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Legislators Stunned By Armed Raid

By JERRY RANKIN

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — A stunned California Legislature surveyed its security precautions today while Negroes who burst into the Capitol bearing a variety of loaded guns at noontime Tuesday were summoned to court.

Twenty-six youths aged 17 to 25 were arrested by city police with drawn revolvers and hauled to the police station in a paddy wagon shortly after they left the Capitol agog Tuesday.

They were accused of possessing two illegal sawed-off shotguns, brandishing weapons in a threatening manner, disrupting the Legislature in session and carrying a fully loaded weapon in a car.

At the Capitol today, support mounted among amazed and disgruntled lawmakers for tightening security and imposing more severe penalties on those who disrupt an Assembly or Senate session.

It was a noon-hour session of the assembly that a dozen of the armed youths — members of the "Black Panther Party" — succeeded in penetrating briefly before they were ushered out and several of the loaded rifles, pistols and shotguns taken away by two state policemen in a mild struggle.

No guns were fired at any time, and the armed men took care while in the Capitol not to overtly threaten anyone with the guns. They remained silent except for a spokesman, Bobby Seale, 25, of Oakland. He said they appeared to defend their constitutional right to bear arms, criticized "racist Oakland police" and opposed a bill outlawing the carrying of loaded weapons in public.

No one could remember anything like it happening before.

Reaction ranged from simple amazement to anger. A Democratic Negro assemblyman from the Watts district of Los Angeles, Bill Greene — considered a militant advocate of Negro rights — commented: "This action was not militant, it was senseless. No person black or white can condone this action."

Jim Rooney, one of three sergeants-at-arms manning the swinging gates that block off the Assembly chamber door 50 feet away, said that suddenly "a wave of them just rushed in and shoved us out of the way."

Big Truck Explodes Near Merkel

MERKEL, Tex. (AP) — A truck loaded with 100 cases of dynamite and fertilizer caught fire and exploded today near this West Central Texas town.

Although no one was killed, the shock wave from the blast broke windows a mile away in Merkel and could be felt in Abilene, 13 miles to the east. Two firemen were injured.

The truck driver, Arthur Harold Caudle, 38, said he had a flat a mile east of Merkel while driving on Interstate 20. He said he walked to a truck stop a quarter of a mile away for help, and saw the truck burning as he prepared to return.

A fire truck and a fire unit rushed to the scene, and the truck blew up while firemen were trying to extinguish the blaze.

Injured were Fire Chief Waymon R. Adcock, 47, and Fireman Chester McWilliams, in his 50s. The extent of injuries was not immediately known.

Caudle, a driver for the Strawn Merchandising Co., was flagging traffic when the blast occurred.

Asst. Fire Chief Billy King said the injured men were "cut up pretty bad."

The busy highway was closed for about two hours. Dist. Highway Engineer J. C. Roberts said an estimated $10,000 damage was done to the road.

The truck was demolished by the explosion, which in turn set two nearby oil tanks afire. Other fires were started as far away as a quarter of a mile, reports said.

A highway patrol spokesman said a hole 50 feet in diameter and 25 feet deep was blown in the west lane of the highway.

Bloodhounds Track

HOUSTON (AP)—Three prisoners who escaped from a new $6 million jail complex in northeast Harris County early today were recaptured about four hours later.

The three were tracked down by bloodhounds and apprehended in woods about a mile from the complex.



"DAMN THE DEMONSTRATORS" — The 7th Fleet ammunnition supply ship Virgo displays a new paraphrase of the old Navy line "Damn the torpedoes — full speed ahead." The Virgo's banner says "Damn the demonstrators" and "Pass the ammunition," a retort to the anti-war demonstrators in the United States. The ship was photographed cruising 60 miles north of the border between North and South Vietnam. (AP Wirephoto)

Scene Tense In Louisville

LOUISVILLE, Ky (AP) — Dr. Martin Luther King turns his personal support to an open housing movement here today as tension and uncertainty mark Kentucky Derby week.

Threats of open housing demonstrations already have caused cancellation of the annual Pegasus Parade on Thursday and a country music show for tonight.

Local leaders, including the Rev. A. D. Williams King, Dr. King's brother, refused to seek out what King's role would be.

Five Negro youths ran onto the track at Churchill Downs Tuesday and were arrested, along with three adults.

Gov. Edward T. Breathitt announced shortly afterward he would give "the traditional order that the National Guard and state police will be on duty at Churchill Downs on Derby Day as has been the custom in previous years."

Breathitt's announcement followed a strong statement by Louisville Mayor Kenneth A. Schmied which asked the governor "to call out the National Guard and the state police in sufficient number to insure that the Kentucky Derby will be run without incident."

After the incident at the track Tuesday, jockey Kenny Knapp said, "I defintely was not going t pull up. I'm not going to jeopardize myself. It made me ride just that much harder.

"Those people just don't realize how hard a horse hits you. If a horse runs over you, you don't walk off the track. They carry you off. If anyone else gets in front of me, I'll run 'em down," Knapp said.

Leaders have hinted that demonstrationns were in the offing since the Louisville Board of Aldermen rejected a proposed open housing ordinance nearly a month ago.

Massive protest marches followed and were met by hundreds of rock and egg-throwing white hecklers. Police on several successive nights had to use tear gas to disperse the crowds, while hauling scores of marchers away to jail.

Things have been relatively quiet the past 10 days.

AFTER DIRKSEN PROD

GOPs Support Vietnam Policy

By JACK BELL

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate Republican Leader Everett M. Dirksen is keeping his sometimes balky Republican troops lined up behind President Johnson in fighting the war in Vietnam.

The resilient Dirksen climbed out of a hospital bed Tuesday, not yet fully recovered from a bout with pneumonia, to put down an incipient revolt among party members who don't like the way the war is going and are searching for a Republican alternative.

When Dirksen got through lecturing them at a closed Policy Committee meeting about the political liability of questioning the commander in chief's basic direction of a bloody conflict, they went docilely along with a statement giving "wholehearted support" to Johnson and standing "foursquare" behind him.

This put the Senate Republicans in line with the latest stance assumed by one of the leading candidates for their party's 1968 presidential nomination, Michigan Gov. George Romney.

Romney said in Atlanta, Ga., Monday that "I don't think we should pursue a way that will weaken the President as long as he is president. And I don't think we should pursue a course that will help the enemy."

The wily Dirksen left an avenue open for the GOP dissenters in "preserving wholly the right of full and fair inquiry and criticism" on their part. They, in turn, left no doubt of their intention to march up that route.

Sens. Jacob K. Javits, R-N.Y., and Charles H. Percy, R-Ill., leading war critics, enlisted Sen. Hugh Scott, R-Pa., a supporter of Johnson's course, in urging greater administration efforts to get negotiations and avoidance of any step that might bring Red China into the war.

Holiday Scheduled

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Post Office Department announced today it will observe regular holiday schedules on Memorial Day, May 30. There will be no regular post office or mail delivery services, except for special delivery.

Marines Win Hills In Bloody Fighting

By GEORGE ESPER

SAIGON (AP) — U.S. Marines, who have won control of two disputed hills in northwestern South Vietnam at heavy cost in a nine-day campaign, fought a bloody battle with North Vietnamese soldiers today for a third hill.

More than 200 Red regulars struck before dawn at a Leatherneck company that had driven along a ridgeline to within 1,000 yards of Hill 881 North. They were repulsed only after penetrating the American perimeter, killing 22 Marines and wounding 69.

Marine reinforcements, air strikes and artillery helped to hurl back the North Vietnamese after a five-hour fight. The Marines said they counted 78 dead on the field.

U.S. losses in the drive launched April 25 mounted to 118 killed and 345 wounded. Marine reports show at least 502 Communists killed and Lt. Gen. Lewis Walt, the Marine commander, estimated the actual total is at least 1,000.

"And we will take that hill too," Walt said on a visit to the battlefield.

He said the Marines, clearing high ground overlooking enemy infiltration routes from Laos, have done "a tremendous job."

Elsewhere, U.S. infantrymen and South Vietnamese paratroopers reported killing more than 300 Communist soldiers in two battles more than 400 miles apart. Another American unit uncovered one of the largest enemy caches of the war north of Saigon.

A spokesman said the Marine company was in night defensive positions six miles northwest of the forward command post at Khe Sanh when Communist gunners launched a heavy mortar attack at 4:30 a.m. The barrage was followed with an assault by the two Communist companies, perhaps more than 300 men.

Units from other Marine companies moved in as C47 Dragons, artillery, armed helicopters and fighter-bombers pounded the Communist positions.

The attack was repulsed and by 10 a.m. the fighting appeared to have died down, the spokesman said.

Other Marines reported they occupied Hill 881 South in an assault Tuesday to clear the enemy from that point overlooking infiltration routes from Laos.

In bitter fighting since April 25 in the rugged area, counting the latest casualties, the Marines have lost a total of 116 men killed and 321 wounded. Marines have reported killing 464 Communists.

RESOLVE FEUD — Eldon Woodward and Sammie Raines resolved the feud between the Hatfields and McCoys by getting married. It was the featured scene in an annual skit produced by graduating seniors at Snyder High School this morning.



SWEET MUSIC — These "hillbillies" gave their rendition of "Woolverton Mountain" during the annual Senior Skit at Snyder High School this morning. They said the music soothed their "savage breasts" and the jugs soothed their ears.

WEATHER

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Tuesday, 74 degrees; low, 38 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 53 degrees.

North Central Texas: Increasing cloudiness and warmer this afternoon and tonight. Possible thundershowers south this afternoon. Scattered showers central and south tonight. Thursday cloudy occasional rain and scattered thundershowers. Low tonight 54 to 64, high Thursday 71 to 81.

Northeast Texas: Increasing cloudiness and warm this afternoon and tonight. Widely scattered showers and thundershowers south this afternoon and scattered showers and thundershowers central and south tonight. Thursday cloudy occasional rain and scattered thundershowe rs. Low tonight 52 to 62, high Thursday in 70s.

Northwest Texas: Partly cloudy and a little warmer this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. Low tonight 46 north to 64 south, high Thursday 70 north to 77 south.

South Central Texas: Mostly cloudy this afternoon and tonight except partly cloudy extreme south portion. Partly cloudy Thursday. Occasional showers or tending to rain. A little warmer. Lows tonight 65 to 75, highest Thursday 84 to 94.

Southeast Texas: Mostly cloudy this afternoon and tonight with occasional showers or thundershowers. Partly cloudy andn warmer Thursday. Lowest tonight in 60s, highest Thursday 83 to 91.

Southwest Texas East of the Pecos: Mostly cloudy this afternoon and tonight with occasional showers. Partly cloudy and warmer Thursday. Lowest tonight 52 to 66, highest Thursday 82 to 92.

Carnegie Course Begins Thursday

Joe Sliva, area representative for the Dale Carnegie Training Programs, announced today that 40 men and women will begin the world-famous Dale Carnegie Course at 6:59 p.m. Thursday night. The resident instructor will be Warren Quinlan who is Director of the Dale Carnegie Training Programs in 27 West Texas counties. Classes will be held in the Community Room of the Snyder Savings & Loan Association.

Sliva said that the maximum number of people in a Dale Carnegie class is 44, and the remainmg 4 enrollments will be accepted during the next few days.

"The people of Snyder and surrounding area have shown a tremendous desire for personal development by their enthusiastic response to the Dale Carnegie Course," said Sliva as he approached the end of his scheduled 4-week enrollment period.

The Dale Carnegie Course is being sponsored by the Snyder Daily News as another community service to encourage more leadership in various church, civic and social activities.

LBJ Holds Surprise News Confab

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson ruled out today compulsory arbitration to avert a nationwide rail strike but said he will ask Congress later this week — perhaps Thursday — to provide machinery for further mediation.

In a far-ranging surprise news conference in his office, Johnson also said he has "no recommendations at this time" for increasing the number of American troops in Vietnam and expects no decision along that line in the next few days or weeks.

The chief executive, in response to questions, took a philosophical attitude generally toward those who dissent from his Vietnam policies. But, when asked for reaction to recent statements on the war by Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. he replied: "We regret when any person asks the young people of the country to refuse to serve the needs of the country."

Johnson, on other points, said he's still pushing for a six per cent surcharge on corporate and individual income taxes.

President Park Leads In Votes

By K. C. KWANG

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — President Chung Hee Park took an early lead tonight in his bid for a second term. On the basis of first returns he was out in front of former President Yun Po-sun by a margin of nearly 2 to 1.

The early returns, mainly from Seoul and its suburbs, gave Park 118,409 votes and Yun 64,650.

About 11 million of South Korea's 13.9 million registered voters turned out for the balloting in sunny weather. There were no reports of disturbances. Even the demilitarized zone between North Korea and South Korea was quiet. U.S. and South Korean forces had sharpened their vigilance there against Communist disturbances.

Park's Democratic Republican party predicted Park would win by 1.5 million votes.

Both candidates were early voters.

Park made no political remarks at the poll but Yun, 69, leader of the Shinmin (New Democratic) party, said he hoped the election would be fair.

The day was declared a holiday by the government.

Absentee ballots from 45,000 troops and civilians stationed in South Vietnam arrived before the polls opened.

The Home Ministry said that four hours after the polling began under fair skies, 38.7 per cent of the voters had recorded their choice. The outcome was expected to be known by noon Thursday — 11 p.m. EDT Wednesday.

Political forecasters predicted Park would be returned for another four-year term by 500,000 votes.

Seoul was calm during early voting. National police guarded each polling place.

Mansfield Favors Phased Cut In Europe-Based Men

By WALTER R. MEARS

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield urged today a "phase by phase reduction" of U.S. troops in Europe, and said a planned 35,000-man cutback is a good start in that direction.

The chief Senate advocate of a substantial reduction in U.S. troop commitments in Europe also indicated he will seek to keep the pressure on for continuing withdrawals.

But Mansfield said in an interview he is not seeking abrupt, swift reductions.

"I realize that these things can't be done overnight," he said.

Secretary of State Dean Rusk discusses the troop issue today at a closed session of a special Senate panel headed by Mansfield.

It is considering a series of resolutions on the topic—chief among them, a measure sponsored by Mansfield and 43 other senators—that would have the Senate declare itself in favor of substantial U.S. troop reductions in Europe.

"We don't intend to end the hearings in a hurry," Mansfield said. "We're not going to rush out with any findings."

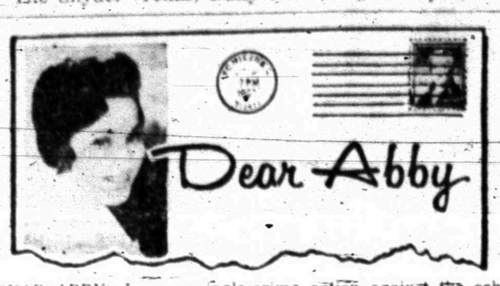
The hearings will continue to focus attention on the topic and on the Mansfield resolution, which the Johnson administration opposes.

The United States announced Tuesday a plan to withdraw up to 35,000 Army and Air Force personnel, plus their dependents, from West Germany.

Great Britain and West Germany endorsed the move as part of an effort to cut the cost of European defense.

Administration officials estimated the manpower transfer would mean savings of about $100 million a year in foreign exchange expenditures.

The withdrawal of U.S. troops and of four squadrons of U.S. warplanes will not begin before next Jan. 1. Under the three-nation agreement, Britain would withdraw 5,000 men and a squadron of aircraft.



DEAR ABBY: I am a single girl of 29, living at home with my widowed mother. I have a good job and am very happy. I date, but have no one steady. Even tho I am content with my life, my mother is not. She thinks something must be "wrong" with me because I'm not married by now and it doesn't seem to bother me. She's even suggested I get psychiatric help.

I appreciate her motherly concern, but I am getting sick of hearing her tell me to hurry up and grab the next thing that comes along because it might be the last. She insists that every "normal" woman should have a husband. I can't take much more of her badgering. Please help me.

HAPPY

DEAR HAPPY: Tell your mother to quit worrying about you and to go on a manhunt of her own. (Widows are "normal," and she has less time left than you.) Point out that you can't in good conscience go to work on getting a man unless she has one. And if she stills thinks you should see a psychiatrist, tell her you'll go if she will.

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DEAR ABBY: I am being married soon and have had several lovely bridal showers. I received many duplicate gifts, such as toasters, mixers, steam irons, coffee-makers and deep-fryers. Mac (my fiance) and I had planned on exchanging all the duplicate gifts for things we need but didn't get as gifts, so when my mother asked me if she could have every item I got more than one of, I told her I'd have to talk it over with Mac. My mother got real mad and said, "I didn't see Mac's name on any of the shower-gift cards!" Now she won't even talk to me. Imagine trying to plan a wedding with a mother who won't speak to you! Am I wrong? Or is my mother wrong? She called me a selfish, ungrateful child.

DOWNHEARTED BRIDE

DEAR DOWNHEARTED: Altho Mac's name may not have been on the cards, the shower gifts were intended for your future household — yours and Mac's, so I think your mother is wrong.

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DEAR ABBY: You have led a most sheltered life if you didn't know that some boarding schools claim the right to censor their students' mail. (Notice I said "claim," not "have.") The postoffice department specially states that some institutions such as mental hospitals, prisons, and the military, at certain times, may open first class mail, but otherwise it is strictly confidential. And for anyone other than the addressee to open it is a federal offense — a felony. If "Inquiring" wants to put a stop to any mail opening, she should consult with her local postmaster. If her school has, in fact, been opening her mail, a simple warning from the postmaster should put an end to it. If it doesn't, the threat of a federal crime action against the school should scare the holy nosiness out of them.

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Pope Plans Pilgrimage For Peace

By GERALD MILLER

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Pleading for an end to the Vietnam war, Pope Paul VI declared today he will fly to Portugal May 13 "to pray once more with more humility and fervor in favor of peace."

He told thousands of visitors to his weekly general audience that he would make a one-day trip to Fatima, a religious shrine in rough mountain country 141 miles north of Lisbon, to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Fatima Vision.

But the Pope said the trip, his fourth abroad, would have its proper significance in the prayers he would offer there for peace.

In words that rang with anguish, the Pope lamented the lack of peace in the world and voiced hope that proposals to negotiate an end to the Vietnam conflict would be accepted.

"Must we be content with the efforts, until now sterile, to put an end to the Vietnam conflict, that keeps everyone in anxiety and pain?" he asked.

"Or is there more to do? Undoubtedly there is more to do. In this regard we want to keep hoping that the newest offers to negotiate for an honorable settlement of the conflict, one that assures the freedom of both contending sides, favored as they can be by impartial mediation and regulated by authoritative guarantees for the good of all the Vietnamese people from both sides, and for the orderly and peaceful balance of all Southeast Asia."

Rift Idles Workers

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Some 4,000 longshoremen were idle here today in a dispute between the locals of the International Longshoremen's Association and the New Orleans Steamship Association.

With the exception of the Port of Embarkation, where 17 gangs were at work, the loading and discharging of dry cargo ships along New Orleans 30-mile waterfront was at a virtual standstill.

Paul Guillory, business manager of Local 1419, refused to admit it was a strike, or a wildcat strike.

Clarence Henry, president of Local 1419, and Alfred Chittenden, president of 1418, called the walkout early today.

They said the action was taken after the steamship association Tuesday revoked the registration card of a longshoreman, Louis Montgomery. Without the card, a longshoreman cannot work on the waterfront.

Barred From Selling Oil, Gas Leases

DALLAS (AP) — A federal judge Tuesday barred Herman Dale Washington from selling interests in Louisiana oil and gas leases without registering with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

The SEC had brought suit against the Dallas man, who did business as La-Tex Oil Co., claiming he sold leases since January 1963 without its permission.

The SEC said Washington falsely claimed that new wells would produce from 30 to 500 barrels of oil daily and neglected to tell investors that his prices "were about double to the amount necessary to acquire, drill and complete the wells."

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ALIGHT AND DISPERSE — Infantrymen of the U. S. 1st Division leave their helicopter transports and head for the jungle near Ben Suo during Operation Manhattan in Vietnam. Firepower is directed by the troops toward the trees as they advance. (AP Wirephoto)

Outer Space Could Offer Cures For Health Problems

DALLAS (AP) — Outer space could offer cures for some of mankind's health problems, two researchers told a meeting of the American Astronautical Society Tuesday.

Dr. Thomas S. Burkhalter of Texas Instruments predicted that researchers will some day experiment with a storage bank for human body parts, and even entire bodies. In the sterile environment of space, Burkhalter said, terminal patients could be frozen into suspended animation.

He said such patients could "hibernate" until an age when cures for their diseases were found.

The dirtiness of earth, Dr. Eugene Konecci of Austin said, could force man "to develop orbital health maintenance station for human survival."

Konecci, a professor of management and aerospace engineering at the University of Texas, said hospitals in orbit could profit from the germ-free environment of space.

"It is known that when cancer victims are treated with certain drugs they sometimes become so susceptible to bacteria that the slightest contamination in the air can be the cause of serious infection and even death."

Astronauts Charles Conrad Jr. and Richard F. Gordon Jr., and Dr. Robert R. Gilruth, director of the Manned Spacecraft Center at Houston, Tex., were to receive awards tonight at a dinner ending the society's meeting.

In other reports and statements at the meeting Tuesday:

—Hughes Aircraft Co. engineer Kenneth B. Bley predicted some changes will have to be made to reconcile women living in the cramped quarters of outer space. "It is certainly not clear what changes will have to be made," Bley said. But, he said, "It might be worthwhile for the Armed Services to begin giving attention to this state of affairs. For instance, women officers and crewmen — Crew women? — aboard a submarine offer a logical analogy to women in space."

—Robert L. Gervais, project manager of the Douglas Missile and Space Systems Division of Santa Monica, Calif., said the early 1980s could see the development of a 400-man manufacturing plant in orbit around the earth.

—And Barron Hilton, 39-year-old president of Hilton Hotels Corp., told a symposium on The Commercial Utilization of Space, that eventually there will be hotels on the moon and in orbit around earth in his lifetime.

The Weather Elsewhere

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

	High	Low	Pr.
Albany, rain	64	43	.58
Albuquerque, clear	63	34	..
Atlanta, clear	74	47	.07
Bismarck, clear	31	15	.01
Boise, cloudy	60	42	..
Boston, rain	52	42	.33
Buffalo, cloudy	69	42	.55
Chicago, clear	50	35	..
Cincinnati, clear	63	35	.04
Cleveland, clear	61	38	.43
Denver, clear	53	28	..
Des Moines, cloudy	54	35	..
Detroit, clear	60	31	..
Fairbanks, clear	62	34	..
Fort Worth, clear	70	54	..
Helena, cloudy	42	25	.01
Honolulu, cloudy	87	75	..
Indianapolis, clear	58	34	..
Jacksonville, clear	86	68	..
Kansas City, cloudy	59	46	..
Los Angeles, cloudy	72	53	..
Louisville, clear	64	36	.04
Memphis, cloudy	65	46	..
Miami, clear	78	73	..
Milwaukee, cloudy	49	30	..
Mpls.-St. P., clear	39	18	..
New Orleans, cloudy	81	64	..
New York, cloudy	54	48	.44
Okla. City, clear	65	44	..
Omaha, cloudy	54	29	.03
Philadelphia, clear	80	49	.13
Phoenix, clear	80	48	..
Pittsburgh, clear	68	36	.23
Ptlnd, Me., rain	54	39	.37
Ptlnd, Ore., cloudy	54	47	..
Rapid City, snow	36	27	T
Richmond, clear	85	50	.21
St. Louis, clear	56	34	..
Salt Lk. City, cloudy	55	23	..
San Diego, cloudy	70	56	..
San Fran., cloudy	58	50	..
Seattle, cloudy	54	47	..
Tampa, cloudy	81	72	..

Research Job Open— At South Pole

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Are you between 20 and 30 years old, with some knowledge of electronics and of even disposition?

And, above all, willing to spend next winter at the South Pole?

Then you're the man for L.B. Slichter of the Institute of Geophysics and Planetary Physics at University of California at Los Angeles.

The volunteer would join the U.S. antarctic research program and try to learn more about vibrations of the earth, from the vantage point of the South Pole.

Respect For Law Urged By Clark

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The will to commit crime cannot long be suppressed by fear, says Atty. Gen. Ramsey Clark.

"It can be permanently conquered only by creating in the hearts of our people a respect for the rights of others, which is to say — a respect for the law."

Clark said in a Law Day speech, "We must begin with our youth. They are our future, our most precious resource and out most lawless citizens."

BIRTHS

A 6 lb. ½ oz. baby boy was born May 2 at 10:01 a.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weaver, 3781 Sunset.

Fire Is Put Out

City Firemen extinguished a brush fire at Thirty - second Street and Avenue E yesterday. They received the call at 6:12 p.m.

500-Pound Tigress Quietly Recaptured

EDINBURGH, Scotland (AP) — A 500-pound tigress that had gnawed through its cage and escaped aboard a Danish ship bound for Scotland was drugged and quietly captured by Edinburgh Zoo officials.

The tigress was holed up in a cabin on the cargo ship Borreby. Zoo officials shot a harmless hypodermic dart into her and, when she was asleep, put her in a cage.

Drought Starving Florida's Cattle

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Beef cattle, fenced into drought-parched rangelands, are starving to death as Florida's worst drought in a quarter century continued in spite of prayer and science.

Cows that survive the lack of feed are going to market 50 pounds skinnier than usual, according to the Florida agriculture commissioner, Doyle E. Conner. The cattle industry will suffer a $5-million loss that will raise the price of beef.

Most of Florida—virtually the entire peninsula—has been without rain since early March while the sun broiled daily with temperatures pushing 90.

Cattlemen want the state labeled a disaster area.

In a new five-day forecast issued Tuesday the Weather Bureau in Miami said no rain was in sight.

"My own ranch is parching," Conner said. "It's the worst drought I have seen in years." He said the death toll was "sizable."

Arthur L. Higbie Jr., executive vice president of the cattlemen's association, called it a "disaster" for ranchers.

"The calf crop is in deep trouble as a result of the burned grasslands since they can't eat anything else," Higbie said.

Higbie said his association has voted to ask the federal government to pin the "disaster" tag on the Sunshine State to open the way for low interest federal loans and extension of outstanding paper.

The Cape Kennedy area has been dry for 70 days. Tampa broke drought records set in 1898.

In the Orlando area county commissioners voted a fire emergency which will ban open fires to prevent the spread of flame to tinder-dry woodlands. Gov. Claude Kirk recently signed a similar proclamation for Polk County in the citrus belt.

Key West officials were rushing to completion the 2.2-million gallons a day desalinization plant which had been scheduled to open early in March. The island chain, surrounded by salty ocean, has only the 18-inch pipeline from the mainland as a water supply.

Last Sunday a Baptist congregation in Lake Alfred prayed for rain.

The State Forestry Commission said there were 217 wildfires in Florida last week alone. They burned off 6,435 acres.

One county—Volusia near Daytona Beach—had 103 fires in March and April which raged over 5,706 acres.

TODAY'S MARKETS

FORT WORTH (AP) — Cattle 1,725; calves 350; generally steady; good steers 22.70; good heifers 23.50, standard and good 21.10-22.90; cows 18.00-19.00; standard and good calves and yearling heifers 23.-25-25.00; choice and prime feeder steers 23.70-23.90, one lot 28.60, good and choice 24.60-26.50, standard to mostly good 22.40-24.20; good heifers 21.00-22.50, choice steer calves 34.00, good and choice 28.50, good 24.80.

Hogs 100; strong to 25 higher; 200-265 lbs 17.50-18.00, 300 lbs 16.00, 176-201 lbs 16.00-17.00; 310-340 lb sows 15.00; 350-550 lbs 14.00-14.50, 550-600 lbs 13.50-14.00.

Sheep 200; steady; choice and prime spring lambs 24.00-25.00, good and choice 22.00-23.00; choice and prime shorn old-crop lambs 23.50, choice 23.00, good and choice 20.00-21.50; ewes 5.00-6.25; feeders absent.

NEW YORK (AP)—Cotton was quiet during the forenoon.

Mid-day quotes for No. 1 contract were May 21.90 bid, July 22.10 bid and October 22.35 bid. Quotes for No. 2 contract were May 24.25 bid, July 25.00 bid and October 25.85 bid.

Associated Press Stock Averages	Indus	Rails	Util	60 Stocks
Previous day	465.9	182.0	156.3	325.8
Week ago	464.3	180.7	156.9	324.8
Month ago	452.7	178.6	156.7	319.1
Year ago	487.9	188.7	154.1	336.5
1967 high	469.3	185.7	159.1	327.3
1967 low	413.4	159.4	151.5	292.8

PUBLIC RECORDS

WARRANTY DEEDS

Anna P. Landrum to Joe F. Landrum, lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14, block 90, Town of Fluvanna.

The Old Land Mark Missionary Baptist Church of Fluvanna to Anna P. Landrum, lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, block 90, Town of Fluvanna.

Jessie Estrado to Julian Olivarez and wife, Lenora Olivarez, lot 7, block 8, Cloves Subdivision, block 12, Cody Heights Addition.

Raymond Lopez Valdez and wife, Rosa Valdez, to Manuel Garcia and wife, Lilley Garcia, lot 12, block 3, First Section of the Parkway Addition, with reservations.

Administrator of Veterans Affairs to Albert C. Hook and wife, Doris Hook, lot 4, Walter Hales Subdivision of lots 1 and 2, block 19, Lundy Park Addition.

Rushla L. Crenshaw to Hubert Perry, T. M. Perry, C. F. Perry, Richard Crenshaw and Raymond Perry, part of lots 10, 11 and 12, block 49, Wilmeth Addition.

ACTION IN DISTRICT COURT

Loretta Kay Smith VS. Raymond Wayne Smith, divorce granted.

Patsy Wardell VS. Archie M. Wardell, divorce granted.

Janice Kirby VS. Eddie Joe Kirby, divorce granted.

NEW VEHICLES

A. E. Hall, 1967 Buick, from Cliff Barron Motors.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Chaplain: Rev. Bobby McMillan

ADMISSIONS: Karen Weaver, 3781 Sunset; John Pickering, City; James Wallace, Rt. 2: Carolyn Barbee, Rt. 3; Bessie Montgomery, 413 Thirtieth; Mabel Griffith, 911 Thirtieth; Helen Robertson, 1912 Coleman: Marilyn McCormick, 2205 Forty - fifth; William Adams, Snyder Nursing Home.

DISMISSALS: Edgar Lammert, Mrs. Ronny Fisk and baby girl, Marcus Boyd, Alvin orr, Florabell Stephens, Gertie Lemons, Opal Horsley.

Rites Pend For Wortham Infant

Brenda Kay Wortham, one-day old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Wortham, 3712 Avenue U, died at 10:20 a.m. today at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Funeral arrangements were pending at Bolger Funeral Home.

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HINSHAW'S



AT TEENS DANCE — These teenagers now have a place to have an evening of entertainment under close supervision and cooperate nicely with the adults. Various bands are engaged for their dancing pleasure each Saturday evening.



MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED — Lt. Col. and Mrs. A. L. Morton of Beaumont, California, announce the recent marriage of their daughter; Linda Elaine, to John David Lombardo, of Beaumont, Calif. Mrs. Lombardo is the granddaughter of Mrs. A. R. Morton of Snyder.

WOMEN'S CALENDAR

THURSDAY

Gamma Upsilon Chapter of ESA meets at 7:30 p.m. with Patsy Sitton, hostess.

City Council P-TA meets at 1:30 p.m. at school administration building.

Ladies Auxiliary to Snyder Fire Department, 7:30 p.m. at central station.

Snyder Duplicate Club, 1:30 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club. Open.

FRIDAY

DE andn ICT banquet at Phillips 66 dining room, 7:30 p.m.

Lamar Junior High banquet 7 p.m. at High School cafeteria.

Friday Duplicate bridge at Country Club, 9:30 a.m. Open.

SUNDAY

Zeta Lambda Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, 2:30 p.m. at home of Esther Boren, 2701 Thirty - second Street. Tea honoring Senior Future Teachers at 3 o'clock. Hostesses, Bess Johnson, Lida Rhoades and Elwanda Nail.

Duplicate bridge at Country Club, 1:30 p.m. Open.

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Time Change In Effect

Each Saturday night there is a dance at Katherine Ryan hall from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. since daylight savings time has come into effect. When the current time c hange is over they will start back on the 8 to 11 schedule.

When the hall is not available on Saturday nights the teenagers will be notified a week or two in advance that the event will be held on Friday night instead. On July 4th and New Year's Eve there will be a special dance and the closing time will be 12 0'clock.

These dances are chaperoned by eight or 10 adults and are governed by such rules as: 1. Have a good time, but help by drinking no alcholic beverages; Don't sit in cars; Don't smoke while dancing; Behave in general. The adults who attend the dances have reported that it is amazing how well the teenagers behave and conduct themselves. This day and age there is so much told about the conduct of children all over the world, it is rewarding to know these youths appreciate the effort of having a clean and well sponsored place to have fun.

The sheriff department and local police keep constant watch over the safety of the teenagers. They are not there because of trouble, but to see that no trouble is started.

On the entrance doors and other doors of the hall notices of the next band and changes of dances are posted. There is also a lost and found department, and if anyone who has lost something will ask the adults these articles are kept in safety.

There is one draw back to the dances, the telephone. With the music loud, as the teenagers like it, it is almost impossible to hear someone on the phone. Persons are reminded it will be much easier on the chaperones if people will come to the hall instead of calling, and they can also satisfy their minds that these dances are well conducted and there children are in a proper atmosphere of company.

DUNN NEWS

By MRS. JAMES STEWART

Mrs. Damon Cotton is in California visiting her parents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Crawford and sons have moved to California.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Grimes of Tripoli, Lebanon are enroute to Texas to visit his sisters, Mrs. Ollie Richardson and Mrs. Martin Murphy and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Ellis have returned home from a fishing trip to Buchannan Dam. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Fox and family in Fredricksburg. Mrs. Fox and boys came home with them for a weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Goodlett, Kenneth and Elizabeth spent Saturday in Lubbock. Kenneth was a participant in the regional spelling contest held in Lubbock.

Richie and Mitchell Smith of Odessa visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Smith last week.

Vickie Jones of Snyder spent the weekend visiting Brownie Scott.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Richardson last week included Mrs. Jerry Dunn, Grant and Mitchell of Lubbock, and Mrs. Max von Roeder and children of Snyder.

Mrs. J. W. Motley has returned home from Dumas. She visited her daughter, Mrs. S. F. Bonner and family.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Scott included Mr. and Mrs. Welborn Lincecum of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Killiam and children of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Billingsley, Ricky, Randy, Kimmy and Jane Ann of Plains were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Billingsley.

Recent visitors in the James Stewart home included Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart and Todd of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stewart and Tom of Castroville; Jane Stewart of Uvalde; Mr. and Mrs. Ronney Autrey, Teresa and Jimmy, Mrs. Jess Rogers and Mrs. Oran Wilson of Snyder; Oran Wilson of Pecos; and Mrs. L. C. Mize and Pearlene of Colorado City.

Mrs. Miller Hostess To Altrurians

The Altrurian Club was entertained Friday in the C. C. Miller home. The grounds and the house were one great profusion of blooming roses showing our West Texas spring at its best.

Three guests, Mmes. Dan Gibson and C. O. Holder, and Miss Enid Irving joined the members in enjoying an outstanding program, with two equally interesting themes.

Mrs. David Harlin brought a paper on "Oceanography." She began by saying that when Benjamin Franklin tossed bottles into the Gulf stream to find a faster way for ships to take the U. S. mail to Europe, he became one of the world's first physical oceangraphers.

"In our time much study is being made of the ocean floor in search of souces of food and minerals. Afterall, 71 percent of the earth surface is ocean, and while millions of people subsist on minimum diets, millions of crabs and other food stuffs carpet the ocean floor in ever-increasing supply.

"Important explorations for minerals find vast accumulations of manganese modules containing iron, colbalt, nickel and copper, plus smaller quantities of lead and zinc."

Mrs. Miller concluded the program with a delightful review of the book "All The Birds of the Bible," by Alice Parmalee.

As an introduction, Mrs. Miller displayed a collection of bird nests gathered by her family in our vicinity, also a collection of ceramic figurines. In discussing the book, she led the group in the company of patriarchs, kings and prophets of the Old Testament as they saw the world of nature and discovered the significance that birds had for them. The hundred of references run from the "winged fowls" of the Garden of Eden, through the quails that sustained the children of Isreal to the flying eagles of Revelation.

Mrs. Miller concluded the review with the following quotation. "His eye is on the sparrow and I know he watches me."



EVENING ELEGANCE — White cotton pique fashions semble for Maid of Cotton Georgia Pearce. The collarless caftan coat is worn over a slim gown with wide collar ornamented with lace flowers embroidered in rhinestones and paillettes.

School Menu

THURSDAY

Chicken Salad
Potato Salad
Lettuce Wedge with Dressing
Hot Loaf Bread & Butter
Fruit Jello
Milk

FRIDAY

Hamburger on Buttered Bun
Pinto Beans
Lettuce, Tomato & Onion Slices
Chilled Fruit
Milk

Come on in, the water's fine!

(Soft, like rain water)

Stay in your car

ROBO WASH

China Grove News

By MRS. N. F. HALL

The Canasta Club met in the home of Mrs. Pete White Tuesday afternoon. Those attending were Mrs. Houston Cotton, Mrs. Fred Bowers, Mrs. Jackson Ellis, Mrs. Mark Holmes, Mrs. Clarence T. Merritt. Canasta was enjoyed throughout the afternoon and refreshments of strawberry shortcake, ice cream and Cokes were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hall of Stanton visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Brown this week.

Mrs. D. L. Cotton left Thursday by jet for Moorpark, Calif. to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Mejia.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hall were Johnny Don Hall and Jackie of Amarillo, Ronald L. Hall, Wetonia and Lonnie of Snyder, Smitty Smith of Colorado City, and Hollis Mize Jr. presently of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Hollis Mize Sr. visited Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Clark of Maryneal this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Fenton of Snyder recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Cotton and family.

4-H Contest Dates Set

The County 4-H Council met at the Home Demonstration office last Saturday at 10 a.m.

Rebecca White called the meeting to order. The motto, pledge and prayer were said. Sue Sorrells called the roll and read the minutes. A report on the community club meeting was given by Rita Melton, and Sue Sorrells told of the registration committee at Team Demonstration.

District Team Demonstration was discussed. The County Bake Contest was set for May 31 at Central Elementary starting at 9 a.m. The following committees for registration were selected: Junior — Rita Melton and Mary Braziel. Intermediate — Lou Alice Mathis and Rebecca White. Senior — Shirley Stirl and Sue Sorrells.

The County Dress Revue was set for July 12 at Lamar Junior High with Py-lo Club in charge of decorations.

District Leadership Workshop was discussed, and set for July 27. Leadership records will be due June 3 and those who wish to go.

Those attending were: Sue Sorrells, Shirley Stirl, Denise Sandefur, Frances Rios, Mary Braziel, Mary Rios, Rita Melton, June Stansell, Rebecca White, Lou Alice Mathis, Mrs. J. P. Sandefur, Mrs. Walter Stirl, Mrs. Wayland Mathis and Miss Butts.

Dr. Reed Named To College Board

AUSTIN (AP) — The State College Coordinating Board has appointed Dr. Begington A. Reed, chancellor of the Minnesota State College Board, as Texas' assistant commissioner of higher education for senior colleges and universities.

The appointement was announced Tuesday.

Reed has masters and doctors degrees in English and history from Texas Tech. He was a high school teacher 10 years in Texas and New Mexico, then taught six years in college and was dean of Sul Ross State College for five years.

By the time of the New Stone Age, man had domesticated swine. Pigs were kept primarily as scavengers until someone discovered that flesh was good to eat.

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HINT FROM THE TOUGHENING BAILBONDSMAN



GOP Leader Repeatedly Backs Johnson On Vietnam

By JAMES MARLOW
AP News Analyst

WASHINGTON (AP) — The 71-year-old senator with the unkempt hair and a doomsday voice that makes Dr. Martin Luther King sound like a jolly comedian wanted to be an actor and went into politics. He has done very well at both.

He doesn't just make fun. He draws pictures, like the time he went after the antipoverty program of his friend and former social companion, President Johnson.

The senator, Everett M. Dirksen of Illinois, the Senate's Republican leader, said he had heard 700 young men wanted to be trained under the antipoverty program to operate a diaper service.

"That's really getting to the bottom of things," he said. "I'm tempted to say it's time for a change."

He went on Red Skelton's CBS television show to plug his best-selling record album, "Gallant Men," and got into a prearranged argument with Skelton on why a chicken crossed the road.

Dirksen insisted on knowing whether it was a free enterprise chicken or a government-supported chicken.

He has banged and pecked and sometimes ruined a Johnson program — as he did the administration's civil rights bill in 1966 — but he has given Johnson 100 per cent support on the war in Vietnam, or practically 100 per cent.

Twice, he left a sick bed in the Walter Reed Army Hospital to fight for Johnson. He did it last March, when his support was crucial, to back the President just before the final vote on the consular treaty which Johnson wanted.

The Senate approved. He did it again this week when, not fully recovered from pneumonia, he barged into a meeting of the Senate's Republican Policy Committee, which seemed ready to tee off on Johnson's conduct of the war.

When he got through, most of the Republican senators meekly agreed on giving the President "wholehearted support." Dirksen has attacked war protesters and ridiculed the draft-card burners as a bunch of publicity seekers.

He has a simple rule — "Never pound the desk too hard, you may hurt yourself" — which freely translated seems to mean 'Don't take yourself too seriously."

Once he stared at a new bust of himself in his office. The bust stared back. "Superb," Dirksen said. The bust said nothing.

He has blamed the administration for the rising cost of corn flakes. He presented a live turkey to the White House with the prediction the ax would fall on Johnson's spending.

Last year he led a successful combination of Republicans and Southern Democrats in killing a proposal both Johnson and organized labor wanted. It would have stopped states from barring the union shop.

He tried but failed to get the Senate to approve a constitutional amendment which, if ever adopted, would have undone the Supreme Court's ban on certain prayers in public schools.

But every time there has been an international crisis Dirksen has been on hand to announce you can't let a president down when there is a war on.

Last year he even tangled with the Republican leader of the House, Rep. Gerald R. Ford of Michigan, who charged there had been "shocking mismanagement' of some aspect of the war.

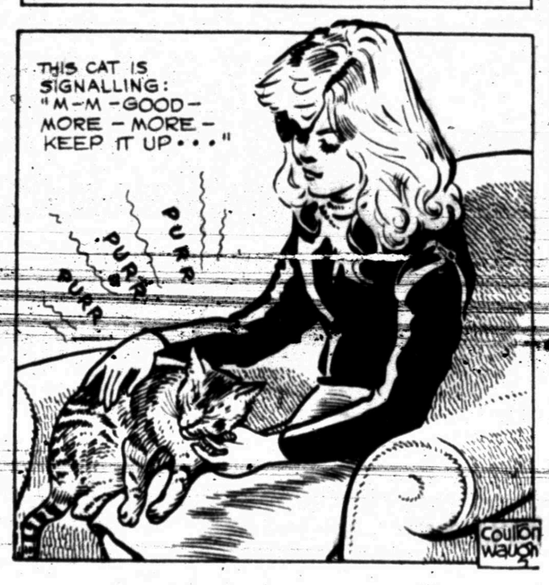
"Who are the shockers?" Dirksen asked.

And this year when Sen. Robert F. Kennedy, D-N.Y., a frequent thorn to Johnson, proposed suspension of the bombing in Vietnam, Dirksen was in there pitching for Johnson, who would'nt suspend the bombing.

Johnson couldn't have a better helper, at least on the war.

In hibernation, a ground squirrel's heart throbs weakly three times a minute, compared with the normal rate of 360 beats.

Junior Editors Quiz on CATS



QUESTION: *Why and how does a cat purr?*

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ANSWER: Taking the why first, the cat in our picture is answering: "Because I'm happy and contented." But we may still ask: why purr about it? Purring is one of the many signals animals give about their feelings. These signals are useful. Purring says: "I'm well fed and happy; go on caring for me this way and I'll stay contented. You can tell it by my purring and when I rub against your legs and lift up my tail with a little crook at the top." A cat can give a very different signal, too—as when a dog starts after her. Then, her hiss and arched back clearly mean, watch out! The cat's purr signals are caused by the chords animals have in their throats which vibrate by air passing over them to create sound. If a cat yowls, the chords are tightened up. When a cat is feeling happy, its chords are loose and relaxed, and the passing air vibrates them to make a soft, contented sound. Even large cats, such as lions, can purr. The lion's vocal chords are large, so he can roar and frighten his prey. His purr is more like a deep growl.

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(Cathy Lynn McDowell of Hickory, N.C., wins today's combined prize of Compton's Illustrated Science Dictionary plus $10 cash for this question. Mail yours on a postcard to Junior Editors in care of this newspaper.)

Ratings Can Up City's Expenses

By JOHN CUNNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — More than one municipal official has pounded a desk at Standard & Poor's or Moody's after those investment service houses lowered a city's credit rating.

To drop a rating from A to BBB might force the city involved to pay one-half of one per cent more for the money it borrows. This mounts up. On a $10-million bond issue it means $50,000 a year additional in interest costs.

A bad rating could even damage the ability to sell at any price because of legal obstacles. Banks, for instance, are limited by law to the grade of securities they can purchase.

The problem that has bothered so many city officials is this: Why should these private businesses exert such power over a city's financial affairs? Why should their opinions count so much?

The latest to ask the question is New York City, whose bonds were downgraded to BBB from A by Standard & Poor's and from A to BAA by Moody's, thus costing the city an estimated million dollars a year more in interest charges.

As a result, New York City's finance administrator, Roy M. Goodman, has a date with Federal Reserve Board officials in Washington this Thursday. Goodman's plan is to ask the Fed to set up a competitive bond-rating agency.

Such an agency would provide an additional check of fiscal soundness from an institution that has traditionally showed its independence. But this route would have to be engineered through a maze of obstacles.

First, Fed officials aren't at all sure that their charter would permit such a rating agency. Second, it would put the Fed into competition with private b..np..n Third, every senator and representative would feel compelled to exert his influence for a high rating for constituent cities.

One thing seems clear: neither Moody's nor Standard & Poor's would object strenuously to another rating agency. As they view the situation, they are performing a public service.

"Somebody has to do it," said Lewis Schellbach, executive vice president of Standard & Poor's. "We'd have no objection to other opinions. We'd love them."

Standard & Poor's rating group meets each week to assign symbols to 40 or 50 municipal bond offerings. They study a report already worked up by an analyst who is an authority on the community or the area.

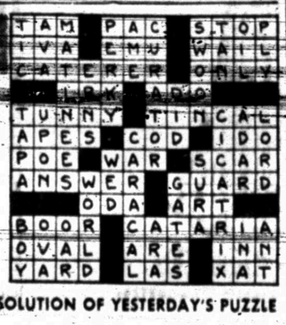
Among factors considered are these: Economy-value of homes, savings, etc—debt and debt structure, tax collection records, income levels, crime rate, sociological structure, physical condition—slums, etc.

AAA is the prime rate, the highest possible rating because it affords the ultimate in protection to the lendee. AA is a high grade, A upper medium, BBB medium, and so on through D. Moody uses different rating symbols.

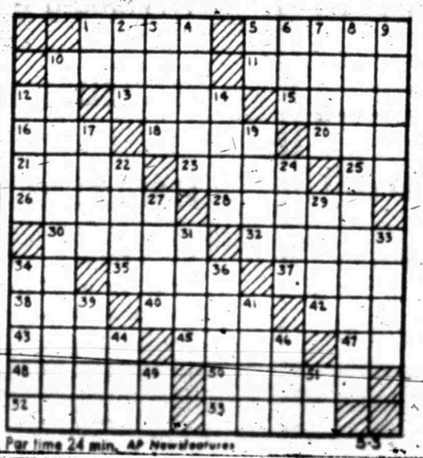
CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS
1. Podium
5. Conform
10. Hot drink
11. Clearer
12. Alternative
13. Edible fish
15. Tyrant of Rome
16. Statute
18. Avouch
20. Toward the stern
21. Mine entrance
23. At a distance
25. Bone
26. Unimportant
28. Bellowing
30. Lukewarm
32. Ethical
34. Serviceman
35. Beige
37. Final outcome
38. Pilfer
40. Possess
42. Narrow inlet
43. Wild ox
45. Christmas
47. From
48. Craze
50. Dead language
52. Coasters
53. Later

DOWN
1. Serve
2. Fruit drink
3. Concept
4. Collection of poems
5. Wire service
6. Press for payment
7. Expanse
8. Hole
9. Easy gaits
10. Customary
12. Heb. universe
14. Davenport
17. Dinner drink
19. Sultry
22. Soupfin shark
24. Housetop
27. Opulent
29. Sandarac tree
31. Heavy wagon
33. Petal
34. Chick-peas
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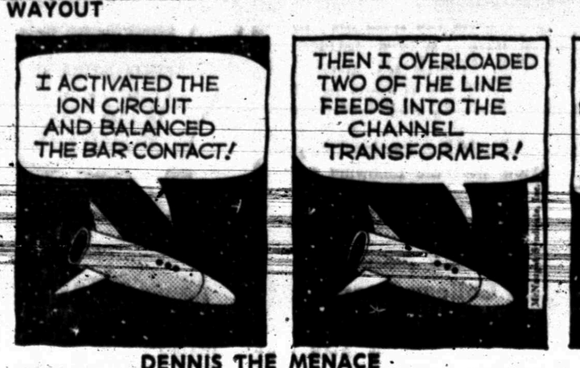
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Tigers Trip Tors, Share 3-AAA Lead

Hoo boy! That showdown battle with Lamesa here Tuesday afternoon had a little of everything in it, but when the dust had settled the Tigers had tamed the Tornadoes, 3-2, to grab a share of the 3-AAA lead. Both teams now are 7-2 with three tilts remaining.

For sheer excitement the tussle on the Towle Park diamond can't be beat. It was a close fight all the way.

Snyder took a 1-0 lead in the 2nd frame when Kenny Ragland doubled to centerfield, bringing in Buddy Powell, who had walked ahead of him. Kenny, trying to stretch the hit into a triple, was throuwn out at third. Max Moreland singled behind Ragland, but Terry Davis caused Roy Hunter to ground out, third to first, to end the outbreak.

The Bengals boosted their advantage to 3-0 in the 4th. With one away, Buddy Powell singled and Terry Holt walked. Ragland then lined another hit — a single over the third baseman's head — which scored Powell, and Holt went to third when the fielder bobbled the ball. Moreland cracked another single and Holt came in for the third run.

Lamesa had a golden opportunity to go ahead in the 5th. Jordan, Dennis and Vaughn all singled to load the bases. Terry Davis singled over the second baseman's head, and Pierce, a pinchrunner for Jordan, scooted in to narrow the count to 3-1, still with nobody away.

At this point, Coach Speedy Moffett put Rob Golden on the hill to relieve Hunter. Dennis raced home on a wild pitch for the second Tor run, and the Tors still had Vaughn and Davis on base with no outs.

Russell cracked a ball to Mickey Almond at third and Mickey fired in to the plate to nip Vaughn trying to score from third. Dink Foree, the Bengal catcher, rifled the ball down to second base and Davis was clipped for the second out.

The little Lamesa hurler was incensed at this development of affairs and was ejected from the game for showing his displeasure in an unorthodox manner. Russell, safe at first on the fielder's choice, advanced to second on a single by Amador Tijerina.

Mike Benten then popped a grounder to Mickey and the talented third baseman chased Russell back towards second. While he was doing this, Terry Holt, Tiger shortstop, had maneuvered over to third. Mickey tossed him the ball, forcing Russell for the third out. What had promised to be a big inning for the Tors ended with Lamesa still playing catchup, 2-3.

Snyder threatened again in the 6th when Moreland reached first on an error at short and moved to second on a single by Golden, but Rob was forced at second on an attempted sacrifice and Foree flied to right for the third out.

Lamesa's Dennis opened the 7th with a single and was sacrified to second by Vaughn. However, the next two batters flyed out to centerfield and the threat was ended.

Both teams played sparkling ball afield. Almond, Moffett and and Ragland turned in another doubleplay in the 6th which nipped another Lamesa threat. And the Tors stopped a 3rd inning uprising by the Tigers on a doubleplay following a fly to right.

It was obvious that both teams were out to win. The boys played their best.

Hunter was credited with the win, and Davis was charged with the loss. Mills came on in relief in the 5th for Lamesa. Both teams rapped out eight hits. The only extra - base hit of the day was Ragland's blast in the 2nd.

The Tigers will be at Brownfield for a 2 p.m. tilt Saturday, then go to Levelland for a 4 p.m. match the following Tuesday, and close out at Lamesa Saturday week in another 2 p.m. affray.

The bos score:

LAMESA (2)	AB	R	H	BI
Russell, 3b	4	0	0	0
Tijerina, 2b	3	0	1	0
Benten, rf	3	0	1	0
Everheart, ss	3	0	1	0
Jenkins, c	3	0	0	0
Jordan, 1b	3	1	1	0
Pierce, pr	0	0	0	0
Dennis, lf	3	1	2	0
Vaughn, cf	1	0	1	0
Davis, p	1	0	1	1
Mills, p	1	0	0	1
TOTALS	25	2	8	1
SNYDER (3)	AB	R	H	BI
Moffett, 2b	3	0	0	0
Foree, c	4	0	1	0
Almond, 3b	3	0	0	0
Cadena, lf	2	0	0	0
Powell, cf	2	2	2	0
Holt, ss	2	1	0	0
Ragland, 1b	3	0	2	2
Lewis, pr	0	0	0	0
Moreland, rf	3	0	2	1
Hunter, p	2	0	0	0
Golden, p	1	0	1	0
TOTALS	25	3	8	3

Lamesa	000	020	0–2
Snyder	010	200	x–3



HITS TURF — Lamsa's Gene Everheart lost his hat sliding into first base during the 3-AAA baseball thriller held here Tuesday, but he was safe. Kenny Ragland, Snyder first sacker, comes up with the ball just a fraction too late.



HE'S SAFE — Snyder's Terry Holt crosses home plate ahead of the throw for the third Tiger run in the Bengal's 3-2 verdict over Lamesa here Tuesday afternoon. The win propelled Snyder into a tie with the Tors for first place in the District 3-AAA baseball race.



DOUBLE PLAY — The Snyder High School baseball team turned in two double plays and played sparkling ball afield during the 3-AAA encounter with Lamesa here Tuesday. On the second twin-killing, Steve Moffett took a throw from Mickey Almond and rifled the ball to first. Lamesa's Everheart was forced at second, and Louis Jenkins (not pictured) was thrown out at first.

Standings

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National League

	W.	L.	Pct	G.B.
Cincinnati	15	6	.714	—
St. Louis	10	7	.588	3
Atlanta	10	7	.588	3
Pittsburgh	8	6	.571	3½
Chicago	8	7	.533	4
Philadelphia	8	9	.471	5
San Francisco	7	10	.412	6
Los Angeles	7	10	.412	6
New York	7	11	.389	6½
Houston	6	13	.316	8

Tuesday's Results

Atlanta 3, Chicago 1
New York 3, San Francisco 3, 11 innings
Houston 10, Philadelphia 3
St. Louis 5, Cincinnati 0

Today's Games

Cincinnati at St. Louis
San Francisco at New York, N
Houston at Philadelphia, N
Los Angeles at Pittsburgh, N
Chicago at Atlanta, N

Thursday's Games

San Francisco at New York, N
Houston at Philadelphia, N
Los Angeles at Pittsburgh, N
Chicago at Atlanta
Only games scheduled

American League

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Detroit	10	6	.625	—
Boston	9	7	.563	1
New York	9	7	.563	1
Chicago	9	7	.563	1
Baltimore	9	8	.529	1½
California	9	10	.474	2½
Washington	8	9	.471	2½
Cleveland	7	9	.438	3
Kansas City	7	10	.412	3½
Minnesota	6	10	.375	4

Tuesday's Results

Washington 1-0, Kansas City 0-1
Minnesota 13, New York 4
California 3, Boston 2
Baltimore at Cleveland, cold and rain
Detroit at Chicago, cold

Thursday's Games

Washington at Kansas City, N
Detroit at Chicago, N

Regan Leads Dodgers Past Pirates, 5-3

By HAL BOCK
Associated Press Sports Writer

The Vulture's feathers remain unruffled.

Sandy Koufax, Maury Wills and Tommy Davis are gone but Phil (The Vulture) Regan still is around, reminding the Los Angeles Dodgers of the good old days.

Regan, nicknamed The Vulture for the way he swooped down on victories in late-inning relief last year, picked up his first of the season Tuesday night in the Dodgers' 5-3 triumph over Pittsburgh.

It's been almost one full year since Regan lost a game. The last time was May 13, 1966 . . . appropriately enough, a Friday night. That came at Forbes Field and since then, The Vulture has been flying high.

He won 13 straight last season and Tuesday's victory extended his unbeaten appearance string to 66 games — 58 last season and seven this year.

The Pirates had another shot Tuesday and actually tied the game against him when he relieved starter Claude Osteen with one out in the eighth.

Roberto Clemente singled, delivering Wills, now a Pirate, with the tying run. But Regan pitched out of the jam and held Pittsburgh at bay until the 11th when the Dodgers rallied.

John Roseboro opened with a single and when the Pirates failed to field Jim Hickman's bunt, the Dodgers had runners at first and second. A sacrifice moved the runners up and then Wes Parker, batting for Regan, doubled the two runs home.

Elsewhere in the National League Tuesday night, the New York Mets rallied for two runs in the bottom of the 12th inning and nipped San Francisco 3-2. Bob Gibson shut out Cincinnati on two hits as St. Louis defeated the Reds 5-0, Houston battered Philadelphia 10-3 and Atlanta stopped Chicago 3-1.

In the American League, Minnesota bombed New York 13-4, Washington split a doubleheader with Kansas City, winning 1-0 and then losing by the same score, and California shaded Boston 3-2. The Detroit-Chicago and Baltimore-Cleveland games were postponed.

Wills, making his first appearance against his ex-teammates, smacked two hits, scored two runs and stole a base. But even he was unnerved by The Vulture. He singled with one out in the 10th but then was thrown out stealing—his first miss after six swipes this season.

Minnesota Raps Yankees, 13 To 4

By DICK COUCH
Associated Press Sports Writer

Charlie Finley's snow-colored playshoes inspired the Washington Senators but Cal Griffith's frost-covered playground left the New York Yankees cold.

The Senators, aroused by the white kangaroo footwear introduced by owner Finley at Kansas City this spring, donned white caps and socks before splitting 1-0 shutouts with the Athletics in a doubleheader Tuesday night.

The Yankees, meanwhile, shivered through a 13-4 setback in Minnesota's sub-freezing weather after Twins' President Griffith decided against a postponement.

California edged Boston 3-2 behind Jim McGlothlin's three-hitter in the only other American League action. The Detroit-Chicago and Baltimore-Cleveland games were washed out.

In National League play New York nipped San Francisco 3-2 in 12 innings, Los Angeles topped Pittsburgh 5-3 in 11, Houston drubbed Philadelphia 10-3, St. Louis blanked Cincinnati 5-0 and Atlanta downed Chicago 3-1.

George Selkirk, Washington's general manager, came up with the idea of going white-on-white against the Athletics, who survived an opening-day protest by Cleveland Manager Joe Adcock that their white shoes distracted opposing batters.

The Senators took batting practice in their regular dark caps and red and blue stockings, then slipped into the clubhouse and emerged in their new regalia.

Southpaw Pete Richert, working 7 1-3 innings, and two relievers then whitewashed the A's on two hits in the twilight opener, decided by Ken McMullen's run-scoring single in the sixth. But Kansas City rebounded behind right-hander Jim (Catfish) Hunter, who scattered seven hits, and an RBI single by Dick Green in the sixth to snap the Senators' winning string at four games.

In Minnesota, a combination of 13 Minnesota hits, four New York errors and temperatures that ranged from 32 degrees at the start to 29 at the finish took its toll on the Yankees.

"This is ridiculous," snorted relief pitcher Steve Hamilton, the Yankees' player representative. "We've got to have a rule you don't play in this kind of weather. Somebody has got to take responsibility for this."

Manager Ralph Houk, however, was philosophical about the decision to play the game. "We both had to play in it," Houk said. "It was as fair for one team as the other. If they say 'Play,' we play."

It was the coldest weather in which a game has gone on in Minnesota since the Twins entered the league in 1961. Monday night's scheduled game between the clubs had been postponed because of 40-degree temperature, strong winds and sporadic rain.

Tennis Team Had Excellent Record

The Snyder tennis team finished the season with a dual match record of 6 wins and 2 losses.

Its tournament record was 9 wins and 20 losses.

The team placed 3rd in the Snyder Invitational, and tied for first in District 3-AAA.

There were plenty of outstanding individuals. In boys singles, Gordon Stokes had a 5-0 record, and Jerry Bell won 6 of 7 matches. Sandy Wellborn had a 5-6 mark, and Wayne Anderson was 9-4. Jimmy Gardner had 4-4, and Mike Flynn was 1-0. Jim Spence was 0-1.

In girls singles, Emily Kincaid was 4-9, and D'Anna Alexander was 0-5. Patsy Miller was 1-4; Rose Hartley was 0-2.

In boys doubles, Stokes and Bell were 16-6 in their matches. Sandy Wellborn and Wayne Anderson were 2-0; Mike Flynn and Jimmy Gardner were 2-2; and, in girls doubles, D'Anna Alexander and Patsy Miller 0-4.

The total wins and losts for boys were 50-24, which is pretty good in any caliber of competition. The totals for girls was 5 wins and 24 losses. Total team matches included 55 wins and 48 losses.

This compares with last year which was 77 wins and 58 losses. The girls team last year was a little stronger, but the boys team is stronger this year.

Stokes and Bell, in tournaments, made the quarterfinals in the Tyler Open, San Angelo and Odessa. They made the finals in the Snyder Invitational, and they won first in District. Also, they copped 2nd in regional. The only team they lost to in Class AAA was Andrews (twice) and they beat teams from Brownfield, Ector, Big Spring, Athens, Lognview, South Oak Cliff, Lubbock Coronado, Midland Lee, Sweetwater, Eldorado, Lamesa, and Dumas.

Class AAAA schools they lost to included Arlington Heights, Abilene Cooper, Odessa, and Palo Duro.

Returning lettermen include Wayne Anderson (2), Jimmy Gardner, Mike Flynn, and Jim Spence, D'Anna Alexander and Patsy Miller. Graduating are Gordon Stokes, Jerry Bell, Sandy Wellborn and Emily Kincaid. Their record for three years: Stokes 43 wins, 20 losses; Bell 41 wins, 21 losses; Wellborn 30 wins, 20 losses; Kincaid 20 wins, 26 losses.

Fairbanks Takes Over

NORMAN, Okla. (AP) — Chuck Fairbanks is the soft-spoken, polished boy-next-door, who says with a reassuring smile "everything's gonna be all right." And you believe him.

The 33-year-old former Michigan State player was named head football coach at Oklahoma Tuesday, filling the vacancy left by the death of Jim Mackenzie, 37, Friday.

Solemn and determined, the youthful coach says he endorses most of Mackenzie's philosophies of football, but still makes it known he intends to be his own master.

"I cannot be Jim Mackenzie," he said. "I've got to be myself. Because I believe so strongly in the things in which Jim believed, I may sometimes sound like him, but I'm not going to try to emulate him."

Fans 33 In 15 Frames

WACO (AP) — Ever hear of a pitcher striking out 33 batters in one game?

Of course it was 15 innings and there was an opportunity to strike out 45, but 33 would seem enough for an all-time record in any kind of baseball.

Donny Horne of Waco Richfield performed the feat Tuesday night in hurling his team to a 3-2 victory over Corsicana in a Class AAAA schoolboy game. The Corsicana runs were unearned.

He allowed only six hits. His opponent, Don Decordova, worked a 10-hitter himself and struck out 17 batters.

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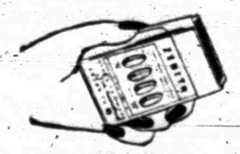


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WFAA—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

6:00 Operation lift	11:30 Dream girl
6:30 Murray Cox	2:00 KERA Ed.
6:55 News	2:30 Dark Shad
7:00 Peppermint	3:00 Dating game
8:25 Movie	3:30 Dateline HW
10:00 Sweepstakes	3:55 Chird' Dr.
10:30 1 Million	4:00 Backstage
11:00 Ev'body talk	4:30 Sumpin else
11:30 D Reed	5:30 News
12:00 Fugitive	5:55 Direction
1:00 Newlywed	6:00 News, w'ther

WFAA—Wednesday Evening

6:30 Batman	11:13 Weather
7:00 Cen. stage	12:10 Laurel-Hardy
8:00 Movie	12:30 House Call
10:00 News, w'ther	12:35 FBI
10:00 Jo' Bishop	12:36 Prayer

WFAA—Thursday Evening

6:30 Batman	10:30 Joey Bishop
7:00 F troop	10:55 Weather
7:30 Bewitched	10:57 Movie
8:00 That Girl	12:30 House Call
8:30 Love rooftop	12:35 FBI
9:00 Stage 67	12:36 Prayer
10:00 News, w'thr	

KCBD LUBBOCK Ch. 11—Scat 8

KCBD—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

7:00 News	12:15 Closeup
7:05 Farm news	12:30 Make a deal
7:25 Weather	12:55 News
7:30 Today	1:00 Days of lives
8:25 News	1:30 Doctors
8:30 Today	2:00 Another w'ld
9:00 Buckaroo	2:30 Don't say
9:25 News	3:00 Match game
9:30 Confration	3:25 News
10:00 Pat Boone	3:30 Sweepstakes
10:30 Hol. Squares	4:00 Donna Reed
11:00 Jeopardy	4:30 Lone Ranger
11:30 Eye Guess	5:00 Beaver
11:55 News	5:30 Hunt.-Brinkl
12:00 Report	6:00 Report

KCBD—Wednesday Evening

6:30 Virginian	10:00 Report
8:00 D. Thomas	10:30 Tonight
9:00 I Spy	

KCBD—Thursday Evening

6:30 D. Boone	10:00 Report
7:30 Movie	10:30 Tonight
9:00 D. Martin	

KTXS SWEETWATER Ch. 12—Scat 3

KTXS—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

6:00 Sun. semes.	12:00 News
6:30 Popeye	12:15 Farm facts
6:45 Cartoon	12:25 Weather
7:10 Farm News	12:30 World Turns
7:30 Morn. News	1:00 Password
7:55 How Come	1:30 Houseparty
8:00 c. kangaroo	2:00 Gen. Hospital
9:00 C. Camera	2:30 Edge of Night
9:30 Hillbillies	3:00 Secret storm
10:00 Andy	3:30 Fugitive
10:30 Van Dyke	4:30 H'wood
11:00 Love of Life	4:55 Child Doc
11:25 News	5:00 The Texan
11:30 S. Tomorrow	5:30 W. Cronkite
11:45 guiding light	6:00 News

KTXS—Wednesday Evening

6:00 Batman	9:00 Bewitched
6:30 Concert	9:30 Love Rooftop
7:30 B. Hillibillies	10:00 News, w'thr
8:00 Green Acres	10:30 Wild west
8:30 Gomer Pyle	11:30 Cimarron

KTXS—Thursday Evening

5:00 M. Gorilla 4	10:00 News, w'thr
6:30 Colliseum	10:30 FBI
7:30 Three sons	11:30 River Boat
8:00 The Crucible	

KTVT FT. WORTH Scat 4

KTVT—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

6:45 Meditations	1:00 H. Showcase
6:50 News	2:30 Carnival
7:00 Theatre	3:00 Cartoon
8:30 Romp' room	3:30 Popeye
9:00 J. Lanne	4:00 Theatre
9:30 Dec. Bride	4:30 Superman
10:00 Startime	5:00 Cartoons
11:30 J. Hallmark	5:30 Cisco Kid
11:40 News, w'thr	6:00 Lawman
12:00 Checkmate	6:30 Rawhide

KTVT—Wednesday Evening

6:30 Rawhide	10:15 Movie Con't.
7:30 Twilight	11:00 A. Hitchcock
8:30 Honey West	12:00 News, w'thr
9:00 Movie	12:10 Meditations

KTVT—Thursday Evening

7:30 Battlefield	11:00 A. Hitchcock
9:00 Movie	12:00 News, w'thr
10:00 News, w'thr	12:10 Meditations
10:15 Movie	

KLBK LUBBOCK Ch. 13—Scat 6

KLBK—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

5:55 Sign On	11:43 Guiding light
6:00 Sun. Sem	12:00 News
6:30 Popeye	12:05 Local news
6:45 Farm news	12:15 Farm news
7:05 News	12:25 Weather
7:30 Morn. show	12:30 World turns
8:00 C. Kangaroo	1:00 Password
9:00 C. Camera	1:30 Houseparty
9:30 Hillbillies	2:00 Hospital
10:00 Andy	2:30 Edge of nite
10:30 Van Dyke	3:00 Secret storm
11:00 Love of life	3:30 Matinee
11:25 News	5:00 Rifleman
11:30 Sch' Fam'w	5:30 News

KLBK—Wednesday Evening

6:30 Last space	9:30 Rooftop
7:30 B. Hillibillies	10:00 News, w'thr
8:00 Green Acres	10:30 Wild West
8:30 G. Pyle	11:30 Cimarron
9:00 Bewitched	12:30 Sign off

KLBK—Thursday Evening

6:30 Colliseum	10:30 FBI
7:30 Three Sons	11:30 Riverboat
8:00 Movie	12:30 Sign off
10:00 News, w'thr	

KWAB BIG SPRING Channel 4

KWAB—Mon. thru Fri. Daytime

5:55 Sign on	12:10 Bulletin b'rd
6:00 Sunrise sm.	12:25 Weather
6:30 How come	12:30 world turns
6:45 Cartoon cir'	1:00 Password
7:10 far'-ranch ne'	1:30 Houseparty
8:00 C.Kangaroo	2:00 Gen. Hosp.
9:00 Candid cam'	2:30 Edge 'night
9:30 Hillibillies	3:00 Secret storm
10:00 Andy M'berry	3:30 Fugitive
10:30 Van Dyke	4:30 Hollywood
11:00 Love Life	4:55 Chil. Doc
11:25 News	5:00 Gandy time
11:30 Search tomor	5:30 News
12:00 National new	

KWAB—Wednesday Evening

5:00 Batman	8:30 Gomer Pyle
5:30 CBS News	9:00 Bewitched
6:00 Local News	9:30 Rooftop
6:10 Here n there	10:00 News w'th
6:30 Colliseum	10:30 Wild west
7:30 Hillbillies	11:30 Cimarron
8:00 Green Acres	12:30 Sign off

KWAB—Thursday Evening

5:30 CBS news	8:00 Movie
6:00 Local news	10:00 News w'thr
6:10 Here n there	10:30 FBI
6:30 Colliseum	11:30 Riverboat
7:30 My 3 Sons	12:30 Sign off

KMID MIDLAND Channel 2

KMID—Mon. thru Fri. Daytime

7:00 Today	1:00 Days of lives
9:00 Bat Master'	1:30 The doctors
9:30 Concentration	2:00 Nother world
10:00 Pat Boone	2:30 Don't say
10:30 H'w'd square	3:00 Match game
11:00 Jeopardy	3:25 News
11:30 Eye Guess	3:30 Romper rm.
11:55 News	4:00 Komic Karn.
12:00 Divorce court	5:00 Beaver
12:30 Make deal	5:30 Hunt-Brink
12:55 News	6:00 News

KMID—Wednesday Evening

6:30 Eternity	10:00 News w'thr
8:00 D. Thomas	10:30 Tonight
9:00 I Spy	

KMID—Thursday Evening

6:30 Eternity	9:00 D. Martin
7:30 Star Trek	10:00 News w'thr
8:30 Dragnet	10:30 Tonight

KRBC ABILENE Ch. 9

KRBC—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

7:00 Today	12:30 Make deal
7:25 Harry Holt	12:55 News
7:30 Today	1:00 Day of lives
8:25 Devotions	1:30 Doctors
8:30 Today	2:00 An. world
9:00 Reach starts	2:30 Don't say
9:25 News	3:00 Match game
9:30 Confration	3:25 NBC News
10:00 Pat Boone	3:30 Shadows
10:30 H'wd squares	4:00 Talking
11:00 Jeopardy	4:30 Newlywed G.
11:30 Eye Guess	5:00 Date game
11:55 News	5:30 H-B report
12:00 News w'thr	6:00 News w'thr
12:15 Peg board	

KRBC—Wednesday Evening

6:30 Virginian	10:00 News w'thr
8:00 D. Thomas	10:30 Tonight
9:00 I Spy	

KRBC—Thursday Evening

6:30 D. Boone	9:00 D. Martin
7:30 Star Trek	10:00 News
8:30 Dragnet	10:30 Tonight

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Busy Surveyor 3 To Begin Well-Earned 2-Week Sleep

By RALPH DIGHTON
AP Science Writer

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — Surveyor 3 starts a well-earned two-week sleep tonight after 10 days of digging into the mysteries of the moon.

Four historic trenches — the first furrows made by man in any but his native soil — are visible evidence of what scientists suspected — that the lunar surface is strong enough to support manned landing craft.

More than 6,000 pictures televised by the tripod spacecraft show the dry, grainy soil has the consistency of wet sand, at least to the depth of 7½ inches, and there is some indication of a harder layer underneath.

Controllers at Jet Propulsion Laboratory radioed commands Tuesday preparing the 620-pound spacecraft for the minus 250-degree lunar night with taped instructions for the operation of the heater protecting its elecronic brain.

The hand-sized scoop mounted on a five-foot extension, was left poised 30 inches above the surface, ready to resume digging after the sun rises on the moon May 17.

Picture taking will continue until the lunar sunset, about 6 p.m. EST tonight, prevents Surveyor 3's swiveling eye from snapping more shots of the gouged and hammered terrain between two of the spacecraft's skeletal circular padded feet.

In 27 hours of scoop operation, Surveyor 3 has dug four 2-inch-wide trenches, the largest nearly two-foot long.

That one, created by five passes of the scoop, is 7½ inches deep. Measurement of the electrical power needed to pull the shovel toward the spacecraft on successive scoops indicated soil firmness increases with depth.

Latest photographs of this series show the walls are still standing, marked with well-defined tracks from screw heads on the lower jaw of the scoop.

Two rocks — one a half-inch in diameter, the other twice that size — have been picked up by the scoop but disappeared after being dropped.

The scoop, like the arm of a toy steam shovel, also was pushed into the soil seven times and dropped — from heights up to 30 inches —13 times to test the bearing strength of the surface.

All tests so far, a laboratory spokesman said, show the terrain that surrounds Surveyor 3's landing site in the dry Ocean of Storms would support the 15-ton landing craft planned in the Apollo program.

Similar predictions were made after the soft landing in the same Ocean of Storms last June by Surveyor 1, which had a camera but no scoop.

Surveyor 3 was designed to make a soft landing too, but came close to the fate of Surveyor 2, which crashed on the moon last September after a steering maneuver failed.

For unknown reasons, Surveyor 3's small balance-control rockets kept burning briefly after the touchdown April 19. Compensating for the weak lunar gravity, they allowed the spacecraft to bounce twice before it settled down inside a shallow crater, without damage.

Exiled Slav Monarch Begins Job

LOS ANGELES (AP) — It's a long way from the Yugoslavian throne, but the businessman's swivel chair seems to suit exiled King Peter II just fine.

"I don't think the training as a monarch helps much," King Peter said Tuesday as he went to work with the Sterling Savings & Loan Association of California.

"But I can tell you," he said at a news conference, "I think my connections all over Europe will help a lot. We will try to recruit savings from people abroad."

And the prestige? Doesn't that kingly image suffer a little in the role of a businessman?

"I think taking this job raises my stature," he replied.

Asked if he went to work out of necessity, the exiled king said: "I have independent means up to a point. When we left I had a little money, but nothing extraordinary."

And what about Yugoslavia, where he ruled as a teen-ager until driven from the throne by invading armies from Nazi Germany?

"I can't speculate about going back to Yugoslavia as king," he said. But speculating, he said: He would first like to see "a real democratic constitution voted for the country," and then he would "build up and re-establish a good economy."

What does he miss most?

"Doing my best for the good of my people."

In the meantime, Peter said, he'll be doing his best for his savings and loan company.

He added that every Californian should have a portfolio of investments — "of which part should be in savings and loans."

"Well said, your majesty," said the firm's board chairman, Jack J. Spitzer.

Strike Ban Extended To June 19

WASHINGTON (AP) — Don't worry, you can take that train ride or ship your goods by rail today—there's no railroad strike. At least not for 47 more days.

President Johnson signed an emergency bill extending until June 19 a strike ban affecting 137,000 members of six unions for railroad shop workers.

He signed the bill—alone and without ceremony—11 hours before the walkout scheduled for 12:01 a.m. today by the rail workers.

The unions immediately sent formal notice of the strike postponement to their members. It was the third delay in the threatened strike. The first was for 60 days under the Railway Labor Act, the second a 20-day extension voted by Congress.

George Christian, White House press secretary, said Johnson soon would submit to Congress proposals for settling the dispute. His pledge of such proposals eased the way for quick congressional passage of the emergency extension.

The unions—whose walkout would cripple railroads with about 95 per cent of the nation's rail transport facilities—demand a six per cent general wage boost. They also want 12.5-cent-an-hour hikes for skilled men the first year and a five per cent raise and 12.5 cents more for skilled workers the second year.

The railroads have offered an 18-month contract providing a six per cent general wage increase plus a 5-cent an hour skill boost.

Lacy Turner Selected For A&M Study

Lacy Turner, 9th grade communicative arts teacher at Lamar Junior High, has been selected as one of 36 teachers who will participate in the NDEA Institute for the Advanced Study in English, from June 5 to July 28, at Texas A and M. The group was selected on the basis of both scholarship and teaching ability from several hundred applicants from Texas and adjacent states.

Turner, who won the Standefer - Canon Scholastic Award in 1933 with a grade average of 91.4, was the first Texas Tech athlete to earn his master's degree. Before coming to Snyder at mid-term, Turner had been handling the remedial English program in Odessa High.

He married a Snyder girl, the former Enid Sears. They have one daughter, Lalae, now a freshman at Rice.

Scholarship To Snyderite

Tommy Shelburne of Snyder is one of five Patrick Wilson Merit Scholars announced recently by the Vanderbilt University School of Law, Nashville, Tenn.

Shelburne is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Shelburne, 202 Thirty - second Street, Snyder.

The scholarship is valued at $7,500 and covers three years in law school.

Shelburne is a senior at Baylor University, where he will graduate in June with a BA degree in political science and history. He is a graduate of Snyder High School where he was the president of the Student Council, was salutatorian of his class and was an AFS student to Italy.

Pyron Cemetery Session Friday

Ross Williams, president of the Pyron Cemetery Association, has announced that a semi-annual meeting will be held at the cemetery Friday.

All persons interested in the Pyron Cemetery have been urged to attend and bring basket lunches. The interest and support of all are needed badly, said Williams.

TAX ANSWERS

This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is furnished by the U. S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

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Q — I just realized I forgot to put my W-2 in with my return. What should I do?

A — Please keep it until you are asked by IRS to supply copy B of the W-2 and any other information needed to process your return.

Q —I just got my return in under the deadline. How long should it take for me to get my refund?

A — You should receive it within 6 to 8 weeks from the time you mailed it unless the return is incomplete or inaccurate. A return selected for audit before refund may will also result in a refund delay.

Q — I am being transferred to another city by my firm. What should I do if my refund hasn't arrived by the time we move?

A — File a change of address card with your postmaster when you move.

Also notify the IRS district office serving you at your present and former address of the move. Be sure to include both your new and old address and your Social Security Number to identify your return.

Q — I made a mistake on my return and paid more than I should. When I correct this on an amended return should I send you a check for the right amount and stop payment on the first check?

A — No, do not send a new check or stop payment on the first check. If your amended return is accurate, you will receive a check for the difference between what you paid on the first return and the correct balance due.

Q — My refund arrived but it was lower than I asked for. Why was that?

A — Perhaps you made a mathematical error of some sort. When a refund is different from the amount claimed, the taxpayer receives an explanation either with the check or separately. Please examine any form you received with your check. The information may be there or may be sent a little later. If necessary write your district director. Include your Social Security number and the same name and address used on your tax return.

Q — Finding the records needed to fill out a return was the hardest part of the job this year. What could you suggest to make this easier?

A — The most important thing is to be sure that you keep good records to start with. If you don't pay by check, always get a paid bill or a receipt as a record of your payment. Keeping all your tax records in the same place will also be helpful. File folders or envelopes can be used to keep cancelled checks, paid bills, interest and dividend statements, and other tax records. It will also be easier when filing time comes if your records are separated into categories such as medical, contributions, etc.

Q —I just went into business for myself. Where can I get information on the taxes my business may have to pay?

A — The TAX GUIDE FOR SMALL BUSINESS, Publication No. 334, should answer many of your questions. This may be obtained by sending an order with a check or money order for 50 cents to your IRS district director's office or the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20402.

The Small Business Administration also provides information on various subjects and they may be able to help you, too.

Q — I leave the yearly dividends from my G. I. insurance on deposit with the government. Is the interest on them taxable?

A — Yes, interest earned on veterans insurance dividends is taxable. However, the dividends are not taxable.



BASEMENT GARAGE — An auto is upsidedown amid debris in the basement of a wrecked home in Albert Lea, Minn. after a tornado ripped through a 2½-mile area of the town. Home in background was only slightly damaged. (AP Wirephoto)

Scientists making glass have mixed in silver halide crystals to develop a new form that changes color with the sun. In bright sunlight, the glass darkens to reduce glare. It is being tested for eyeglasses and windows.

Awards Are Presented At Cub Meeting

Some 80 persons were present Monday night for the monthly Cub Scout Pack meeting at East Elementary School.

Zola Kornegay gave a report on the Cub Scout Pow Wow which she attended April 22, along with Doris Digby and Peggy Landreth. A report on the summer program for Pack 36 was given by Peggy Landreth and Tommie Blythe.

Harold Kornegay presented the following awards: David Campbell, Alvin Porter, Ronnie Hester and Eddy Woolsey, Bobcat pins; John Mark Abernathy and Randy Bearden, Wolf badges; Radford Turner, Bear badge; Larry Landreth and Phil Banks, silver arrow on Bear badge. Joey Hardin was recognized as a new Cub Scout.

Certificates of appreciation and year pins were presented to den mothers, Zola Kornegay, Peggy Landreth, Doris Digby, Tommie Blythe and Lillian Durst. Cubmaster Gene Justice was given a certificate of thanks for his work this year.

Webelo leader Carl Turner presented the Webelo badges to David Justice, Doug Sims, V. T. Robinson and Randy Hardy. Refreshments were served by Den 4.

Hippies And Saints Hold Cosmic Love Freakathon

NEW YORK (AP) — A delegate with a banana skin stuck on his nose was walking down the aisle of the Village Theater as Louis Abolafia spelled out his campaign platform for the presideney of the United States.

"I want to spread love through art," Abolafia was saying between bites of a banana. "If I become president, I will set up cultural centers throughout the country."

"People's tastes would be improved," he explained. "Eventually love would spread all over the world and wars would become impossible because everybody would love everybody else."

Launching his campaign Tuesday, Abolafia, 25, had the theater alive with a semi-psychedelic East Village happening billed as a "Cosmic Love Convention, a 72-hour Freakaton for Hippies and Saints."

The delegates were met in the lobby by a sign reading: "Help a beatnick in his humble attempt at an honest living. Buy a banana."

Harold Chizman, seated on a mat covered with bananas, said they cost 15 cents apiece but added, "You get three cents back if you return the peel."

Inside, granny-dressed and miniskirted teeny-boppers danced to the amplified dissonance of a rock 'n' roll group while projectionists played movies and slides on the ceiling, walls and floor.

"The idea is to have the audience and the band become one in the same," explained Abolafia. "There is no split between performing and looking."

A blonde beating a tambourine ran up the aisle crying "Love, Love, Love!" as Abolafia explained his campaign strategy.

"I am asking supporters to write in my name. Of course, a lot of my supporters are too young to vote, but it's healthy that they should be interested," he said over the din.

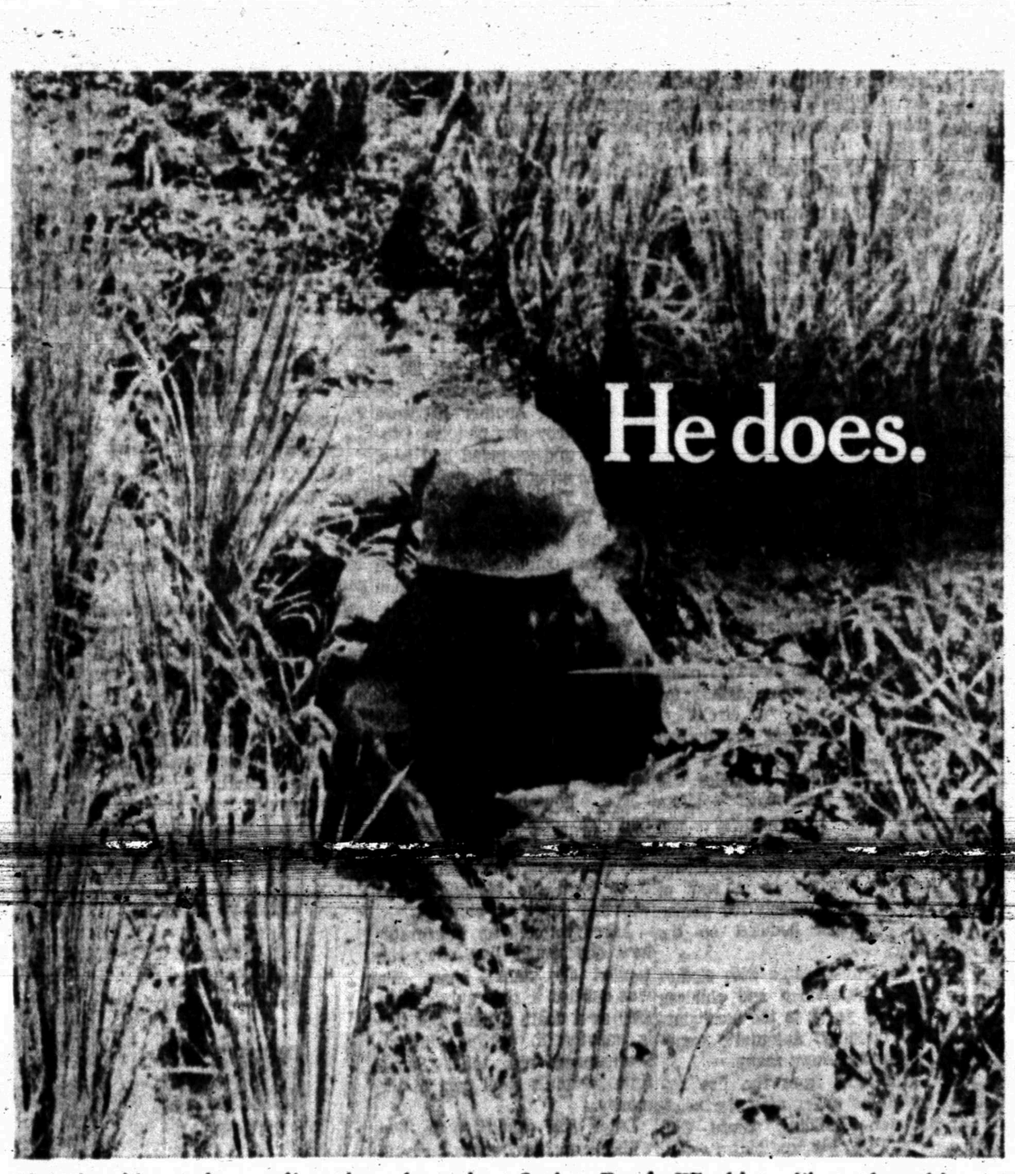
"Later we'll have lots more entertainment. We'll have poetry reading and singing and more groups playing. We haven't really gotten warmed up yet," he concluded and strode off to be with his supporters.

Campaign manager Andrew Kent explained outside that his candidate does not really expect to win the presidency.

"However," he added, "it's a sign that Abolafia is emerging from the underground."

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GREEK KING OBSERVES TRADITION — King Constantine of Greece, in a tradition custom for Greek Orthodox Easter, cracks an egg against one held by Gen. Gregory Spandidakis, left, in Athens. The king made his first public appearance during Easter ceremonies since the military coup in Greece. Gen. Standidakis is the deputy prime minister and minister of defense in the military cabinet. (AP Wirephoto via cable from Athens.

Many Areas Depend On Viet's Part-Time Soldiers

By JOHN T. WHEELER

HUONG MY, South Vietnam (AP) — Silently the last companies of the 1,200-man Viet Cong force slipped into position around the isolated district headquarters compound, confident of a quick kill.

A Viet Cong officer, who knew only 150 men guarded Huong My, checked his watch and shouted: "Fire!"

Mortars barked, lobbing high explosive shells into the air. Long tongues of flame spurted from recoilless rifles and 57mm and 75mm shells drove low across the rice paddy, over five barbed wire barricades and the mud wall, dead on target. Although the night was moonless, the two-story headquarters building, little larger than a home, was clearly silhouetted against the starry sky.

The time was 0415—4:15 a.m. Three Viet Cong battalions waited in the darkness, knowing that the mortar and rifle barrage would go on for nearly half an hour.

Neither the attackers nor the defenders could know that an epic battle was just beginning, and that it would take the lives of nearly 400 persons, including women and children. In sheer savagery the siege of Huong My would have few equals in the Viet Nam war.

Huong My's defenders were all militiamen, members of the popular and regional forces who earn about $10 a month as part-time warriors. Since the outbreak of the war, they have been a number one target of the Communists.

Here in the Mekong Delta south of Saigon, militiamen suffer five times the casualties of the government regulars, who are paid far more. Yet they are credited with killing 10,000 Communists in the last year, several times more than the regulars. Countrywide there are 140,000 each of popular and regional forces men. Nearly half are in the Mekong Delta.

Nearly all the fighting was from behind mud fortifications such as those at Huong My. The militiamen elsewhere, and die with their wives and children in the vulnerable outposts, are a much easier target than regular battalions.

Because they are strung out in thousands of such isolated spots as Huong My, the militia posts are at the top of the Viet Cong's list of operations. Because militiamen are held in contempt by the regular army, their priority for equipment, guns, ammunition and medical help is at the bottom of the government list. Vigorous American efforts have improved things somewhat in past months, but not nearly enough.

The militiaman has been recruited in the area he must fight for. The popular force men do some farming by day and defend their homes and families by night. The dying is worth it.

The time for fighting and dying had come to Huong My's militiamen and their families.

The volley of recoilless rifle shells slammed into the headquarters building, tearing great chunks from the wall. More followed and 82mm mortar shells rained into the compound.

"I was about six inches in the air when I woke up," said Capt. John Elan of Ashby, Minn. He became entangled in his mosquito netting as he leaped from the bed. Thus he was a few steps, behind the other two Americans who make up Advisory Team 93 as they sprinted to action stations in the headquarters building.

Inside the district building, Cpl. Duong had clambered up the ladder into the tower post. He began firing the post's only machine gun toward a Buddhist cemetery, where he could see the flashes of recoilless rifles being fired. Twice wounded during six years of fighting the Viet Cong, Duong was considered a brave and accurate machine gunner.

On the ground floor his wife, Cuc, 26, gathered her four children and huddled with them against the compound wall. Her 7-year-old son, Kim, later moved across the room under a bed.

Sgt. 1. C. David Styers of Baltimore, Md., and Capt. Elan reached their radio to find that the aerial had been shot away. So had those for the Vietnamese sets.

The firing was so intense that individual explosions and the cracks of bullets passing overhead merged into a rolling thunder. Without communications, there was no way to call for fighters.

Then they heard a Vietnamese shouting in English what obviously was a radio transmission to Ben Tre, the province capital. The voice belonged to Capt. Xuan Pham, the district chief and commander of the militia guarding Huong My. He was calling over the Americans' emergency radio asking for quick air strikes. Otherwise, he knew, the compound would be overwhelmed by Communist assault waves advancing toward the barbed wire.

But in Ben Tre, the American radio operator was suspicious. He thought it was the Viet Cong broadcasting on the American frequency. The province capital had been attacked earlier by artillery and mortars. It had its own problems.

Then over the airwaves came Capt. Elan's voice, asking for immediate help, "or else."

But the Viet Cong already had blown gaps in the barbed wire with bangalore torpedos. A squad of Communist soldiers with a flamethrower ran through a shattered bunker into the compound. The flamethrower was turned on a row of shacks where nearly 100 women and children huddled on the floor.

Screaming, some with clothes afire, the women and children raced 30 yards to the headquarters building. Automatic weapons gunned down many.

The light from the fire exposed the tower atop the headquarters building where Cpl. Duong lay, his face blown away, his machine-gun smashed by an exploding shell. On the ground floor, tears streamed down his wife's face.

A recoilless rifle round had punched through the bricks at the back of the room and exploded near the ceiling. Gathering three of her children and darting out of the room, she turned to watch as the flames destroyed her family belongings, including her savings, hidden in a tin can.

Under the bed was her son, his body shattered by shrapnel.

Some of the militiamen, like Pvt. Do Van Sang, fled their posts.

But not everyone ran. Many displayed high courage in the face of what seemed almost certain disaster.

The commander of the post's three mortars was hit in the mouth by shrapnel early in the fighting. He stuffed his mouth with cotton and continued directing fire with hand signals until he collapsed.

By now American jets had arrived and their bombs and cannon ripped through the waves of Viet Cong assaulting the compound. Finally the attack was broken. The Viet Cong inside the compound seized women, some holding babies, and used them as human shields, retreating into the night. The women were released later, unharmed.

As suddenly as it had begun, the battle was over, a victory for the government side, thanks to American air power. But 29 defenders were dead, 23 wounded and eight missing. Twenty-five women and children were killed and 39 wounded. Many had burned to death.

The Viet Cong had left 100 of their dead just outside the barbed wire. Another 100 were in the nearby rice paddies. Other dead and wounded had been dragged away by the retreating enemy. The defeat was such that Vietnamese intelligence reported later that one enemy battalion commander and the Viet Cong district chief had been executed.

Two groups of Vietnamese lay near the flagpole, arranged by families, waiting for American helicopters to take them out.

When the helicopters came, Cuc was allowed to go with her dead husband and son to their home village for burial.

The government provided only one casket, that for the husband. Cuc borrowed money for the second, and then took a boat down the Mekong to be with her surviving children.

Asked through an interpreter how she would live now, she replied she didn't know. She was entitled to the equivalent of $200 as a death benefit, but this is months in getting through Vietnamese red tape. Sometimes officials steal part of the money.

Later she would go to live with her mother, whose husband had died earlier in the war. Somehow life would go on.

Chinese Communists claim that government projects in reclamation and irrigation in Sinkiang have opened up millions of acres for farming.

Wallenda Plans Final Comeback

DETROIT (AP) — Five years ago, as the crowd gasped in horror, a human pyramid collapsed on the high wire in Detroit's State Fair Coliseum and two members of the Great Wallendas circus troupe plunged to their death.

Another tightrope specialist, Mario Wallenda, was paralyzed for life.

The tragedy drove Karl Wallenda, senior member of the troupe and the greatest of the Great Wallendas, into retirement for a while.

But the 62-year-old Wallenda has decided to make a farewell appearance in Detroit in the Dobritch Circus May 26 through June 4.

As he visited the empty Coliseum Tuesday, Wallenda stood on the scarred yellow paint of the concrete floor and said, "I think we go without a net."

This would be in keeping with the Wallenda tradition.

Wallenda, who says he was born in a circus wagon, has retired at least twice before. But this time he said he means it.

"I've said it so many times people don't believe it," he mused.

"I used to get mad watching the other artists. I would say to myself, they don't do it right. So I would have to come back and show them.

"But I think this is the last time."

283 Tickets Are Issued

City Police issued 283 traffic tickets during the month of April, including 104 for speeding.

They made 43 arrests, including one juvenile on a charge of vandalism, who was transferred to the jurisdiction of County Court.

Police officers investigated 14 motor vehicle accidents. Two of these involved minor injuries.

Police receipts for the month totaled $4,104, and police vehicles traveled 22,796 miles during the month.

Dozen VFW Posts In Loyalty Programs

At least a dozen Veterans of Foreign Wars Posts in District 8 held Loyalty Day programs on May 1, District Commander Harold Spivey has reported.

Spivey said the primary purpose of the Loyalty Day programs is to counteract Communist demonstrations aimed at undermining the American way of life.

VFW posts in District 8 which held Loyalty Day programs were at Post, Abilene, Sweetwater, Brownwood, Eastland, Rotan, Merkel, Hamlin, Breckenridge, Anson, Colorado City, Stamford and Snyder.

Jonssons Donate To Medical Center Fund

DALLAS (AP) — Mayor and Mrs. Erik Jonsson have given $1 million to the Baylor University Medical Center Development Fund for its $8 million expansion program.

James W. Aston, chairman of the fund and vice chairmen James F. Chambers Jr. and John M. Stemmons made the announcement Tuesday.

A new $5 million, 200-bed hospital will be named the Erik and Margaret Jonsson Medical and Surgical Hospital.

District 8 VFW To Host State Cmdr.

Harold Spivey, District 8 Commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, has announced that John Paul Keelan of Navasota, Department of Texas Commander, will be the departmental representative at the District 8 meeting scheduled Saturday and Sunday at Abilene.

The Clayton M. Leach Post 2012 will be host for the meeting and some 300 veterans and their wives are expected to attend.

Keelan was elevated to the office of Commander, Department of Texas, at the 46th annual convention held last July in Houston. He was elected to the office of Senior Vice Commander in June, 1965.

He has farming and ranching interests and is engaged in the cotton ginning business in the Navasota area. He also serves as constable in Precinct 5 of Grimes County. He served in the Air Force during World War II as a combat pilot in B-17s with the 8th Air Force in England. He also served as an instructor pilot at Amamogordo, N. M.

During his combat service in July, 1943, his plane was shot down over the North Sea. He and members of his crew spent some 52 hours in a life raft and in a Danish fishing boat before they were rescued by an English Torpedo Boat. His military decorations include the Distinguished Flying Cross, three Air Medals, ETO ribbon with Star and the Presidential Unit Citation with Cluster. He was discharged in December, 1945, with the rank of first lieutenant.

The blue rock dover, a ledge-nesting bird before man's time, became the common pigeon of city streets in Africa, Asia and Europe.



JOHN PAUL KEELAN

Daily Allowable Off

AUSTIN (AP)—The total average calendar day oil allowable as of May 1 was 3,032,735 barrels, a decrease of 58,129 barrels from the April 15 allowable of 3,090,864, the Texas Railroad Commission reported Tuesday.

Attendant Receives First-Hand Experience

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. (AP) — An 18-year-old ambulance attendant, who "missed class" when the subject was delivering babies, received first-hand experience Tuesday.

Thomas Richard Pursley brought a 4-pound, 7-ounce baby into the world in the back of an ambulance only moments before the emergency vehicle was hit broadside by a car.

The teen-ager said he missed a seminar on baby deliveries last week because he was on an emergency call. So he spent Monday night reading that section of an attendant's manual.

"I was afraid it might happen to me some day and I wouldn't be ready," he said.

The infant boy and his mother were unharmed in the accident. Pursley suffered a knee injury.



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