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Carter Making Little Headway In Begin Talks

WASHINGTON (AP)- President Carter resumed Mideast talks today with Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin and planned later to lobby key members of the House and Senate for his proposed arms sales to Egypt and Saudi Arabia.

Congressional sources said meanwhile, that Carter seemed to be making little headway in wringing concessions from the hardline Israeli leader.

Carter's decision to summon members of the Senate foreign relations and House international relations committees to the White House demonstrated the administration's determination to go through with the sale of F5E Tiger jets to Egypt, F15 Eagles to Saudi Arabia and and F15s and F16s to Israel.

A majority of both committees asked Carter in a letter March 10 to withdraw his arms "package," saying it "could have an adverse impact on the peace negotiations during this delicate period."

A majority of the Senate committee went on record opposing the deal earlier.

The congressional sources said Begin in his meetings with members of Congress was perplexed that his peace proposals to Egypt were considered flexible and constructive by the White House a few months ago but that Israel was now being asked to give further ground.

He emphasized in the sessions on Capitol Hill Tuesday and again at Blair House this morning that Israel has serious security concerns that must be guarded in the negotiations with Egypt.

Carter is pressing Begin for a commitment to withdraw from the west bank of the Jordan River as part of a Mideast settlement.

U.S. officials were saying that Carter considers Begin's reluctance to agree to a pullback as one of the major stumbling blocks in the way of stepping up negotiations between Israel and Egypt.

Wednesday update

Cease-Fire Ignored

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP)-The Palestinian command reported heavy firing by both Israeli troops and guerrillas during the night in south Lebanon despite Israel's proclamation of a cease-fire.

A communique from the Palestine Liberation Organization's military command here said the Israelis fired artillery and rockets into Nabatieh, a Palestinian-controlled town north of the Litani River.

Fall Kills Wallenda

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico (AP)-Karl Wallenda, patriarch of the Flying Wallendas family of highwire artists, fell 10 stories to his death from a wire extended between beachfront hotels here Wednesday, circus officials said.

Wallenda, 73, was doing a promotion for the Pan American circus, the circus manager, James B. Harrington said.

Wallenda, whose family has been plagued by tragedy in a series of deaths and injuries during daredevil performances, fell an estimated 120 feet into the driveway of the Condado Holiday Inn hotel before hundreds of horrified spectators.

Sounds Like Candidate

SAN ANTONIO (AP)-Former President Gerald Ford insists it is much too early to decide whether he'll make a run for the White House again in 1980. But he's sounding more and more like a candidate.

"I am healthy. I won't duck my responsibility and I'll be around one way or another in 1980," the former Republican chief executive said Tuesday in hedging questions at a news conference.

Then, Ford blasted President Carter, the Democrat who defeated him in the 1976 election.

He said Carter's proposed energy program is insufficient and misdirected.

Miners Feeling Pinch

WASHINGTON (AP)-"My men don't like the contract but they're getting hard up, they're feeling the financial pinch," says the president of a striking United Mine Workers local in Pennsylvania.

That's why Joseph Mucho thinks his men in Local 6394 at Sidman, Pa. - as well as miners throughout the coalfields - reluctantly will ratify a new proposed contract to end their 107-day walkout.

LIONS ASSEMBLY — A kit for removing the eyes for immediate use in transplantation and grafting has been purchased by the Lions Clubs of Scurry County. Displaying the kit on the front row are Harry Stevens, manager of Bell-Seale Funeral Home, and Dr. Jack Nesbit, a local optometrist and board member of the district eye bank. On the back row are I.E. Maupin, president of the Ira Lions Club, Bob Watlington, president of the Snyder Lions Club, Donald Tate, president of the Hermleigh Lions Club, and Howard Harrington, the lieutenant governor of District 2-T2 of the Lions Club. (SDN Staff Photo)

Lions Provide Kit For Eye Enucleation Process

The gift of eyesight can now be bequeathed by area residents when they die.

Eye removal, technically known as eye enucleation, can now be performed locally, said Harry Stevens, manager of Bell-Seale Funeral Home. The process is now made possible by an eye enucleation kit recently purchased by the Lions Clubs of Scurry County.

Purchasing the kit were the Lions Clubs in Snyder, Ira, and Hermleigh. It was displayed Tuesday at a joint meeting of the three clubs held at the First United Methodist Church in Snyder.

"After the eyes are removed they are sent to the Lubbock eye bank," said Stevens, who is certified in the procedure. The process of eye removal is performed by Stevens and administered through Bell-Seale.

The eyes, said Stevens, must be removed from the cadaver within three to six hours after death and must be used for grafting or transplantation within 24 to 48 hours after the donor's death.

According to printed information supplied by members of the Lions Club, persons wishing to donate their eyes must sign a donor card, notify their next of kin, and inform their family doctor.

When asked why he thought eyes should be donated, Dr. Jack Nesbit, a local optomerist and board member of the district eye bank, replied, "to allow another individual to have vision."

Persons seeking more information may contact any Lions Club member.

Pros Move In On Car Thefts

By JEFFREY MILLS
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - Professional thieves are moving into the stolen-car field, making it more difficult to recover the vehicles intact or at all, a Justice Department official said today.

Ralph K. Culver, who specializes in investigating property theft, told a Senate subcommittee that 59 percent of the value of stolen autos was recovered in 1976, compared with 86 percent in 1967.

"More and more of today's car thieves do not keep the car on the street any longer than it is necessary to remove the stolen vehicles from the scene of the theft," he said.

Car theft traditionally has been an area dominated by young people, some of whom take the car for a "joy ride" and then abandon it.

But Culver said that while the national theft rate for cars leveled off in 1970, due to better locks on automobiles, professional thieves have increasingly replaced youngsters in the crime.

Culver said stolen cars are either cut up for parts, retitled through a counterfeit title or taken out of the country, especially to Mexico. If a car is stripped of major parts, the owner may recover a part of its value if the body is located.

The Justice Department has increased its investigations and prosecutions of "commercialized motor vehicle theft rings" from 125 in 1971 to more than 400 now, he said.

On Tuesday, the panel was told that the Florida state Attorney's office early this month rigged a car for an undercover fraud investigation and hit paydirt.

Two experts installed a new transmission in a late-model car and certified the new gearbox to be in perfect condition.

Then an investigator took the car to a Jacksonville transmission repair shop that had been the subject of many consumer complaints.

"The owner of the facility, after examining the car, told the undercover shopper (a Jacksonville policewoman) that numerous things were wrong with the car and that it was unsafe to drive," Robert A. Sussman of the National District Attorneys Association told a Senate Commerce subcommittee Tuesday.

FTC Eyes Medical Bills Hike

WASHINGTON (AP)- The chairman of the Federal Trade Commission says physician control of Blue Shield plans is a conflict of interest and may be one reason medical bills are rising faster than the overall inflation rate.

FTC Chairman Michael Pertschuk says his agency is investigating whether health bills are higher because doctors on Blue Shield boards set insurance payments for themselves and their colleagues.

He also suggested to a House subcommittee that the FTC be given jurisdiction over non-profit organizations such as Blue Shield plans.

The executive director of New York state's Consumer Protection Board, Rosemary S. Pooler, said in testimony prepared for delivery today that physicians-controlled plans in her state "operate with a club-like informality in a eartel atmosphere."

She proposed that no more than 25 percent of Blue Sheild boards be composed of health care providers.

Pertschuk told the House panel Tuesday that 46 of the 69 plans in the nationwide Blue Sheild Association have boards of directors controlled by physicians or by physicians and hospital representatives.

The SDN Column

K.O. Pitner says he consulted an eye doctor recently, but finally concluded that his problem was a roughage deficiency. We haven't had enough sandstorms so far to produce the normal amount of foreign matter that clogs eyes around here this time of year, Pitner reasons.

But hold on. It likely will come in due time unless we get that rain we've been waiting for these many months.

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A group of out-of-state youths who were nabbed by local law enforcement people following a chase last week didn't count on the wide open spaces when they tried to make their getaway. The chase started after officers got reports that two individuals had entered a beauty shop, grabbed a couple of women's purses and fled.

"How did you get onto us so fast?" one of the group asked a local officer.

He was told that the youths were probably lucky they got as far as they did — some 15 miles from town — and possibly even luckier that they were not fired upon.

What the youths had not reckoned with, was the distance between towns in this area. They didn't know that officers from neighboring counties could be called in to set up road blocks before they had an opportunity to lose themselves in urban traffic. And they did not realize that as soon as they left Snyder they would be exposed on a long stretch of open road without any place to hide.

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The Texas Forestry Service has announced seven new champion big trees, including a new longleaf pine champion in Jasper County. It measures 125 inches in circumference and is 125 feet high. This one is not only the biggest of its kind in Texas, but also is the largest longleaf pine in the nation. But it still is a dwarf compared to the famous live oak on Goose Island State Park near Rockport. It has a circumference of 442 inches.

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The cactus patch philosopher says that influence is like a bank account. The less you use it, the more you've got.
—WACIL McNAIR

Delay Is Probable For Hearing On Lake Site

A brief continuance of the application by the Colorado River Municipal Water District for a permit to impound a new reservoir on the Colorado River near Stacy is not improbable, directors were told at a meeting Tuesday.

O.H. Ivie, general manager, and James Rosser, attorney, told the directors that the District was prepared to proceed but that they anticipated the matter might be continued until mid or late April when the Texas Water Rights Commission will have sufficient time to hear all the case. The initial hearing date is set for next Tuesday in Austin. The lower Colorado River Authority, chief opposition when the District sought to build Lake E.V. Spence, has filed notice of opposition to the permit.

Meanwhile, active opposition to the CRMWD application for the new reservoir had surfaced in Austin. Charles Herring, general manager of the Lower Colorado River Authority, expressed fear that the Stacy Dam would "severely reduce" Austin's supply of drinking water.

Unless as much as 4,000 acre feet of water flows into Lake J.B. Thomas by May 1, the District will suspend deliveries of water from the lake to oil companies. Deliveries were cut by one half as of last Nov. 1, and this costs the District $50,000 a month, Ivie told the board. He said that total suspension will reduce revenues by as much as $100,000 a month, and while this will hurt, the District can operate effectively for the duration. The suspension will be a precautionary step to protect the supplies for the City of Snyder and for two key industries relying on the water.

A resolution of respect for the services of J.L. Rhoades, a founding director of the district, was adopted. His successor will be Charles Perry Jr., whose father, Charles Perry Sr. was also one of the founding directors and for many years president. The board also approved, under a force majuere clause, sale of water from Webb AFB by the City of Big Spring to Cosden Oil and Chemical Company.

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Tuesday, 81 degrees; low, 51 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 61 degrees; precipitation, none; total precipitation for 1978, 1.82.

West Texas-Partly cloudy through Thursday. Cooler north today and most sections Thursday. Scattered thunderstorms tonight and Thursday. High 70s north to 80s south. Low 40s mountains and north and to 50s high.

Annexation Sought For New Addition

A petition for annexation of a tract of land adjoining the southeast edge of Snyder has been filed with the city by Colony Homes, which plans a residential development in that area.

The Fort Worth firm has under construction now an apartment complex on 37th Street just south of the East Elementary School.

The petition for annexation includes land outside the city which the developers purchased from the Murphree Estate along the Brick Plant Road.

Colony Homes had indicated earlier that it planned a development of a number of single-family dwelling units in that area.

In Senate Farm Bill...

Parity Possible; Higher Food Certain

WASHINGTON (AP)-An emergency farm relief package passed by the Senate promises higher food bills for the public and the possibility of parity for some farmers.

But critics say the promise of parity is only an election-year hoax aimed at disgruntled farmers and has no chance of becoming law. The higher prices for consumers, however, are likely to remain in the bill no matter how it is otherwise changed.

The package, approved 67-26 by the Senate on Tuesday, would add at least $100 a year to the average family's food bill through a system of payments to farmers for not planting.

A key element of the Senate version would allow farmers of some crops to get prices at 100 percent of parity by idling 50 percent of their land.

Parity is a measure of farm income based on the years 1910-1914, when farmers' income and costs were considered in balance. Attainment of 100 percent parity has long been sought by farmers and is a focus of the current farm protests.

The Senate package now goes to the House, where it faces almost certain overhaul. But the overhaul is unlikely to lower the consumer cost.

The package was promptly branded by Sen. Edmund S. Muskie, D-Maine, chairman of the budget committee, as "a three-headed monster" - a package of "unanalyzed, undigested, inconsistent proposals."

Agriculture Secretary Bob Bergland met with President Carter and later reported that no veto threats were issued "in so many words, but it was clear that there was little or no sentiment for the bill."

Senate sponsors said they hoped to reach an acceptable compromise in conference with the House Agriculture Committee, possibly before Congress takes an Easter recess starting Thursday.

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The House Agriculture Committee voted today to seek a conference with its Senate counterpart to work out the problems with Senate-passed emergency farm legislation.

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politics and solvency

At its session last year Congress passed a measure substantially increasing Social Security taxes, beginning January 1, 1979. It represented quite a markup in liability to workers and their employers.

It was generally recognized that the trust fund was insolvent as a result of the habit of Congress to raise benefits without levying taxes sufficient to meet increased obligations. Realization of that fact accounted for absence of major opposition to the increase in Social Security assessments at the time the legislation was under consideration.

However, by the time hardest hit members of the nation's work force got around to studying the measure and the effect the new assessment schedule would have on take-home pay there was plenty of opposition. Representatives and Senators got a liberal education on the subject during the year-end holidays and they returned to Washington convinced that reconsideration of the matter was very much in order, otherwise some of them might not be returning to the national capital next year.

Feeling that something had to be done was shared by the man who occupies the high-back chair in the White House Oval Office. He has been saying all along that some of the cost of the Social Security System should be assessed against general taxpayers, because the new rates will be unduly burdensome on workers covered by the program and their employers.

The general taxpayer has plenty to worry about without being called upon to supplement Social Security assessments with some of his money in order to restore a mismanaged program to a state of solvency.

Insolvency is like other forms of evil. It tends to spread, once it gets started. Harried contributors to the Federal Government's general revenue are beginning to wonder about continued ability to remain solvent in their personal affairs in the face of rising cost of borrowing money to keep the Federal Government in a state of bookkeeping solvency.

Right now our national lawmakers are looking at the problem of keeping voters hit by the dramatic increase in Social Security assessments happy until the next day after the November election.

When the choice comes down to staying out of trouble with influential constituents and maintaining an honest fiscal system, guess what happens.

answers not enough

Our politicians, scientists, law enforcement agencies and others are searching for answers to many serious problems today. Yet, some answers that already are well-known and fully documented are virtually ignored.

Texans just got a report that they set an all-time traffic death toll in 1977.

"The most prevalent contributing factor in fatal accidents is speed over the limit, or speed too fast for conditions," said Col. Wilson E. Speir, director of the Department of Public Safety.

If your memory goes back five years, you know that Col. Speir has statistics to back him up in that observation. Then, motorists were shocked by a sudden gasoline shortage and slowed their vehicles. There was a dramatic decrease in traffic deaths. There also was an amazing decrease in gasoline consumption. For a brief period there was absolute proof that slowing traffic reduced the number of traffic deaths and improved gasoline mileage for even the biggest gas guzzlers.

Then there's the warning on cigarette packages, calling attention to health dangers of smoking, which also has been documented by research. Yet, the puffing goes on.

We need more than mere answers.

my turn

jo ann nunley

We're into the third day of spring — so far, so good! But, I'm not putting my sweater away because I recall thundering the eighth day of February. I'm not sure this idea agrees with scientific theory, but I believe it. After record breaking, consecutive days of cold during February, spring is very welcome.

Another saying, if March comes in like a lion it will go out like a lamb, or vice versa, usually holds true, also. With a cold rainy March 1, we should look for a windy March 31.

The Lord gave us four seasons to enjoy. The first day of each season is usually greeted with enthusiasm, even though everyone seems to have a favorite one. I will readily admit mine is spring. Spring is the time of the year when life begins again in nature.

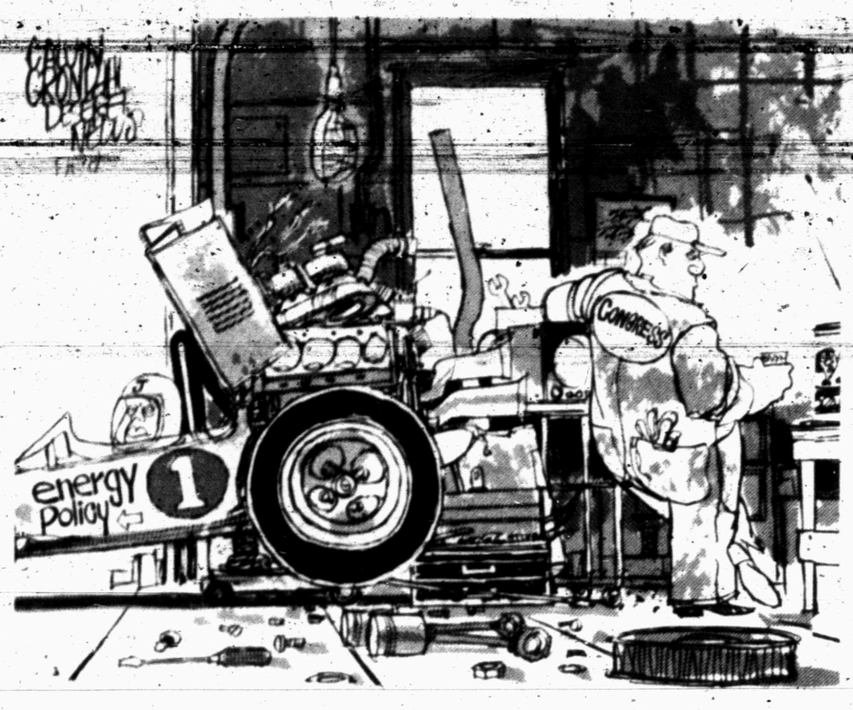
Migrating birds wing their way back. Cardinals, bobwhites and sparrows, the most common in this area, are the year-round "stay-at-homes." But, their songs seemed to have changed to a louder, happier tune.

A pair of cardinals frequented the feeder hanging in a crepe myrtle bush at my kitchen window during the winter. The beautiful male bird seemed to always perch upon a high branch to check things over. It became a little game watching them, or them watching me. I could move about by the window and he would watch cautiously but continue eating while Mrs. Redbird waited a few branches away. When he had his fill of bread crumbs they exchanged places and she hopped down to feed on the crumbs.

He would sit, head held high, as if he knew he was the prettiest thing around.

After April 8, we can put the burdensome coats away and really get down to business with "spring things" and these warm sunny days certainly set the mood.

New York City had 3.7 million daily subway riders in 1974, while another 2.3 million transit passengers took buses.



"Y'all got a minute to discuss the error of your ways?"

at wits end

by erma bombeck

It's no use for me to diet. I know that now.

All those years when my knees rubbing together whispered "No, no," but there was a "Yes, yes" in my mouth, I fought the battle.

All those years when I lost ten pounds every Monday (five in my neck and five in my bust), I hung in there.

All those years when I embraced cottage cheese as a formal religion, I gave it my all.

But after yesterday, I have to admit, I'm beaten. I'm fighting the battle alone.

It started in the morning when I faced the refrigerator with my hand over my heart and once again pledged allegiance to hunger. I poured myself a half glass of tomato juice mixed with half a glass of buttermilk and tossed it down. I felt virtuous.

At lunch, I threw down a cup of bouillon and pretended celery was wicked.

I had dinner ready to serve by 3:30 in the afternoon. It was well-balanced and would be totally satisfying. Broiled fish, an oil-free salad, asparagus and an apple.

At 4:00 p.m. I looked at the dinner again. It looked pale, so I surrounded it with a fruit salad with coconut in it.

At 4:30, with nothing to do, I rolled out a pan of biscuits to pop into the oven.

By 5:00, the asparagus looked naked without a sauce, so I opted for a Hollandaise.

By 5:30, I was furious. How dare my husband be late and force me to obesity? I added whipped potatoes to the meal.

By 5:45, as I stood watching the driveway, I got a horrifying feeling. How could you possibly serve dry whipped potatoes? I added a pan of gravy.

By 6:00, the fish looked terminal. I decided to get my husband's mind off the small main course by giving him a robust appetizer. I rolled out those little butter, cheese and flour things stuffed with olives and popped them in the oven.

By 6:15, I sliced the apples and covered them with a pie.

At 6:30, my husband walked into the kitchen. "I'm home!" he shouted brightly.

"You animal! You don't care about other people at all. How they look. How they feel about themselves. If I go to my grave with pantyhose around my hips, let it be on your conscience!"

He pretended he didn't know what I was talking about.

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takeover action

NEW YORK (AP)-Takeover offers long have been a way of business life. But in two recent actions, the Securities and Exchange Commission demonstrated that secret attempts to obtain control of companies won't be permitted.

On Saturday, U.S. District Judge Oliver Gasch signed a consent decree barring former budget director Bert Lance and 10 associates from violating stock-ownership reporting provisions of federal securities laws. The settlement related to the SEC's complaint that the Lance group acted to obtain more than 20 percent of the stock in $2 billion Financial General Bankshares Inc. of Washington without reporting the purchases.

The disciplinary action was the second in about a week. Earlier, the SEC sued Sun Co., charging the Radnor, Pa., oil firm violated securities laws in its off-the-market purchase of a 34 percent interest in Becton, Dickinson & Co., a Rutherford, N.J.-based hospital-supplies firm.

Sun denied any wrongdoing, maintaining that its purchases were for investment purposes only, and weren't part of a takeover attempt.

The SEC moves were attempts to protect shareholders of "target" firms. In both instances, purchase offers were made to certain holders at prices in excess of the stocks' going market prices. In the Financial General case, the offering price generally was $15 a share, compared with about $12. For Becton Dickinson, Sun paid $45 a share, compared with $33.

The SEC's concern, obviously, is directed toward those holders who aren't afforded the benefit of the inflated price.

"The SEC had to come in and act," said one analyst who asked not to be identified. "You're talking about shareholders being put in positions where they are being hurt financially. A federal agency can't sit back and let that happen."

In traditional tender offers, the company seeking to purchase control of another firm must advertise in the newspaper the price it is offering, thus allowing all holders the opportunity to sell. But there wasn't any published offers in the two recent cases.

In addition, Wall Street officials say, the secret takeovers are abusing the Williams' Act, the law which requires that a group disclose when it has purchased more than 5 percent of another company's stock.

In the Financial General Bankshares case, company officials allege, the Lance group tried to circumvent the law by parceling out more than 20 percent of the stock among Mideast investors so each held less than 5 percent.

Earlier this month, Stanley Sporkin, the SEC's director of enforcement, had warned against such maneuvers. "Sharpshooters of the world, take care," he said.

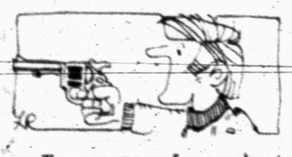
The SEC, through its actions, showed that it won't put up with the maneuvers.

Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

The boss says that some of the gals in the stenographers' pool should move to the deep end.

An optimist is a fellow who prints "The World Will End Tomorrow" signs on credit.



Too many of us shoot blanks when aiming for our goals.

Our luck has always been poor. We've always polished apples with worms in 'em.

They call 'em "lodge" meetings because the committee has to work like beavers to get a quorum.

Too many people aim at life's targets with no ammunition in their weapons.

in washington

martha angle and robert walters

WASHINGTON-(NEA)-White House political operatives, stung by criticism from the press and Democratic Party activists, appear to be backing off somewhat from their attempts to frustrate primary opposition to President Carter in 1980.

Proposed rules changes which the Carter forces rammed through a Democratic Party reform committee in January have created so much controversy that the White House is now looking for a graceful escape route.

"There is a feeling that we might be buying some unnecessary fights. A lot of people think this whole business can and should be worked out amicably," one White House source acknowledged.

The disputed rules changes would, among other things, confine the primary season to a three-month period, make it more difficult for a candidate to win convention delegates and require anyone running for president to file at least 55 days before each primary.

The 55-day filing deadline, which would have kept California Gov. Jerry Brown out of the late primaries which he took away from Carter in 1976, is almost certain to be modified when the full Democratic National Committee meets in June.

The White House operatives who pushed it through the party reform panel two months ago no doubt thought it would forestall late-starting challenges to Carter in 1980. But they have now realized it could also preclude Vice President Mondale from entering the primaries if Carter should die or drop out midway in the campaign.

Party liberals who fought all the proposed rules changes have been hard at work corraling support for a show-down when the full DNC meets. It is a measure of their success and of White House concern about the fight that the DNC meeting initially scheduled for April has now been pushed back to June to allow more negotiating space.

POOR PUBLIC RELATIONS

Congressional Democrats are no smoother than their White House counterparts when it comes to achieving their political objectives.

House Speaker Tip O'Neill and his colleagues have probably torpedoed chances of winning public financing of congressional campaigns this year by linking it to a proposal that would drastically reduce the amount of money political parties may contribute to candidates.

Since Republicans have raised $6.2 million for their congressional war chest compared with $1.5 million the Democrats have on hand, the GOP has understandably screamed foul.

By the time the whole mess reaches the House floor, it will probably be reworked to keep party spending levels where they are provided, public financing is also approved. But the damage, from a public relations point, has already been done.

Republicans are now so mad they are likely to vote against the legislation no matter how it is drafted, and while they cannot win in the House they could almost certainly sustain a Senate filibuster that would kill the whole plan.

STILL GOOD POLICY?

One campaign promise which Jimmy Carter has faithfully fulfilled as president is his pledge to hold at least two press conferences every month. But there are those, in both the press and the White House, who wonder whether the whole promise was wise to begin with.

The biweekly news conferences are frequently on the dull side from the reporters' perspective and are time-consuming for the president. In addition, they may wear out Carter's welcome with the public through "over-exposure."

No retreat is planned, however. Press secretary Jody Powell concedes the commitment may work out to "a net political minus" but says it is "still good public policy."

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what people are saying...

Menachem Begin

"What I can say is that those who killed Jews in our times cannot enjoy impunity."

— **Prime Minister Menachem Begin of Israel, speaking before his nation's attack on Arab sites in Lebanon in response to the March 12 terrorist raid.**

"I told them the mines were not fit for human beings. You work a seam of coal maybe 32 inches high — that's all the room you have — and it's so tight you can't turn around."

— **Walter Kavlick, 65, a striking Pennsylvania miner, describing how he had warned his four sons against ever becoming coal workers.**

"The single most important problem in the movie industry is that the people making films today don't give a damn about movies. People should do what they enjoy. And if the conglomerates aren't happy making movies, get the hell out of it."

— **Actor Jon Voight, speaking about Hollywood and big business. (Direct News).**

"Too many of those who failed to make it in American society wound up in straightjackets, cold baths or shock therapy only to be dumped out without aftercare after the advent of chemotherapy."

—**Democratic Assemblyman Paul E. Harenburg of New York State, denouncing the level of health care provided to many former mental patients.**

"It's beautiful to know that you made it after all those years of hard work. Go out in the world and see your dreams come true. You can do it with your God-given talents."

— **Floyd Patterson, former world heavyweight boxing champion, telling Harlem schoolchildren how he became successful despite a background of poverty.**

"I move a lot faster. I run effortlessly to the ball and I get there because I don't have to pull that extra weight around."

— **Tennis star Jimmy Connors, explaining that his loss of 15 pounds since last year has helped him win more than 20 matches in a row.**

"He's having some rough sledding, no doubt about it. I think he needs help."

— **U.S Sen. Henry Jackson, D.-Wash., criticizing the caliber of executive-branch advice that President Jimmy Carter has been receiving.**

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

Henry Jackson

thoughts

Sing, O heavens, for the Lord has done it; shout, O depths of the earth; break forth into singing, O mountains, O forest, and every tree in it! For the Lord has redeemed Jacob, and will be glorified in Israel. — Isaiah 44:23.

"Music is the only language in which you cannot say a mean or sarcastic thing." — John Erskine, American editor.

St. Thomas is 13 miles long and three miles wide.

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(Where The Nice Guys Finish First For A Change)
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he Strength of the Dragon!
BRUCE LEE

AS KATO
GREEN HORNET

ABWA SPRING TEA — American Business Women Assn. held its Spring Tea recently at the Martha Ann Woman's Club. After a skit by Helen Feinsod, Mary Ellen Meador and Pat Snyder, refreshments were served by hostesses Dorothy Dorth, Verna Foree, Inez Teaff and Joyce McCoy. New members are pictured above seated, left to right, Linda Ramos, Chloanne Lindsey, Wanda Thorp and Billie Bumpus, and standing, Jan Lanier, Virginia Humphrey, Reeda Thomas, Brenda Row, Madlyn Wilson, Barbara Cox and Barbara Scrivner. The club will meet March 23 for their regular monthly meeting.

BRIDGE

Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

There's nothing to it

NORTH 3-22
♠ A J 4
♥ K Q
♦ A 6 3
♣ A Q 7 5 2

WEST
♠ K 8 6
♥ 7 6 2
♦ 10 9 8 5
♣ 8 3

EAST
♠ 10 9 7 3
♥ 3 8 5 4 3
♦ Q 7
♣ 10 9

SOUTH
♠ Q 5 2
♥ A 10 9
♦ K 4 2
♣ K J 6 4

Vulnerable: North-South
Dealer: North

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2 NT
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead: ♦ J

By Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

Six notrump is easy. Seven notrump, which was bid by Patricia Cayne, playing with her world-class expert husband, Jimmy, was not easy at all.

"How can you bid like that?" growled Jimmy, when dummy was shown.

"You'll make it," said Patricia, and sauntered off to get a cup of coffee.

"Right," Jimmy said to himself. The contract seemed extremely bleak. But Jimmy, as any champion would, formulated a line of play that would at least give him a chance.

At trick one it was crucial that Jimmy win in the correct hand. He had to win the ace of diamonds in dummy or else he would certainly go down. He needed the king of diamonds as an entry to his hand to squeeze West near the end of the hand.

At trick two Jimmy crossed to his king of clubs and played a spade to dummy's jack. The finesse won. He had jumped the first hurdle. "Sure I'll make it," he said, as he led the king and queen of hearts and ran the club suit, discarding the four of diamonds on the fifth club.

He reached his hand with the king of diamonds. Everyone had three cards left. Dummy had the A 4 of spades and the 6 of diamonds. East had the 10 9 of spades and J of hearts. South had the Q 5 of spades and the A of hearts, and West the K 8 of spades and the 10 of diamonds.

Jimmy led the ace of hearts and the defense was finished. If West pitched his diamond then, dummy would take the last two tricks with the ace of spades and the six of diamonds. If West threw the eight of spades, Jimmy would discard dummy's six of diamonds and at trick 12 would gobble up West's now singleton king of spades with the ace and score the grand slam with the queen of spades.

"I made it," Jimmy bubbled to Patricia when she returned for the next hand.

"Of course you did," she said.

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SCOUTS, JAYCEE-ETTES JOIN IN SERVICE — Members of Girl Scouts Cadette Troop No. 266 Margaret, left, and Jean Anderson display the March tray favors that their troop prepared to be used at Cogdell Memorial Hospital, Snyder Oaks Nursing Home and Leisure Lodge. The scouts, under the leadership of Mrs. Margaret White, made the favors to bring St. Patrick's Day cheer in co-operation with the Snyder Jaycee-ettes program to provide such items monthly.

County-Wide 4-H Meets

The 4-H County-Wide Committee met Saturday, March 18 and was presided over by Mary Garza.

The team demonstration will be held April 15 at 2 p.m. in the Scurry County Coliseum.

The club will meet on the first Monday of every month at 4:30 p.m.

Attending the meeting were Carmen Rios, Mary Garza, Monica Becerra, Josephine Rios, Isabel Rios, Rosemary Rios, Belia Rocha, Martha Beavers, Kyle Burleson, Mrs. Walter Stirl, Gayle Burleson, Mrs. Forest Beavers, Rachel Chidez, Blanch Chisum, and Angie Burleson, visitor.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY

Altrurian Daughters club; Foreign Exchange Student, program; Mrs. Bert Dennis, hostess; Mrs. Prentis Bass, chairman; 3 p.m.

Sparkle City Squares; Workship 8 p.m.; lessons 8:30 p.m.; National Guard Armory.

THURSDAY

ABWA; Martha Ann Woman's Club; 7 p.m.

Weight Watchers of West Texas; Trinity Methodist Church; 7 p.m. New members welcome.

Snyder Palette Club; Paint Day; Airport Terminal Bldg.; 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Snyder Chapter of AIME; Snyder Country Club; 6:30 p.m. Speaker will be T. Don Stacy, research manager, Amoco Production Co.

FRIDAY

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

Game Night at Union Community Center. Everyone welcome; 6:30 p.m.

SATURDAY

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

Country Music Jamboree; Scurry County Coliseum; 7:30 p.m. Everyone welcome.

SUNDAY

Duplicate Bridge Club; Snyder Country Club; 1;30 p.m.

Scurry County Museum; WTC campus; 1-5 p.m.

Beavers Mark 64th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Beaver of 2511 Ave. W, celebrate their 64th Wedding anniversary today. Their children plan to have a dinner honoring the couple this Sunday.

The couple has lived in the Scurry County area for the past 50 years. Most of this time was spent in farming. They are active members of the East Side Church of Christ.

Their children are Forrest Beaver and Mrs. Ray Haney, both of Snyder; Mrs. Joe Smith and H.R. (Bud) Beaver, of Lovington, N.M.; Mrs. Gerald Ramage and Mrs. J.M. Booth Jr., of Carthage, Texas; and Mrs. Bill Brown of Navato, Calif.

Iota Psi Elects Officers

Iota Psi Sorority met March 15 in the Farm Bureau meeting room. Jean Yearwood, president, led the opening ritual. Following the reading of the minutes and the treasurers report, a brief discussion of the district meeting to be held in Denver City April 2.

Officers were elected for the coming year. They are Betty House, president; Lenora Boydstun, treasurer; Faye Eubank, secretary; and Ida Stokes, parliamentarian. These officers will be installed at the May meeting.

Also nominees for district officers to be elected at district meeting in Denver City are Wanda Eicke, president; Norma Book, co-ordinator; Lenora Boydstun, treasurer; Jean Yearwood, treasurer; Ida Stokes, recording secretary; and Virginia Johnston, parliamentarian.

The April 5 meeting will be hosted by Ida Stokes. Refreshments were served to nine members by Wanda Eicke, hostess.

Best Sellers

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1. "The Thorn Birds," McCullough
2. "Bloodline," Sheldon
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5. "The Women's Room," French
6. "Illusions," Bach
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8. "The Black Marble," Wambaugh
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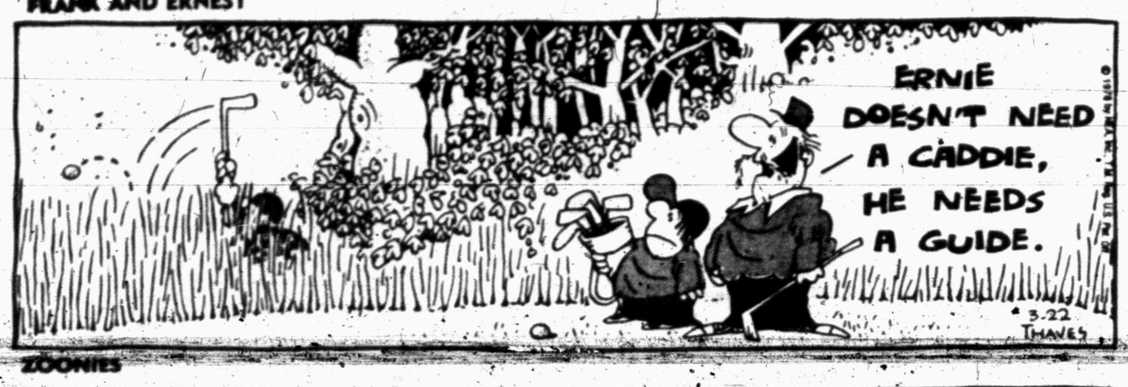

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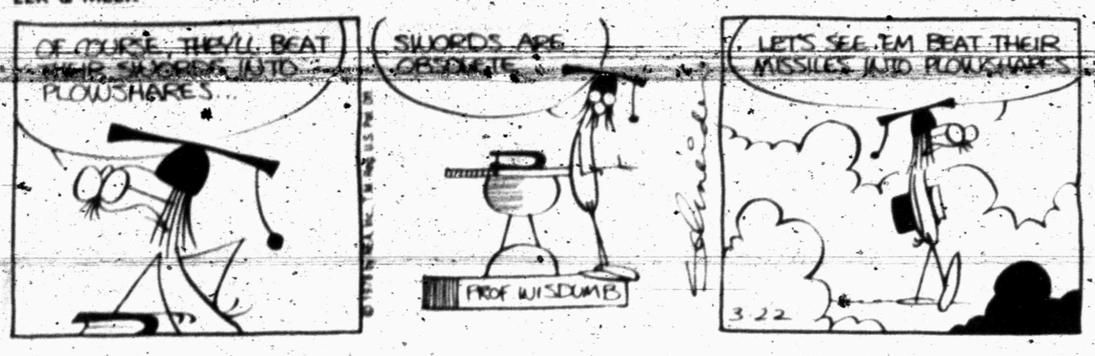

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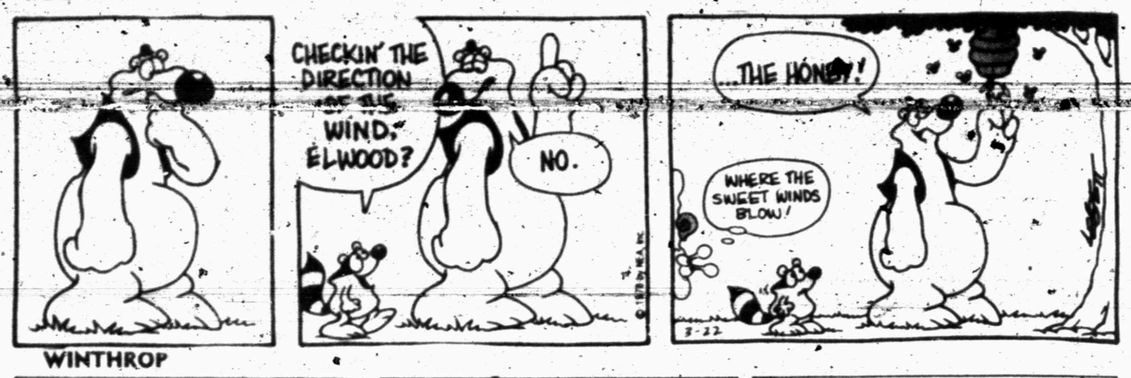

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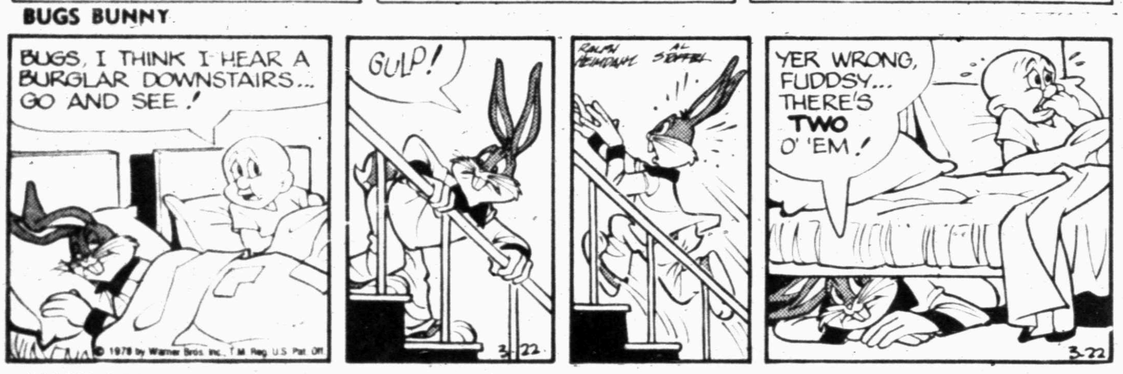

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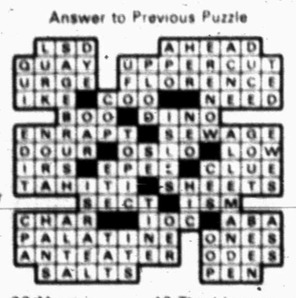

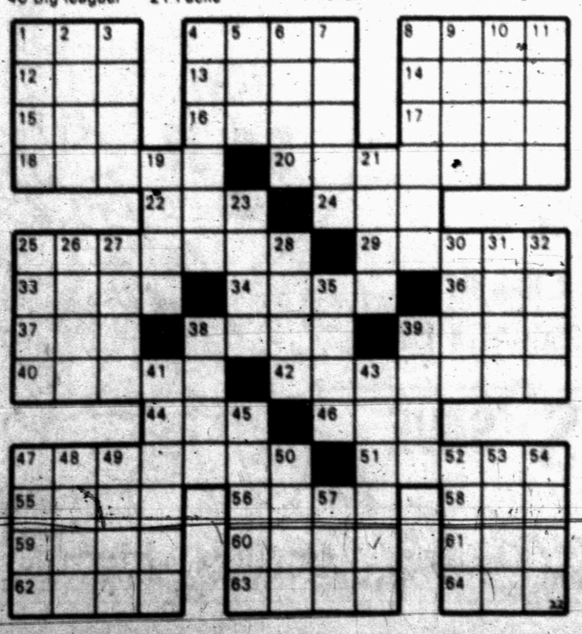

FUNNY BUSINESS

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EASTER BUNNY COMES EARLY — The Easter bunny came early to the first grade at North Elementary School. Delicate and intricately designed and decorated ceramic eggs were the handmade gifts of Mr. and Mrs. Shonie Keith to the classmates of their son Lloyd, left. Lloyd and his friends are students of Mrs. Marge Mathis. Holding the basket is Karmen Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hall. Primary students at North hunted eggs on the playground prior to class parties that preceded the dismissal of classes for the holidays. (SDN Staff Photo)

If Texans Lose Work...

Reyes Opposes Curb On Returnable Bottles

AUSTIN (AP)-If Texans lost work, even collecting litter from banning throwaway drink containers, Rep. Ben Reyes says he would oppose such a curb.

Reyes, D-Houston, is chairman of a House subcommittee looking into the benefits and problems that might follow an Oregon-style switch to returnable drink bottles.

He said at a hearing Tuesday that some census tracts in his House district have unemployment rates as high as 11.5 percent.

"I've got a very deep concern with losing any jobs at all. Some of my folks work for the highway department or the city, and some are doing litter control...My concern is what is going to happen to some of those jobs," Reyes said.

Reyes also praised Reynolds Metals Co's aluminum can recycling program, which a Reynolds official said collects over 40 percent of the aluminum beer cans sold in Texas.

"What you are doing is cleaning up your own house without somebody telling you to do it," he told Reynolds' district recycling manager, Leonard Sanchez.

Richard Tims, chairman of the Texas Environmental Coalition, recommended a special tax on non-reusable containers, with the money dedicated to parks, trails and anti-litter programs.

Steve Hanson, who spoke for the Sierra Club, noisily dumped an armload of cans and disposable bottles in a waste basket as he entered the hearing room. He later apologized.

Hanson said he picked up the containers while walking from his car to the Capitol.

"The most pernicious litter is the beverage container," followed by the styrofoam cup, Hanson said.

Tom Carley, general manager for public affairs of Continental Can Co., said substitution of returnable bottles for disposable cans would eliminate half of his industry - and thousands of jobs.

"You are playing with the lives of thousands of people," Carley said.

He said bottles weigh so much more than cans, and take up so much more space, that beer and soft drink trucks would consume three million barrels of oil in additional fuel per year.

Joyce Klein, a member of Austin's City Environmental Board, said Oregon experienced no net loss of jobs when it forced its citizens to give up cans in favor of returnable bottles.

She said she favored a mandatory deposit on beverage cans rather than Tims' taxation approach.

Rep. Ron Waters, D-Houston, told Mrs. Klein that environmentalists are "up against" their own lack of consensus over bottle and can legislation as well as a united front of labor and industry.

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Few Minorities Buy Own Doll

By SOLL SUSSMAN
Associated Press Writer

DALLAS (AP)-When Shindana Toys of Los Angeles started business in 1968 as a manufacturer of black dolls, whites purchased most of the products, says Herman Thompson, Shindana's representative at the Dallas toy show.

Last year Shindana introduced its Asian doll. Although it became the firm's largest seller, Thompson said once again only a small number of the dolls were purchased by the minority depicted.

"They still have to get used to seeing themselves as a doll, as we had to get used to seeing ourselves as a black doll," Thompson said Tuesday.

Shindana also features white, Hispanic and American Indian lines, but its stock in trade is still the black doll, now in many models.

A miniature O.J. Simpson has been a favorite among child football fans, and it is joined this year by a Julius "Dr. J" Erving basketball doll.

A Redd Foxx doll talks with the entertainer's raspy voice when a cord is pulled, and a prototype of a Florence the Maid doll from "The Jeffersons" television show is being tried out here.

Ann O'Neill, manager of the semi-annual show at Dallas' World Trade Center, said 112 temporary exhibitors have set up booths, joining more than 100 exhibitors who have permanent toy showrooms. About 2,000 buyers from the Southwest have registered, looking over items they'll want in their stores next summer and fall.

Amid the garish packaging of superhero merchandise, space fantasies and television tie-ins, some salesmen push for a quieter approach. "Play value" is a favorite phrase.

"Let me point out a little of the play value on this to you," said Luke Dollar of Fisher-Price. He sent a "lift and load" model railroad through its motions.

Hasbro Industries has a "Super Joe Adventure Team." A sales representative, Dave Balthrop, said, "Light is the play value here," as he aimed a laser communicator at a space monster. If light hits the right point, the monster stops and screams, and his eyes turn red.

The Goss Co. is a specialist in wooden doll houses and blocks. "We're in the basic wood products," William Goss said. "As more and more plastic toys come on the market, I think we'll still have a spot."

Charlie Smith of Jackson Stephens Associates is the Southwest distributor for an adult toy, the "Dyna-Bee." A gyroscope in a palm-fitting ball whirls at 8,000 revolutions per minute to exercise the forearm and wrist.

"This is the hottest item on the West Coast," Smith said. "We'll probably have TV on this for Christmas."

Hubby Is Responsible

JACKSON, Mich. (AP)-When Janet McAllister fell into a pothole, she sprained her ankle and broke her arm. She asked her husband, Wes, to find out which city official was responsible for potholes.

"Under the city charter, the city manager is," said Wes, who is the city manager.

"She'll probably garnish part of my paycheck over this," he said Monday.

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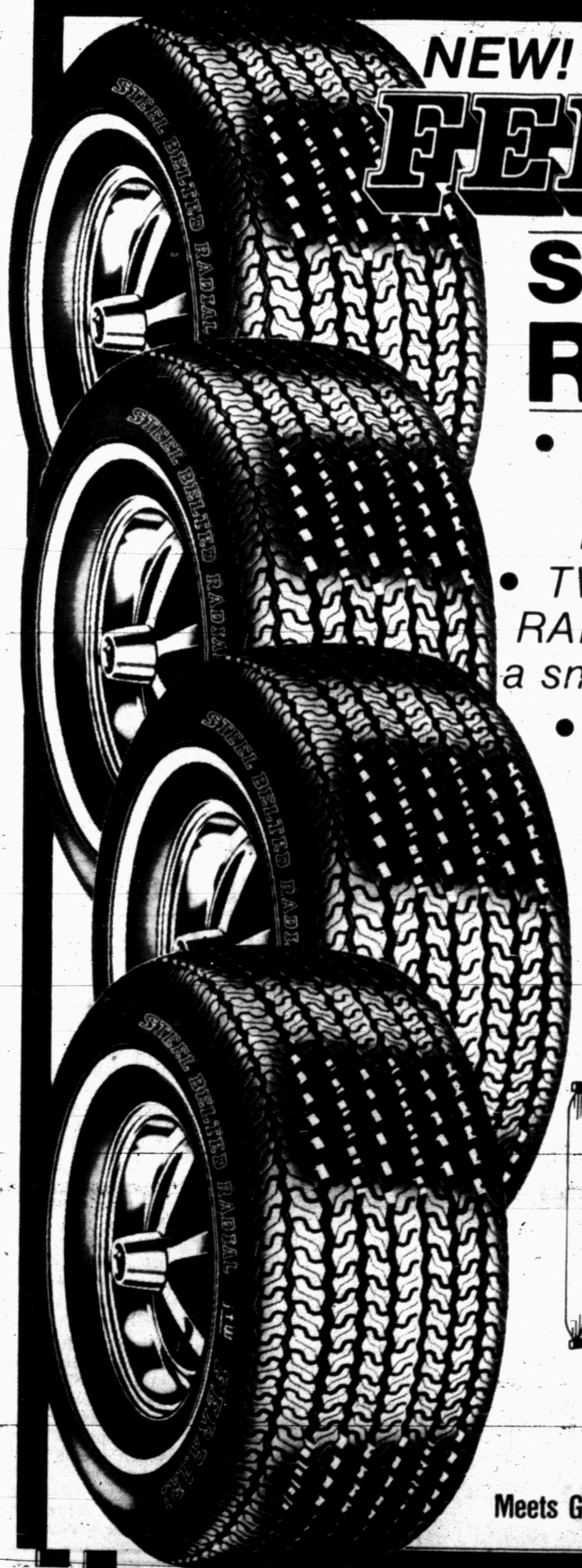

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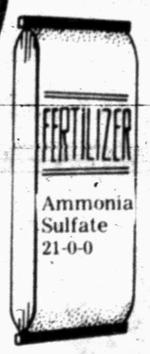

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Padres Enlighten Dark

YUMA, Ariz. - The San Diego Padres fired Alvin Dark as manager, telling him the team's players felt he couldn't communicate, and replaced him with pitching coach Roger Craig.

Craig was named interim manager when the firing of Dark was announced. But at a news conference later in the day, Ray Kroc, owner of the National League team, said Craig would be his new manager.

WBA Still Says Spinks

PANAMA CITY - The World Boxing Association said it will continue to recognize Leon Spinks as the heavyweight champion.

"We recognize Spinks as the titleholder, and if he chooses to fight Muhammad Ali in his next match, it will not violate any of our rules," said WBA Vice President Rodrigo Sanchez.

WHA Fighters Fined

WASHINGTON - The Federal Communications Commission, which last week criticized CBS for the handling of its "winner-take-all" tennis telecasts, is investigating its handling of this year's Super Bowl.

John Bass, chief of the FCC's network office, said that the network office, said that the network was given a waiver to run the broadcast 15 minutes past game time for a post-game show but ran over almost 30 minutes. He said CBS is claiming it ran over only nine minutes, without counting local commercials.

Mens Softball Meeting Noted

A men's fast pitch softball meeting will be held 7:30 p.m. March 24 at Snyder Savings and Loan.

All former prospective coaches, sponsors and players are urged to attend.

FCC Investigating S-Bowl

HARTFORD, Conn. - The World Hockey Association assessed $17,900 in fines to 40 players and coaches and suspended the coaches of the Cincinnati Stingers and Indianapolis Racers in connection with two brawls during a game Saturday night in Cincinnati.

Cincinnati Coach Jacques Demers was fined $1,000 and suspended for the next five games while Indianapolis Coach Bill Goldsworthy was fined $500 and suspended for two games.

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'Horns 'Break' North Carolina

NEW YORK (AP) - The day before the championship game of the National Invitation Tournament, Norm Sloan asked to speak ahead of the comical Abe Lemons at a press conference because "he's a hard act to follow."

Sloan found him tough to follow Tuesday night, too. Lemons' Texas Longhorns got off and winging with a superlative fastbreak and this racehorse offense swept the Southwest Conference co-champions to a 101-93 triumph over Sloan's North Carolina State team in the NIT finals.

Except for one brief moment when Lemons jumped off his sideline chair and took an official to task, the Texas basketball coach was the picture of contentment throughout this important contest at Madison Square Garden. Of course, Lemons didn't have too much to worry about the way things were going.

The Longhorns had a 17-point lead shortly before intermission and then built that to 24 early in the second half behind their high-powered trio of Jim Krivacs, Ron Baxter and John Moore. Krivacs finished with a game-high 31 points, Baxter 26 and Moore 22. The splendid efforts of Krivacs and Baxter, who also collected a game-high 12 rebounds, earned them the award as co-winners of the tourney's Most Valuable Player trophy.

"The moon just wasn't right for North Carolina State," Lemons said. "They're a tough team. They played us hard ... but the lights went out for them."

North Carolina State simply was never in the game, falling behind at the start and standing helplessly by as the Longhorns scored almost at will with a terrifying fastbreak. Baxter triggered several of these manuevers with his expert, cross-court passes, something the colorful, wry Lemons called a "fly pattern," which actually is a football term.

"It's not easy to perfect and execute," said the Texas coach, crisply attired in a tan, vested suit with every stitch in place and dashing cowboy boots. "They have to have timing and they have to catch the ball. But they executed this fly pattern just perfectly. Ron baxter throws that pass so well."

Krivacs, whose point production was the highest in the NIT, was on the receiving end of many of Baxter's passes and hit a barrage of breakaway field goals throughout the contest as the Longhorns raced to their 26th victory in 31 decisions.

Lemons, of course, chose to go to this running game for obvious reasons.

"I was worried about North Carolina State's inside game," said Lemons. "We're a short, frail team and when it gets rough inside, we have to get out. We just don't have the bench that North Carolina State has. They threw a lot of players at us and I had to basically stay with five guys."

That would be Krivacs, Baxter, Moore, Tyrone Branyan and Gary Goodner. But as far as Sloan was concerned, five was all Texas needed Tuesday night.

"Everything they did, they executed well," noted the North Carolina State coach. "I have great respect for Lemons and that team. Before the tournament, I knew they were a good team. But now I think they're a great team."

Kentucky Is Better Insulated Says Hall

LEXINTON, Ky. (AP) - Kentucky's top-ranked basketball team makes its second appearance in four years Saturday in the National Collegiate Athletic Association finals and, as the old song goes, there'll be some changes made.

Remembering the hoopla of the 1975 tournament in San Diego and its eventual disappointment - a 92-85 loss to UCLA in the championship game - Coach Joe B. Hall said he and his players will be better insulated in St. Louis, where the Wildcats meet Arkansas in the semifinals.

"I think our seniors are much more settled. They're accustomed to the atmosphere of a tournament," he said. "They know they have to guard against being distracted. There's 10 times the interviews, and a player can be almost continually in somebody else's hands. I think it's important to keep them sheltered."

As for Saturday's opponent, Hall said the Razorbacks would create problems with their great quickness and leaping ability.

"Arkansas' guards are considered converted forwards," he said, "but they've had great success. A team that reaches the final four has few weaknesses."

Cats To Host Tournament

Snyder High School baseball squad, 7-3 for the season, welcomes several area teams here Friday and Saturday as the annual Snyder Tournament gets underway here.

Thursday, the Tigers will host Andrews at 4:15 p.m. in preparation for the two-day tourney. The Tigers have participated in tournament play once before this season, taking consolation honors in the Monahans meet last weekend.

Westerner Duo Wins Abilene Golf Tourney

ABILENE -- Western Texas College teams swept the Abilene Intercollegiate Golf Tournament held here Monday and Tuesday, taking the junior college division by 18 strokes, and posting good enough scores to have defeated the senior college field.

WTC Blue, fired by runner-up medalist Britt Lindsey, scored rounds of 288 and 291 Monday at Maxwell Municipal Course (par 71), then drilled a three below par 281 Tuesday at Abilene Country Club (par 71) to win the meet with a total of 860. The Green team rolled rounds of 287-299-286 for a second-place effort of 872.

Trailing the Westerners were Cisco Junior College, 303-298-299 -- 900; Midland College, 314-314-301 -- 929; Weatherford College, 328-316-311 -- 955; and Clarendon College, 330-331-310 -- 971.

Lindsey's efforts of 72-70-70 netted runner-up honors of 212. Behind the freshman were sophomore Chris Bown with a 73-73-69-215 and freshman Billy Sitton with a 71-77-67-215, which tied for third-place medalist.

"WTC would have placed first and second in the senior college field of 11 teams," noted Coach Bob O'Day. "Mary Hardin-Baylor won the senior division with 877. WTC Blue shot 860 and WTC Green, 872. This season (fall and spring) the Westerners have played in eight tournaments, winning four and placing second four times."

WTC will compete in the 36-hole Great Plains Tournament and Conference Tournament at Borger on March 31-April 1. Both rounds will count as a conference tournament, with the second round being a make-up for the snowed out Snyder Tournament, cancelled earlier this year.

WTC BLUE
Britt Lindsey (fresh) 72-70-70-212
Chris Brown (soph) 73-73-69-215
Miller Scott (so) 73-74-70-217
Ronald Koerth (soph) 70-74-72-216
Lee Baird (fresh) 78-76-76-230

WTC GREEN
Billy Sitton (fresh) 71-77-67-215
Don Cofer (fresh) 74-72-72-218
Mike Waller (fresh) 72-74-76-222
Terry Kendrick (soph) 80-73-73-223
Greg Reynolds (fresh) 77-76-74-227

baseball summary

By The Associated Press
Tuesday's Games
Detroit 6, Philadelphia 5
Chicago A 5, Toronto 4
Kansas City 11, New York A 10
Montreal 10, Minnesota 6
Baltimore 11, Texas 7
Houston 5, Cincinnati 1
Los Angeles 6, Atlanta 1
California 5, California Poly Pomona 1
Chicago N 6, Cleveland 5
Seattle 5, Milwaukee 4
San Diego 9, San Francisco 8
New York N 7, St. Louis 3
Boston 5, Pittsburgh 4
Wednesday's Games
Minnesota SS vs. Houston at Cocoa, Fla.
Minnesota SS vs. Montreal at Daytona Beach, Fla.
St. Louis vs. Kansas City at Fort Myers, Fla.
Los Angeles vs. Baltimore at Miami
Atlanta vs. Texas at Pompano Beach, Fla.
Philadelphia vs. Chicago A at Sarasota, Fla.
Seattle vs. Oakland at Mesa, Ariz.
San Francisco vs. California at Palm Springs, Calif.
Cleveland vs. Milwaukee at Sun City, Ariz.
Chicago N vs. San Diego at Yuma, Ariz.
Cincinnati vs. New York N at St. Petersburg, Fla.
Toronto vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla.

pro cage glances

By The Associated Press
National Basketball Association

Eastern Conference	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlantic Division				
x-Phila	50	20	.714	
N York	37	35	.514	14
Boston	28	41	.406	21½
Buffalo	26	44	.371	24
N Jrsy	20	53	.274	31½
Central Division				
S Anton	44	27	.620	
Wash	37	33	.529	6½
N Orlns	36	37	.493	9
Cleve	34	37	.479	10
Atlnta	34	39	.466	11
Houstn	24	49	.329	21
Western Conference				
Midwest Division				
Denver	42	29	.592	
Mlw	38	34	.528	4½
Chcgo	36	37	.493	7
Detroit	33	38	.465	9
Ind	29	43	.403	13½
KC	28	43	.394	14
Pacific Division				
x-Port	55	16	.775	
Phnix	43	30	.589	13
Seattle	39	32	.549	16
Los Ang	38	33	.535	17
Gldn St	35	36	.493	20

x-Clinched Division Title
Tuesday's Games
Washington 119, Boston 107
Kansas City 116, Detroit 111
San Antonio 109, Los Angeles 105
Milwaukee 100, Atlanta 86
Indiana 119, Phoenix 115
Chicago 101, Houston 99
New Orleans 117, New Jersey 114
New York 115, Denver 114
Golden State 111, Buffalo 104
Portland 102, Seattle 96

Netters Rack B-Spring, 7-3

Snyder tennis team defeated Big Spring 5-3 here yesterday afternoon. The dual meet consisted of pro matches, where the best of five sets win.

Coaches Deanna Adams and Wendall Sadler of Big Spring and Coach Bill Boles of Snyder agreed on the type of meet for the purpose of conditioning in preparing for their upcoming district matches, relayed Boles.

Tennis action during the Easter holidays will begin with a dual match pitting Snyder versus Big Spring JV here March 28. On Thursday, March 30 undefeated Snyder and Brownfield will vie for the district team title. Friday and Saturday of next week Snyder will participate in the Seminole Team Tournament.

In boys singles Neal Paige defeated Dale Brown, 6-2, 6-4, 6-3; Bill Little of Big Spring lost to Snyder's Lyn Edmison, 4-6, 6-1, 6-2, 6-1.

In boys doubles Craig McMahon and Wasi Syed of Big Spring defeated Zane Sterling and Jay Wesson in a match that went the full 5 sets, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3, 1-6, 3-6; Jimmy Fowler and Jeff Wesson lost to Barry Fish and Brent Pearce, 7-6, 6-1, 4-6, 6-0.

In girls doubles Kim Harlin and Donna McGee defeated Lesa Burns and Laura Martin, 6-3, 5-4, 6-2, 6-1. Toni and Joni Cline won over Belinda Scott and Shelley Grosshans, 2-6, 2-6, 3-6.

Due to Snyder's Margaret Womack receiving injury in an automobile accident earlier in the day, Billie Owens was the only singles player for the girls, so Billie played both Big Spring girls in single pro sets, defeating Charlotte Beil, 8-5, and Debbie Fulcher, 8-5.

Oilers Sock Medich To Rip Past Rangers

PAMPANO BEACH, Fla. (AP) - The Baltimore Orioles cuffed Doc Medich for 11 hits and nine runs Tuesday, but Texas Rangers Manager Bill Hunter says the shelling might help Medich.

"Doc would make some great pitches then he'd turn around and groove something down the middle," said Hunter after the Orioles clubbed Texas 11-7 in an exhibition game.

"But this ain't all bad that he had an outing like this. It'll give him something to think about before his next outing."

Baltimore pounded out 14 hits, including home runs by Ken Singleton and Larry Harlow.

Ira Net Results

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Girls Singles
Johnston of Wall over Preston of Ira 6-1, 6-1. Kellner of Ira over Halfmann of Paint Rock 6-0, 6-0. Kellner of Ira over Aarons of Wall 2-6, 6-4, 6-3. May of Paint Rock over Kellner of Ira 6-2, 6-2.
Boys Singles
A. Davis of Talpa over Calley of Ira 6-2, 6-2. Mosley of Ira over Brownrigg of Irion County 6-4, 7-5. B. Davis of Talpa over Mosley of Ira 6-1, 6-0.
Girls Doubles
Baker and Monroe of Talpa over Cooley and Cooley of Ira 6-3, 6-2. House and Maupin of Ira over J. Monroe and Jones of Talpa 1-6, 6-3, 6-4. Popnoe and Stephens of Novice over House and Maupin of Ira 6-3, 6-1.
Boys Doubles
Beach and Joiner of Paint Rock over Byars and Mitchell of Ira 6-0, 6-4. Bryant and Phillips of Ira over Reber and Murff of Talpa 4-6, 7-6, 6-4. Meeks and Cobern of Paint Rock over Bryant and Phillips of Ira 7-5, 6-3.
At Big Spring vs Grady
Boys Doubles
Byars and Mitchell won 6-1, 5-7, 6-0. Bryant and Phillips won 7-5, 6-1.
Boys Singles
Calley was defeated 2-6, 1-6. Mosley was defeated 3-6, 1-6.
Girls Doubles
Maupin and House won 7-6, 6-2. Cooley and Cooley won 6-4, 6-1.
Girls Singles
Kellner won 6-0, 6-1. Preston won 7-5, 6-4.

Hearing Set For Would-Be Fem Baseball Player

HOUSTON (AP) - A hearing has been set for Monday in a suit filed by an 18-year-old girl who wants to play on her school's baseball team.

The suit, filed Tuesday by Wheatley High School senior Linda Williams, seeks to prevent the Houston Independent School District and the University Interscholastic League from barring her from the school's competitive baseball program. Miss Williams is seeking a temporary order and preliminary injunction against HISD and the UIL so that she can play on the baseball team before the season ends May 14.

U.S. District Judge Woodrow Seals set the Monday hearing on the request.

The suit said Miss Williams joined the team in January after the school's varsity baseball coach, Lorenzo Jones, requested she come out for the team.

The suit stated that the UIL then informed HISD's Joe Tusa, HISD athletic director, that she was to be barred from the team because girls playing on a boys team would be in violation of the league rules.

As a result of her exclusion, Miss Williams said in the suit, she has been "denied, based solely on her sex, to participate in the sport of baseball in which she is very competent and denied her chance ... to increase her chances of receiving an athletic scholarship."

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Livestock

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Feeder heifers: Good and choice 300-500 lbs 37.00-51.00.

Hogs: 300

200-230 lbs 44.00-44.50. US 2-3 190-230 lbs 43.50-44.00. US 2-3 200-270 lbs 43.00-43.50.

Sows: 500 Lower. US 1-2 400-600 lbs 38.00-

Boars: 300 6[illegible] lbs 26.00. 150-250 lbs 32.00-33.00.

Cotton

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

The average place for strict low middling 1 1-16 inch spot cotton was unchanged at 55.76 cents a pound Tuesday for the 10 leading markets according to the New York Cotton Exchange.

Midday afternoon prices were $1.00 to $1.90 a bale higher than the previous close. May 58.65, Jul. 59.95, and Sep. 61.23.

Grain

CHICAGO (AP) Wheat No. 2 hard red winter 2.99½ Wednesday. No. 2 soft red winter 2.88½. Corn: No. 2 yellow 2.43½ in hopper 2.39½ in box. Oats: No. 2 heavy 1.43½ in store. Oats: No. 2 heavy 1.43½ in. Soybeans: No. 1 yellow 6.81½ in.

No. 2 yellow corn Tuesday was quoted [illegible] in hopper [illegible]

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Coy Rhodes, Rt. 1; Jimmy Boyd, Rt. 2, Mineral Wells; Oletha Kelley, 1901 Coleman; Johnnie McNew, 2511 26th; Rosemary Hernandez, 1107 26th; Wilma Gleghorn, 301 Ave. U; Nolan Treadway, Box 777; Glenda Thomas, Rt. 1; Mario Martinez, 1109 15th; Louise Stevens, 2506 Ave. F; Lawrence Dawson, Box 98; Westbrook; Terrell Beeson, 2316 42nd; Billie Teague, Rt. 3.

DISMISSALS: Aimie Williams, Bill Clements, Stanley Cobb, Nettie Starnes, Lucille Shafer, Oz Roggenstein, Bertha Strawn, Lee McCravey.

Old Rule Forgotten

DENVER (AP) - An eager policeman read the rule book carefully when he was assigned to Stapleton International Airport, then spent his first night on the job flagging down jetliners.

The officer tailed a Frontier Airlines 737 and two United DC-10s, followed each plane to the terminal, went aboard and handed the captain a ticket - for taxiing with his flaps up.

"Our guys were dumbfounded," said United spokesman Don Cannalte.

The patrolman, whom the police department would not identify, had been assigned to the air operations area of the airport for the first time Thursday night.

The rule was instituted in the days of piston-driven airliners to require planes to taxi with their flaps down to block the spray of leaking oil that was common to old-time aviation.

It has been years since the regulation was enforced, said Bob Stapp, an airport spokesman, but it is still on the books.

"It was technically correct, but nobody ever lowers their flaps anymore," said Stapp. He said the citations probably would be dropped.

Church Of God In Revival

The Church of God, located at 21st St. and Avenue O, has special revival services underway, which began Tuesday and will continue through Sunday.

Evangelist Carroll E. Landreth Jr. of Weatherford is the featured speaker for the crusade. He is a 24-year-old licensed minister in the Church of God and has preached in Arkansas, South Carolina and Texas.

The Rev. Lonny Langhennig, pastor of the local church, said the public is invited to all services. There will be special singing, preaching and prayer each evening.

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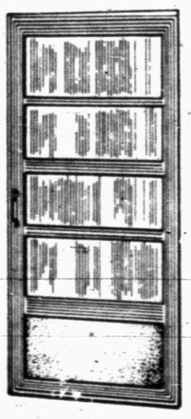

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Don't plan to wait until April 1 to obtain your 1978-79 motor vehicle registration validation sticker. If you do, you may wind up paying a fine for driving with an expired license.

Bob Townsley, director of the Motor Vehicle Division of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, pointed out today that many county-tax offices will be closed on April 1 since that day falls on Saturday this year. In some counties registrations will not be obtainable from Friday, March 31, to Monday, April 3.

Townsley has advised all county tax assessors-collectors that "there is no authority in law for anyone to grant extensions." Whether or not they keep their offices open on Saturday, April 1, is up to them, Townsley said.

The deadline for having validation stickers on vehicle license plates is midnight, falling between April 1 and 2. Local peace officers may arrest any motorist driving with an expired validation sticker on April 2.

The state receives no revenue from penalties invoked for driving without a proper license registration.

The Austin headquarters and regional offices of the DHT Motor Vehicle Division will remain open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. April 1 to assist any county tax officials who need information or other services.

Sensible Sentence For Shoplifters

ATLANTA (AP) - "You are sentenced to write a research paper, make an apology, give two weekends of volunteer service..."

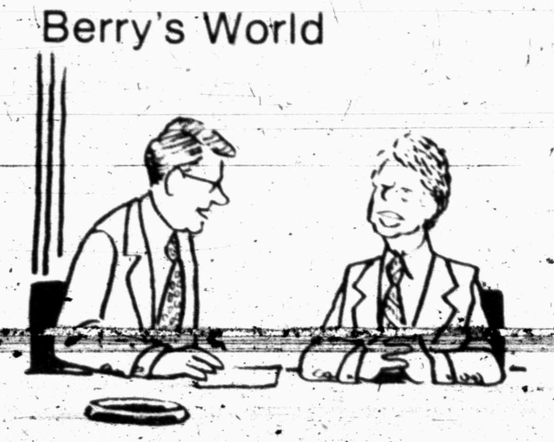
Rex Ruff, president of the Georgia Council of Juvenile Court Judges, doesn't think he is doing anything innovative with his sentencing in shoplifting cases. He believes he is simply doing something that makes sense.

And statistics suggest Judge Ruff's approach is working. In 1976, 212 cases of shoplifting came before his court, but as of Sept. 1, 1977, he had dealt with only 87.

Two of the judge's favorite topics for the paper are "Who Pays for the Cost of Shoplifting?" and "Devices and Means Used to Detect Shoplifters."

Among the British Crown jewels are the two largest cut diamonds in the world, both of which came from a single one-and-a-half pound diamond, says National Geographic.

Berry's World



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Seating Stars Is Tricky Work

HOLLYWOOD (AP) - At Oscar awards time, Don Yott has the least-envied task in Tinseltown. He seats the nominees, including the major stars April 3 when ABC airs the annual Oscar show.

"His is tricky work. Contenders often attach great importance to where they sit, how many allies can sit with them. And what with Hollywood feuds and egos, one star may even refuse to sit near another one.

For three years, Yott has dealt with the delicate matter of where stars bottom out on Oscar night. But he says he's never had a nominee refuse to show up because of the seating arrangements.

Sure, some want to bring two, three or more friends or relatives to sit with them, "and they say they 'absolutely won't come unless I can get those seats,'" Yott says.

"We try to work it out. Eventually they come around ... but not until after considerable phone calls and reasoning," adds the seater in chief for the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences.

As in recent years, April's Oscar show is televised from the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion of the Los Angeles Music Center. About 350 nominees are up for salutes in various categories, Yott says.

But the main action, as far as TV is concerned, is in the front 20 rows, where nominees in major awards for acting, producing and directing are seated.

As a general rule, a nominee can bring only one guest. Space is limited, extremely so in the Front 20, where high-interest folks sit. What happens if anyone there asks to exceed the one-guest limit?"

"It's up to the director then," Yott said, meaning the truly awesome decision of yea or nay to a superstar goes to director Marty Pasetta.

Another question of sit-down sequestering: Do star nominees send advance word they don't want to sit near someone because that someone is an enemy, or worse, an ex-mate?

"No," Yott laughed. "But I should say we are always aware of conflicts, naturally.

Stage Prop Furniture Is Damaged

A weekend intruder at Western Texas College heavily damaged the furniture used as stage props in the drama department's recent production "Barefoot in the Park."

Reports indicate that the wooden furniture was scratched with a sharp instrument, probably sometime early Sunday morning. The furniture was being stored in the faculty lounge.

The furniture was loaned to the drama department for use in the theatrical production by Hoyt Furniture Co.

Police have also been kept busy investigating a theft report and one minor traffic accident.

Jay Roemisch told officers that a tire and wheel were stolen from the bed of his pickup truck while the vehicle was parked at a local bowling alley. Value of the loss was set at $35. The incident was reported to police Tuesday.

Monday police investigated a minor mishap at the intersection of 25th St. and Ave. Q. Involved in the collision were a 1968 Chevrolet driven by Oscar Hooper and a 1973 Dodge driven by John Johnson. The accident was reported at 1:25 p.m.

High School Education Vital For Future Jobs

WASHINGTON (AP) - There will be 17 million more jobs available in the United States by 1985, but you'd better stay in school, the Labor Department says.

A high school education has become the minimum standard for entry for most jobs, Labor Secretary Ray Marshall said Tuesday while releasing the department's massive Occupational Outlook Handbook.

The volume comes out every two years. It describes various jobs, what qualifications are required, working conditions and earnings, job prospects and chances for advancement.

Potential employment in various occupations through 1985 is assessed in the handbook.

According to the new edition, there will be outstanding growth in clerical work, particularly for cashiers, receptionists and secretaries.

On the other hand, prospects are dim for compositors, historians, mathematicians and newspaper reporters.

Discussing the educational requirements, Marshall said even a four-year college degree is not the sure ticket to a good job that it once was. He said that in recent years, more and more college graduates have been forced to seek employment fields not traditionally entered by college graduates.

Overall, the handbook says, the growth of the economy is expected to create 17 million new jobs by 1985. And 29 million workers will be needed to replace people who die or retire.

Also among the job markets expected to expand rapidly are positions for service workers such as chefs, cosmetologists, guards, police officers and nurses' aides.

The handbook cited an increasing demand for medical care and security. And it said rising levels of income should cause more frequent use of restaurants, beauty salons and leisure services.

Among occupations with good growth prospects that do not require a college degree, the handbook lists insulation workers, police officers, sub-professional health workers, clerical workers and repairers of a variety of products ranging from automobiles.

3 Grass Fires Are Reported

Three grass fires were extinguished Tuesday by city firefighters.

The first fire occurred north of the Monsanto Gas Plant about 11:40 a.m.

The second fire took place about five miles from town on the Old Lubbock Highway and was reported at 12:14 p.m.

The final grass fire of the day was two to three miles outside town on the Colorado City Highway. The fire was reported at 3:55 p.m.

Steve Ford Inks With Rodeo Team

LOS ANGELES (AP)- Steve Ford, the 21-year-old son of former President Gerald Ford, is riding high in a new job - calf roper and chief public spokesman for a professional rodeo team.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Fincher

Mrs. Nancy Ann Fincher, 94, died at 4 a.m. today in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Funeral service has been set for 2 p.m. Friday at the Bell-Seale Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. R. Virgil Mott officiating. Burial will be in the Snyder Cemetery, under direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

A native of Arkansas, she was married on Oct. 6, 1901, to William Henry Fincher. He preceded her in death on Dec. 6, 1965.

Surviving are three daughters, Ethel McCoy and Mrs. H.E. Morris, both of Snyder, and Velma Kirby of Tampa, Fla.; six sons; Monroe Fincher of Carthage, Mo., Finis Fincher of Fort Worth, Ernest Fincher of Longview, J.J. Fincher of Poteau, Okla., Marvin Fincher of Daingerfield and Herman Fincher of Oliver Springs, Tenn.; 37 grandchildren, 87 great-grandchildren and 24 great-great-grandchildren.

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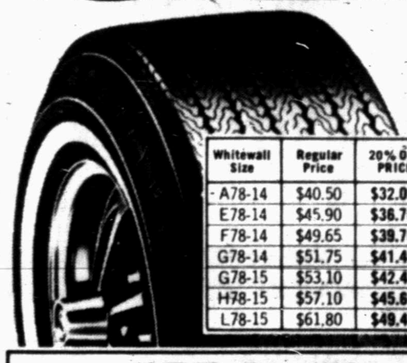

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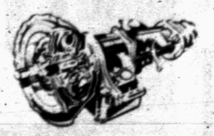

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Revenue Up, But CRWMD Net Off

Slightly higher revenues and considerably higher operating expenses featured the February financial statement of the Colorado River Municipal Water District. This translates simply into costing more to produce less water sales.

For the first two months of the year, revenues aggregated $1,049,542, compared with $1,011,550 for the same period a year ago. Revenues from municipal customers were up $77,000, but sales to oil companies and industrial users were off sharply.

Operating expenses for the two months stood at $485,218, up $107,000, almost the same amount as the increase in energy costs for producing water.

The net of $564,342 after expenses was down by $68,000 over a year ago. Most of this excess of revenue over expenditures goes to debt service.

During the initial two months, water sales to cities were based on 1,600,005,000 gallons, up 127,000,000 from the first two months of 1977. On the other hand, deliveries to oil companies were down 307,321,000 gallons. Most of this loss was attributed to a reduction of one half from Lake J.B. Thomas as a conservation measure. For the first two months, pumping from this source was down 378,000,000 gallons.

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T. DON. STACY

Stacy To Address SPE Session Here

T. Don Stacy, Amoco Production Co. research manager in Tulsa, will be the speaker Thursday evening at a meeting of the Society of Petroleum Engineers of AIME. The meeting is set for 6:30 p.m. at the Snyder Country Club.

Stacy is treasurer of the SPE of AIME. He was appointed by the board at the annual fall meeting in Denver and is serving a three-year term as treasurer and member of the SPE executive committee.

A Houston native, Stacy holds bachelor of science and master of science degrees from Louisiana Polytechnic Institute and a PhD from Mississippi State University where he formerly taught petroleum engineering.

He has held various positions with Amoco in Canada and the U.S. since 1967. He joined SPE in 1956 and was chairman of the Well Completions Technical Committee for the 1970 fall meeting. He has served on several other committees, been involved in OTC and Gulf Coast Section activities, and is the author of two papers published in SPE technical journals.

The title of his address Thursday night will be "Recent Development in Enhanced Oil Recovery in West Texas."

Pryor To Court

LOS ANGELES (AP)-Comedian Richard Pryor goes to court May 1 to face charges of assault and vandalism.

Pryor, who is free on $5,000 bond, pleaded innocent Friday to two counts of assault and one count of vandalism stemming from a domestic argument at his home during a New Year's celebration.

Three Months Search For Boy Ends At Pool

By MARK BRUNSWICK
Associated Press Writer

ALEXANDRIA, Ky. (AP)-Wells were drained, sewers searched. The woods and hills that might be hiding 5-year-old Keith Holliday were scoured by hundreds of volunteers.

The search went nationwide the Hollidays offering a $10,000 reward. Ads with the boy's picture, paid for by contributions from around the country, were placed in major metropolitan papers.

Judy Holliday vowed for several days that the family Christmas tree would stay up until her son returned. The decorations eventually were put away.

It had been three months since Keith disappeared last Dec. 21. His body was found Tuesday, after Mrs. Holliday's mother looked out the kitchen window and saw a blue cap floating on the slowly-thawing backyard swimming pool.

"We haven't performed an autopsy but it looks like an accidental death," Campbell County Coroner Fred Stine said. "He apparently fell in over the side. He couldn't have stood up since the water was at least four feet high. The water was very cold so he must have died pretty quickly."

Kentucky State Police Lt. John Akers said the 16-foot wide pool had been searched several times since Keith disappeared. The above-ground pool is not fenced and has no ladder.

"There was a layer of algae that is probably the reason we were not able to see him before now," Akers said.

Ironically, the youngster was afraid of the pool, according to the Hollidays' next-door neighbor, Margie Collins.

"Water was the only thing he was afraid of as far as I know," she said. "The only time he'd go into the pool is with a life preserver and he'd come out quickly."

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Texas Murders Up 13.3%; Fifth Are Family Affair

AUSTIN (AP)-Murder claimed 1,708 lives in Texas last year, and one out of five of the killings was a family affair, reports Col. Wilson Speir, director of the Department of Public Safety.

The overall crime rate fell 1.3 percent but only because theft, the most prevalent major crime, decreased by 7 percent. All other major crimes showed increases.

Speir said Tuesday preliminary figures showed that in 41 percent of the murders the murderer and victim knew each other and in 20.8 percent of the cases the victim was a family member.

The total of 1,708 murders was 189 more than in 1976, an increase of 13.3 percent.

Guns were the murder weapons in 68 percent of the slayings, Speir said in a statement. He added that 81 percent of the murders were cleared by an arrest.

There was at least one major crime every 46 seconds in Texas during 1977, Speir said, with only 23 percent cleared by arrests.

Rape rose from 3,666 cases to 4,334; robbery 17,352 to 19,524; aggravated assault 21,885 to 26,687, and burglary 193,280 to 205,761.

Motor vehicle theft rose from 43,871 to 50,896, but larceny theft decreased from 400,767 to 383,075.

Property valued at more than $328 million was stolen during 1977, with approximately $211 million never recovered.

Of the 691,985 estimated offenses, nearly 90 percent occurred in urban areas, with some two-thirds of the major crimes reported from cities over 100,000 population.

Speir said a separate report indicates there were 60,211 drug arrests in 1977, an increase of 7,422 from 1976. A total of 7,386 were juveniles 16 or younger.

Four Texas law officers were killed in the line of duty by felons, compared with 12 the previous year. The victims were a Zapata constable, and San Antonio, Fort Worth and Longview officers.

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This morning my husband told me he promised the guys at work he'd open the fishing season with them, which means he'll be gone next weekend. (He forgot that Saturday is our anniversary.)

Our 17-year-old daughter came home from her date an hour later than her curfew, and I was half crazy worrying about her.

Maybe I shouldn't complain about my boys. My neighbor has two the ages of mine—one is in a wheelchair and will never walk, and the other is a deaf mute.

About my husband: I suppose I should thank God he's able to go fishing. My sister's husband died of cancer six months ago, and they'll never celebrate another anniversary together.

And my daughter is really a good girl. She's well-behaved and popular, and this is the first time she's ever come home later than she promised.

After writing this I realize that my problems aren't really as bad as I thought they were, but I think I'll mail it anyway. Some folks only think they've got serious problems until they look at somebody else's.

LUCKIER THAN MOST

DEAR LUCKIER: I'm glad you mailed it. I'm sure a lot of people will be better able to face their problems today because of your letter.

DEAR ABBY: I typed a long, newsy letter to my sister and she returned it with corrections in spelling and grammar.

I was very hurt, so I called her up and told her so. (We are both college graduates, but she works in the editorial department of a magazine.)

She apologized, saying that as a professional proofreader, she couldn't help herself. She also said I should appreciate her corrections and shouldn't be so touchy.

Abby, I do NOT appreciate her corrections. She has always been very critical of everything I do, and I've never been able to meet her standards.

I don't feel like writing to her anymore, knowing she will read my letter and look for mistakes.

Am I wrong to feel this way? Or is she wrong to proofread my personal letters? How would you handle this?

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DEAR NOT: You are justified in feeling as you do. Call your sister or write her a brief note advising her that if she can't control the urge to proofread your letters, this is "30"—meaning, "the end."

DEAR ABBY: We are from the West Coast and we're quite friendly with two couples who are from the East Coast. When we dine out together, my husband always asks the waiter for separate checks.

Our Eastern friends say they don't do it that way where they come from. They say they have everything put on one check and settle up afterward by splitting the bill three ways.

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HEALTH

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Troubling test results

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I am a 48-year-old woman. I'm a teacher and do not smoke or drink. I exercise by riding my bike a mile a day and have no real mental stress.

A year ago my cholesterol was 240. After a few months on a very strict 1000-calorie, low cholesterol diet and losing 22 pounds with the diet and exercise my count was 250. Since then I have kept my cholesterol intake quite low but have gained back 12 of the 22 pounds I lost. I eat very little meat, pork about once a month and steak about once a week with fish and chicken once a day in small amounts.

I don't use saturated fats and use only corn oil and polyunsaturated margarines. After a year of this my count was 255. Could you give me some information on how serious this is? What are my chances of a complication such as a stroke or a heart attack? What do you suggest I try next?

DEAR READER — I suggest you relax but don't go to pot fat-wise. Office and many laboratory tests of cholesterol tend to be about 10 to 15 percent higher than the values used from epidemiological research studies. So your value by research methods might be closer to 220, which means a minimal risk for a woman with normal blood pressure who doesn't smoke.

You are following the right pattern in general with your diet, but you should try to stay lean and avoid increasing your fat deposits for a large number of health reasons.

Those variations in your cholesterol levels are all within the range that you might expect with different tests.

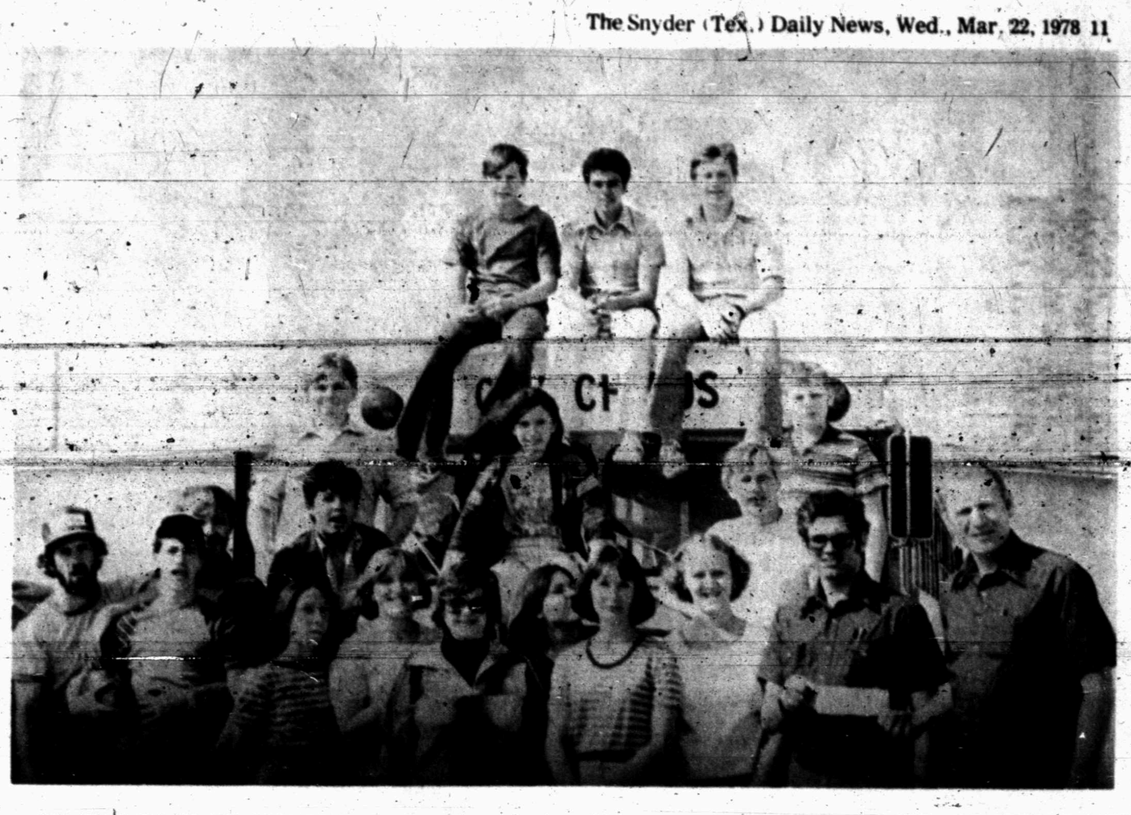
To give you a summary of what diet you should be following I am sending you The Health Letter number 1-3, Diet, Preventing Atherosclerosis. Others who want this issue can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I am interested in your opinion of the benefits of honey to the general health of a body, and especially the part which honey may play in developing a stronger and healthier heart. I have heard of various benefits that are derived from the consumption of honey, but I would like a medical opinion of its value.

DEAR READER — Special health benefits from honey are folklore and not facts. The simple truth is that honey contains no significant amounts of vitamins or minerals. It is almost all sugar and water. The sugar in honey is fructose and glucose. The only difference in the honey sugar and table sugar is that fructose and glucose are chemically combined in table sugar. This is changed in the small intestine where enzymes convert table sugar to the same single sugars, fructose and glucose, that are naturally in honey.

Honey contains a carcinogen, meaning it may stimulate the formation of cancer, although there are no identified cases of cancer from the use of honey. Dr. Thomas H. Jukes cited this in a recent review in the New England Journal of Medicine (August 25, 1977) and the original report was from Science. The carcinogen comes from the pollen used in making honey.

So honey, a natural food, like some other food substances of so-called synthetic origin, is not completely perfect. Honey is no different in this regard than sugar. When calories have to be limited all sweets need to be limited.



ON THE ROAD TO MONTERREY — The Rev. Glenn Border hands Eddie Skains a $1,000 check for aid to a church in Monterrey, Mex., at right foreground, as this group from Calvary Baptist Church in Snyder prepares to depart Tuesday afternoon for Monterrey. The local church helps support the Monterrey church and the local group of young people will help do mission work during their Easter holiday from school. They are due to return to Snyder on Saturday. (SDN Staff Photo)

Poison Prevention Week Observance Is Underway

As few as three or four iron pills can kill a young child.

That was one of the warnings issued by Pharmacist Robert R. Patterson as National Poison Prevention Week officially began in the United States. Patterson is local chairman for the Poison Prevention Education Committee of the Central West Texas Pharmaceutical Association.

"Most people only think of powerful drugs and household cleansers when they consider accidental poisonings," Patterson stated. "But, as few as three or four iron sulfate tablets can be toxic to a child. Other seemingly innocuous drugs and agents can be even more deadly."

President Carter has proclaimed the week of March 19-25 as National Poison Prevention Week, emphasizing that more than 100,000 accidental poisonings occur in America each year. Almost three-fourths of the victims are children under five years of age.

Patterson offers this drug safety advice for Poison Prevention Week and every week:

—Store all medicines out of the reach of children; preferably in locked cabinets or closets.

—Always refer to medicine by its proper name -- never call it "candy".

—Take or give medicine in well-lighted rooms and always read the label.

—Clean out medicine cabinets regularly, and flush unused medication down the drain.

—Use prescription medication only for the patient for whom it was ordered.

—Always return medicines to a safe storage place -- not on furniture or counters.

—Use safety packaging properly -- by closing the container securely after use.

"Despite these precautions, it is still possible that someone in your home may ingest a potentially toxic substance," warned Pharmacist Patterson. "It is important that you know what to do. Call your physician immediately. Don't wait for symptoms to appear. If you cannot reach your physician, call the hospital emergency room. Be prepared to tell the physician the name of the product and the quantity ingested. Follow your physicians instructions exactly.

"Every household with young children should have a one-ounce container of Syrup of Ipecac for inducing vomiting if instructed to do so by the physician. This product may be obtained at any pharmacy. A Counterdose Chart should be inside every medicine chest. Such a chart can save a life in an emergency, and will help you prepare for unexpected poisonings. These charts are available at all pharmacies in our area.

"Your pharmacist is eager to help you prepare for the unexpected. Consult him on how you can keep your family safe from accidental poisoning. Remember -- for every child accidentally poisoned, there is an adult responsible. Are you a responsible adult?"

CHOICES

Karen Blaker Ph.D.

Anatomy of a fight

By Karen Blaker, Ph.D.

DEAR DR. BLAKER — My husband and I have been married for eight years. We have a good relationship — but we fight about the same thing so often.

I want him to tell me what time he will be home from work so I can have dinner ready. He thinks I'm asking too much. He wants to be free to accept an invitation for drinks with business associates or friends after work — even at the last minute.

He feels I am being overly rigid. I think he is just plain selfish.

Every time he walks in late, I think, "Here we go again. Why doesn't he learn?" And we have the same fight. This happens about twice a week. What can we do to stop this incessant fighting?

DEAR READER — Chronic complaints are common in most marriages. Some couples accept them on the grounds that, if they get along otherwise, allowing one predictable (and manageable) fight to reoccur can release pent-up hostilities.

I disagree with this approach. Ending such struggles is better for the marriage. Here are several steps that may help:

Step 1: Dissect the fight by writing down your version of how it starts, who says what to whom, and how it ends. Have your husband do the same thing. Once you agree on the anatomy of the fight, you will be ready to move to Step 2.

Step 2: Call a truce. Do not repeat the same fight unless you or your husband has something NEW to add about his or her feelings.

Step 3: Use the time and energy you would have expended on the fight to discuss the underlying reasons why this particular conflict has occurred so regularly. You may fear, for instance, that his spontaneity is merely a cover for meetings with other women.

Step 4: Once the real issues are clarified, agree on a compromise solution that will make a reoccurrence of the fight unlikely.

Repetitive fighting is usually caused by feelings of insecurity. Bringing those feelings out into the open should elicit a reassuring response.

At that point, the fight itself will probably seem unimportant. Then, when the fight is about to reoccur, the repetitive ritual can be bypassed to concentrate on the real issue — why the feelings of insecurity.

Intimacy without conflict is impossible. If you truly care about another person and try to achieve closeness, differences will emerge that must be worked out.

With your repetitive fight under control, you can concentrate on more constructive fighting. Fighting, if done fairly, can be an effective device to achieve greater intimacy.

Write to Dr. Blaker in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019. Volume of mail prohibits personal replies, but questions of general interest will be discussed in future columns.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

'Yankee Doodle' Is State Song

HARTFORD, Conn. (AP) - "Yankee Doodle" has overcome "Boola Boola," to become Connecticut's state song despite arguments that the Yale fight song was better because it is meaningless.

The legislation, approved 23-11 Thursday by the state Senate, now goes to Gov. Ella Grasso for her expected approval.

Senate Majority Leader Joseph Lieberman, a New Haven Democrat and a Yale graduate, lost the battle for "Boola Boola."

He argued that because the lyrics to "Boola Boola" are "boola boola" sung over and over, the song could not offend anyone. The version of Yankee Doodle adopted by the Legislature, on the other hand, says "and with the folks be handy" instead of "and with the girls be handy" because of alleged bawdy and sexist overtones.

The wildebeest can attain a maximum speed of 50 miles per hour.

ASTRO-GRAPH

Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

March 23, 1978

You may dream about those faraway places you'd like to visit, but true success and happiness will be found in your own backyard this coming year. Don't miss seeing the forest for the tress.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You could make a big mistake where your work is concerned if you permit your attention to wander. Concentrate on the task at hand. Having trouble selecting a career? Send for your copy of Astro-Graph Letter. Mail 50 cents for each and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019. Be sure to specify your birth sign.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Your optimism can make you gullible in business matters today. Your common sense won't desert you if you'll only rely on it.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Any doubts you have about a major decision that affects the family should not be ignored. Discuss it with all parties concerned and proceed cautiously.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You're barking up the wrong tree if you think today's tasks can be swept under the rug. Postponing the job only adds extra headaches.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) A self-centered outlook today impels you to be extravagant with your own resources as well as those of others. The indulgence could be costly.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Comparing your family members' abilities to outsiders' talents is unrealistic and insulting. Don't expect more of your kin than you're able to give.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You're restless, easily bored and the normal tensions of the day could unduly irritate you. Your disposition changes when you bury yourself in your work.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Don't be taken by a friend's tale of woe today. Before opening your heart and your purse, do some independent investigating.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) It's just a figment of your imagination if you think others can't wait to help you today. Success will be denied unless you do the job yourself.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Don't jump to conclusions based upon hearsay or partial information. It will be inaccurate and you could find yourself in over your head.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) There's a warning for you to tread cautiously in using friends in business situations. This is one day where sentiments don't blend well with commerce.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Don't let a family member make you feel guilty because you want to spend some time with friends today. It's selfishness on his or her part.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

Herrmann Stars In 'Brass Target'

NEW YORK (AP) - Actor Edward Herrmann will portray an Army colonel in MGM's upcoming film "Brass Target," which also features Sophia Loren, John Cassavetes, Max Von Sydow, Patrick McGoohan, Robert Vaughn and Bruce Davidson. He was named Best Actor in 1977 by the T.V. Critics Circle for his "White House Years" performance.

There were 71 cities worldwide that had populations of one million or more in 1950. By 1975, this figure had jumped to 181, says the Population Reference Bureau.

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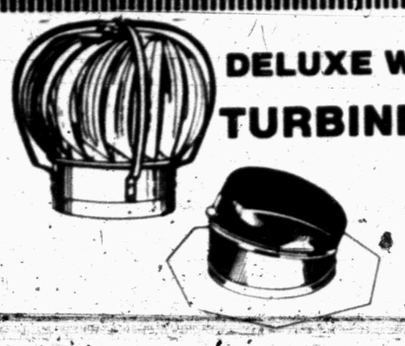

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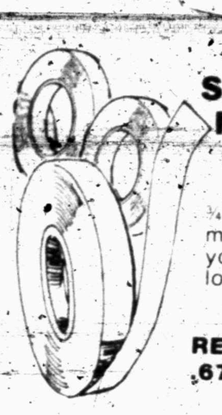

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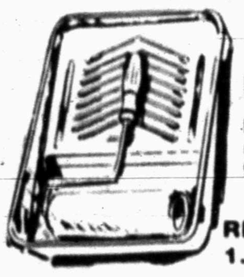

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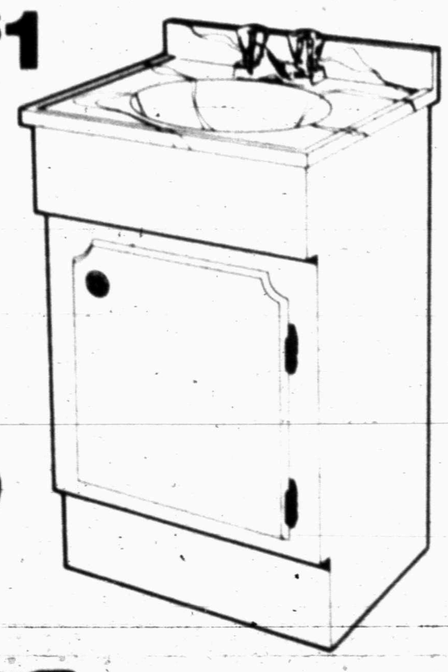

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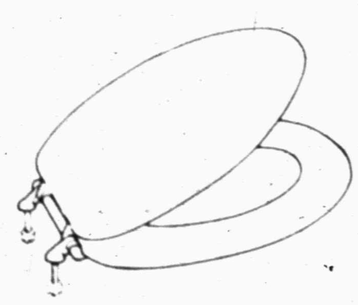

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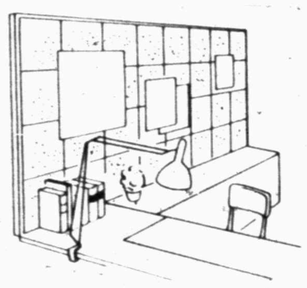

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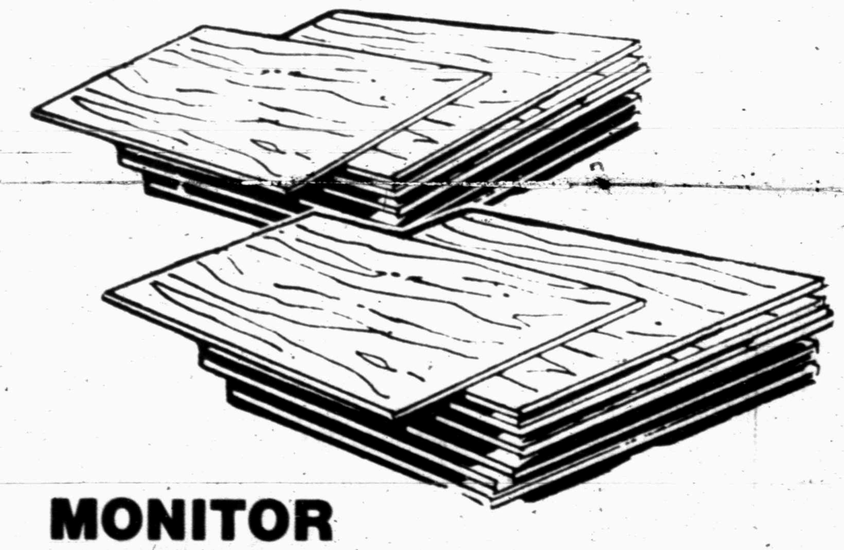

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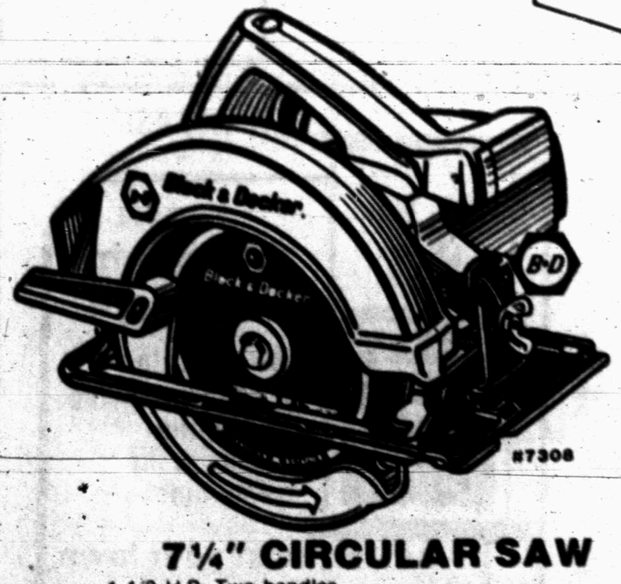

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