayflowers, Stargazers, Patchwork Squares and Fluvanna are encouraged to attend the district meeting as guests and to participate in the activities.

Extension clubs work in close co-operation with the County Home Extension Agent, Blanche Chisum. Membership is open to all interested persons.

"Taste Of Spring" Planned

Plans were made Tuesday by the Plainview Extension Homemakers Club for the members to take part in "Taste of Spring" at the First Methodist Church April 25 from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Jean McQuery gave the report concerning the club's participation in "Taste of Spring." She said clubs can present demonstrations of 20 minutes each. The demonstrations will be on silk flowers, flower arrangements, corsages, bathroom ornaments, painting and others.

The demonstrations will be held at intervals during a covered dish affair with members and invited guests participating.

Ms. Walker was hostess for Tuesday's meeting and Lida Rhodes received the hostess gift.

Other members attending were Myrtle Brown, Clovis Robinson, Nettie Lewis, Connie Vincent and Minnie Floyd. Visitors were Connie and Michael Paul McQuery.

Stale, dried-up cheese can be turned into a tasty spread by putting it through a meat grinder with chunks of raw onion.

More corn will pop if it is sprinkled with warm water an hour before popping.

BRIDGE

Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

Bad guess sinks contract

NORTH 3-23-81
♠ 7
♥ A 10 5 3
♦ 9 7 6 4
♣ A K J 3

WEST
♠ Q 5 2
♥ 9 6 4 2
♦ A J 8
♣ 8 7 4

EAST
♠ A 10 8 6 3
♥ 7
♦ 10 5 3
♣ Q 10 9 5

SOUTH
♠ K J 9 4
♥ K Q J 8
♦ K Q 2
♣ 6 2

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: North

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead: ♥2

By Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

Alan: "The truism that aces were made to take honor cards, not small cards, applies in today's hand."

Oswald: "It doesn't always apply, but it sures does today. West opened a trump and while South was studying the dummy, East did the same. Then the ten was played from dummy to hold the trick and the seven of spades led. East ducked casually (he had been given time to think) and South played his jack."

Alan: "West won with the queen and got to lead a second trump. South won in dummy and struggled manfully, but with no success at all. As a matter of fact, he went down two tricks because West got in with his ace of diamonds in time to lead a third trump."

Oswald: "We can't blame South for misguessing the spade. We can see that if he had gone up with his king he would have made his contract easily, but even the best bridge players can't guess right all the time. What we do know is that if East had played his ace of spades, South would have had no problem making ten tricks."

Alan: "South might have come to nine tricks after his jack of spades lost to West's queen. That is unimportant. The important point is that he was doomed once he made that play."

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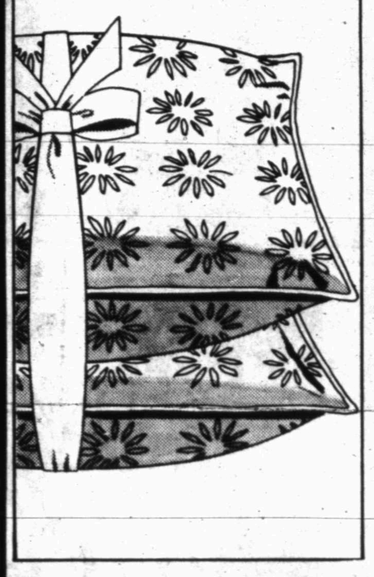

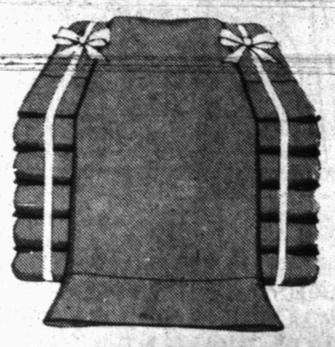

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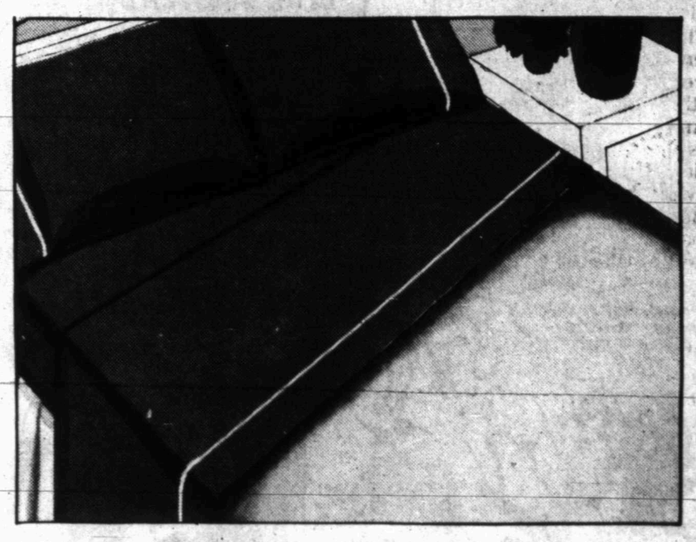

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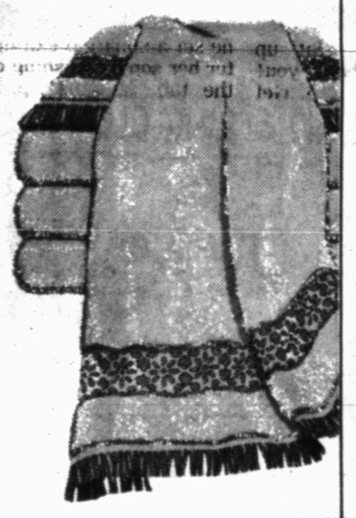
Washcloth	1.59	1.43



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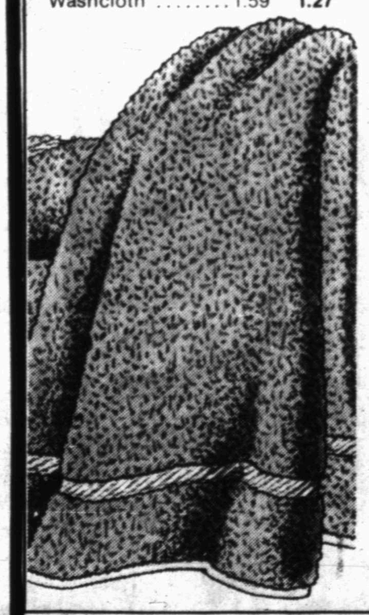

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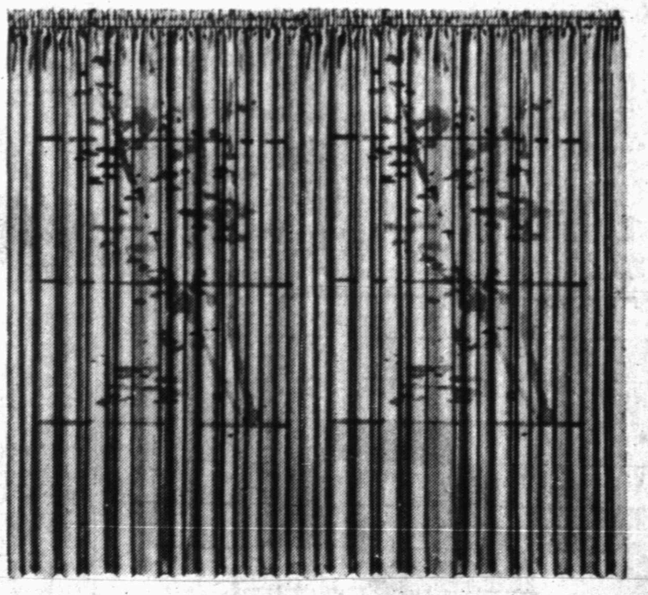

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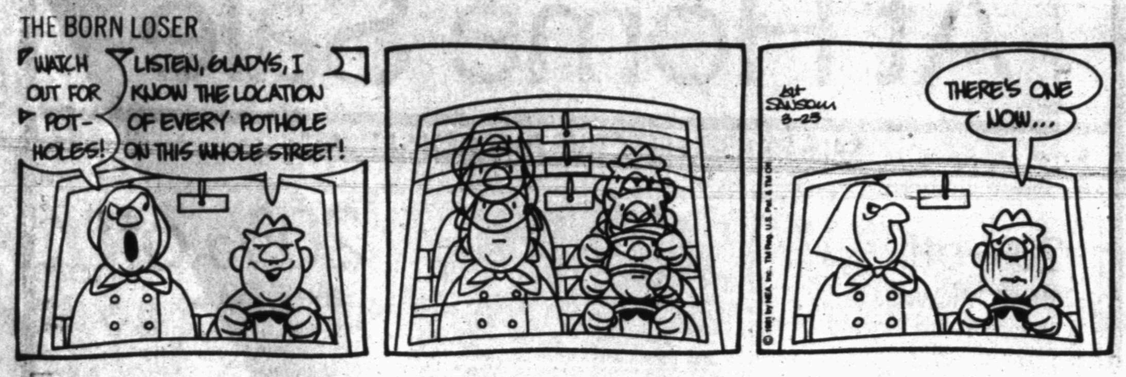

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4 Frosting
9 For hearing
12 Female sheep
13 Better balanced
14 Poetic preposition
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16 French school
17 Japanese currency
18 Furious
20 Article of apparel
22 Novelist Ferber
23 Eon
26 Residue
27 Aback
29 Tax agency (abbr.)
30 Nervous twitch
31 Mine
33 Environment agency (abbr.)
34 Large vase
35 Chemical particle
37 Drawing up
41 Unemployed
42 Compass point
43 Fragrant ointment
45 Annapolis student (sl.)
47 Texas A&M student
48 Author of "The Raven"
49 Terminal pole
53 Gross National Product (abbr.)
54 Printer's measure (pl.)
55 Puissance
56 Inordinate self-esteem
57 Landing boat
58 Shorthand
59 Spot

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1 Unearthly
2 Prizes
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5 Small island
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11 Hires
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25 Cite as proof
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32 Nettle
35 Figures of speech
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44 Supply station
46 Mouths (sl.)
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51 Have debts
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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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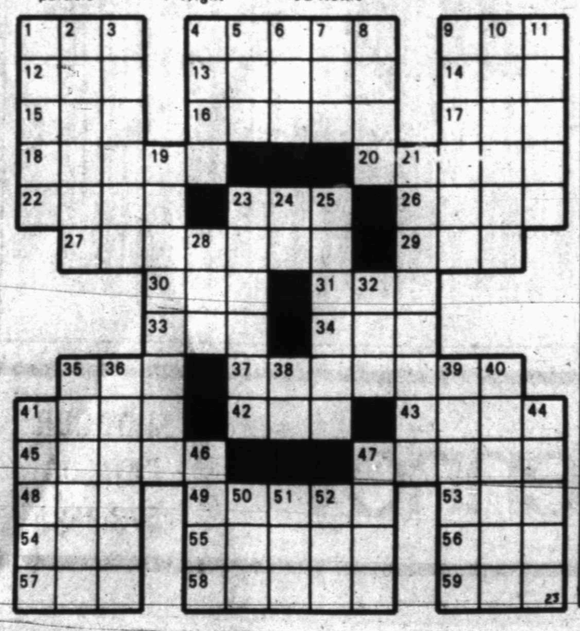

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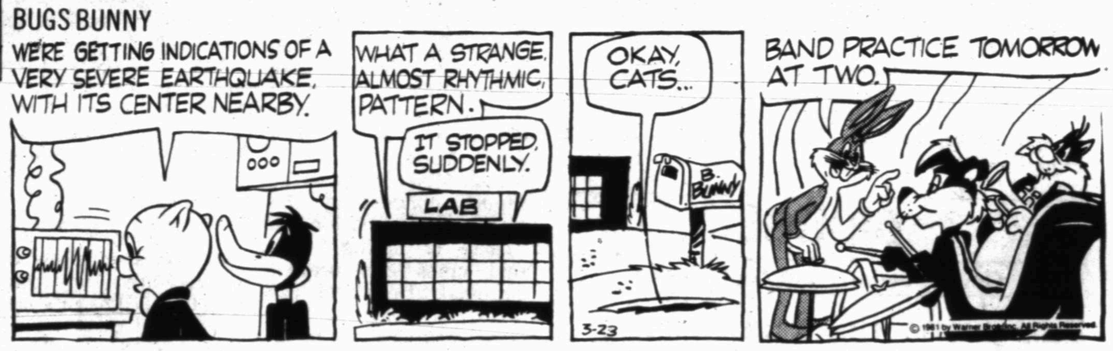

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"WE JUST WANT YOU TO KNOW...YOU WERE A GREAT SNOWMAN, WHILE YOU LASTED."

Dear Abby

War Experience More Than A Matter of Semantics

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: You were right the first time and need not have apologized for using the term "concentration camps" in connection with the internment of Japanese-Americans during World War II.

I was one of 110,000 Americans of Japanese descent who were interned in what was euphemistically referred to as a "war relocation center" for the duration of the war. It *was* a concentration camp. What else would you call row after row of tar-papered barracks (one room per family) surrounded by barbed-wire fences and guard towers with armed soldiers on duty night and day?

This in no way belittles the experience of the Nazi Holocaust victims. That their concentration camps were also death camps and ours were not is hardly cause for patriotic pride. Senator Hayakawa may be a recognized authority on semantics, but he can hardly be considered a spokesman for Japanese-Americans. He was born in Canada and spent the war comfortably in Chicago.

HISAKO TAKAMI, CHICAGO

DEAR MR. TAKAMI: Thank you (and the many others) who wrote to set the record straight. My Webster's New Collegiate Dictionary defines "concentration camp" as follows: "A camp where persons (as prisoners of war, political prisoners or refugees) are detained or confined."

Score: Takami, 1; Hayakawa, 0.

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DEAR ABBY: I was delighted to read your comments on the popular misuse of the word "hopefully," which is probably the second most commonly misused word in our language today — the first being "feel."

Ever since it became acceptable, even stylish, to be open and frank about one's feelings, otherwise educated people are saying, "I *feel* that he is right," or, "I *feel* it's a good idea." In almost all cases, they mean, "I *think*" or "I *believe*."

It's easy to remember: One *feels* feelings, and *thinks* thoughts.

J.B. IN DALLAS

DEAR J.B.: I think you're right and feel as you do.

* * *

DEAR ABBY: Four months ago the daughter of some very close friends of ours was married in a late-afternoon church ceremony. We sent them a very generous gift. My husband, who is in construction work, got home that day about an hour before the ceremony. He had had no lunch, so I made a sandwich for him. There wasn't enough time for him to eat, shave, shower and dress and get to the church in time for the wedding, so we decided to skip the wedding and go directly to the reception immediately following the ceremony.

When we arrived for the reception, several people told us that the bride's parents kept looking for us at the church. We found them, went up to them and apologized for missing the wedding. We told them exactly what had happened. They were very cold, said they were hurt and insulted and that our excuse wasn't good enough to suit them. Two days later I called and tried to explain again, but there was just no talking to these people!

We've heard nothing from them since. We were really sorry to have missed the wedding, but it couldn't be helped. What should we do now? We were such close friends.

ON THE OUTS

DEAR ON: Their reaction was hardly that of "very close friends." The explanation of your absence was honest and reasonable, and for them to have ended their friendship with you over it was childish. Forget it.

* * *

(Problems? You'll feel better if you get them off your chest. For a personal reply, write to Abby, 132 Lasky Drive, Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212. Please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.)

HOSPITAL NOTES

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DISMISSALS: Floyd House, Linda Tierce, Brenda Eades and baby boy, Petra Carrillo, Warren Boyd, Miriam Sullivan, Dennis Gulseth, Naomi Keel, Ina Fargason, Arthur Bayless, Mary Spieker, Barbara Perkins, Tresa Wicke and baby girl, Alvina Cadelano, Curt Shaw, Edith Gladson, Alfred Langley.

BIRTHS

Shann and Danny Pierce, 2205 Sunset, are the parents of a baby girl born March 22 at 4:10 p.m. at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She weighed 9 lbs. 9 oz.

Julie and Bryan Kirk, Kingswood Estates, are the parents of a baby girl born March 21 at 2:26 p.m. at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs. 15 oz.

Man-Wife Team

BORGER, Texas (AP) — Clyde and Julia Barker have been partners in marriage for 27 years and partners in truck driving for one year.

The couple travels through the United States and Canada delivering chemicals manufactured at the Phillips plant here.

Clyde Barker says one partner usually sleeps while the other drives.

Ted Bigham
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Of Becoming Great City...

Van Horn Still Holds High Hopes

By JAMES R. KING
Associated Press Writer

VAN HORN, Texas (AP) — If this town's dreams had come true, motorists crossing West Texas on Interstate 10 would be startled by a giant agricultural - industrial metropolis rising from the arid Trans-Pecos prairies.

Instead of a dusty town that looks like little more than a good place to stop for a chicken-fried steak, they would see wine vineyards, feedlots, factories, and one of the busiest airports in the world, with huge jetliners taking off and landing as fast as air controllers could clear the skyways.

A few residents still believe this will someday be one of the world's great cities: New York, Paris, Rome, Tokyo — and Van Horn.

"This is all going to be in the garden one day," says M.J. Mitchell, a retired Ford dealer, past president of the Van Horn Chamber of Commerce, and one of the town's foremost dreamers. "This is going to be Imperial Valley No. 2."

Other citizens share Mitchell's hopes, but not his optimism. His dreams seem to have bypassed Van Horn, much as the interstate, forsaking the old main highway's route through the center of the town, skirted around its southern edge.

Only drivers who take the Broadway Street exit ever see Durham's Barber Shop, the Sage Theater or Van Horn's 17 motels.

Most residents make no bones about the fact that Van Horn is a small town where the main attraction on Saturday night is the church social or a pitcher of beer and a game of pool at the Highway Bar.

All that changes in Mitchell's vision. After all, he is the man who tried to get operators of the Concorde supersonic jetliner to land in Van Horn instead of Washington or New York.

"We're centrally located on the North American continent, and we were going to give them 1,000 acres rent-free for 50 years for a hangar and a terminal," he says. Other dreams were less farfetched.

Van Horn sits near the world's largest deposit of nonasbestos talc, mined for talcum powder, ceramic tile, plastics and other items.

Mitchell and others laid out a 370-acre industrial park and publicized plans for a talc-processing factory, a tile plant, a gasohol refinery, an alfalfa cubing operation and other enterprises.

The Dionne quintuplets were born in Callander, Canada, in 1934.

HEALTH

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Hemorrhoid differences

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I would appreciate your opinion of tying enlarged hemorrhoids. I had an examination by my doctor, and there was nothing seriously wrong, just enlarged hemorrhoids on the outside. The doctor suggested tying them. Is that a reliable procedure?

DEAR READER — Hemorrhoids are very common. They are really varicose veins of the rectal area. And I think you have misunderstood your doctor.

There are two types of hemorrhoids, the internal type and the external type. You can have both at the same time.

External hemorrhoids are the ones that cause pain and itching. There are sensory nerve fibers around the anal area under the skin.

There are no such fibers inside the rectum where the internal hemorrhoids occur. They may bleed, though, and a common cause of painless rectal bleeding is internal hemorrhoids. You can also have a fissure, or crack, of the anus which can be painful, particularly with bowel movements.

You don't tie off external hemorrhoids. If you do, the patient is going to be very unhappy because those sensitive nerve fibers will cause a lot of pain. You can tie off internal hemorrhoids where no pain fibers exist.

You can also inject a sclerosing agent around the veins that form internal hemorrhoids — but not around external hemorrhoids.

The various methods of treating hemorrhoids are discussed in The Health Letter number 13-12, Hemorrhoids: New Treatments for an Old Affliction, which I am sending you. Others who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

Maintaining good bowel habits and avoiding straining is important, too. Many of the commercial preparations that are highly advertised will provide no more relief for hemorrhoids than you could obtain from plain Vaseline.

But treatments for hemorrhoids have improved through the ages. An ancient method of treatment was to burn the hemorrhoids with a red hot poker. Historical accounts say it was necessary to restrain the patients during the procedure.

DEAR DR. LAMB — In this promiscuous age, is it even safe to kiss a person's lips without the fear of contracting herpes, which is incurable, or even other diseases of which I am unaware? Is fear going to produce a class of unmarried celibate people?

DEAR READER — I'm not sure whether they will be married or single, but current trends certainly suggest that people will not be celibate.

Let's face it, kissing is not a healthy practice from a germ standpoint. Infectious mononucleosis is called the kissing disease because it can be transmitted that way. So can the common cold and any number of infections. But kissing has been going on for centuries and the human race is still here, and, according to population studies, it is thriving.

Incidentally, a lot of diseases — particularly the common cold — are transmitted by hands. So I guess we will just have to live with these problems while we find new treatments for viral diseases. Interferon may be one such treatment. There are some basic practices that even the threat of disease won't stop.

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One of the greatest things is to be seen with my daughters, surprise people who even think I lie when I insist we aren't all sisters, we're near the same size and look so alike.
As a result of this program, I feel good and am ready to do anything at any time. Being a 'Petite', not a 'Stout', is pure pleasure.
At last I enjoy all my outdoor hobbies, swimming, horses, volleyball and lots of others.
Peggy Bowen, El Paso

Dear Pat Walker's,
This is my personal report of one of the most exhilarating and enjoyable experiences of my life.
It seems I've always been overweight, particularly in the hips. I tried diets and various exercises without doing much good.
HALLELUJAH! Things happened. I lost 23 lbs. and 36 inches. I now wear size 7 dress and pants. I can live with and be proud of those figures at the same time. How pleasant it is to have friends find it hard to realize this is a 'NEW YOU', to have my husband so very pleased and able to carry me without fear of back injury.
Now I am not self-concious of my appearance when I am enjoying my hobbies, western dancing, horseback riding and working out-of-doors with flowers. They way I feel now I'm sure I'll be adding other pursuits.
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Tigers Win Tourney

Coach Albert Lewis' Snyder Tigers sacked up their second straight tournament championship here Saturday evening, taking the latest by a simple method, a forfeit.

The Tigers earned the 7-0 victory when Odessa Ector decided not to participate in the championship game of the Snyder Tournament, citing the cold wind, lack of fresh players and the would-be late starting time as reasons. Snyder, which has now won seven of its past eight games, including the Monahans Tournament, is 8-5 heading into its final non-district game Tuesday with Lubbock Coronado.

In other tournament games here Friday, Andrews cracked Lamesa 14-5 for third place and Levelland popped Lubbock Estacado 6-4 for consolation.

Snyder placed four individuals on the all-tournament team; Perry Echols, Gerald Don Hicks, Mike Roemisch and Tony Degrate.

Hicks earned his stripes from the mound, picking up a win and a save in the two-day tournament. In the eight innings he was aboard, he struckout 16 batters, allowed seven hits, walked three, and gave up no runs.

Echols led the Tiger batsmen, having a six-for-eight tourney from the plate, including a home run and a double and three RBI.

Other all-tourney selections included Danny Rodriquez, Gary Subia and Abel Juarez from Ector; Jamie Gonzales and Jamie Price from Andrews; Lasaro Arredondo from Lamesa; Paul Herring from Levelland; and Raymond Gibson from Brownfield.

Snyder treks to Lubbock on Tuesday, to play a strong Coronado squad at 4 p.m. The Tigers then open District 2-4A competition on Friday, hosting Fort Stockton at 4.

Exhibition Baseball

By The Associated Press

Saturday's Games

Toronto 8, Detroit 5
Texas 7, Baltimore 6
Philadelphia 6, Chicago (AL) 1
Minnesota 6, Houston 2
New York (AL) 5, Atlanta (SS) 2
Cincinnati 10, Boston 9, 10 innings
Los Angeles 6, Montreal 4
St.Louis 4, Pittsburgh 3
Oakland 5, Cleveland 4
San Diego 10, Seattle 5
San Francisco 9, Chicago (NL) 4
Milwaukee 4, California 2
Atlanta 4, New York (NL) 3

Sunday's Games

Boston vs. Minnesota at Orlando, Fla., canceled., rain
Philadelphia vs. Toronto at Dunedin, Fla., canceled, rain.
Houston vs. Cincinnati at Tampa, Fla., canceled, rain
Detroit vs. St.Louis at St.Petersburg, Fla, canceled, rain
St.Louis (SS) vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla., canceled, rain
New York (NL) 9, New York (AL) 6
Texas 10, Baltimore 7
Chicago (AL) 12, Kansas City 5
Montreal 3, Kansas City (SS) 0
Atlanta 8, Los Angeles 7
Oakland 10, Cleveland 9, 10 innings
San Diego 12, Seattle 11, 10 innings
San Francisco 8, Chicago (NL) 3
California 3, Milwaukee 2

Monday's Games

Montreal vs. Baltimore at Miami, Fla.
Pittsburgh vs. Toronto at Dunedin, Fla.
Cincinnati vs. Chicago (AL) at Sarasota, Fla.
New York (AL) vs. Atlanta at West Palm Beach, Fla.
Boston vs. Houston at Cocoa, Fla.
St.Louis vs. Philadelphia at Clearwater, Fla.
Cleveland vs. Chicago at Mesa, Ariz.
Oakland vs. San Francisco at Phoenix
Seattle vs. California at Palm Springs, Calif.
Los Angeles vs. New York (NL) at St.Petersburg, Fla.
Cincinnati (SS) vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla.
Texas vs. Kansas City at San Juan, Puerto Rico

TIGERS TRIUMPH -- Snyder won the Snyder Tournament team championship over the weekend here, and took several other top honors as well. Friday, the group travels to compete in the Fort Stockton Tournament. Above, Pam Smith returns a serve during pre-match warmups. (SDN Staff Photo)

Felines Seventh At ABC Relays

BIG SPRING -- Snyder girls placed seventh out of 17 teams at the ABC Relays here last Saturday. The girls, under the direction of Coach Patty Grimmett, will join the Snyder boys in hosting the annual Canyon Reef Tournament at Tiger Stadium on March 28.

"Every week we're improving our point totals and our places," said Grimmett, whose squad pulled down 39 points to finish ahead of Sweetwater, Lamesa, San Angelo Lake View and Andrews of District 2-4A. "The girls did real well considering the conditions (strong, dusty winds)."

Brenda Anderson notched a first and a second; winning the shot put with a best-of-the-season heave of 38-3¼, and running the 200 meters in 27.6.

Pam Brown placed second in the 100 meters with a 13.5, followed by Lisa Cobb, sixth, with a 13.9. Cobb also placed fourth in the long jump with a leap of 16-8¾.

Snyder's sprint relay (400 meters) team of Brown, Cobb, Anderson and Sherry Spells came in fourth with a 51.45.

Odessa Ector, also in 2-4A, won the meet with 92 points. Second was Abilene Cooper with 78; third was Lubbock Estacado with 57.

Monahans notched sixth with 43¾ points. Other 2-4A squads were Andrews, 10th with 25; Sweetwater, 11th with 14; Lamesa 15th with 3¾; and Lake View, 17th with 1¾.

Nine teams are slated to participate in Division II (girls) of the Canyon Reef Tournament, including Snyder and Ira. Others are Lake View, Sweetwater, Slaton, Spur, Colorado City, Brownwood and Coahoma.

Division I, freshman boys, includes Crosbyton, Sweetwater, Aspermont, Jayton, Rotan, Slaton, Frenship, Spur, Hawley and Snyder.

Division III, varsity boys, includes Ira, Aspermont, Hermleigh, Loraine, Jayton, Knox City, Rotan, Baird, Motley County, Spur, Hawley, Sweetwater and Snyder.

LSU Pops Wichita St.; Challenges Indiana Next

by The Associated Press

Louisiana State Coach Dale Brown doesn't want his Tigers to become fat cats just because of a regional championship in the NCAA basketball playoffs.

"Tomorrow morning, when we wake up, " he said after Sunday's 96-85 decision over Wichita State in the Midwest regionals, "we'll be ready to charge the mountain again."

The "mountain" he refers to, of course, is the Final Four in Philadelphia next weekend.

The Midwest champs will go to the summit conference with the three other regional winners - Indiana, Virginia and North Carolina, Indiana won the Mideast championship with a 78-46 decision over St. Joseph's (Pa.) in another game played Sunday. On Saturday, Virginia won the East with a 74-60 triumph over Brigham Young and North Carolina won the West with an 82-68 rout of Kansas State.

LSU will play Indiana and Virginia will meet North Carolina in the national semifinals, and the winners will play for the NCAA title Monday night.

In other NCAA action over the weekend, Florida Southern won the Division II championship with a 73-68 victory over Mount St. Mary's and Potsdam (N.Y.) State won the Division III title with a 67-65 overtime victory over Augustana (Ill.)

Westark (Ark.) won the national junior college tournament with a 67-50 victory over Lincoln (Ill.)

Durand Macklin led the way for LSU Saturday, scoring 21 points and collecting 10 rebounds. The Tigers were in command after Macklin and Greg Cook triggered a 14-0 burst early in the first half. Cook finished with 19 points.

Landon Turner and Ray Tolbert each scored 14 points and anchored a fearsome front line and guard Isiah Thomas provided direction as Indiana overwhelmed St. Joseph's in Bloomington, Ind., and spoiled the Hawks' Cinderella season. The team from Philadelphia had won three playoff games by a total of four points before Sunday, including a 49-48 upset of top-ranked DePaul in sub-regional play.

Ralph Sampson led Virginia over BYU in Atlanta, scoring 14 of his game-high 22 points after intermission as the Cavaliers broke open a close game.

Connors Wins

ROTTERDAM, Netherlands - Jimmy Connors won the $175,000 WCT Rotterdam International Tennis Tournament, defeating Gene Mayer 6-1, 2-6, 6-2.

Americans Fritz Buehning and Freddy Taygan won the doubles finals by defeating the Mayer brothers, Gene and Sandy, 7-6, 1-6, 6-4.

Local Netters Claim Team Championship

Snyder netters won their second team championship in a row here Saturday, defeating Borger, Pampa and Hereford to wrap up the team title of the annual Snyder Tournament.

The Tigers travel to Fort Stockton on Friday for another two-day tournament. The District 2-4A tourney will be held April 9-10-11 in Midland.

Jimmy Fowler and Jon Smith of Snyder took the No. 1 boys doubles crown, while Kelly Scott grabbed the No. 1 girls singles championship. Pampa earned No. 1 and No. 2 boys singles titles with Mark and Mike Spence, respectively.

Other first-place results were all brought in by Borger. David Finley and Don Sholi won No. 2 boys doubles; Jill Nelson won No. 2 girls singles; and Dana Erwin and Patty Jack won No. 1 girls singles. The No. 2 girls singles has yet to be decided.

Snyder 4, Borger 4
(Snyder wins on sets)

I Boys Singles-- Neal Paige def. Clint Murley, 6-1, 6-1; **II Boys Singles**-- Sam Helms def. Eric Caligoda, 6-2, 6-0; **I Boys Doubles**-- Jimmy Fowler-Jon Smith def. Tom Gray-Jeff Pirtle, 6-1, 6-3; **II Boys Doubles**-- Mark Cypert-Richard Derrick lost to David Finley-Don Sohli, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4.

I Girls Singles-- Kelly Scott def. Becky McKay, 6-4, 6-1; **II Girls Singles**-- Kim Byrom lost to Jill Neilson, 6-0, 6-2; **IGirls Doubles**-- Mindy Aldridge-Pam Smith lost to Dana Erwin-Patty Jack, 6-2, 6-3; **II Girls Doubles**-- Patti Clark-Rosie Peralez lost to Christi Blake-Susan Jack, nsa.

Snyder 5, Pampa 3

I BS-- Paige lost to Mark Spence, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4; **II BS**-- Helms lost to Mike Spence, 6-4, 6-2; **I BD**-- Smith-Fowler def. Mark Elliott-Gregg Trollinger, 7-6, 6-3; **II BD**-- Cypert-Derrick def. Rick van Kluyve-Kurt Haynes, 7-5, 7-5.

I GS-- Scott def. Tanya Jones, 6-0, 6-1; **IIk GD**-- Byrom def. Glenda Gillis, 7-5, 6-2; **I GD**-- Smith-Aldridge lost to Leslie Eddins-Tricia Hawkins, 7-5, 6-0; **II GD**-- **Clark-Peralez def. Cheryl Starnes-Colene Hofacket, 6-0, 6-0.**

Snyder 8, Hereford 0

I BS-- Naige def. Trent Thomas, 6-2, 6-0; **II BS**-- Helms def. Kelly Cassels, 6-0, 6-4; **I BD**-- Smith-Fowler def. Adolfo Garcia-Danny Perez, 6-3, 6-1; **II BD**-- Cypert-Derrick def. Ramon Duncan-Robert Castro, 6-1, 6-2.

I GS-- Scott def. Kim Sims, 6-0, 6-0; **II GS**-- Byrom def. Annette Lafuente, 7-6, 6-0; **I GD**-- Smith-Aldridge def. Claire Montemayor-Dolly Montemayor, 6-1, 6-0; **II GD**-- Clark-Peralez def. Carol Zinser-Lisa Snyder, 7-5, 6-7, 6-4.

Borger 5, Sweetwater 3
Borger 7, Hereford 1
Sweetwater 8, Pampa 0
Pampa 3, Hereford 5
Borger 5, Pampa 3
Hereford 3, Sweetwater 5

Tulsa To Play Tonight

NEW YORK (AP) - The Syracuse Orangemen, 21-11, venture from the friendly setting of their 26,000-seat Carrier Dome for the first time in two weeks tonight when they take on Purdue, 20-10, in the second game of the National Invitation Tournament semifinal doubleheader at Madison Square Garden. Tulsa, 24-7, plays West Virginia, 23-8, in the opener, with tonight's winners meeting Wednesday night for the title.

Coach Nolan Richardson, who won the 1980 junior college crown at Western Texas College, brought four stars from that 37-0 team with him to Tulsa and produced the winningest record in the school's history. The transfers - center Greg Stewart, guards Paul Pressey and Phil Spradling and forward David Brown - all scored in double figures.

The key to Tulsa's success, says Richardson, came in its third game of the season, against defending NCAA champion Louisville.

"I've always thought that winning is a habit and losing is a habit," said Richardson. "I felt that if I could get the four guys I brought with me to instill that winning spirit, it would catch on. When we beat Louisville (68-60 on Dec. 4) it brought everything together."

What kind of ball does Tulsa play?

"We're not married to any system," replied Richardson. "We've played slow and got beat, we've played fast and got beat. We'll try to speed it up, press, double-team, do whatever we can to take the other team out of its game."

Coach Gale Catlett says this West Virginia team has come further than he expected.

"We have a young basketball team, with nine freshmen or sophomores," said Catlett. "At times we've been outstanding, at other times we've been horrible. These kids aren't the most talented, but they don't know that. They are unselfish and they believe in themselves. They will never give up."

West Virginia's top scorer is 6-1 guard Greg Jones, who averaged 15.7 points per game. The Mountaineers have outrebounded their opponents in 25 of their 31 games, helping fuel their running game.

"We try to fastbreak as much as we can, but sometimes we have a tendency to throw the ball up in the stands," said Catlett. "If we play with the same kind of consistency we've had the last two weeks, we could go all the way."

Pete Carlesimo, the NIT's executive director, noted that tonight's crowd will set an attendance record for the tournament.

NCAA Cage At A Glance

NCAA Tournament Glance
By The Associated Press
REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS
Saturday's Games
EAST
At Atlanta
Virginia 74, Brigham Young 60
WEST
At Salt Lake City
North Carolina 82, Kansas St. 68

Sunday's Games
MIDEAST
At Bloomington, Ind.
Indiana 78, St. Joseph's Pa. 46
MIDWEST
At New Orleans
Louisiana St. 96, Wichita St. 85
NATIONAL SEMIFINALS
March 28
At Philadelphia
Virginia (28-3) vs. North Carolina (28-7)
Indiana (24-9) vs. Louisiana St. (31-3)

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP
March 30
At Philadelphia
Consolation game; championship game

Weaver Suspended For 3 Games

MIAMI - Baltimore Orioles Manager Earl Weaver was suspended for three spring training exhibition baseball games.

The suspension - the fourth of Weaver's career - was imposed by American League President Lee MacPhail as a result of the Orioles' forfeit last Thursday to the Kansas City Royals when Weaver took his team off the field following a dispute with the umpires over the lineup card.

NIT At A Glance

FIRST ROUND
Tuesday, March 10
Dayton 66, Fordham 65, 2OT
Wednesday, March 11
Georgia 74, Old Dominion 60
Toledo 91, American U. 83
Minnesota 90, Drake 77
S.Alabama 74, Texas-Arlington 71
Texas-El Paso 57, San Jose St. 53
Thursday, March 12
Purdue 84, Rhode Island 58
Connecticut 65, South Florida 55
Michigan 74, Duquesne 58
Duke 79, N.Carolina A&T 69
Temple 90, Clemson 82
Alabama 73, St.John's 69, OT
Holy Cross 56, Southern Mississippi 54
Friday, March 13
Syracuse 88, Marquette 81
West Virginia 67, Pennsylvania 64
Tulsa 81, Pan American 71
SECOND ROUND
Sunday, March 15
Michigan 80, Toledo 68
Monday, March 16
Purdue 50, Dayton 46
Minnesota 84, Connecticut 66
South Alabama 73, Georgia 72
Duke 75, Alabama 70
West Virginia 77, Temple 76, OT
Syracuse 77, Holy Cross 57
Tulsa 72, Texas-El Paso 67
THIRD ROUND
Thursday, March 19
Syracuse 91, Michigan 76
West Virginia 80, Minnesota 69
Friday's Games
Purdue 81, Duke 69
Tulsa 69, South Alabama 68
Monday's Games
At New York
Semifinals
West Virginia (23-8) vs. Tulsa (24-7)
Syracuse (21-11) vs. Purdue (20-10)
Wednesday's Games
Third Place
Semifinal losers
Championship
Semifinal winners

The Special Olympics Telethon will be held March 28th, 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Abilene's KTAB TV Channel 32. The goal for this year's telethon is $8,000.00. Snyder has 38 Special Olympians that will benefit from this year's telethon. They participate in track and field, bowling, swimming and basketball.

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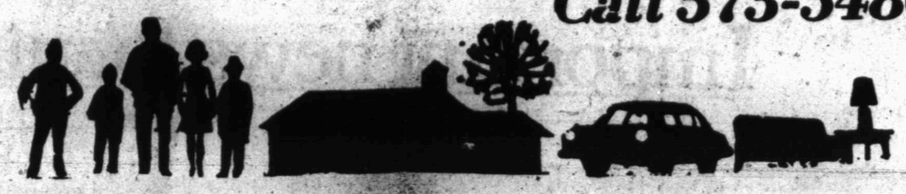

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$1,500; 18 percent on department store credit below $500 and 12 percent above $500; and 12 percent on dealer-financed appliance purchases below $500, with 10 percent on balances between $500 and $1,000.

Messer is bothered by the implication that if his bill passes, rates would reach 30 percent.

He contends interest rates actually charged will be determined by fluctuations in national money markets, not by the state's usury ceiling.

Interest rates on dealer-financed automobile purchases can go to 13.7 percent on a three-year note under Texas' present ceiling, and the highest rate in the nation is only slightly higher, 15 percent, Messer said.

"That would mean a difference of $8 to $15 a month. ... To me that is preferable to having it hidden in the price of a car," he said.

Messer believes Texas' ceilings are forcing merchants and auto dealers, who must borrow at higher rates to finance inventory, to recover their money costs by increasing the prices of their goods.

Ms. Lightsey said one objective of the TCA in Monday's debate will be to eliminate a provision allowing bank credit card companies to jack their rates higher than those previously agreed to by their cardholders.

Credit card companies could choose an index, such as the consumer price index or T-bill rate, on which to base adjustments in their interest rates.

Crimes Cause Outrage

HONOLULU (AP) — The acquittals of four teenagers who confessed to gang raping a Finnish tourist has heightened residents' growing outrage about violent crimes and further tarnished Honolulu's image as a vacation paradise.

The acquittals came just one week after Randall Saito — an admitted necrophiliac, a person with sexual attraction to corpses — was found innocent by reason of insanity in the stabbing death of 29-year-old Sandra Yamashiro. The July 1979 attack occurred in the parking lot of Ala Moana Center, one of Honolulu's most popular shopping areas for residents and tourists.

Newspapers have been swamped with letters from angry citizens, protesters have demonstrated in the streets and tourism officials have set up programs aimed at combating crime.

Firemen Douse Boxcar Blaze

Firefighters extinguished a blaze in an empty box car Saturday on the RS&P tracks at 21st and Ave. P. The call was received at 4:15 p.m.

Police Probe Two Mishaps

Police investigated two minor mishaps over the weekend and an apparent case of criminal mischief.

At 10:52 p.m., a 1973 Chevrolet pickup, driven by Edward Garcia of 1411 Kola St., was involved in a collision with a 1978 Ford driven by Danny Ray Dennis of 501 28th St. No wrecker or ambulance was needed. The mishap occurred at 4100 College Ave.

Police are also investigating an incident where the victim left the scene of the accident. At 6:24 p.m. Saturday, a motorist told police he ran a red light at 37th and Ave. V and hit a 1980 Oldsmobile, driven by a female who left the scene.

Leon Vargas of 503 35th told police that the back windshield of his vehicle had been damaged. The value was set at $30 to $40.

Midday Stocks

By The Associated Press

	High	Low	Last
Alcoa s	36¼	35⅞	36¼
Am Airlin	14¾	14½	14¾
Am Motors	4¾	4⅝	4¾
Amer T&T	52⅞	52¼	52⅜
Armcoinc	40½	40¼	40⅜
AtlRichfl s	52¼	51⅞	52
Beth Steel	30¼	30⅛	30⅛
Boeing	34⅞	34⅝	34¾
Borden	28⅜	27¾	28⅛
Brit Pet	34½	34¼	34¼
Buringt Ind	20⅞	20⅝	20⅞
CaterpTr	67	66⅝	66⅞
Celanese	67¾	67½	67⅝
Chrysler	7⅜	7⅛	7⅛
CitiesSvc s	43¼	42¾	42¾
CocaCola	37½	37¼	37½
Conocoinc	53¼	53	53⅛
DowChem	37¼	37	37
duPont	49¼	49⅛	49⅛
EastnAirL	9½	9¼	9¼
East Kodak	82⅜	81⅜	81½
ElPaso Co	24⅜	24	24
Esmark	61⅝	61½	61⅝
Exxon	69½	69⅛	69⅛
Firestone	13⅜	13	13¼
FordMot	25	24¾	24¾
Gannett s	41⅜	40¾	41⅜
GnDynam s	34½	34¼	34⅜
Gen Elec	67	66¾	66⅞
Gen Food	33¼	33	33⅛
Gen Motors	54	53½	53½
GenTel&El	26⅞	26¾	26⅞
Gen Tire	26	25½	25¾
Goodrich	27⅛	26⅞	27
Goodyear	20⅛	19¾	20
GtAtlPac	5½	5⅜	5⅜
Gulf Oil	35⅞	35½	35½
Gulf StaUt	11½	11⅜	11⅜
HarteHnk	29¾	29½	29½
Honeywell	104½	103½	103½
HoustInd	27¼	27	27
HughesTool	74⅝	74¼	74½
IBM	63¼	62¾	62¾
Int Paper	50⅛	49⅞	49⅞
Johns Manv	23⅛	22⅝	23
Johnsn John	104⅛	103⅝	103⅞
K mart	18¾	18⅝	18⅝
Kennecott	54⅛	53¾	53⅞
Litton Ind	70⅜	69½	69¾
MaratOil	53	52¼	52¾
Martin M	68¼	67¾	68⅛
Mobil	65⅛	64¾	65
Monsanto	77	76⅝	76⅝
Penney JC	28½	28¼	28¼
Phelps Dod	43¼	42¾	42¾
PhillpsPet	48⅛	47¾	47¾
Polaroid	29⅞	29⅜	29⅝
Proct Gamb	70¾	70¼	70½
PubS NwMx	21½	21⅜	21⅜
RCA	27⅞	27¼	27⅜
RepTexCp	41	40¾	40¾
Safeway Str	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛
SantaFe Ind	92¾	92⅛	92¼
SearsRoeb	17¾	17¾	17¾
ShellOil s	43	42⅝	42⅝
Singer Co	16¾	16½	16⅝
Sony Corp	18¼	18⅛	18⅛
Sou Pac	41¼	41⅛	41⅛
SouUnCo s	28¼	28	28¼
StdOilCal s	40⅜	40	40¼
StdOilInd s	69¾	69	69¾
StdOilOh s	50⅜	50	50
SunComp s	40½	40¼	40½
Texaco Inc	36⅛	35⅞	36
TexComBn s	37½	37¼	37½
Texas Inst	117⅝	115½	117⅝
Tex Util	17⅛	17½	17½
Texasgulf	55⅝	55¼	55¼
Timeinc	67	67	67
TW Corp	21¾	21⅝	21⅝
TylerCp	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞
UAL Inc	24⅞	24⅝	24¾
UNC Res	13⅜	13⅛	13⅛
Un Carbide	59¾	59	59⅝
UnPacCp s	68¼	67½	68
Uniroyal	7⅞	7¾	7⅞
US Steel	33	32⅞	32⅞
Westgh El	31½	31¼	31⅜
Xerox Cp	59¼	58½	58½

Cotton

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures No. 2 were higher at midday dealings today.

The average price for strict low middling 1 & 1-16 inch spot cotton advanced 137 points to 82.26 cents a pound Friday for the nine markets, according to the New York Cotton Exchange.

Midday prices were $1.50 to $2.50 a bale higher than the previous close. May 88.35, Jul 89.35, Oct. 86.05, Dec 83.00, Mar 83.75, May b83.60 and Jul b84.50.

Grain

CHICAGO (AP) — Wheat No. 2 hard red winter 3.59½n Monday; No. 2 soft red winter 4.09½n. Corn No. 2 yellow 3.46½n (hopper) 3.36½n (box). Oats No. 2 heavy 2.39¼n. Soybeans No. 1 yellow 7.38¾n.

No. 2 yellow corn Friday was quoted at 3.47¼n (hopper) 3.37¼n (box).

Son Held After Mom Tossed From Window

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — A man accused of throwing his mother to her death from an eighth-floor hospital window as he shouted "Hallelujah" told police he did it because the woman "was keeping Jesus from returning to the world," officers said.

Police said they probably would seek a psychiatric examination for the man, whose name has not been released. Formal charges would be prepared today, said police.

The man was arrested after Fausta Lopez of Mathis was tossed out the window while his wife watched from below. He was found sitting on the floor of the hospital room, clad only in his underwear and chanting "religious stuff," police Capt. Carlos Cavazos said Sunday.

He had recently been depressed and had undergone several "religious experiences," his wife told police. She said she was waiting for her husband to return from the hospital room to their car when she heard glass breaking and looked up to see Mrs. Lopez falling. She heard a man at the hospital window shout, "Hallelujah," she told officers.

Mrs. Lopez, a paraplegic and recent stroke victim, had been hospitalized at the Memorial Medical Center for treatment of high blood pressure, hospital officials said. Her disability prevented her from uttering a cry for help during the incident, investigators said.

Her son, whose last name is not Lopez, was held without bond in the Corpus Christi city jail, said police.

Rabbits Provide Wool Too

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Custody Hearing Preview Of Coming Murder Trial

LIBERTY, Texas (AP) — Vickie Daniel's sensational testimony that drugs, drink, sexual excesses and physical abuse characterized her life with Price Daniel Jr. are a preview of her murder-trial defense, her lead attorney said.

More witnesses were ordered to testify today in the child-custody case, filed by Jean Daniel Murph, sister of former Texas House Speaker Price Daniel Jr., whom Mrs. Daniel is accused of murdering. Mrs. Murph wants custody of Daniel's two youngest sons, claiming Mrs. Daniel is an unfit mother.

Mrs. Daniel spent 10 hours on the witness stand last week in the custody suit but, because of a pretrial agreement, much of her testimony concerned events that she said led up to the shooting death of her husband and, according to attorney Richard "Racehorse" Haynes, outlined a portion of her defense on the murder charge.

"A significant part (of the defense) will focus on the right of a woman to be treated like a human being," including the right to defend herself against abuse to the point of killing, said Richard "Racehorse" Haynes, Mrs. Daniel's lawyer.

On the stand, Mrs. Daniel claimed Daniel abused her mentally and physically throughout their rocky, four-year marriage.

Mrs. Murph maintains that Vickie Daniel is an unfit mother because of emotional instability.

However, several witnesses — including Mrs. Daniel's first husband, Larry Moore, and his current wife — testified that Mrs. Daniel was a good mother.

Among her more sensational claims from the witness stand, Mrs. Daniel claimed her husband came toward her angrily after she admitted throwing out a large stash of marijuana, claimed Daniel spent much of their marriage "drunk in bed," said the former speaker once exposed his buttocks to a group of boys playing basketball near the Daniel house and once sexually fondled his 3-year-old son.

Police charged Mrs. Daniel with murder after her husband was shot to death at their home the afternoon of Jan. 19. She has admitted the shooting but claims it was self-defense, and testified that Daniel beat her earlier in the day.

Court officials predicted the murder trial would begin later this spring.

Bulletin Notes

Weird Exports

A buyer in England wanted some watermelon seeds.

A construction company in the United Arab Emirates was looking for non-alcoholic beer.

A Japanese firm needed cow gallstones.

All three ended up at the same place — the Foreign Agricultural Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The watermelon seeds, non-alcholic beer and cow gallstones all were listed last year in "Export Briefs," a weekly bulletin designed to put potential foreign buyers in touch with U.S. suppliers.

The bulletin lists all inquires for U.S. farm products received by USDA agricultural attaches and counselors overseas. Most of the requests are routine, involving things like wheat, corn and cattle. Some, however, like the ones mentioned above, are more unusual.

Lloyd Williams, who has been in charge of "Export Briefs" since it was started 11 years ago, said 3,700 requests for products came in from 107 countries last year. More than 7,500 U.S. exporters subscribe to "Export Briefs," which is available at no charge. Williams said most of the subscribers are small or medium-sized companies. The business giants, he said, "have their own sources."

Williams doesn't know how many of the orders actually were filled, but he said the USDA's personnel follow up and check out about 25 percent of the trade leads published in "Export Briefs."

He does, however, know that $1,800 worth of watermelon seeds were sent to a buyer who wanted to try to raise the fruit in England. He also said the cow gallstones — which used to be thrown out by slaughterhouses — now are being saved and sold in Japan, where they are used in traditional Oriental herbal medicine.

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Churches Plug In To Technology

MESA, Ariz. (AP) — Television will continue to snatch more time from Americans as families gather around the tube to sing, pray and watch "miracles" on the electronic church, a local churchman predicts.

But when it's time to be married or buried, people will be jolted into realizing that the cold, flickering television screen won't celebrate or comfort on these occasions, says the Rev. James Harley of First Christian Church in Mesa.

The electronic church doesn't mean just TV, however. It also includes using computers. And there are other changes to be expected.

Congregations will see more women in the pulpit, Hartley predicted.

"Of the seminarians in our denomination, 30-40 percent are women," Hartley said. "We haven't seen much of them because they just don't have the experience yet. They're just coming out and soon they will command their own churches. Other denominations will come along."

The Rev. David Falconer of Trinity Baptist Church agreed that increasing numbers of women would join the clergy.

"It's going to happen in many larger denominations," he said. "The only limitations we have in our (Baptist) ministry is a woman cannot be a senior pastor. That is more than this particular brand of Baptist will go for," Falconer said.

Both pastors said people's dependency on God and church would be affected largely by the state of the economy and the general well-being.

"Crisis times bring people back to church," Hartley said. "If we really hit a depression, we'll see more people joining churches."

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