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Rumors of release can't be confirmed

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — A Christian-controlled radio station said today the kidnappers of American hostages Terry A. Anderson and Thomas Sutherland would hand the two over to Anglican Church envoy Terry Waite.

In London, Anglican Church spokesman John Miles said the church learned this afternoon from a Druse militia contact in Beirut that Waite — now in his fourth day of talks with the captors — was well and continuing his efforts to free foreign hostages.

Miles gave no details of what the church was told by the militia contact, but said Waite had made it clear much of his work would be "low key and out of the public eye."

The Voice of Lebanon report said Waite was negotiating with the captors in the Syrian-controlled Bekaa Valley in eastern Lebanon and that Anderson and Sutherland would be turned over to him in the ancient

city of Baalbek. Both men were kidnapped in 1985.

The radio cited no source for its information, and its report could not be confirmed independently. It continued to broadcast the report during the day.

Also today, gunmen abducted two men believed to be foreigners in Moslem west Beirut, witnesses said.

The Voice of Lebanon report said Waite was meeting in Baalbek with officials of the Iranian-backed Hezbollah, the most militant Shiite Moslem faction in Lebanon.

The radio report said Hezbollah was making "stiffer demands" in the talks, and that a note containing these demands was handed to the Anglican Church envoy.

The radio said Waite was trying to obtain letters from the two hostages to deliver to their families in case he fails to win their release.

The kidnappings of Anderson and Sutherland were claimed by Islamic Jihad, a pro-Iranian Shiite group be-

lieved linked to Hezbollah.

The Voice of Lebanon has in the past made inaccurate reports on Moslem affairs.

Police said they received unconfirmed reports that today's two kidnap victims were West Germans who called on their embassy in West Beirut minutes before being abducted.

But in Bonn, West German Foreign Ministry spokesman Hans Gnodtke said the government did not know whether the two men were Germans. The West German Embassy in Beirut refused to comment.

At least four Lebanese witnesses said five gunmen in a gray Mercedes seized the two victims in Pavillion Street off west Beirut's commercial district of Hamra at about 9:30 a.m.

Police, however, said there were four gunmen in a curtained black BMW.

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More Beirut kidnappings reported

BONN, West Germany (AP) — Chancellor Helmut Kohl declined comment today on reports that two more West Germans were kidnapped in the Lebanese capital today.

"I can neither confirm that nor say anything about it," he told a news conference. "My information is probably the same as yours, that being an agency report I received a couple of minutes ago."

Witnesses in Lebanon said two men believed to be foreigners were kidnapped in west Beirut today. Lebanese police said they received un-

confirmed reports the two are West Germans who had called on their embassy minutes earlier.

The chancellor also refused to say anything about the fate of two West Germans — Rudolf Cordes and Alfred Schmidt — missing and reported abducted in Lebanon.

"Please understand that at this point in our efforts we will not say anything further," Kohl said.

Other officials said they had no word on whether Cordes and Schmidt are alive. Both men were kidnapped after West German officials arrested a Lebanese wanted in

the United States in the 1985 TWA hijacking to Beirut. The hijackers killed a U.S. navy diver aboard the plane.

Cordes, a 53-year-old businessman, was abducted Saturday after arriving in west Beirut. Schmidt, a 47-year-old engineer, disappeared from his west Beirut hotel Tuesday night.

Lebanese police said both men were kidnapped, but West German officials said they don't know what happened to Schmidt because they haven't heard from anyone claiming to hold him.

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SPARKS PARK



Marking the park

Frank Hernandez, a Parks and Recreation employee for the City of Midland, puts the finishing touches on the Sparks Park sign.

Healthy baby born despite fiery flight

ROXTON (AP) — Doctors successfully performed a Caesarian section on a northeast Texas woman after she jumped off a roof during a house fire, officials said.

Kim Lahman, 25, gave birth to a healthy baby after the incident in which she also saved her 4-year son by pushing him off the 14-foot-high porch roof.

She was recovering from burns and a broken ankle and was listed in stable condition at L.P. McCuiston Hospital in Paris, said hospital spokesman Derold Bulls.

The baby boy's name is Adam William, said her husband, Darrell Lahman, who was at his night job at a factory in this northeast Texas community when the fire broke out late Wednesday night.

Their son, Noah, was not hurt, said Lahman.

"They heard the smoke and fire detectors go off and they got up, made it downstairs and she got the door open and sent my 4-year-old over to the next-door neighbors to try and get some help," Lahman said.

"Noah got the people up next door, and he came back to the house, went back inside and went back upstairs where she was at," Lahman said.

The wife apparently had returned upstairs to try and rescue some pets when she and the boy could not get out, Lahman said. None of the seven dogs and several exotic birds could be saved.

"By then, they couldn't get down the stairs, so they went into our spare bedroom and she broke the window out and got out onto the porch roof," he said. "From there, she pushed Noah off, about a 14-foot drop, and then she jumped off."

Mrs. Lahman tried to crawl through some burning debris and was rescued by neighbors and people driving by who saw the blaze and stopped to help, Lahman said.

UTPB's research spending down in 1986

By STEVE LEVINE
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Research spending at Texas' public universities rose 15.5 percent last year but declined 14.2 percent at the University of Texas at the Permian Basin, the state College and University System Coordinating Board reported Thursday.

Overall research funding at the state's 44 senior public universities and health science centers totaled

\$542.8 million in fiscal 1986, up \$72.7 million from the year before. Much of the increase came from federal research grants and private donations.

"It is a positive sign that we are seeing such significant increases in research funding despite the downturn in the state's economy and tighter funding for higher education," said Higher Education Commissioner Kenneth Ashworth. "The gains reflect growing national recog-

nition of the quality of research at our universities."

At UTPB, fiscal 1986 research spending totaled \$66,527, down \$10,987 from fiscal 1985. UTPB's research expenditures account for 0.02 percent of the state's total. Institutionally controlled funds provided 86 percent of UTPB's totals and the state 14 percent.

UTPB's major research grants in-

cluded \$32,760 for history; \$23,121 for psychology; and \$10,646 for interdepartmental research.

While the depressed economy had no effect on funding for other public universities, the 14 percent decrease reported by UTPB is directly tied to budget cuts and faltering oil industry. Chief Business Officer Bruce Revell said.

"When you cut your budget by 13 percent, guess what?" he said.

Revell added, however, that the decrease has little or no effect on future research funding for the university.

"We got one new contract that we haven't gotten before and that was from the federal government," he said. "Requests for '87 are up, but we don't have the money in the bank yet."

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YMCA rejects federal funds for northeast branch

By RAMONA NYE
Staff Writer

The YMCA's 15 directors here voted unanimously Thursday to reject about \$363,000 in federal money granted two years ago to build a northeast branch.

"We're going ahead with the project. Just because we turned down government money doesn't mean we're not going ahead," said Dur-

ward Owen, YMCA's general director.

The former \$1.3 million branch will be reduced to a \$1 million project, but Owen said the directors may not have to cut out any planned recreational areas.

"We don't know that we're going to have to cut back on anything yet. It will probably require redesigning the building somewhat, maybe making it smaller."

"We want to keep as many of the

features as possible that were originally designed," Owen said.

The board's decision Thursday will free the sports complex from a more than two-year standstill as YMCA directors attempted to meet U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development regulations.

The City Council granted YMCA about \$363,000 in Community Development Grant Block funds in 1984. But attempts to meet federal regulations have delayed the 28,000-

square-foot building's construction.

Requirements to hire an architect and workers at wages higher than Midland's average pay scale held up final approval, Owen said.

Also, recent requirements to not mix church and state and give federal money to a organization with Christian references in its preamble delayed the project.

"There is still a good chance that even if we had continued we would have never qualified for the funds,"

Owen said.

The organization's preamble makes specific references to the Christian faith asking members to put Christian principles into practice and to develop faith for daily living based on the teachings of Jesus.

"It (the preamble and objectives) very specifically has spiritual rhetoric in it. We don't know if we might have been able to work through those," Owen said.

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Ranger killed in rescue attempt

HORSESHOE BAY (AP) — A suspect in two kidnappings found two Texas Rangers waiting for him in the back seat of his car and shot one of officers to death before the other killed him, officials said today.

The ranger who survived the Thursday night shootout grabbed a 2-year-old kidnap victim from the car's front seat and shielded her

with his body before opening fire. Department of Public Safety spokesman David Wells said.

Later, the body of the other kidnap victim, a live-in maid, was found at the girl's home in this resort community, Wells said.

Ranger Stan Guffey, 40, of Brady died in a Burnet hospital late Thurs-

day night, Wells said. Guffey was the first Ranger to be killed in the line of duty since 1978.

The suspect — Brent Albert Beeler, 23, of Houston — died at the scene of the shooting on Lake Lyndon B. Johnson in this community west of Marble Falls, Well said.

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Sharp outlines his objectives for PBPA

By JOHN PAUL PITTS
Business/Oil Editor

Newly elected Texas Railroad Commissioner John Sharp says his objectives as a commissioner will be to make the Commission more accessible and efficient.

Sharp told the Permian Basin Petroleum Association directors and Executive Committee at Midland Petroleum Club Thursday that he is seeking an end to the Administrative Procedures Act, which under rules of ex parte prohibit Railroad Com-

missioners from speaking to constituents on issues under consideration. Said Sharp: "It not right that you send a candidate out to campaign for two years, elect him then tell the voters they can't talk to him."

He said the Act was too often used by commissioners to hide from the issues, by pleading ex parte. "We are not hired to hide from controversy," Sharp said, "but to get right in the middle of it."

He said a new bill he had drafted would allow commissioners to talk to all parties involved and attempt to find the middle ground in an issue.

He also said such a bill could serve as a catalyst to help other state agencies which have appointed officials to remove themselves from the ex parte burden.

Sharp predicted that there would be strong opposition from lawyers for repeal of the Administrative Procedures Act. "It has made it so complicated that a citizen cannot go to Austin and tend to his own affairs without a lawyer. As a result, it has made a lot of \$50,000 lawyers into millionaires. Whole careers have been based on the Act."

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Big Sping power plant construction to begin

By DEANNA J. NEAL
Business/Oil Writer

Groundbreaking for a \$100,000 electric cogeneration plant in Big Spring is scheduled for Feb. 11, bringing at least 300 jobs to the Permian Basin.

The facility, to be operated by Houston-based Power Resources Inc., will be located adjacent to the Cosden Refinery east of Big Spring.

An estimated 300 construction jobs will be created when around-the-clock construction begins on the cogeneration facility. Twenty-four hour construction will be required because of existing commitments to provide electricity by this summer, according to LeRoy Tillery, executive vice president of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce. He adds that the plant site is currently being cleared to begin construction of the cogeneration plant which will sell electricity to Texas Utilities Electric Co. and provide steam for use in the refining process at Cosden.

The contract has been awarded to Century Contractors West, and project engineer is Hawker-Sidley, both based in Houston. Falcon-Sea-board will provide natural gas to fire the plant when completed, Tillery says.

Cosden will close down its existing steam generation plant once the new facility is completed. The cogeneration concept is to generate electricity from waste heat and reuse the steam used to power the generator turbines. It has been estimated that cogeneration can improve the efficiency of a plant by as much as 80 or 90 percent.

Filipino military says troops 'overreacted' when they fired

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — The military said today troops "overreacted" when they fired on militant farmers marching toward the presidential palace, killing at least 12 and wounding 94. Leftists denounced the shooting and threatened more protests.

The regional military commander for central Luzon, Brig. Gen. Eugenio Ocampo Jr., placed troops in the six provinces north of Manila on full alert against "disgruntled elements of the military and unscrupulous civilians" who may try "to destabilize the present government."

The clash Thursday on Mendiola Bridge about 300 yards from the palace was the bloodiest street battle since President Corason Aquino took office Feb. 25 following a near bloodless people's revolt that toppled President Ferdinand E. Marcos.

The government said 12 people were killed and 54 others remain hospitalized, most with gunshot wounds. Hospitals had the same death count, but said 94 people were wounded.

Government radio put the death toll at 15, and some newspapers counted 16 dead and 15 others in

critical condition with gunshot wounds.

An estimated 10,000 protesters, organized by the militant Movement of Philippine Farmers, marched on the palace after holding a rally downtown to demand land reform.

Elite Philippine marines guarding the palace following recent coup rumors opened fire when the marchers tried to push through police ranks.

An American community service worker, visiting the Philippines with a church group to study rural life, said the troops fired without

warning.

"I heard shots and thought they were firing blanks at first," said Janie Moore, director of the Petersfield Human Services Corp., in Yonge's Island, S.C.

"Then I saw five people in the street with blood coming from their wounds. The police didn't warn the marchers before firing and the shots were made indiscriminately into the crowd of onlookers which included women and schoolchildren."

The Armed Forces General Headquarters blamed the incident on a "lack of dialogue."

"It was further observed that the peacekeeping forces overreacted to the situation," the military said in a statement issued today.

It said military chief Gen. Fidel V. Ramos ordered commanders to cooperate with a presidential commission investigating the shooting.

The military commander of the capital, Gen. Ramon Montano, on Thursday defended his troops' actions and blamed the violence on the demonstrators. Mrs. Aquino said Montano would go on leave.

Leftists announced plans for a series of "indignation rallies" starting

Monday to protest the killings.

"In less than one year, the Aquino regime has outdone its fascist predecessor in the scale of violence against the people right in metro Manila," said the leftist Partido ng Bayan, or Peoples Party. "The Aquino government cannot wash its hands of its responsibility for this bloody incident."

Ricardo Mariano, a leader of the Movement of Militant Farmers, vowed leftists would return to Mendiola Bridge "early next week to pursue our cause now that we have paid a high price for it."

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A storm system dumped snow on the New York City area, making wintry sculptures of bicycles parked outside Rockefeller Center.

'Classic Nor'easter' moves deadly force into Canada

Associated Press

A paralyzing winter storm blamed for at least nine deaths from the Deep South to New England moved into Canada early today as plows and road-sanders moved up and down the snowed-in Atlantic Coast to clear roads and open airports.

"It's a classic Nor'easter," said National Weather Service meteorologist Bob Thomas in Albany, N.Y. "On the way it buries everybody."

Wind-whipped snow lashed New York state and New England early today and blizzard warnings were posted for parts of Massachusetts and Connecticut before the storm moved into northern Maine and Canada. Wind gusts up to 76 mph were clocked late Thursday at Chatham, Mass., and more than a foot of snow fell over inland New England.

But behind the storm, more trouble loomed. Temperatures plunged in parts of the South and hit the lowest point of the season along the upper Great Lakes.

"We're concerned that the temperature is going to drop and we're going have the whole metropolitan area turn into an ice-skating rink," said Boston police Lt. Gerald Burke. The storm, which brewed in the Gulf of Mexico and began blanketing Dixie with snow Wednesday night before developing into a blizzard, pounded states from Mississippi to Maine, dumping 20 inches in some areas.

The force of the storm wedged a 600-foot Greek freighter between two docks in Searsport, Maine. Crews worked today to free it.

The storm closed airports, schools, businesses and government offices, knocked out power over wide areas, particularly in the South, and strand-

ed thousands of travelers.

Snow and ice made roads treacherous and brought traffic to a virtual halt in the Northeast, hit with its worst winter storm since mid-February 1983. Snow-packed roads were strewn with abandoned cars.

National Airport in Washington, D.C., New Jersey's Newark International and New York's Kennedy and LaGuardia airports reopened this morning after being shut down Thursday.

A single runway at Boston's Logan Airport was open for departures early today. A runway opened at Philadelphia International Airport for arrivals and departures. Utility crews labored to restore power to tens of thousands of homes up and down the Atlantic Coast where wind and snow snapped utility lines.

Up to 70,000 Duke Power Co. customers in North and South Carolina were without power Thursday, but that number was down to 32,550 early today, said utility spokeswoman Lucinda Trew.

Some of those without power found themselves trying to cope with biting cold. Temperatures hit 23 in Atlanta, 7 degrees in Florence, Ky., 13 in Crossville, Tenn., and 10 in Beckley, W.Va. With the wind chill, it was 17 below at Charleston, W.Va., and about 10 degrees in inland South Carolina. Temperatures were expected to continue to drop through the day throughout the East Coast.

In the Northeast, hundreds of state and city road crews operating snow plows and salt- and sand-spreaders on overtime were out in force this morning as plunging temperatures turned slush into rugged ice.

RANGER

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The maid, Denise Johnson, 22, had been missing for about a week, and the child, Kara Lee Whitehead, had been kidnapped earlier Tuesday from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitehead, Wells said. A telephone caller had demanded \$30,000 ransom for the 2-year-old and also referred to Ms. Johnson's kidnapping, Wells said. The caller indicated the maid had already been killed.

Wells said Guffey and Ranger John Aycock, 39, of Belton took part in a stakeout near a home, hiding in the back seat of a car the suspect was about to use for a getaway, Wells said.

The man placed the child in the front seat and then apparently saw the Rangers and fired at Guffey, striking him in the head, Wells said.

Aycock grabbed the child from the front seat, placed her behind him and returned the fire, Wells said. He said officers were not able to immediately determine how many

shots were fired.

Wells said that although there were other officers in the area, they were not involved in the shootout. Guffey was taken to Sheppard Hospital at Burnet, where he was pronounced dead, Wells said.

After the shootout, officers began searching the area and found the maid's body in a boat house. Officers estimated she had been dead for about two days.

Wells said the investigation began about a week ago when the maid was kidnapped.

Other agencies involved in the investigation included the FBI, DPS Criminal Intelligence officers, the Llano County Sheriff's office and the Marble Falls Police Department.

Guffey had been with DPS since October, 1968 and became a Ranger in 1979 after serving with the Texas Highway Patrol.

It was the first time since 1978 that a Texas Ranger had been killed in the line of duty, Wells said. In that case, he said, a Ranger was killed during a drug raid.

Boy linked to parents' sales of marijuana

CHICAGO (AP) — A 10-year-old boy helped deliver marijuana for his wheelchair-bound father, while the child's mother packaged the drug on the kitchen table, police said. The boy and his three sisters were placed in state custody after the parents were arrested, Youth Officer Charles Bugajsky said Thursday.

Customers wanting marijuana would go the family residence, call

up from the street and wait for the 10-year-old to bring the drug from the third-floor apartment, Bugajsky said.

"All you had to do was go over to the window and holler 'two, for two nickel bags,'" he said. "Nickel bags" sell for \$5 each.

Two undercover police officers went to the building late Wednesday to investigate.

YMCA

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The \$363,000 rejected by the YMCA will go back into the city's community development fund and can be reallocated to pave streets, demolish old houses or renovate and construct parks, said Mike McGregor, assistant city manager.

The money may be given out before the regular community development allocation process, which begins in July and ends in August, McGregor said.

Groups are welcome to make written requests for the money, but it could take up to eight weeks before the city decides when and how to give out the money, McGregor said. The money will be used in the

community development area contained generally by Big Spring on the west and U.S. Highway 80 on the south.

Owen said it could take up to a year before construction of the northeast sports complex begins and another year to complete it.

The branch at 2300 Butternut Lane will probably constitute a "traditional Y" and have a swimming pool, gym, weight room and multipurpose area, he said.

YMCA has about another \$150,000 to raise to meet the \$1 million needed for the project, Owen said.

Foundations will be approached for donations, he said.

Once the complex is completed, YMCA will have six sports centers citywide.

RESEARCH

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Of the public universities, Texas A&M University and the University of Texas together received \$274 million, accounting for 78.3 percent of the total. The University of Texas

System Cancer Center brought in \$64 million, the most among the health science centers.

The federal government provided about 53 percent of the funds, the state 22 percent, private donors 14 percent and other sources 11 percent.

LEBANON

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The witnesses, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said they heard the victims protesting to the kidnappers in a foreign language that they could not identify.

"Their looks and clothes made me feel certain they are foreigners," one witness said.

A perfume vendor who identified himself as Abu Khalil said he saw the Mercedes pull to a stop as the two men walked from the opposite direction.

"Three gunmen leaped out. One came to me and threatened to shoot me if I move. The other two bundled the victims into the Mercedes and all sped away," Abu Khalil said. "I couldn't do anything."

Waite left his Beirut hotel Tuesday night and has not been seen in public since.

His bodyguards in a Druse militia said he sent word late Thursday that he was well, apparently to calm fears for his safety.

In West Germany, reports said Thursday the recent abductions of two West German businessmen in Moslem west Beirut were ordered by Abdul Hadi Hamadi, security chief of a group of Shiite Moslem extremists and the brother of Mohammed Ali Hamadi, a suspected terrorist jailed in Frankfurt.

Lebanese police said the West Germans were abducted to be swapped for Mohammed Ali Hamadi. The United States is seeking his extradition to face charges of hijacking a TWA jetliner to Beirut in 1985 and killing a U.S. Navy diver.

Waite has been in Beirut since Jan. 12 on his fifth mission since late 1985 to seek freedom for foreign hostages. He said after arriving this

time that he feared he too might be abducted.

On Tuesday night, Waite was driven from the Riviera Hotel in west Beirut's Ein Mreisseh district to meet the kidnappers, according to officials of the Progressive Social Party, the Druse militia that is guarding Waite.

"Mr. Waite is fine and he is still negotiating with the hostage-holders," one Druse official said Thursday.

"He sent word overnight through an intermediary to assure us of his well-being. We have no reason to get worried," he said, speaking on condition of anonymity.

Anderson, 39, is chief Middle East correspondent of The Associated Press. Sutherland, 55, was acting dean of agriculture at the American University of Beirut. Both were kidnapped in 1985.

The Druse official said Wednesday the kidnappers told Waite he would be allowed to "see and converse" with Anderson and Sutherland. There has been no word yet on the fate of the other two.

In West Germany, government officials declined comment on a report by private Radio Lower Saxony that Abdul Hadi Hamadi, security chief of the extremist group Hezbollah, ordered the kidnapping of the two West Germans. The station cited unidentified Christian militia officials in Lebanon.

West German government officials said Thursday they established contact with the kidnappers of one of the hostages, Rudolf Cordes, in order to win his release.

Cordes was seized Saturday and another West German, Alfred Schmidt, disappeared from his hotel Tuesday.

GERMANS

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Police in Beirut have said Shiite Moslem extremists kidnapped Cordes and Schmidt to swap them for Mohammed Ali Hamadi, a suspected Lebanese terrorist held in Frankfurt since Jan. 13.

The United States has requested Hamadi's extradition for trial on murder and air piracy charges stemming from the June 1985 hijacking in which the Navy man was killed

and 39 American passengers were held hostage for 17 days.

Radio Lower Saxony, a private station, said Thursday that Cordes and Schmidt were abducted on orders of Hamadi's brother, Abdul Hadi Hamadi.

Abdul Hadi Hamadi is the security chief of the Shiite extremist group Hezbollah, or Party of God, which is believed to have ties to Iran.

The station said its source was a Christian militia security officer in

Beirut whom it did not identify. The Bonn government refused to comment on the report.

Government officials said today they had no further correspondence with a group claiming to hold Cordes. On Thursday, they reported receiving a message in Arabic from people claiming to hold Cordes, and said they asked, through a middleman chosen by Syria, for a sign he was alive.

SHARP

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Sharp said he also wanted to expedite the processes of the Railroad Commission by bringing in administrative consultants to review all operations and make recommendations for change, adding that the last time that happened at the Railroad Commission was in 1938.

He said the Comptroller's Office had the process of his office reviewed annually, by consultants to

expedite it. He said it used to take two years to get a sewer plant permit from the Water Department, but it now only takes 30 days since they had their operations reviewed by independent consultants.

Sharp reminded the group that expediting matters was important to the oil industry because a delay of one day could mean \$50,000 to some companies.

"A rule 37 change does an oil com-

pany no good, if it comes after they have gone bankrupt," he said.

Regarding the recent round of musical chairmanship in which Sharp and Commissioner Mack Wallace voted to deny Commissioner Jim Nugent chairmanship of the Texas Railroad Commission, Sharp said the move was not spontaneous.

He said it was followed by a three hour executive session between the three commissioners and he expected it would result in even greater unity on the Commission.

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Texas prison officials may close doors again

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — Texas prison officials, fearing a large number of incoming inmates would push the system beyond a state-mandated limit, say they may be forced to close the doors for the second time in a week.

Prisoners arrived Thursday from several of the state's most populous counties including Dallas, Tarrant and Bexar.

Texas Department of Corrections spokesman Charles Brown said at least 190 inmates were expected to be admitted Thursday, while only 65 were known to be released.

"We'll probably be OK today," Brown said Thursday. "But tomorrow we'll probably be in the same posture as we were last Friday."

Thursday's official tally would be released midday today, officials said.

The prison system closed the doors to new inmates last Friday after the inmate population exceeded the 95 percent limit set by the Legislature to avoid overcrowding in the nation's second-largest prison system, behind California.

Paroles over the weekend helped reduce the population, allowing officials to reopen Monday. Since then, however, the population has crept back toward the limit.

Monday's count totaled 38,238 inmates, or 94.68 percent of capacity.

By midnight Tuesday, there were 38,250 inmates, or 94.72 percent of capacity. That was 114 inmates short of the 95 percent limit of 38,368 prisoners.

Wednesday, the count rose to 94.80 percent, or 38,288 inmates, just 80 short of capacity.

The capacity limit was set by the state Legislature in 1983 after a federal judge ordered officials to take steps to reduce crowding.

U.S. District Judge William Wayne Justice, who ordered sweeping reforms in Texas prisons in 1981, already has issued a contempt order against the corrections department, saying the agency failed to live up to agreements made in 1980 to improve inmates' living conditions and staffing in the prisons.

In Austin, Gov. Bill Clements is predicting that the Legislature will give him authority to transfer \$82 million to the troubled state prison system.

The money will be spent to help head off daily fines of \$800,500 threatened by Justice, who has ruled the state in contempt of his court for failing to carry out prison reforms Texas officials earlier agreed to make.

"We don't have much time," Clements said Thursday, noting that Justice's fines begin on April 1 unless corrective action is taken.

Abortion foes rally against landmark decision

DALLAS (AP) — Fourteen years after the Supreme Court legalized abortion, protesters are still taking to the streets demanding that the landmark decision be reversed.

At a rally Thursday commemorating the landmark decision, abortion foe Bill Price told a crowd of about 1,000: "I hope you pray every night that Ronald Reagan will have one more chance to make one more appointment to the Supreme Court."

The chanting protesters, holding black balloons, braved freezing winds in a march from City Hall to the federal courthouse where the case was filed that led to the Supreme Court decision. Many of the marchers clutched Bibles, and others pushed children in baby strollers.

"We feel that in Dallas we have a special responsibility to stop abortion," said Price, president of the Greater Dallas Right to Life Committee. "Rallies like this are important because they show there is broad-based public support for the pro-life movement."

Richard Land, recently named as an administrative aide to Gov. Bill Clements, told the Dallas crowd to

"dedicate our memory to the 20 million babies who have been sacrificed."

"Seek God's faith and pray that he might heal this land of this tragic blight on its honor," he said.

In Austin, meanwhile, Pam Friedrich, executive director of the Texas Abortion Rights Action League, said abortion supporters are concerned about Land's appointment.

Clements said he appointed Land, a professor of theology and church history, to advise him on church-state issues and issues concerning "traditional family values."

But "too often, traditional family values is a euphemism for invasion of privacy, second-place status for women, state-imposed restrictions on reproductive choice," Ms. Friedrich said.

In 1970, a suit was filed in Dallas on behalf of Jane Roe, a fictitious name used by Norma McCorvey. The court action sought to strike down Texas' 100-year-old law that banned most abortions.

Ms. McCorvey was a waitress who became pregnant after a gang rape in which she was also severely beaten. She was too poor to leave Texas for an abortion.



Gina Vanni of Dallas claps her hands during an anti-abortion rally at the Dallas City Hall Thursday.

AP Laserphoto

IRS taxes people's patience at overbooked seminars

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Several hundred people, including many who were angry, were turned away at the door from an Internal Revenue Service seminar held to explain the new complicated W-4 withholding form that all workers are required to file this year.

More than 500 people, most representing businesses, showed up for a seminar at 9 a.m. Thursday. The In-

ternal Revenue Service had booked a room with only 310 seats for each of the three seminars they held Thursday.

Most of those attending the seminars planned to go back to their companies to explain the new forms to employees.

About 400 showed up for an after-

noon session, but officials were able to make room for everyone.

But some of the people turned away from the morning session left angry, and they let the IRS know their feelings.

"This is ridiculous," said Diane Saliba of San Antonio, who was turned away from the morning seminar. "I

talked to one woman who had driven 150 miles to get to this seminar, and they couldn't get her in."

Pamela Kurburski, taxpayer education coordinator for the Austin district of the IRS, said invitations were mailed in early January to employers. They expected that 10 percent of those invited would attend, she said.

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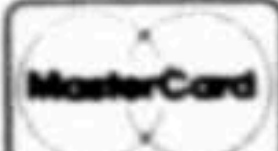
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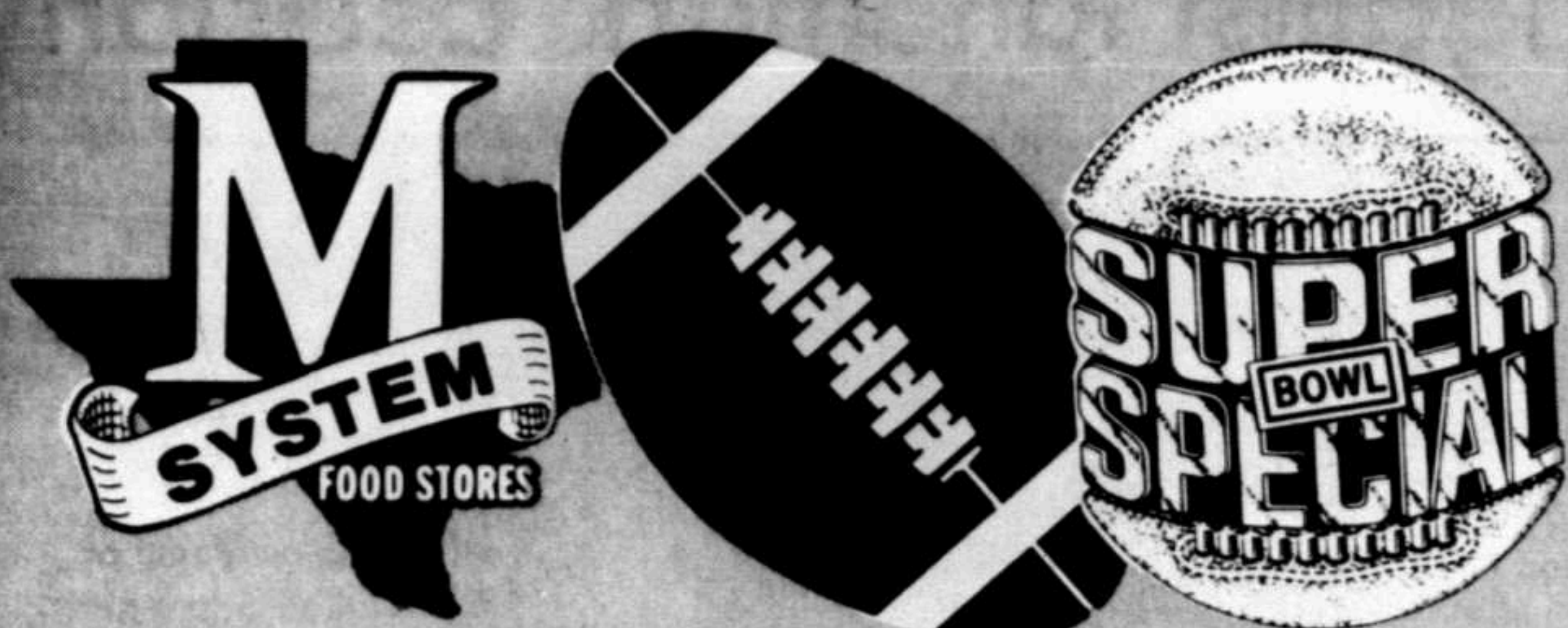
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Revelations prompt panel to expand Iran-Contra probe

WASHINGTON (AP) — A special Senate panel will expand its investigation of the Iran-Contra affair following State Department acknowledgment that the Reagan administration continued secret contacts with Iran as recently as last month.

Senate Majority Leader Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va., said the fact that State Department and CIA officials were meeting with Iranian representatives a month after the disclosure that arms sale profits were diverted to Nicaraguan rebels indicates that President Reagan's foreign policy is seriously out of control.

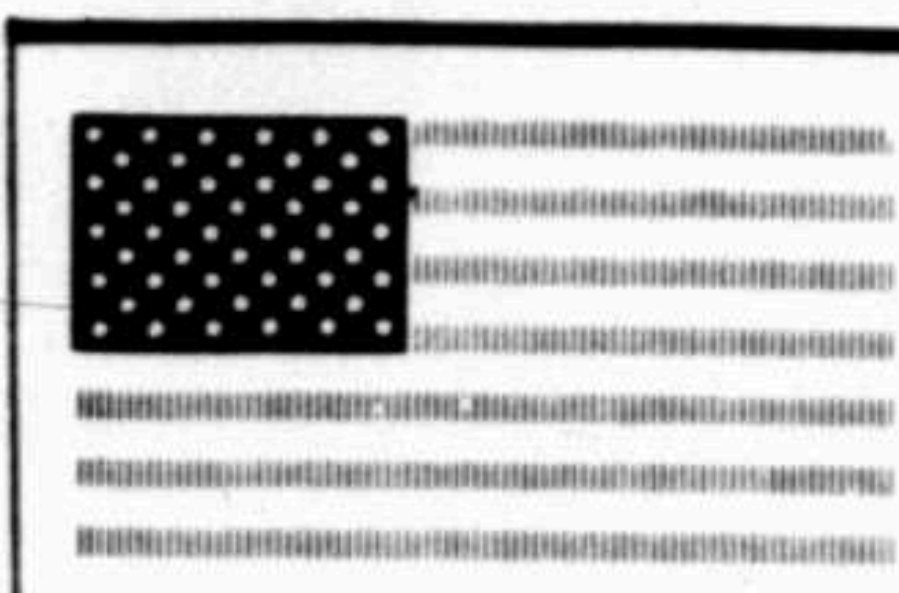
State Department spokesman Charles E. Redman said Thursday Reagan and Secretary of State George P. Shultz consider Iran a strategic country and believe the United

States has a "legitimate interest" in better relations with Iran.

But the U.S. official indicated the talks were broken off in December. "We will not discuss further arms shipments with Iran," he said. "And we are exerting all our influence to discourage arms sales to Iran by other countries."

Sen. Daniel K. Inouye, D-Hawaii, chairman of a select committee probing the Iran-Contra affair, said he will expand the investigation to include the disclosure. He said he "had no inkling" of the contacts between U.S. and Iranian representatives in December, and added that "nothing surprises me."

On Wednesday, Shultz told the House Foreign Affairs Committee that Vice Adm. John M. Poindexter assured him last May that the United



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States was not providing weapons to Iran to try to gain the release of American hostages, according to an informed source.

Poindexter, who was then President Reagan's assistant for national security affairs, told Shultz "it wasn't so" and Donald T. Regan, the president's chief of staff, said he was alarmed and concerned about reports of a deal, the source, who re-

quested anonymity, said Thursday.

Actually, the U.S. weapons shipments had begun in February, three months earlier, while Israel had sent arms to Iran in September and November 1985, with the Reagan administration committed to replenishing Israel's armories.

Shultz testified he had been alerted by a cable from Charles H. Price II, the U.S. ambassador to Britain,

while attending the economic summit meeting in Tokyo May 3-6. He sought out Poindexter and Regan, who also were in the Japanese capital with President Reagan.

According to the source, Shultz also testified Poindexter had informed him in February that the Americans held hostage in Lebanon would be freed soon.

The presidential assistant made no mention in the Feb. 28 conversation with Shultz of the fact that U.S. weapons were being shipped to Iran, the source said.

Shultz has not commented on the testimony he gave the Committee. But in a session last Friday with reporters at the State Department he indicated his displeasure with Poindexter, who resigned in November when the secret shipments were

made public by Atty. Gen. Edwin Meese III.

"I confess, I would have a hard time working with John Poindexter right now," he said.

Despite opposition from Shultz and Caspar W. Weinberger, the secretary of defense, Reagan authorized the U.S. arms shipments to Tehran last January.

Shultz has said that while there were "some blips on the radar screen" he did not learn of the Iranian purchases until November.

In his testimony to the committee, Shultz said he was assured a number of times by Poindexter — and also by the president — that the United States was not trading weapons for the hostages held by a pro-Iranian group in Lebanon.



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Pennsylvania Treasurer R. Budd Dwyer, holding a pistol in his right hand, raises his left hand to stop people from approaching him shortly before he committed suicide during a news conference in Harrisburg Thursday.

Convicted official kills himself at news conference

HARRISBURG, Pa. (AP) — Pennsylvania's treasurer shot himself to death at a crowded news conference after saying he was wrongly convicted of bribery and that the judge who was to sentence him today imposed "medieval sentences."

R. Budd Dwyer pulled a high-powered revolver from a manila envelope Thursday morning and waved off frantic onlookers in his office, some of them screaming "No! No! Budd, don't do this!"

About two dozen horrified reporters, photographers and aides watched as the 47-year-old Republican put the gun barrel into his mouth and pulled the trigger. Cameras recorded the act.

Dwyer died instantly, said Dauphin County Coroner William Bush.

The state attorney general had ruled Wednesday that Dwyer would lose his job after being sentenced to a state computer contract in return for a promised \$300,000 payoff. No money changed hands.

Dwyer, who was to have been sentenced by U.S. District Judge Malcolm Muir, had faced up to 55 years in prison and a \$305,000 fine on 11 counts.

"I've repeatedly said that I'm not going to resign as state Treasurer," Dwyer said in a suicide note released after his death.

"Please tell my story on every radio and television station and in every newspaper and magazine in the U.S. Please make sure that the sacrifice of my life is not in vain."

Dwyer purchased the .357-caliber Magnum revolver in 1982 and had it properly registered, state police said.

Rob Dwyer, 21, said his father had given no indication of what he intended to do.

"We're pretty broken up," he said, his voice breaking during a telephone interview. He said he heard the news at home with his mother, Joanne, 47, and sister, Dyan, 18.

Mrs. Dwyer, her eyes swollen from crying, talked briefly with reporters at the door of the family's Hershey home. She said only that she was sorry about what had happened.

Before pulling the gun, Dwyer read for more than 20 minutes from a statement proclaiming his innocence and criticizing the news media, the federal attorney who prosecuted him and Muir, who he said had a history of imposing stiff sentences.

When he took the gun out of the envelope, several reporters pleaded with him not to do anything. Dwyer waved off someone who appeared to move toward him.

"No," he said. "This will hurt someone."

Philadelphia Inquirer reporter Fred Cusick, who was sitting on the floor at the front of the room, said: "I should have run and grabbed him when he pulled out the envelope. I knew that was it."

Most reporters and Treasury Department officials thought Dwyer was going to announce his resignation. He indicated during the news conference that the last page of his statement would reveal his decision, but said that page would be distributed later because he didn't have enough copies.

"After many hours of thought and meditation, I've made a decision that should not be an example to anyone else because it is unique to my situation," Dwyer said in the statement.

He said Muir was noted for his "medieval sentences. I face a maximum sentence of 55 years in prison and a \$305,000 fine for being innocent. Since I'm a victim of political persecution my prison would simply be an American Gulag."

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Cajun-style GOP

Throw another pot of cajun stew on the fire, Chef Prudhomme. Strike up the Dixieland bands. The Republicans are coming. To New Orleans, La., that is.

They have chosen to meet in that city Aug. 15-18, 1988, for their presidential-nomination convention. Not a bad choice at that.

For one thing, the Democrats, who also want to hold their convention in the South, had been eyeing New Orleans. Now they may have to go elsewhere.

For another, the Republicans will need all the good food, lively music and Southern hospitality that New Orleans can provide after the headache of trying to find a successor to fill President Reagan's shoes.

A few months ago, some pundits thought George Bush, Reagan's loyal vice president, had the presidential nomination in his hip pocket. But after the controversy over selling arms to Iran, Bush has been tempering his public image with plenty of care. He reappeared when the media noticed his absence. That's a strange way to campaign for the presidency. Regardless, though, the question remains: Has the Iran controversy damaged his chances?

Meanwhile, a bevy of other potential candidates has stepped

forward, taking advantage of the Republican leadership vacuum. Prominently mentioned are such solid citizens as U.S. Senate minority leader Robert Dole, who, along with Bush, is a legitimate contender for the party's middle ground.

But there are challengers on the right — challengers who threaten to splinter the party and unwittingly boost the fortunes of the Democrats. First came popular television evangelist Pat Robertson, whose interest has stirred something of a debate.

Lately, White House communications director Patrick Buchanan displaced Rep. Jack Kemp, R-N.Y., as the darling of the staunch conservatives.

Buchanan is a fiery bulldog of a conservative, an ardent defender of his presidential master who attacks the "liberal press" at every opportunity. He worked behind the scenes for former President Richard Nixon and Spiro Agnew as well as Reagan. His supporters wanted him to consider running for the presidency, although Buchanan says he's not interested.

More than a year remains for a truly strong Republican front-runner to surface. Otherwise, GOP delegates can look forward to an all-out donnybrook in New Orleans.

JACK ANDERSON

Faulty bolts could threaten nuke plants

WASHINGTON — Low-grade bolts, counterfeited in Asia and made to look like high-quality industrial fasteners, are flooding the country. Some have



Jack Anderson

turned up in the nuclear industry, yet some nuclear power plants fail to make sure their dangerous equipment is held together by bolts of the required strength.

Nuclear Regulatory Commission inspectors have reported quality-control prob-

lems with bolts at 11 power plants since 1983. In an emergency, one or two substandard bolts in the wrong place could mean the difference between a shutdown and a meltdown.

A big part of the problem is the widespread use of unmarked or improperly marked steel fasteners, even though the commission's regulations specifically require bolts in sensitive areas to be marked according to industry grading standards. In some cases, the federal inspectors have had to cut chunks out of unmarked bolts to test them chemically and make sure they meet specifications.

As we have reported, counterfeit bolts have been detected at one nuclear power plant and by a Connecticut company that makes valves for the industry. NRC documents reviewed by our associate Stewart Har-

ris give details of the difficulties some nuclear plants have encountered trying to keep track of their essential nuts and bolts. Here's what the NRC's inspectors found and had to correct:

— At the South Texas plant near Bay City, Texas, unmarked, low-strength bolts intended for electrical roadway supports may have been used in more sensitive equipment. The bolts were distributed throughout the plant in "bulk quantities," according to a 1986 NRC report.

"This condition may have resulted in the indiscriminate use of the unmarked fasteners in other types of equipment installations because the bolting is readily available and presumed to be adequate," the NRC's construction appraisal team reported.

On another visit to the same plant,

inspectors noted that low-strength bolts had, in fact, been substituted for high-strength bolts on some mechanical equipment.

— Quality-control officials at Washington Nuclear plant No. 2 near Richland, Wash., lost track of the kinds of nuts installed at various locations. Many were unmarked, but just by looking at them NRC inspectors determined they were not the kind specified, according to a 1983 report. The inspectors also found nuts and bolts of different grades mixed together in storage bins instead of being stored separately as required.

— Anchor bolts of high and low strength were mixed together at the Shearon Harris nuclear plant near Raleigh, N.C. The mixup caused some equipment to be held in place by low-strength bolts where stronger ones should have been used. In this case, NRC officials decided there was no safety problem, however, and allowed the weaker bolts to stay put.

— The use of unmarked and incorrect bolts on pumps, motors and other equipment "indicates a generic lack of attention to fastener details" by the Commonwealth Edison Co. and firms supplying equipment for the Byron Station Unit 2 plant near Rockford, Ill., according to a 1985 report. "This matter requires management attention," the NRC inspectors wrote.

NEW SCANDAL TARGET? — Elliott Abrams, assistant secretary of state for Inter-American Affairs and the Reagan administration's point man for aid to the Nicaraguan contras, will soon be the focus of congressional investigations. Our sources point out that Abrams, as chairman of an inter-agency group on Central America, should have supervised Lt. Col. Oliver North, who was fired from the National Security Council over diversion of Iranian arms sale profits to the contras. Unlike North, Abrams didn't take the Fifth Amendment when called to Capitol Hill. But, according to sources, he was afflicted with frequent memory lapses before the Senate Intelligence Committee.

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NATURAL PARENTS,
SURROGATE MOTHER—
—NO TELLING WHO'LL
WIN...



Getting some answers

Throughout this weekend, youths from various religious denominations in both Midland and Odessa will be participating in what is being billed as a "Youth Enlightenment Rally." The purpose of the rally, which is based on guidelines of earlier sessions held in Midland and Odessa, is multi-faceted, but the overall intent is to get youth involved in activities designed to make them better Christians and better members of the communities. Those goals are laudable.

Pressures on young people today are overwhelming and the fact that all too many of them fall victim to drug abuse, the results of pre-marital sex or emotional upsets is reflected in depressing statistics. This youth enlightenment rally addresses those pressures and is designed to give the young people in attendance valuable information

for recognizing and coping with potential problem areas in their lives.

The concerns are reflected by the rally speakers' topics: The Joy of Salvation — faith, obedience, repentance; World Problems Today — career planning, education, suicide, time and money management, peer pressure; Relationships & Courtships — abortion, AIDS, pre-marital sex; Being Unequally Yoked — high school dropouts, crime, child abuse; and a special session on Teen Parenting.

These are situations most young people will face at some point in their lives, but all too frequently their questions go unanswered.

The Youth Enlightenment Rally to be held Saturday and Sunday in Midland and Odessa will attempt to provide some answers and some help. That's most commendable.

Another View:

Indian education

A proposal by the Bureau of Indian Affairs in this year's budget to withdraw from the operation of its Indian schools could, if properly managed, yield substantial benefits for Indian children. With all due respect to the historic accomplishments of these schools, there can't be much doubt that they have long since outlived their usefulness.

Only 8 percent of the eligible students attend the 181 Indian schools still in operation. The vast majority of Native American parents prefer to send their children instead to public schools in the communities where they live or to private or tribal academies that are not run by the BIA, even though they often receive federal support.

The BIA attempted to characterize its proposal as an economy move, pointing out that it costs 25 percent more to educate a student in an Indian school than it does in the average public school system. But that statistic ignores the fact that in many of the 23 states where they operate, Indian schools encounter costs for boarding students that public schools don't. The real problem isn't that the Indian schools cost too much but that they've been consistently starved for resources. Their expenditures for instructional programs are among the lowest in the nation and their teachers among the worst paid. As a result, the BIA reports, students in its schools fall far behind Indian children in public schools on standardized tests.

The BIA isn't proposing to cut back on its expenditures for Indian education. Instead, it has offered to divert the funds it now spends on running the Indian schools into whatever educational programs the tribes individually select. In some cases, the tribes might choose to take over the Indian schools themselves and run them under contract with the BIA rather than sending their children into the public schools.

Congress needs to make certain that the BIA has an appropriate plan for managing the transition. Although only 38,300 children are involved, they shouldn't be left to shift for themselves if the Indian schools close, nor should they simply be dumped into public and private institutions in their home communities without any effort to ensure that those schools are equipped to handle a sudden increase in enrollment. Ongoing federal assistance will be needed for the students, the schools they move into, and for those tribes that choose to run the Indian schools themselves. The BIA is on the right track but it needs to take care that a currently inadequate program of instruction isn't replaced with something worse.

— The Sacramento Bee

BIBLE VERSE

Whether therefore ye eat, or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God. 1 Cor. 10:31

EVANS & NOVAK

Buchanan bows out to let Kemp lead 'right'

WASHINGTON — Patrick J. Buchanan, in five days of introspection, reversed two months of escalation toward a presidential candidacy and decided not to run — partly for personal reasons but mainly because of apprehension over damage to the conservative movement.



Rowland Evans



Robert Novak

Just when conservatives were all but unanimous in guessing he would run, sober second thoughts intervened. Buchanan wondered whether he wanted to buy fishbowl scrutiny of him and his family. He also started thinking hard on the unlikelihood of becoming the Republican nominee.

But the tipping factor was the argument by Rep. Jack Kemp's supporters. He did not want to go down in history as the wrecker of Kemp's

chances who opened the way for a non-conservative presidential nominee. In effect, Buchanan at some time over last weekend made a decision enabling Kemp to mobilize the conservative movement if he can.

That was scarcely Buchanan's thinking on Wednesday evening, Jan. 14, when right-wingers gathered at his northern Virginia home to discuss his imminent run for president. They included his most ardent supporters: his sister, Angela (Bay) Jackson; Howard Phillips of the Conservative Caucus; Tom Ellis and Carter Wrenn of the Congressional Club of North Carolina; Wall Street fundraiser Harlan Schlichter; Washington Times columnist John Lofton.

It was not a happy evening. Supporters ready to get the campaign rolling were disturbed by lack of organization and the presence of conservatives who preferred Kemp to Buchanan (notably Tom Winter and Allan Ryskind of Human Events). What bothered them most was their prospective champion's newly appeared indecision.

That evening began Buchanan's serious second thoughts. He always had flinched from intense personal scrutiny, pondering the impact on his aged father of his campaign's treatment in his hometown newspaper, the Washington Post. What made it seem worthwhile was the impossible dream, his actual nomination.

But polls showing remarkable name recognition (higher than Kemp's) also showed huge negative ratings. To lower them, Buchanan

would have to appeal to centrist Republicans and independents. But how then could he continue to preach the East-West struggle, support for contras and traditional social values — messages that had generated a presidential groundswell?

Then there was the Kemp question. Kemp's deputy campaign manager, Jeff Bell, had predicted his old comrade on the Right would think long and hard before splitting the movement. Indeed, while Buchanan abjured criticism of Kemp, he began to accept Bell's prediction that his campaign naturally must turn against Kemp.

Buchanan's worst-case scenario had him blamed by the Right for crippling chances for Kemp and Pat Robertson, while George Bush or Robert J. Dole was nominated. His best case was not much better. Buchanan would become the Republican Gary Hart of 1988, going all the way to the convention but unable to win there. That would dictate a conservative selected as Bush's or Dole's vice president: anybody but Buchanan.

All this invited Buchanan to consider an alternative scenario. While foregoing a presidential run and playing the good soldier, he could spread the conservative gospel just as well. If a conservative (probably Kemp) were nominated and elected, he would get credit. If not, then maybe the party would look more seriously at Buchanan in 1992.

On Thursday, the day after his meeting, Buchanan did not personally visit his old chief, Richard M. Nix-

on, as planned, but did talk to him on the telephone. Whether or not he said so, the former president does not think Buchanan should run. On Friday, Buchanan's growing doubts were deepened by a Human Events article. Disinterested friends committed to no presidential candidate urged him not to run. By Monday morning, he had decided.

Buchanan's days at the White House are at an end. He knows he cannot have flirted with scaling the mountaintop and then descend to his windowless White House communications director's office. He also is tired after two years of promoting the conservative cause and has no more zest to battle what he calls the "mice," chief of staff Donald T. Regan's subalterns. He will soon leave the president's staff, just as he would have had he decided to run.

What he does next is unknown. On Sunday night, he talked with Kemp and suggested they meet before he announced anything, but on reflection decided that might look like cutting a deal. Kemp is the only candidate Buchanan might endorse. Whether he does or not, he already has conveyed inestimable service to Kemp. Amid the Buchanan furor, Sen. Bill Armstrong of Colorado — long feared by Kemp forces — said he would not run. Right field is now Kemp's to roam alone, save for Robertson. This was not only the result but the intent of Buchanan's decision that so disappoints his followers.

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CHARLEY REESE

Don't look now but communists aren't myths!

A popular myth in our society, among some folks, is that communists are just bogeymen that conservatives use to justify supporting right-wing dictatorships.



Charley Reese

That's one of those deliciously loaded assertions so beloved of lifelong students of propaganda. It does several things at once: It labels conservatives as people who support right-wing dictators, it absolves communists of any trouble-making, and it implies that what trouble there is caused by the sainted peasantry reacting only to the inhumane treatment of a right-wing dictator.

Good propaganda has an inaccurate description of reality. In Chile, for example, the evidence

is as clear as blue sky that the Soviet Union and its surrogates, Cuba, Nicaragua and the stooges in communist East Europe are trying to get even with General Augusto Pinochet for knocking off the only elected Marxist president in the history of mankind, Salvador Allende.

Soviets ships have been observed off-loading supplies in international waters to Chilean vessels. Just before the assassination attempt on General Pinochet, a cache of 90 tons of arms were found in northern Chile.

Aside from Bulgarian-made weapons, they consisted of American-made weapons we last saw in South Vietnam when the North Vietnamese took control of that country.

A Chilean communist organization took public credit for the assassination attempt and captured terrorists have confessed they received training in the Soviet Union, Cuba or Nicaragua.

You see, communists are not figments of conservatives but flesh and blood real people, most of whom actually believe that Marxist-Leninist junk. In our time, there is no such thing as a peasant uprising.

Guerrilla warfare and urban terrorism require sophisticated technology, trained cadre, lots of money, and logistics. Not only in Chile, but everywhere in the world — in Angola, in South Africa, in the Middle East, and in the Far East — you find the same network of training, weapons, money and logistic support coming out of the Soviet Union and its surrogates.

One of the jobs of the communist infrastructure in the United States is to convince the American people that the facts are not facts and more often than not, it succeeds.

The communists in Nicaragua employ American law firms, American public relations firms, U.S. senators and U.S. congressmen lend their names to public fund raising efforts for them, but the public attention is focused on the efforts of those trying to assist the anti-communists. The left side of American society seems to be exempt from any curiosity, much less investigation, by either Congress or the press.

That's OK. What goes around, comes around. As an old friend stated it a long time ago, they won't wake up until some guy butt-strokes

em with an AK-47 and burns their house down.

In the meantime, you can be sure the communists would be active in Chile whether General Pinochet is in power or not. Communists are only interested in communists' holding power and it doesn't make any difference to them whether the target government is leftist or rightist. El Salvador's president, Jose Napoleon Duarte, is as left-wing a socialist as you will find, but his preference for democratic socialism makes him just as unacceptable to the communists as Roberto D'Aubuisson, his right-wing opponent in the last election.

This is an old tradition that surprises only those ignorant of Soviet history. Among the very first victims of that nasty little psychopath, Lenin, were the democratic socialists and even other communists who had naively believed Lenin's propaganda.

There are a lot of figments floating around in the American psyche but the imaginary communist lust for power is not one of them.

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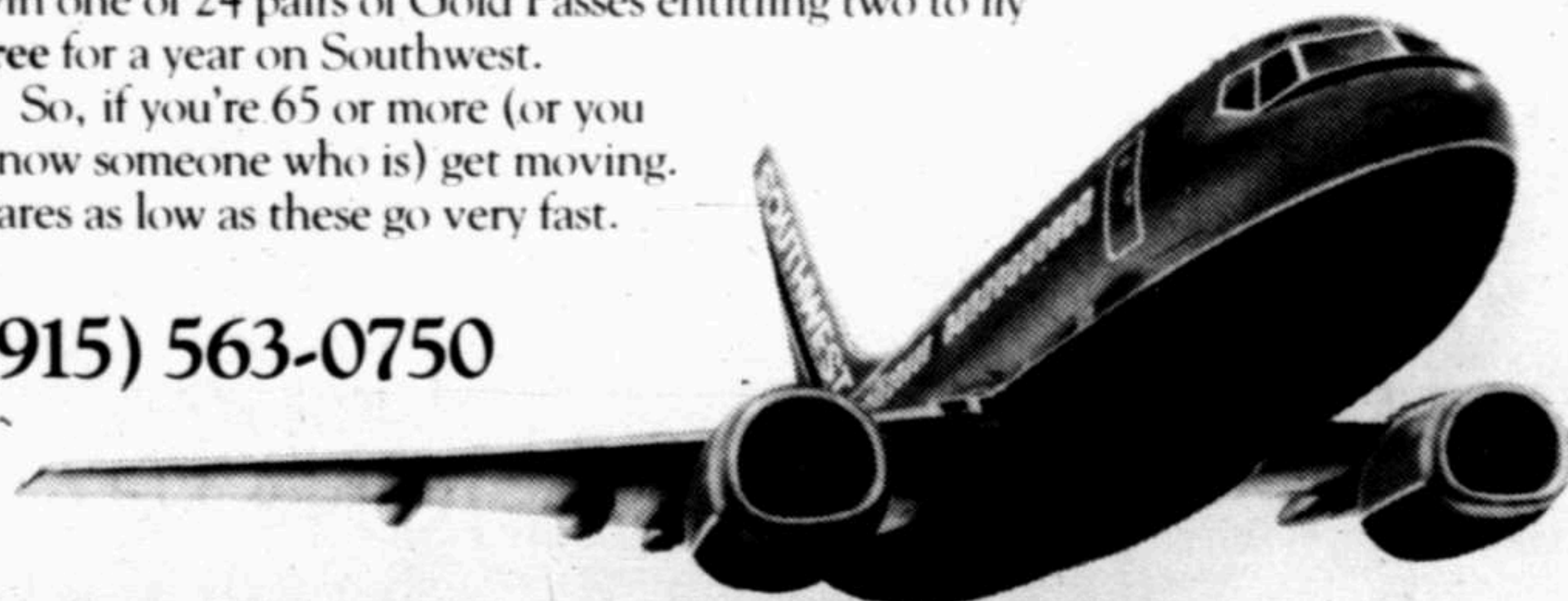
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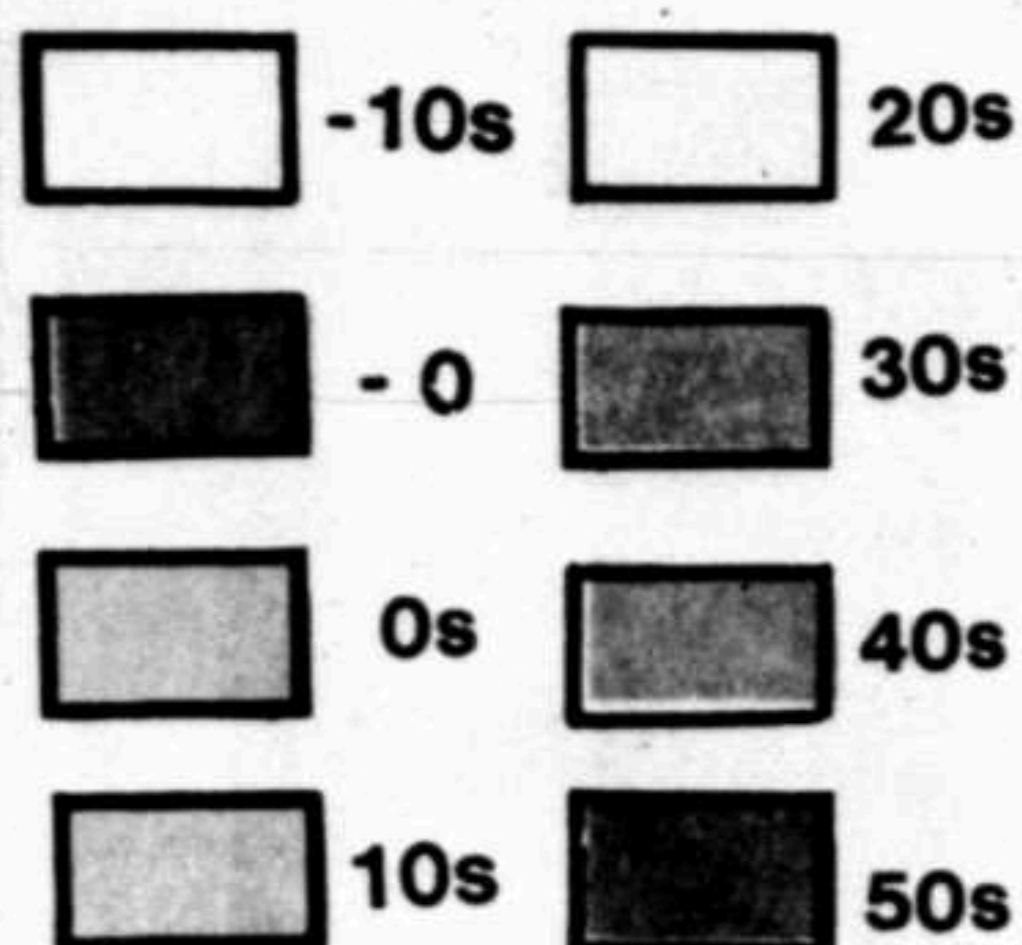
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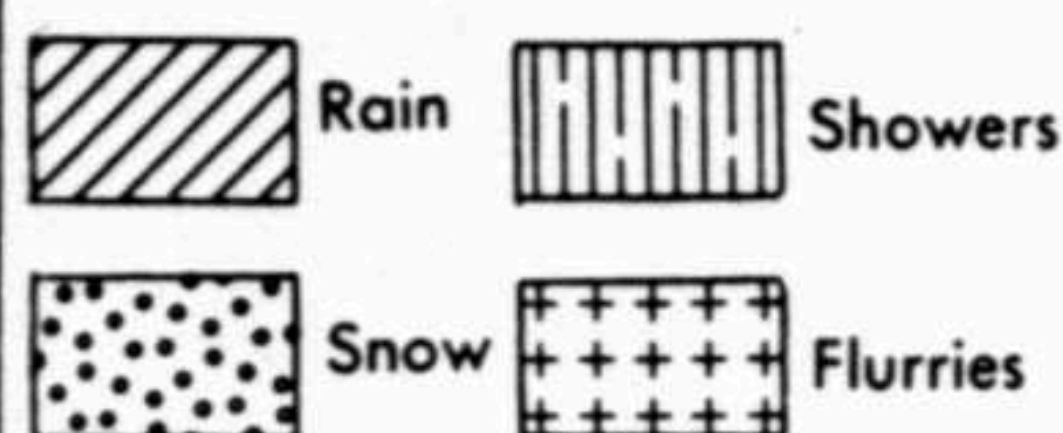
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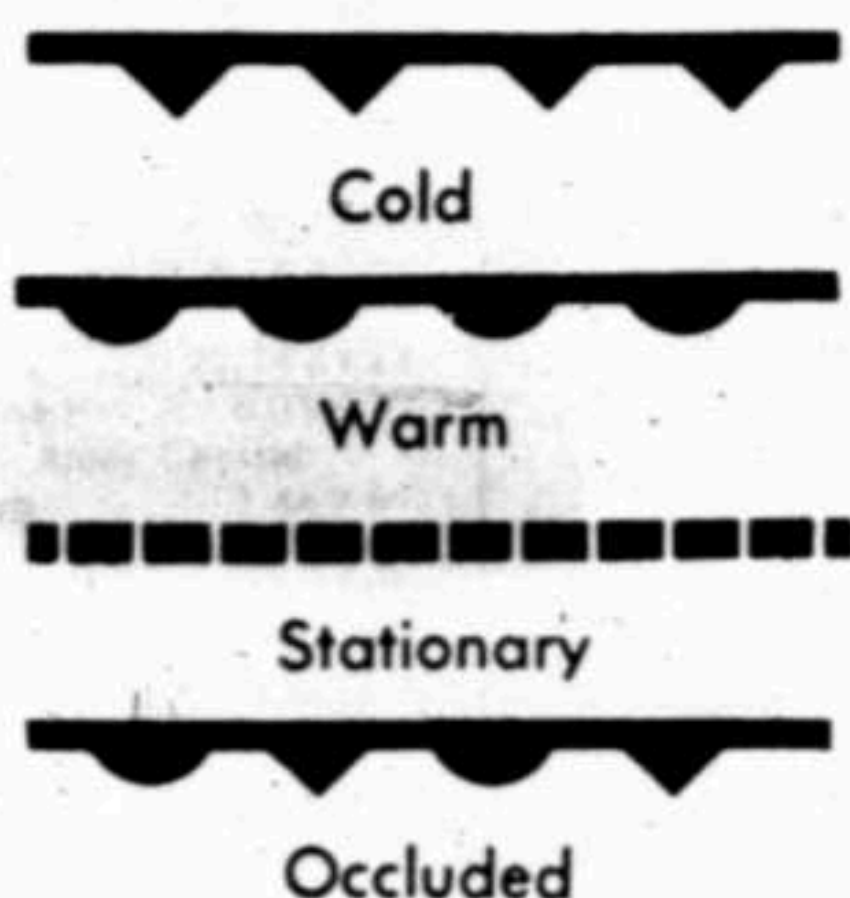
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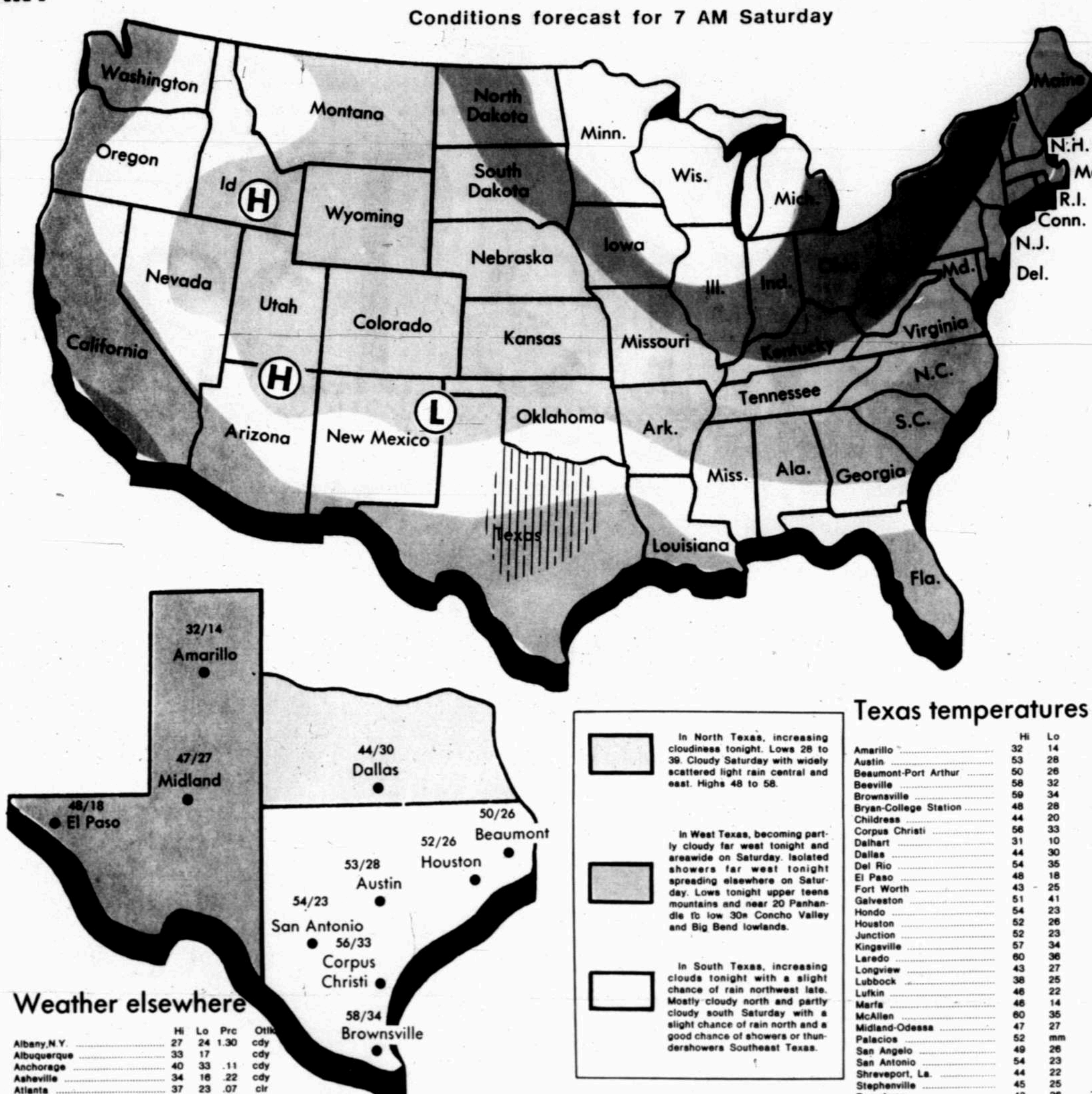
Tonight: Partly cloudy with a low near 30 and winds out of the west at 10-15 mph. Saturday: Partly cloudy with a high near 60, winds out of the west at 10-15 mph shifting to the northwest at 15-25 mph and gusting, and a less than 20 percent chance of isolated showers.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	47 degrees
Overnight Low	24 degrees
Sunset today	6:14 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:47 a.m.
Precipitation:	0 inches
Last 24 hours:	10 inches
This month to date:	10 inches
Year to date:	10 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 a.m.	20	8 p.m.	43
7 a.m.	20	7 p.m.	35
8 a.m.	21	6 p.m.	30
9 a.m.	24	5 p.m.	28
10 a.m.	33	4 p.m.	27
11 a.m.	39	3 p.m.	27
noon	40	2 p.m.	30
1 p.m.	42	1 a.m.	31
2 p.m.	45	12 a.m.	30
3 p.m.	46	11 p.m.	31
4 p.m.	46	10 p.m.	31
5 p.m.	38	9 p.m.	30
6 a.m.	29	8 a.m.	29



Weather elsewhere

Albany, N.Y.	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otk
Albuquerque	27	24	1.30	cdy
Anchorage	33	17		cdy
Asheville	40	33	1.1	cdy
Atlanta	34	16	2.2	cdy
Baltimore	37	23	0.7	cdy
Birmingham	41	29	5.8	cdy
Billings	31	20	1.75	cdy
Bismarck	40	23		cdy
Boise	42	23	.02	cdy
Boston	19	-10		cdy
Buffalo	30	17		an
Casper	44	31	.78	cdy
Charleston, S.C.	29	22	.17	an
Chicago	27	23		cdy
Cincinnati	27	23		cdy
Cleveland	47	35	.60	cdy
Columbia, S.C.	40	28		cdy
Dayton	29	-02	.03	cdy
Denver	35	06	.02	cdy
Des Moines	32	17	.09	cdy
Detroit	42	32	.39	cdy
El Paso	31	08	.02	cdy
Fort Worth	42	24		cdy
Houston	53	28		cdy
Jacksonville	23	-07	.02	cdy
Kansas City	30	10	.01	cdy
Las Vegas	81	69	.01	cdy
Little Rock	30	03	.01	cdy
Los Angeles	43	22		cdy
Louisville	63	33	.53	cdy
Memphis	28	10		cdy
Minneapolis	56	38		cdy
Milwaukee	37	24		cdy
Mobile	72	50		cdy
Mpls-St. Paul	38	16	.02	cdy
New Orleans	37	24		cdy
New York City	29	-04	.01	cdy
Oakland	17	-13		cdy
Oklahoma City	40	17	.01	cdy
Omaha	51	30		cdy
Philadelphia	33	27	.81	cdy
Pittsburgh	36	19		rn
Portland	31	04		cdy
Providence	32	27	1.03	cdy
Raleigh	68	44		cdy
Reno	30	19	.30	cdy
Richmond	34	30	1.13	cdy
San Antonio	37	31	.98	cdy
San Diego	47	28		cdy
San Francisco	51	42	.22	rn
Seattle	31	10		cdy
Spokane	31	10		cdy
Syracuse	26	22	.38	an
Tampa-St. Petersburg	72	45	.48	cdy
Tucson	31	15		cdy
Tulsa	67	42		cdy
Waco	33	19		rn
Washington, D.C.	34	24	1.44	cdy

Temperatures should be mild

From Staff and Wire Reports

The National Weather Service forecast for Saturday calls for a mild temperatures — a high near the 60-degree mark — and partly cloudy skies. There is also a slight possibility of isolated showers. The chance of precipitation is less than 20 percent. Partly cloudy skies and a low near 30 are predicted for tonight by the NWS located at Midland Regional Airport. Winds will be out of the west at 10-15 mph tonight through midday Saturday, at which time they will shift to the northwest at 15-25 mph and gusting.

Thursday's 47-degree high was 36 degrees below the record high set for that date in 1950. Today's low was 17 degrees above the record low of seven set for this date in 1966.

STATE

Clear skies and cool temperatures were forecast statewide through Saturday as a high pressure system remained the state's dominant weather maker.

There is a slight chance of rain tonight over northwest portions of South Texas where increasing cloudiness was forecast. But forecasters said that was the only precipitation expected in the state through the first part of the weekend.

Lows tonight will be in the upper teens in the mountains of West Texas, the 20s and 30s over the rest of West Texas and most of North Texas and in the 40s and 50s in South Texas.

Highs Saturday will be in the 30s and 40s over most of West Texas, except in Southwest Texas where readings will climb into the 60s, in the 40s and 50s over North Texas and in the 60s and 70s, ranging to near 80 in South Texas.

NATION

A fierce winter storm continued to slam the Northeast with heavy snow and gale force winds today, while frigid air pushed temperatures far below zero in the Midwest.

Blizzard warnings covered much of Massachusetts and northwest Connecticut, with as much as 2 feet of snow expected. Strong winds caused blowing and drifting snow and rain fell on parts of southern New England.

Winter storm warnings were in effect over Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, eastern New York, Rhode Island and coastal Massachusetts. One to 2 feet of snow is expected in northern New England and upstate New York.

Rain changing to snow in southern New England should pile up 6 to 12 inches.

Texas temperatures

Amarillo	32	14
Austin	53	28
Beaumont-Port Arthur	50	26
Beeville	58	32
Brownsville	59	34
Bryan-College Station	48	28
Childress	44	20
Corpus Christi	56	33
Dallhart	31	10
Dallas	44	30
Del Rio	54	35
El Paso	48	18
Fort Worth	43	25
Hondo	54	23
Houston	52	28
Junction	52	23
Killebrew	57	34
Laredo	46	22
Longview	43	27
Lubbock	38	25
Lufkin	46	22
Marfa	46	14
McAllen	60	35
Midland-Odessa	47	27
Palacios	52	28
San Angelo	49	26
San Antonio	54	23
Shreveport, La.	44	22
Stephenville	45	25
Texasarkana	42	26
Victoria	56	32
Waco	46	25
Wichita Falls	40	27
Wink	49	18

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight partly cloudy. Low near 30. West wind 10 to 15 mph. Saturday partly cloudy with isolated showers, high near 60. West wind 10 to 15 mph shifting to the northwest 15 to 25 mph and gusty around midday. Lake wind advisory will be required during the afternoon. Chance of rain less than 20 percent.

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Cable TV rates to rise almost 13 percent

By RICK BROWN
Assistant City Editor

An almost 13 percent increase in Midland basic cable television charges set to begin March 1 will not require prior approval from City Council because of industry deregulation that started this year.

Doug Smith, general manager of Times Mirror Cable Television of Midland, said Thursday that charges for basic cable service will increase from \$10.58 monthly to \$11.95, excluding sales tax.

That basic service — if you have a cable-ready TV or a converter box — includes 23 channels of program-

ming, with the addition of one new channel — the Discovery Channel — which will begin broadcasting Feb. 1, he said.

Charges for TMCT's second tier of service, or full dimension cable — which offers nine additional channels of programming — will increase 10 percent, from \$15.83 monthly to \$17.45, he said.

The company also plans to offer two more "premium" channels starting Feb. 1 in addition to services like the Home Box Office and Showtime movie channels, he said.

The additions are the Cinemax movie channel and Home Sports Entertainment, which televises the

Houston Astros, Texas Rangers and Southwest and Southeast Conference basketball games among other sporting events.

Charges for those and other premium channels will remain at the current \$11.95 monthly, he said.

Smith said that TMCT's added charges result mainly from an average 47 percent increase in costs the company pays for broadcasting programmers like ESPN, the Arts and Entertainment Network and "Superstation" WTBS.

He added that the increases should lead to higher quality programming. "From what we've been told, the emphasis is on the quality of program-

ming offered. That's what we're looking for."

Smith explained that TMCT has exhausted all internal cost-cutting measures in the face of losing about 1,500 subscribers who moved out of town. The company relays television signals to about 28,000 receivers to tally, he said.

District 3 City Councilmember Kelly Fish explained Thursday that cable increases no longer need prior approval from City Council because of provisions that went into effect Jan. 1 in the 1984 federal Cable Communications Policy Act.

The intent of the law was "to stimulate more competition and thereby

provide lower rates," he said.

However, the higher charges from stations like WTBS were an indication that the programming industry needs more competition, he said. "They know they're a hot commodity, so with deregulation, they've upped their price."

Still, Fish was willing to give the industry a chance to prove itself before he gave up on a market controlled by competition.

District 1 City Councilmember David Godfrey echoed Fish's sentiments and was unconcerned by the council's loss of control over rates.

He added that "there is no way to tell" whether programmers would

have refrained from instituting the increases if city council's across the country still maintained control.

"If they price themselves out of the market, the market will take care of it," he predicted.

Cable executive Smith explained that the rates programmers charge the Midland cable company stem from negotiations between the programmers and the Los Angeles-based Times Mirror Cable Television company.

He added that the Midland service had not considered canceling any of its channels to lower rates. "Once you provide a service it's hard to drop it because it develops a following," he said.

Maryland man indicted for armed robbery of area S&Ls

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

A 36-year-old Maryland man who was indicted in San Antonio last Dec. 3 for a Nov. 17 armed robbery was indicted in Midland on Thursday by a federal grand jury for the armed robbery of two area savings associations in December and January.

The man, Shelby David Shifflett, was indicted for the robbery of the Odessa Savings Association of approximately \$1,186 on Dec. 19 by using a handgun on Judy Ann Duree and for the robbery of the Andrews Savings and Loan Association of \$3,900 on Jan. 9 by holding up Jana Mosley.

Shifflett, who currently is being held in the federal unit of the Midland City Jail without bail, was arrested by Federal Bureau of Investigation special agents and by Odessa detective and SWAT (special weapons and tactics) members on Jan. 14 in an Odessa motel room, where he

had been staying for several days. Since then, U.S. Magistrate Darrell F. Smith has denied Shifflett bail on grounds that he would be a flight risk and would be a danger to the community were he to be released on bond.

He had been indicted earlier in San Antonio for the Nov. 17 armed robbery of the San Antonio Savings Association in Helotes, a suburb of San Antonio. The FBI said that \$7,000 was taken in that robbery.

The government alleged that Shifflett has previous convictions in Maryland, Florida and Kentucky. At the time warrants were issued for his arrest in Odessa, FBI Special Agent Raymond Yelchak said Shifflett was "believed to be armed and dangerous." He was arrested without incident. Yelchak is in charge of the FBI's El Paso Division, which includes Midland.

The FBI had traced Shifflett to Odessa after a Bandera County woman, Charlotte Brown, told lawmen

that Shifflett had telephoned her from Odessa on Jan. 13 and mentioned that he had "pulled two or three robberies out where he was." The woman, with whom Shifflett had lived and with whom he had an apparent falling out, told the FBI that Shifflett said he had some marijuana and cocaine and was drunk, officials said.

Should he be convicted of the three holdups, Shifflett could be sentenced to a maximum of 65 years in prison.

In another indictment issued Thursday, Jesus Manuel Saucedo-Vega, also known as Manuel Saucedo-Vega, was indicted on four counts of transporting two illegal aliens to the United States from Mexico on Oct. 26 and for unlawfully possessing a .30-caliber carbine and a .22-caliber revolver on Jan. 7. The government alleged that Saucedo-Vega, an alien, was illegally in the United States.

Despite downturn, many Texans still planning major purchases

From Staff Reports

LUBBOCK — Despite a stormy 1986 state economy, many Texas consumers as they headed into 1987 seemed to be weathering the downturn with enough confidence to consider major purchases during the next year.

That is the conclusion drawn from a survey by the Institute for Communications Research at Texas Tech University. The mail and telephone survey of 387 Texas residents asked the likelihood of their making a major purchase of a home, car, major home appliance or personal computer during the next year.

Almost 40 percent thought it likely they would buy a major appliance and more than a quarter felt the same about buying a car. Almost 19 percent considered it likely they would buy a personal computer and nearly 10 percent thought a house was a likely purchase in 1987.

On a new home — the biggest investment most people make — 9.4 percent of the survey respondents considered a purchase likely or very likely in the next year. Men and women were almost identical in their belief a home purchase was likely, as 9.6 percent of the males and 9.3 percent of the women thought so.

Surprisingly, the likelihood of a home purchase cuts across all in-

come levels. About 7 percent of those making under \$10,000, 7.9 percent of those making between \$10,000 and \$20,000, 9 percent of those making between \$20,000 and \$30,000, 11 percent of those making between \$30,000 and \$50,000 and 12 percent of those making over \$50,000 thought a home purchase possible.

Of the survey respondents, 27.5 percent considered it likely or very likely that they would buy a new car during the next year. That compares with 68.1 percent who thought it unlikely and 4.4 percent who were uncertain.

As incomes rose, the greater the likelihood respondents would buy a new car.

Those making under \$50,000 totaled 61 percent of the respondents but only 12.6 percent thought a car purchase was likely. By contrast, those making more than \$50,000 accounted for 39 percent of the respondents and 15.9 percent of those planned on buying a new car.

Some 39.2 percent of the respondents said they were likely to buy a major home appliance during the next year. Of the respondents, 49.2 percent said they were unlikely to buy an appliance and 11.5 percent expressed uncertainty.

And, the percentages of males and females who said major home appliance purchases were likely were almost identical, with 39.6 percent of the men and 39.3 percent of the women so answering.

Likelihood of a new appliance purchase generally rose with income. Thus, 32 percent of those making under \$10,000, 34 percent of those making between \$10,000 and \$20,000, 46 percent of those making between \$20,000 and \$30,000, 59 percent of those making between \$30,000 and \$50,000 and 48 percent of those making over \$50,000 thought they would be making appliance purchases during 1987.

Among Texas consumers, 18.9 percent thought it likely they would buy a personal computer during the next year. Those making \$20,000 or more annually were more likely to be considering a personal computer than those making less.

Some 21.7 percent of the persons making over \$20,000 annually thought a computer purchase was likely, compared with 16 percent of those making less than \$20,000.

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Ron Jess/Reporter-Telegram

Carver Occupational Development Laboratory students Estella Brito and Wayne Crisp receive applause from 6th grade Gifted Education Midland students Natasha Eustace and

Kristen Zecchi during Thursday's planting of a heritage live oak tree at the Carver ODL campus.

If project takes root, Midlanders will have it 'made in the shade'

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

There is one more future shady spot in Midland today thanks to an Arbor Day celebration at a local school.

Students from Carver Occupational Development Laboratory and Gifted Education Midland helped plant a heritage oak tree on the grounds of the campus Thursday to celebrate Arbor Day.

"It's not so important the day, but the meaning of the day," teacher Tom Miller said. The celebration was six days later than Texas' present observance of Arbor Day.

Miller explained to the students — those from the CODL horticulture class and the GEM newspaper staff — the importance of the tree to people.

He spoke of how a tree emits oxygen that humans

breathe and that people exhale carbon dioxide which trees need to live.

"Without one another we die, but together, we can live on this earth."

Miller said Arbor Day was first celebrated in Texas in 1889 when citizens of the central Texas town of Temple held a mass meeting on a street corner and passed a resolution advocating the 22nd of February as Arbor Day.

It was partially a result of Gov. James Hogg's fondness of the pecan tree that an amendment to the Arbor Day Act in 1927 requested "certain state agencies give due consideration to the pecan tree when beautifying state parks and other public property belonging to the state," Miller said.

In 1949, the Texas State Legislature adopted the present resolution which designates the third Friday in January as Arbor Day, Miller added.



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Anthony Phillips, son of Lydia Phillips, studies his hand during a game of bridge Thursday at Trinity School. Students in grade 7-9 took the

week off from normal instruction to participate in school's annual mini-term.

Students take educational break with 'activity-oriented' learning

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

Education at Trinity School took on a new dimension this week as students in grades 7-9 cast aside their reading, writing and arithmetic textbooks.

Still, they're working as hard as ever, studying everything from the clues hidden in American history books to television production to the basics of a sound golf swing.

And the only prerequisite for Trinity's 12th annual mini-term is enthusiasm, sponsors said.

Students who leave Trinity remember the tradition of mini-term, scheduled between the fall and spring semesters each year.

Mini-term proposes to give students a week of "activity-oriented" learning and is not thought to be a vacation from learning, but rather a time to learn something new.

During the week-long session, stu-

dents are expected to select courses that will develop interests they already have or to gain an interest and knowledge in an area totally new to them.

According to Trinity teacher Doris Watson, the classes vary in length and each student selects three in which to participate.

Among the 22 courses available to students for their choosing are Public Speaking, History of World War II, Drugs, Kids and the Law, Hollywood...Here We Come, Model Airplanes, Cooking — Let's Plan a Dinner Party and Bridge.

In addition, students must sign up for one of four community service courses. They include Meals on Wheels, St. Andrews Mission, Terrace Gardens and Manor Park.

At Manor Park, students make lasting friendships with the elderly assisting in organized games, crafts and sing-a-longs.

In Meals on Wheels, they ride with volunteers who help deliver meals to those who are unable to cook for themselves.

Overall, students have an opportunity to learn new skills otherwise not offered in an academic setting.

They have their appetites whetted to learn something new and to make them more inquisitive. They become totally involved in what they are doing, says Ms. Watson.

For whatever reason, most students say mini-term is a learning experience.

Head Mistress Margaret Simmons said she never dreamed the six boys who signed up for her bridge course would master the skills so quickly.

"They learned so fast," she said of the group, who expressed an interest in forming their own club.

Although Jason Whitt said he was pleased with his progress, he said "I think we're still beginners."

Fugitive bank robber named to FBI's 'Ten Most Wanted' list

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Robert Alan Litchfield, a convicted bank robber, kidnapper and burglar, has been named to the Federal Bureau of Investigation's list of the "Ten Most Wanted Fugitives," according to FBI Director William H. Webster.

Litchfield, 48, is being sought in connection with stealing more than \$190,000 in a series of three bank robberies in Georgia, Florida and Michigan last year. In those robberies, Litchfield took hostages, used hand-

guns and issued bomb threats. Ron Butler, FBI special agent in charge of the Midland FBI Office, said that throughout the years, "a number of Top Ten fugitives have been apprehended due to the vigilance and observance of the public." He said citizens were alerted of the

fugitives through the press. Butler said that fugitives could be traveling through West Texas.

"We do lie on a major east-west thoroughfare (Interstate 20)," Butler said. "And I think it's just not too unrealistic to believe that one of these fellows could be passing

through here."

On Feb. 4, 1986, Litchfield escaped from the Federal Correctional Institution in Alabama, where he was serving a lengthy prison sentence for bank robbery in Miami, Fla., between 1983 and 1985. He was nicknamed the "Block House Bandit" be-

cause of his robberies of bank drive-in facilities which were built apart from their main bank buildings, officials said.

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DEATHS

Lonnie Mae Hancock

KERMIT — Funeral services for Lonnie Mae Hancock, 74, of Kermit, will be at 11 a.m. Saturday in Kermit's First Baptist Church.

The Rev. J.R. Manning will officiate and burial will follow in the Kermit Cemetery directed by Cooper Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hancock died Thursday in a Kermit hospital.

She was born May 24, 1912, in Wilcox, Okla. She was a member of the First Baptist Church and lived in Kermit 46 years.

She married Wesley Corley "Jack" Hancock. He preceded her in death Dec. 27, 1958.

She is survived by one son, Gary Hancock of Andrews; one daughter, Jackie Barrett of Midland; one sister, Ruth Flores of San Antonio; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Atterene Gordon

Atterene Gordon, 49, of Midland, died Wednesday evening at a local hospital.

There will be no public services. Mrs. Gordon was born July 7, 1937, in Florida, where she was reared. In 1958, she moved to Louisiana and then to Houston in 1963. She met Willis F. Gordon in Houston, and they were married there May 6, 1972.

Mayor cries 'fowl' over plans hatched for ranch

LA GRANGE (AP) — The notorious Chicken Ranch, whose closing in the early 1970s was immortalized on stage and film in "The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas," is once again ruffling feathers in this small community.

The flurry this time is sparked by a plan to commemorate the famous bordello by selling 45 million square-inch plots of ground around the original site, by building a museum to tell its history and by staging an annual "Chicken Fest" on Memorial Day.

Mayor Charlie Jungmichel called the plan "a slap in the face to the people in our county."

The City Council, led by Jungmichel, and the La Grange Ministerial Association are opposing what they consider an inappropriate proposal to glorify a bordello.

The two groups are urging residents in a published statement to join in "openly and strongly opposing this blight on our homes, our families and the generation to come."

Dr. Thomas Miller, president of the Chamber of Commerce, said he can understand why some think the Chicken Ranch gives a bad name to a community, but his group is endorsing the plan.

Some 65 members voted in favor of participating in the festival in a recent poll and 41 were opposed.

Fayette County Commissioner Dan Beck said the commissioners have not taken a stand on the issue and he has no problem with the project as

While living in Houston, she was a printer for the Houston Post. She moved to Midland three years ago.

She was a member of the North "A" and Tennessee Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband; her mother, Anabelle Juhnke of Geneva, Ala.; six brothers, Charlie Ganey, Jimmy Ganey, Danny Ganey, and Billy Ganey, all of Geneva, Ala.; Earl Ganey of Saudi Arabia, and George Ganey of Jeffersonville, Ind.; seven sisters, Jean Knotts of Huntington, Mary Ganey of Alpine, Betty Carroll of Lubbock, Lidia Johnson and Wanda Sue Johnson, both of Pensacola, Fla., Claudia Risebrough of Land of Lakes, Fla., and Linda Ganey of Florida.

The family requests memorials be directed to a favorite charity.

Milinda 'Mindy' Dube

Milinda "Mindy" Dube of Midland died Wednesday afternoon at a local hospital.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Ellis Funeral Home chapel with Doug Parson, minister of the Golf Course Road Church of Christ, officiating. Interment will follow at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Survivors include her husband, Tim Dube of Midland; and her mother, Ida Layland Kemper of Midland.

Tort reform may not lower insurance rates

By JIM WARREN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Lawmakers pushing for tighter controls on personal injury lawsuits said Thursday they could not guarantee that the reforms they support would reduce insurance rates.

An interim committee outlined its recommendations to the Legislature Thursday on reforming personal injury law and insurance regulation, saying the changes are needed to stabilize soaring liability insurance rates.

The report met with immediate criticism from consumer groups and attorneys who represent injured people. They claim that the so-called tort reforms will not lower insurance premiums but will make it more difficult for injured people to sue and recover for damages.

The Joint Committee on Tort Reform and Insurance and Procedure released its inch-thick report that calls for dozens of reforms in personal injury law — or tort law — as well as proposals to reform insurance regulation and the way the state monitors doctors.

The committee concluded that soaring premiums — and in some cases the unavailability of liability in-

surance — stems from liberal tort laws and from courts that "legislate" instead of merely interpreting the law.

Committee co-chairmen Sen. Grant Jones and Rep. Mike Toomey could not guarantee tort reforms would lower premiums but predicted that rates will decrease once the reforms are in place.

Billy Rogers, director of the anti-tort reform Texans For Civil Justice, said tort reform in other states has shown that it doesn't lower insurance rates. "You won't hear them telling you that tort reform will lower your insurance rates because they know it won't," Rogers said.

The tort reform battle could be one of the Legislature's toughest, with doctors, businesses, cities, engineers and others lining up against trial lawyers, labor unions and consumer groups.

"In the last five to eight years, our courts have become more activist and have created whole new claims of action," said Jones, D-Temple. He said an explosion in the number of lawsuits filed and larger court judgments is the root of the insurance problem.

"If we do it all, then it'll work and restore predictability in our court

system," said Toomey, R-Houston. "It may take some time, but if (insurance companies') loss columns become smaller, your rates will decrease," Toomey said he will push tort reform as a package that includes changes in insurance regulation and better policing of doctors.

"If I were them," Rogers said, "I would focus on the insurance reforms simply because tort reform doesn't work."

Two members of the joint committee — Sen. Kent Caperton of Bryan and Rep. James Hurry of Galveston — dissented from the majority and will write their own report and release it next week.

Before lawmakers can work on other reforms, the Legislature must approve a constitutional amendment

requiring a two-thirds vote in both chambers — to the "open courts" provision, which tort reformers say the current Texas Supreme Court has used to block previous attempts to limit a person's right to sue and the amount an injured person can collect.

Toomey said he will have the votes in the House, and Jones cautiously predicted that the Senate would also approve the reforms. "I don't think it would be appropriate to talk about

compromise at this point," Jones said. Most observers say the outcome in the Senate will hinge on the votes of one or two senators.

Some of the recommendations include:

— Eliminating joint and several liability, a legal doctrine that requires a defendant only partially responsible for an injury to pay the entire court judgment if the other defendants don't have the money or aren't insured.

— Limiting liability for directors of non-profit organizations and for county and city officials.

— Capping non-economic awards such as pain and suffering and mental anguish. Most of the caps would be set at \$100,000.

— Opening up certain insurance regulations to allow more insurers to offer liability insurance.

— Forcing insurance companies to detail their records to the State Board of Insurance during rate cases.

— Making it easier for citizens or health care employees to report doctors suspected of malpractice to the State Board of Medical Examiners.

— Increasing the State Board of Medical Examiners' power to strip licenses from bad doctors.

Clements: 'Temporary' tax likely to stay

By JIM WARREN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Gov. Bill Clements predicted Thursday that the "temporary" sales and gas tax increases approved last summer will become permanent.

Clements also said he will ask the Legislature to give him so-called "budget execution authority" — a power given to the governor by a constitutional amendment in 1985 but which still needs enabling legislation — so he can transfer \$82 million to the troubled Texas Department of Correction from other areas of state government.

Speaking on the PBS program "The Governor's Report," the recently sworn-in Republican governor said there is "a strong likelihood" that the state will keep the sales and gas tax increase, scheduled to expire Aug. 31.

The temporary taxes, he said, "will be rolled over into a new tax base." When the Legislature restructures the sales tax to include services currently not taxed, Clements said, the tax bill must be "revenue neutral."

Clements, however, said "revenue neutral" means the state will not take in more money than it currently does with a 5.25-percent sales tax and a 15-cent per gallon gasoline tax. Before the "temporary" taxes took

effect Jan. 1, the sales tax rate was 4.125 percent and the gasoline tax 10 cents a gallon.

Clements predicted "the sales tax rate would come down, oh, a cent and a half," but by broadening the sales tax base it would bring in the same amount of revenue for the state. Comptroller Bob Bullock's office estimates that extending the temporary taxes will bring the state about \$3 billion during the 1988-1989 biennium.

Asked if he would veto a tax plan that brought in more revenue than the state currently collects, Clements said, "Yes, I probably would."

The new governor said he met Thursday with legislative leaders and his top advisors to discuss the state's prison system, which faces \$800,000 a day in fines starting April 1 if TDC does not live up to a federal court order.

"We're going to have to have an emergency transfer," Clements said. The \$82 million that Clements said TDC needs immediately would have to come from other programs, because Bullock cannot allow the state to appropriate new money while the state budget faces a \$1 billion fiscal 1987 deficit. Clements said he wants the power to transfer money from other areas of state government to the prison system within the next 10 days.

"This is a must," Clements said. "We've got to do this."

Woman who sued over raid held in drug bust

HOUSTON (AP) — A woman who is suing a television journalist and the Harris County sheriff after a nationally broadcast drug raid has been arrested with five others on new drug-related indictments, authorities say.

Terry G. Rouse, arrested Thursday night in what authorities said was a routine local narcotics investigation, filed a \$30 million lawsuit against Gerald Rivera, Sheriff Johnny Klevenhagen and several others in connection with her televised arrest Dec. 2.

A state district judge threw out a cocaine possession charge against Ms. Rouse, 28, after she spent two

days in jail in the December incident.

Ms. Rouse was charged in Thursday's indictment with two felony counts and one misdemeanor count of delivery of marijuana. She and four others were arrested about 9:30 p.m. at a lounge in suburban Channelview. A sixth person is still at large, authorities said.

"This was a routine narcotics undercover operation in an area where we have repeated offenses. All of these are drug-related charges," Harris County Sheriff's Maj. W.W. Walker said of the 14 indictments returned by a Harris County grand jury.

Ms. Rouse remains in the Harris County Jail today, said a jail spokeswoman who declined to identify herself. No bond has been set, she said.

"The first bust was choreographed for TV and this one was choreographed for the lawsuit," said Mary Heafner, Ms. Rouse's attorney.

Walker and Capt. Mike Smith said the department was not specifically investigating Ms. Rouse before Thursday's raid, but that the arrests were part of a two-week undercover investigation of drug peddling in the Channelview area, about 10 miles east of Houston.

"We can't avoid enforcing the law for fear we're going to run into her,"

Smith said. "(Channelview) is a trouble spot, and it is going to continue to be a trouble spot."

Ms. Rouse was arrested last month during a drug raid aired on a two-hour special, "American Vice: The Doping of a Nation," which Rivera anchored.

Ms. Rouse filed the lawsuit late in December alleging defamation, invasion of privacy, false imprisonment, malicious prosecution and conspiracy.

During the program, officers were shown staging the raid in Channelview with Rivera saying: "A pimp and his prostitutes are supplying trucks with coke and speed."

Medical examiners' board training special investigators

AUSTIN (AP) — A member of the Texas State Board of Medical Examiners says the board is training special investigators who would know malpractice when they saw it as part of an effort to police the medical profession.

Dr. James Lively, Corpus Christi, told the Senate Finance Committee on Thursday the agency had completed the initial phase of board recommendations from last August but

needed more funds to continue closer monitoring of physicians.

He said the board was training investigators, switching from quarterly to monthly meetings, adding four attorneys who would help with investigations and raising renewal fees.

The board, responding perhaps to legislative pressure for better scrutiny of physicians, asked for 11 more employees in the fiscal year starting

Sept. 1. Its two-year budget request is nearly \$6.5 million, compared with the 1986-87 budget of \$4.9 million.

The physician renewal fee was raised to \$84, effective Jan. 1, and would cover the increased budget requests, according to Cynthia Jenkins of Stowell, a public member of the board.

Lively said as of Dec. 1, Texas had 41,809 physicians.

He said the board would maintain

"constant oversight" of the discipline of incompetent physicians or those accused of malpractice.

In another budget presentation to the Finance Committee, a member of the Board of Private Investigators and Private Security Agencies said the private security business "is probably the most booming business" in Texas.

Board member Dale Simpson of Dallas said the agency in 1975 regu-

lated 3,000 individuals with a staff of 30. In 1986, he said, the agency regulated 80,000 persons with a staff of 37.

Simpson and Executive Director Clema Sanders presented the agency's budget request of \$3.97 million for 1988-89. The 1986-87 budget, which is covered by licensed fees, is almost \$2.9 million.

Simpson said the agency has only

seven investigators "to cover the state," and in 1986 it handled 6,000 administrative cases. "We have, we think, more than reached the saturation point."

The board, established in 1969, regulates private investigators, alarm systems, armed and unarmed guards, armored car services, couriers, and guard dog companies, according to Ms. Sanders.

Midland police investigate sexual assault of woman

From Staff Reports

Police are investigating the sexual assault of a 38-year-old Midland woman who was found tied up in her residence early Thursday.

According to reports, police responded to the call just after 7 a.m. Thursday and found the woman partially nude with her hands tied behind her back with a length of panty hose.

According to the woman, she was walking to her garage when she was grabbed by a white male described as in his 30s, with "a clean-cut appearance," brown hair, wearing jeans and a brown jacket. The man threatened the woman, forced her to return to the residence and take off her clothes, officers said. Police said the woman was then assaulted twice by the man.

According to reports, the man did not use a weapon in the attack.

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Litchfield, who was born on April 8, 1938, in Quincy, Mass., is 6-foot-tall, weighs 195 pounds, and has black hair, brown eyes and a three-inch scar on the back of his upper right leg.

He has worked as a truck driver and has trained as a dental assistant. Litchfield may be accompanied by his 35-year-old wife, Donna Litchfield, who is being sought by law enforcement officers for bond default. Litchfield is the 408th fugitive to

Police Roundup

In other reports, police are investigating the burglary of a residence in the 1300 block of Lynn Avenue. According to police, a videocassette recorder valued at \$350, two gold men's watches valued at \$190, a Midland High School class ring valued at \$120, and two ladies' rings valued at \$65 were stolen Thursday about 8:30 p.m.

A metal safe of undetermined value was one of the items reported stolen from a business, according to reports from the sheriff's office. The safe, of undetermined value, and a number of truck tires were stolen from Quality Truck Tires, 8803 West Interstate 20. Reports said someone broke open a door on the northeast side of the business between 6:30 a.m. Wednesday and 7:30 a.m. Thursday.

be placed on the FBI's "Ten Most Wanted Fugitives" list. He replaces Terry Lee Conner, who was arrested on Dec. 9 in Arlington Heights, Ill., by the FBI and the U.S. Marshall's Service in connection with a series of bank robberies in the Midwestern and Western United States.

The FBI said Litchfield should be considered "armed, dangerous and an escape risk."

Anyone who has information regarding Litchfield or his wife should take no action other than to contact the nearest FBI office, the FBI said.

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Generally, the more education a respondent had, the greater the likelihood of a personal computer purchase. Only 14 percent of the respondents with a high school diploma or less were considering a personal

computer, compared with 21 percent who had attended college or earned one or more degrees.

Results of the survey conducted in October were released by ICR Director H.J. Hsia. The survey had a margin of error of plus or minus 5 percent.

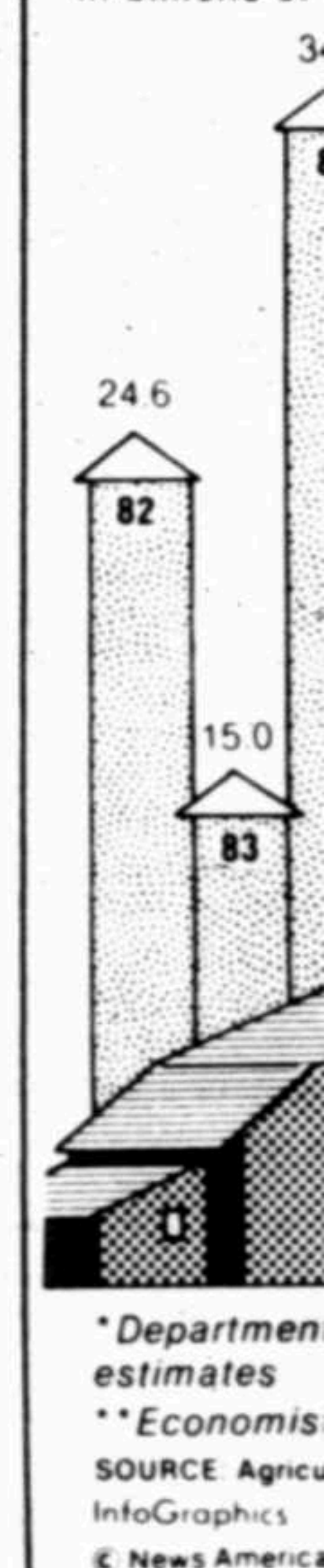
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Farm-state lawmakers prepared to plow up budget

WASHINGTON (AP) — Farm-state lawmakers are putting the Reagan administration on notice it can expect major alterations in some of the cost-cutting plans in the president's budget.

The latest storm signals, which surprised no one in view of earlier budget criticism, came Wednesday when Agriculture Secretary Richard Lyng appeared before the Senate Budget Committee.

Disturbing to several lawmakers was a proposed sharp cut in target prices on which the government bases subsidies for a number of crops that have staunch defenders among family farmers and agribusi-

ness executives alike.

"I hope that you will think hard not only this year but in future years because my instinct is that we will reject that cut in Congress," Sen. Paul Simon, D-Ill., told the secretary.

Lyng said that the major goal was to reduce the federal deficit and that the administration's farm budget "meets the high priority needs of agriculture while at the same time being fiscally responsible."

"The choices were not easy ones, but they had to be made in order to get the budget under control," Lyng said in outlining the plan for the budget year that begins Oct. 1.

It would lower overall Agriculture

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Department expenditures from the current \$55.1 billion level to \$50.7 billion.

Lyng told the panel the cut was necessary to conform to the Gramm-Rudman deficit reduction law. He said federal red ink in itself is harmful to the farmer. Democratic senators expressed doubts that the cuts would help farmers or prove politically acceptable.

"I remain concerned about the in-

ability of the administration to bring a realistic budget here to Capitol Hill," said Sen. James Sasser, D-Tenn. He referred to the insistence of the White House on recommending cuts that Congress has rejected in earlier years.

Sasser also expressed concern about a plan to finance a pay raise for Agriculture Department employees by transferring money from a fund to feed the homeless with sur-

plus farm commodities.

"Cuts of this kind are not the type of thing that we would like to have to do," Lyng said. But he said the proposal was made in light of other, larger federal programs to feed the poor.

Even critical Democrats, however, acknowledged that deficit reduction had to be a high priority, with committee Chairman Lawton Chiles, D-Fla., saying that "agriculture will have to take some cuts just like the rest of our programs." He said, however, he was disturbed by a cut in target prices.

"That sounds to me like trying to solve the problem by slashing farm

income," Chiles said.

Lyng reiterated that the best hope for a restoration of sagging farm income is price cutting contained in the current farm program and designed to spur American exports.

Both the secretary and Sen. Pete V. Domenici, R-N.M., said the benefits of that plan will not be felt until the end of 1987 at the earliest.

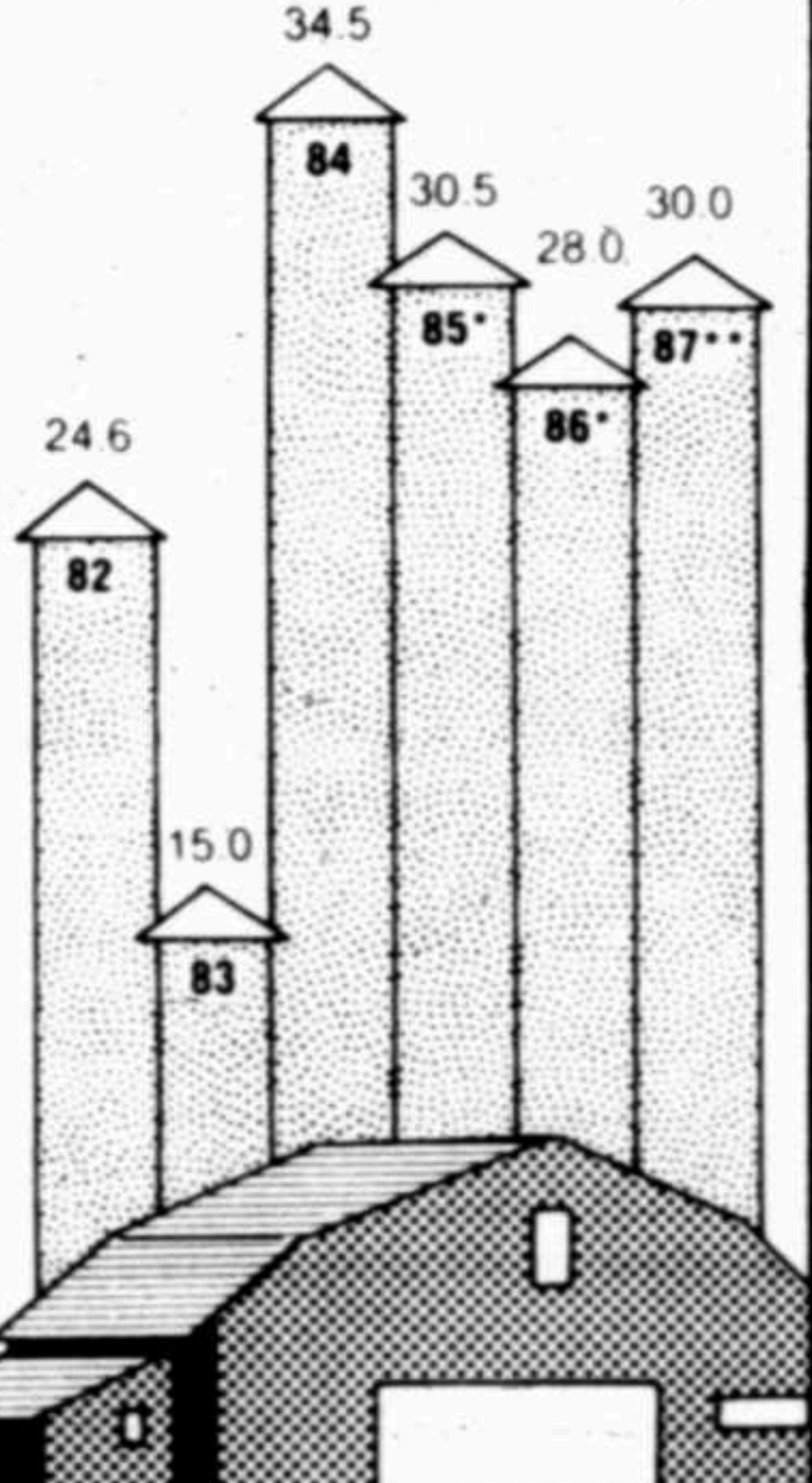
Domenici, who was replaced by Chiles as the committee's chairman after Democrats won control of the Senate in November, stressed that a sharp climb in farm spending that peaked at \$58.7 billion in USDA outlays in 1985-86 has failed to arrest the downturn in farm income.

Farm income

Net farm income is expected to reach around \$28 billion in 1986, rising to about \$30 billion in 1987, provided oil prices and interest rates remain relatively stable.

NET FARM INCOME

In billions of dollars:



*Department of Agriculture estimates
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Farm subsidy review draws sharp criticism

WASHINGTON (AP) — A federal review of farming operations whose subsidies exceed the \$50,000 limit for individual farmers is getting criticism from Arkansas lawmakers who say it could hurt thousands of growers nationwide.

Sen. David Pryor, D-Ark., told a news conference Tuesday that federal officials had been "totally insensitive to the farmer and his needs" in their handling of the reviews.

He did not defend reported widespread restructuring of farm holdings to get around the \$50,000 limit for individual farmers, but he was critical of retroactive efforts to collect alleged overpayments that were based on earlier approval of such restructuring plans.

He also said that the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, which operates the subsidy programs, had changed the rules and that the timing of some of the cases could put farmers out of business regardless of fault.

His comments came after a meeting with ASCS officials. Representatives of the Agriculture Department's inspector general's office, which is conducting its own audits, did not attend. The senator said they would be at a session today.

Pryor said Arkansas has been the target of intensive reviews but that similar scrutiny of alleged overpayments is under way in Texas, Mississippi, California "and several mid-western states."

He said the ASCS officials agreed at the meeting to a speeded up decision on four test cases that he said could set a precedent for thousands of farmers nationwide who revamped their operations and thus foiled the farm-subsidy limitation.

Otherwise, the farmers are in danger of going broke because the amount of federal aid due them this year will be in doubt and banks will therefore refuse to lend them money for the spring planting, Pryor said.

With certain major exceptions, federal law limits subsidies to \$50,000 per farmer. A number of growers have restructured their operations by allowing others, including relatives in some cases, to buy in and thus become separate "farmers" eligible for their own payments of up to \$50,000.

Following an outcry over large payments, ASCS has begun to review the cases of farmers whose reorganization plans its local offices had earlier approved.

Following what he described as "a hellfire and brimstone meeting" with ASCS officials, Pryor said four farmers in three Arkansas counties are being used as "test cases."

But Milton J. Hertz, ASCS administrator told reporters in a hallway outside Pryor's office that the four cases did not represent "test cases." He said he could not estimate the amount of overpayments involved.

The disposition of the four cases by Agriculture Secretary Richard Lyng, Pryor said, would not only have nationwide impact but much sooner determine the fate of a number of other Arkansas farmers in the counties of Desha, Chicot and Jefferson.

Changes in 1985 food act 'certain'

WASHINGTON (AP) — As the head of the American Farm Bureau Federation sees it, the half-century track record of Congress shows lawmakers are certain to make changes soon in the Food Security Act, the 1985 farm bill that President Reagan signed into law 13 months ago.

Federation President Dean Kleckner said Wednesday that while Congress is sure to do some tinkering with the law, it will stop short of mandatory crop controls and higher supports advocated by some.

On the average, he said, Congress has changed farm law every nine months over the past 50 years.

"Congress is to farm bills what lit-

tle boys are to mud puddles — they just got to wallow through," Kleckner said.

Asked about the slow recovery in U.S. farm exports after such high hopes when the 1985 law was being developed on Capitol Hill, Kleckner said the legislation, which Reagan signed in December 1985, has not had time to work.

The law included sharp reductions in federal crop supports in hopes of making U.S. commodities more competitive on the world market.

Kleckner said that perhaps many people "expected too much, too soon" from the new law. In any case,

he said, the United States cannot expect to raise crop supports without foreign competitors boosting output and undercutting U.S. prices.

Another major issue for farmers is the long-standing trade dispute between the European Community and the United States over lost grain sales to Spain. Kleckner said a bitter trade war may be likely.

Kleckner said he thinks American farmers generally support Reagan's decision to impose stiff duties on imported wine, cheese and other European products if a settlement isn't reached by Jan. 30.

EARNEST KIKER

Farmers should consider varieties of spring wheat

Farmers who have not been able to plant winter wheat due to extended periods of wet weather since last fall may want to consider spring wheat varieties.

Spring wheats tend to fo better than winter wheats when planted this time

of the year. A good spring wheat planted during its optimum planting time will out-yield winter wheats planted too late. Winter wheats require a certain number of chilling hours to properly form heads, while spring wheats do not. The key is to plant day-neutral hard red spring varieties that are not sensitive to day length.

Day-neutral varieties such as Wheaton, Guard, Oslo, DK225 and DK9S are adapted to Texas.

Spring wheat should be planted in the Panhandle no later than March 1. Since most spring wheats are fairly sensitive to freeze injury, they should be planted so that jointing does not occur until the danger of severe cold weather is passed. Ideally, spring wheats should be planted so that heading coincides with the time that popular winter wheats head.

In addition to planting dates, farmers need to check into the crop insurance situation, since sign-up dates may already have passed. Some farmers may not want to risk planting spring wheat unless they can obtain crop insurance and some lenders now require that a crop be insured as part of their loan provisions.

January 15 was the deadline for insuring spring wheat in some western counties, while January 31 is the deadline for some southern county

farmers. Farmers should check with local insurance representatives for their deadline for insuring spring wheat.

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Pregnancy testing and culling of open and skipper cows (those calving every two years) is one of the quickest ways to improve the reproductive performance of the beef herd. This has been shown by field demonstrations conducted by the Extension Service in numerous counties.

One such demonstration in Central Texas involved cow herds that were tested for at least two consecutive years. In the first herd, no culling was done after pregnancy testing, while in the other herd, all skipper and most open cows were removed. A few open heifers were kept in the latter herd to maintain cow numbers. Pregnancy rates before culling were 83.6 percent and 83 percent respectively. The nutrition and health status and level of bull fertility were essentially unchanged during the two-year study.

In the second herd, pregnancy rates after culling went up to 95.3 percent in the second year, while rates in the herd without culling remained near 84.5 percent.

This clearly shows the importance of pregnancy testing and culling open and skipper cows. Obviously, replacements can be costly, but an economic analysis shows that these initially high costs can be recovered within two to three years and that the total dollar income will be higher than without culling.

In addition to pregnancy testing and culling, other management factors also must be considered for a profitable beef herd. These include timely supplemental feeding, necessary reproductive vaccines and highly fertile bulls.

Earnest K. Kiker is Midland County Extension Agent for Agriculture.

RICHARD MINZENMAYER

Black widow spider's bite much like sting of a wasp

The female black widow spider is about half an inch long, glossy black with a nearly globe-like abdomen. The abdomen has two triangular red spots on its underside that are arranged in such a way that the spots look like an hour glass. The males, much smaller than the females, are ¼-inch long, with a longer, narrower abdomen and longer legs.

Black widow spiders are very shy and like to build their webs in dry, unprotected locations where their prey is likely to travel. They are commonly found in wood piles, barns or sheds, beneath benches, in crawl spaces and under rocks. The web is an irregular affair that serves to ensnare the victim long enough for the spider to tangle it in more silk before giving it a lethal bite.

The females often eat the male after mating, thus giving them their rather morbid name. She lays her eggs in a silken case which she protects in the nest. Several cases may be constructed during a spider's lifetime, each one containing an average of 225 eggs. The young spiderlings remain in the case until the second molt. They live in the vicinity of the nest for two to three weeks before producing long threads of silk that help them float away like kites. Female spiderlings go through six to eight molts before maturing, taking 112-140 days.

Black widows have poison glands and will bite if handled roughly or disturbed. They usually avoid trou-

ble if possible. There have been deaths from black widow bites, but they usually are no worse than a wasp sting.

Black widow spiders in small numbers can be carefully removed and destroyed by mechanical methods. However, in some situations, it is necessary to use pesticides for their control. These pesticides may be applied as residuals, such as bendiocarb, chlorpyrifos, diazinon, malathion, propoxur or pyrethrins plus silica gel. These pesticides should be applied as sprays or dusts with special emphasis on application into potential or known harborage areas. Short residual aerosols, mist, ULV's or fogs of DDT, phrethrins or resmethrin can also be used.

Richard Minzenmayer is Midland County Extension Agent for Entomology.

Tobacco purchase down

WASHINGTON (AP) — Cigarette makers plan to buy 293.7 million pounds of burley tobacco from this year's crop, down slightly from 1986 purchases of 303.7 million pounds, according to the Agriculture Department.

The purchase intentions of major domestic manufacturers are required by law to help USDA determine annual tobacco use and farm marketing quotas. The 1987 burley quota will be announced by Feb. 1. Milton Hertz, head of the department's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, said Wednesday.

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Prince's letter published

LONDON (AP) — A newspaper today published what it said was a letter from Prince Philip to the Royal Marines about his son's controversial decision to quit the elite corps. Buckingham Palace denounced the publication.

The Sun, a London tabloid, quoted Prince Philip as saying that 22-year-old Prince Edward now faces "a very difficult problem of adjustment." It said the letter was addressed to the commandant general of the marines, Gen. Sir Michael Wilkins.

Asked if the letter was authentic, peace press officer John Haslam told The Associated Press: "We are not commenting on that. You must draw your own conclusions on that."

Michael Shea, Queen Elizabeth II's press secretary, said in a statement: "We consider it deplorable that a national newspaper appears to have published the contents of a private and personal letter from the Duke of Edinburgh (Prince Philip) which must originally have been obtained by dishonest means."

Shea is thought to have used the word "appears" only to indicate that he did not know of the contents be-

cause it was a personal letter.

Prince Edward, the youngest of the three sons of the queen and Prince Philip, resigned from the marines Jan. 12, breaking with a long-standing family tradition of military service. He had completed four months of a yearlong training course as a marine commando officer.

Kohl re-election expected

BONN, West Germany (AP) — Chancellor Helmut Kohl has shaken off a spy scandal, political payment probes and protests over his comments about Nazis and communists and appears on track for a widely expected re-election victory Sunday.

But in the final week of the campaign, the kidnappings of two West German businessmen in Lebanon threw Kohl's government into a state of crisis, forcing him and his top Cabinet ministers to concentrate on getting the two men released.

The kidnappers were reported seeking to swap at least one of the businessmen for Mohammed Ali Hamadi, a suspect in the 1985 hijacking of a TWA jetliner. The United States has requested Hamadi's extradition from West Germany for trial on air

piracy and murder charges.

Political pollsters say that despite the controversies, the 56-year-old Christian Democratic chancellor has a personal, homey touch that pleases many of his countrymen.

Use of missiles confirmed

PESHAWAR, Pakistan (AP) — Moslem guerrillas say U.S.-made Stinger missiles supplied to them are taking a deadly toll of Soviet aircraft in Afghanistan, limiting the ability of jets and helicopter gunships to operate against them.

Several top guerrilla leaders and military commanders confirm their forces are getting the sophisticated missiles, and say that guerrilla morale has been boosted by them. The missiles, they say, have for the first time given the guerrillas effective defenses against the hundreds of advanced jets and helicopters deployed by Soviet and Afghan government forces.

"The mujahedeen (holy warriors) are very happy. For the first time we can kill the Russian jets," said one guerrilla representative.

The guerrilla officials who spoke to The Associated Press only on con-

dition they not be identified, said the insurgents had been instructed not to reveal they had Stingers, a decision they did not agree with.

Baghdad buildings hit

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — An Iranian missile leveled several buildings in the capital, killing or wounding at least 54 people, in apparent retaliation for Iraqi air raids that killed 212 people in Iranian cities.

In another development, sources in Baghdad said there were reports the Iraqi armed forces chief of staff, Gen. Abdul-Jawad Zannoun, was fired. Government officials were unavailable for comment.

The missile attack on Baghdad late Thursday was the sixth since Iran launched a major ground offensive on the southern front Jan. 9.

Nuclear freeze sought

LONDON (AP) — Hundreds of anti-nuclear demonstrators today called on Britain to support a nuclear freeze and staged a peaceful sit-in outside the Defense Ministry. Police said 141 people were arrested.

Scotland Yard spokesman Nick Jordan said those arrested would be charged with obstruction. He said there was "no violence at all."

"They announced their intention to sit in the road and be arrested and they have been very successful at it," Jordan said.

Protesters said the sit-in was part of a "snowball" campaign of civil disobedience. They converged on the ministry throughout the morning to take the place of those being carried away by police. Jordan said about 200 people were involved in the demonstration at any one time.

Chinese scientists fired

PEKING (AP) — The Communist government today fired the president and vice president of China's prestigious Academy of Sciences in a move that appeared part of the leadership's crackdown on Western liberal ideas.

The official Xinhua News Agency said the academy president, Lu Jiaxi, and vice president, Yan Dongsheng, were dismissed at a meeting of the National People's Congress Standing Committee that ended today. It did not say why they were fired.

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Reservations are recommended. All performances will be at 8 p.m. Admission will be \$8 for adults and \$5.50 for students and senior citizens. Call 332-1586 for tickets or more information.

MEXICAN FEISTA DAY, annual event hosted by Midland Woman's Club, will be Jan. 30 at the clubhouse in Hogan's Park. Lunch will be served 11 a.m.-2 p.m. and will cost \$5.50.

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MIDLAND COUNTY Young Democrats will meet 5:30-6:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Law Office, 1203 N. Big Spring Street.

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FORMER ITAZUKE High School students are planning a reunion for July 10-12 in Houston.

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For more information contact Nancy Ryan Keeling, 12414 Keepers Trail, Cypress, 77429, (713) 890-2337 or Rick Winegarden, 8211 Dillon, Houston 77061, (713) 220-7047 weekdays or (713) 645-6386.

TWO PORCELAIN doll seminars, taught by Tysene Stevenson of Abilene and sponsored by Bobbie Carr, will be 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Feb. 7-8 and 9-10 at 318 N. Austin in Lamesa.

To register call (806) 462-7991 or (806) 872-5451.

RAPE CRISIS Center is looking for persons interested in becoming volunteer counselors for the center in Midland.

Applications are being accepted for training classes starting in February. For more information call 682-RAPE.

MIDLAND JAYCEES will be sponsoring a "Membership Night," 6-9 p.m. Jan. 29 at Garfield's.

Midland Jaycees involve individuals in leadership training through community service.

For more information call 689-9389.

CITY-WIDE POSTER contest, sponsored by the Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce and Jumburrito, is open to entrants of any age. Winning entries will be used as the theme and program cover for the second annual Midland Ethnic Folk Festival planned for 10 a.m.-10 p.m. May 23 at Midland Center.

The festival will celebrate the many cultures in Midland and the surrounding area.

Posters must depict these many local cultures. The winning poster also will be available for purchase at the festival.

Entries will be judged by a committee of chamber members.

All entries must be mailed or hand delivered to the Hispanic Chamber office, 1301 Keith, no later than Jan. 30. Winner will receive a \$100 cash prize.

For more information call 682-2960 or visit the chamber office.

AMERICAN Association of University Women's Parenting II Study Group will meet at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday at 2815 Emerson Place. Pat Stanton will review the book "How to Talk So Kids Will Listen and Listen So Kids Will Talk." Public is invited. For more information, call 689-0293 or 687-3894.

ITC ARTICULADIES (International Training in Communication, formerly Articuladies Toastmistress Club) will meet 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at Teachers Credit Union, 2304 W. Michigan. Members will present book reviews. All interested persons are invited to attend. For more information call 687-8232 or 687-3208.

MIDLAND JAYCEES will have a Super Garage Sale 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Jan. 31 at the old Kresge's in Dellwood Mall. All types and kinds of items will be available for sale.

Anyone wishing to donate merchandise may call 683-7330.

Funds raised will benefit various community projects.

COPING WITH JOB LOSS

Meeting scheduled for next week

By JIM MAY

DEAR READERS: Concerning self-help groups in our area, there is a meeting of the Basin Resource Committee scheduled for 7 p.m. Jan. 27 at Midland College. Either Rep. Lamar Smith or someone from his office is scheduled to speak to the group. The purpose of the Committee is to provide support for the unemployed in the Midland-Odessa area.



May

Contact E.W. Matthews Jr., 683-6474, for details.

DEAR COPING: My husband lost his job almost nine months ago and the full implication of what that means is just now beginning to dawn on me.

I did not spend much time boosting his confidence at first because he was always such a confident and secure person. It never occurred to either of us that he might not be able to get another job.

We thought it would be hard, but we were confident he would find something. He has done a good job of keeping things in perspective, but I am becoming increasingly worried about our future. How can I support him if I am so worried? MRS. SJ

DEAR MRS. SJ: It is very hard to support someone when you need support yourself. The loss of a job and the subsequent difficulty in finding another is disconcerting and worrisome.

Perhaps you could choose an appropriate quiet time to sit down with your husband and begin to share some of your fears. It's hard to not let such a discussion sound as if you are losing confidence in him. You may want to consider emphasizing your concerns and need for reassurance.

This is a delicate subject, best discussed in a calm environment in small increments; that is, do not try

to discuss all your fears at one sitting, it may be overpowering for both of you.

DEAR COPING: My bank continues to press me for repayment of a loan to the company that I guaranteed. If I pay them what they want there will be no money left for me and my family to live on.

Why don't they realize that their best bet is to leave me alone and let me continue to at least stay in business and then I can pay them back when things get better?

They are on the verge of forcing me into bankruptcy and they are not going to get hardly anything. Why do they do that? DL

DEAR DL: There is a real tension between what can and what should be done. From my discussions with some local bankers, they indicate that their responsibility is to their depositors and investors, therefore they must make every effort to collect on outstanding loans.

They have experienced watching individuals and firms that owe them significant amounts of money continue to live a life/business style that does not indicate any willingness to sacrifice to repay their loans.

In their opinion, in many cases, it is better to take their losses immediately while there are still some assets. Most of them do indicate that the banks would prefer to work with the debtor, but that the bankers must make decisions as to what they think is in the bank's best interest.

This is a difficult issue for the loaner and the debtor. If either knew for certain the loan would or could be repaid, then the situation would be significantly different. Unfortunately, neither knows the future.

Once one's liabilities exceed one's assets, then both the bank and the debtor move into the realm of "acts of faith" to continue the relationship.

As we all know, acts of faith are just that. They depend on many intangibles. Such acts are best entered into in an atmosphere of mutual respect, honesty and sacrifice by all parties.

DEAR COPING: The longer this situation goes on, the more it concerns me that God is not answering my prayers.

I am sure that I am not the only one praying for an end to all the unemployment and suffering that we are experiencing.

Where is God in all of this? I have always believed that God answered prayer and that He would never give us more than we could stand. MRS. TM

DEAR MRS. TM: I am not a theologian, but it may be that God is answering your prayers. Suffering is a part of life.

In neither the Old or New Testament is there any indication that we should expect life to be easy; rather we should expect it to be difficult. We all fall prey to the idea that material success and our "goodness" are somehow related, but as God demonstrated to Job, they are not.

My personal belief is that we will come out of this financial crisis a much "better" people — not richer, but better.

This unwanted event has created financial havoc, but it has also created the opportunity for change.

As we know from watching our children learn to do the simple things like ride a bicycle, no change is accomplished without pain and sacrifice.

I would suggest that God has answered your prayer, and our prayers, and has given us an opportunity to turn our thoughts and energies to the spiritual and away from the physical.

Jim May is the director of the Family Wellness Center.

Questions for this column should be addressed to Coping With Job Loss, P.O. Box 10485, Midland, 79702.

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DEAR ABBY

G.I.'s German love affair full of Sturm and Drang

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: I am 18 years old and I'm stationed in Germany. Four months ago I fell in love with a German woman. She's 33 years old and married. I met her when I went out with her daughter, who is 16. Our relationship started out just talking about our problems. She has a very unhappy marriage, and this was my first time away from home. I was lonely, and she was very understanding.



Van Buren

Well, I sure didn't expect it to happen, but we had a love affair the second time we were together. I saw her every chance I could. The problem is that she's in love with me, but I'm not sure I'm in love with her. I care for her and feel sorry for her, but the feelings I had for her in the beginning are just not there anymore.

I can't turn her away because it would cause her so much heartbreak and sadness. She

wants me to wait until she can divorce her husband, but I really don't want to go through with anything like that. I hate to hurt her. Please help me. — COUNTRY BOY IN GERMANY

DEAR COUNTRY BOY: What you felt in the beginning wasn't "love" — it was a combination of infatuation, loneliness and opportunity. Be honest with this woman, and tell her exactly how you feel.

Don't worry about hurting her. She's 33 and can take care of herself. You're only 18 and have your whole life ahead of you. Don't mess it up by continuing in this dangerous relationship. Talk to your chaplain. He's seen many a young soldier in your position and can help you handle it. I'm glad you wrote. Please write again and let me know how your life is going. Country Boy. I care.

Problems? Write to Abby. For a personal, unpublished reply, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Abby, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. All replies are confidential.

Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Benefit planned

"Look of Love" will be the theme of a prom show and dance benefit 7:30-11:30 Saturday at the Midland Center. Proceeds from the event will go to the Developmental Disabilities Center.

The dance is being sponsored to raise funds to meet a challenge from a donor. Provided the center can raise a matching amount, an anonymous contributor has agreed to make a \$25,000 donation to the DDC. The center hopes the show and dance benefit will help reach that \$25,000 goal. Deadline for the matching contribution is April.

The benefit, presented by Janee's Evening Wear, will be open to all high school students. Music will be provided by KWES Radio and its DJs.

Tickets are \$7.50 advance and \$10 at the door. They are available from any Midland or Lee High School Student Council member or by calling 689-7123.

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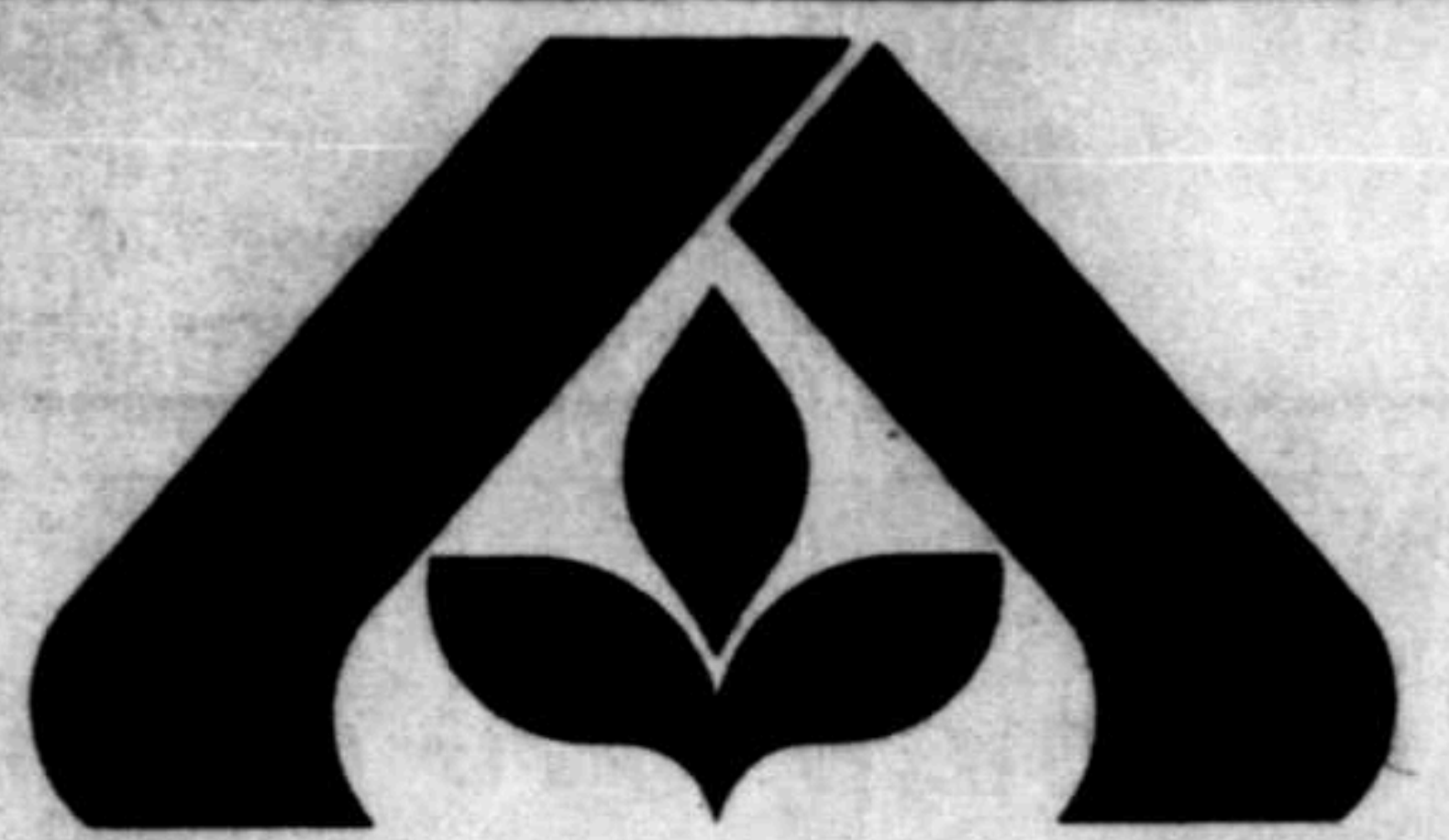
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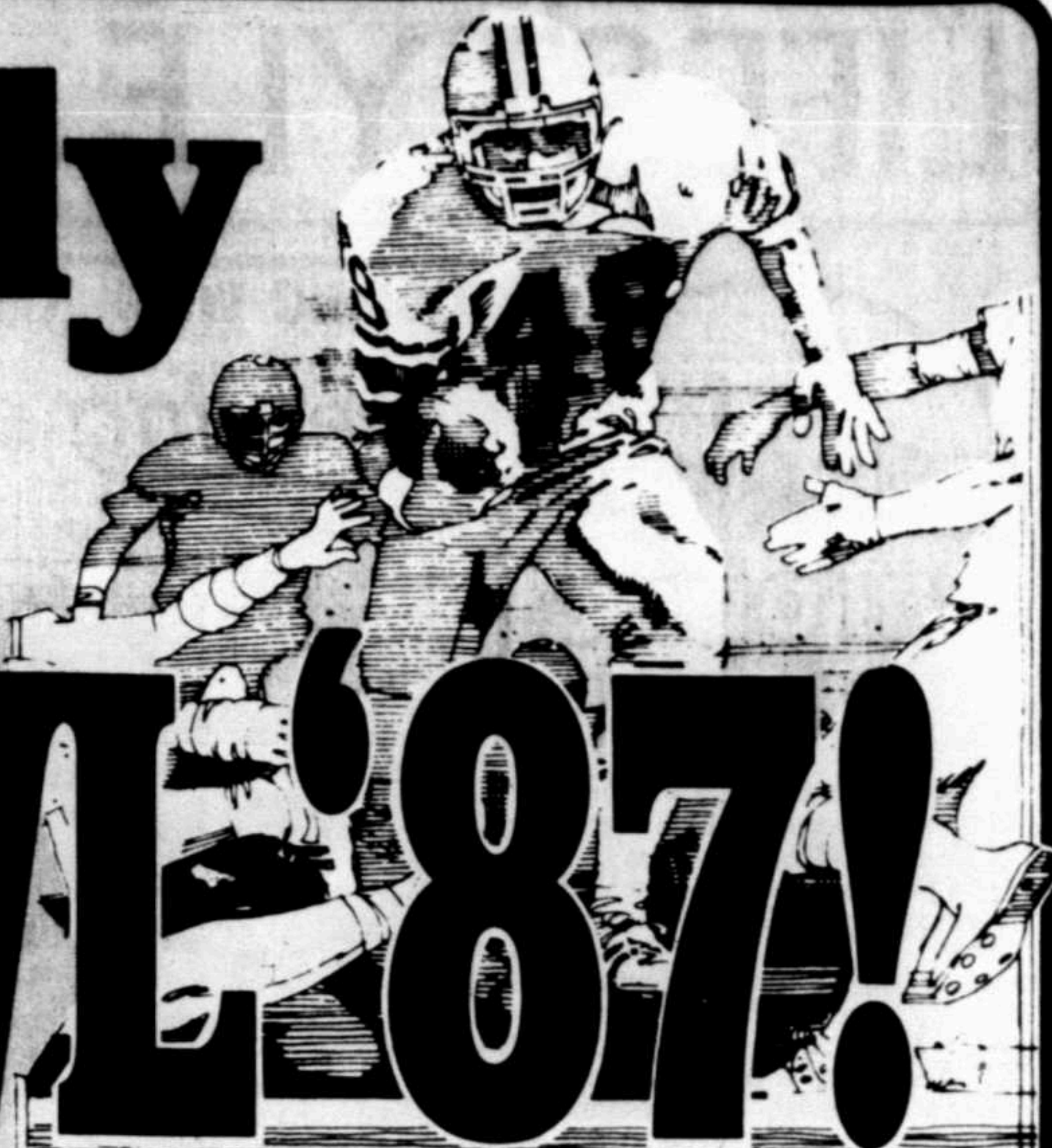
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Barnett shines in Chaps' win over Texans

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Assistant Sports Editor

For arm-chair coaches: What do you do when your No. 1 scorer has been benched for disciplinary reasons and your No. 2 scorer is having a 1-of-14 night from the field and you're playing against a team that would like to move ahead of you in the basketball standings? If you are Midland College coach Jerry Stone, you reach down deep and find yourself a star.

Thursday night at Chaparral Center, Midland College found itself in that very same situation — and Stone found his star.

Stewart Barnett, a 5-foot-7½ freshman from New York, drove the lane for a layup and was fouled by South Plains College's Donnell Hayden with 15 seconds left in the game. Barnett sank the free throw for a 66-63 margin, vaulting the Chaparrals to a 19-1 season record and a 6-1 Western Junior College Athletic Conference mark.

South Plains never got a shot at the hoped for three-pointer and overtime on the return down the court as Barnett knocked the ball out of bounds from the hands of Darryl Knight with only one tick left on the clock. SPC's dream of moving into second place in the conference race ended with a 14-4 season record and a 4-2 conference mark.

"I'm sure Stewart thought he was back in the Big Apple after those three points at the end," said Stone.

"I'm really glad for him because he didn't join us until the end of the semester and he really hasn't been in the groove."

MC CALLED a time out just prior to Barnett's driving layup for victory to set up strategy.

"We wanted to run our offense until we could get a good, open shot," noted Stone. "I really didn't want 15 seconds left on the clock, but I told the kids the only way we would take a quick shot is if we got the easy layup and that's what Stewart took."

Barnett, who ended the game with a college high 14 points, added, "We were supposed to hit the open man, but I had the lane and decided to drive. I was even then going to pass off, but the guy (Hayden) slumped back and I took it to the hole."

It was another nip-and-tuck victory for MC at the Chap. Last Thursday, MC escaped Howard College by a meager four points. But this was even a more dangerous situation since Stone had benched sophomore Mookie Blaylock, who leads the team with a 19.6 point per game average.

Stone refused to say why Blaylock was benched for what has to be one of the most important games the Chaps will play this year.

"Let's just say Mookie had a little



Jerry Mennenga/Reporter-Telegram

Sky high, South Plains' Lorne Joshua goes for the tip while teammate Greg Colbert and Midland College's Stewart Barnett look on.

problem. It's over now. It's history. He'll be back in our next game. It really wasn't anything serious and that's enough to say about it," said Stone.

Blaylock's absence gave Barnett the most playing time he has had. "To tell you the truth, I was nervous when I heard Mookie wasn't going to play. I thought about filling his spot and thought that this was my chance to show what I could do," said Barnett.

HE DID very well, thank you. Barnett, the 167-pound muscle man, hit 6-of-8 shots from the field, including a three-pointer.

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Kent Porter/Reporter-Telegram

Midland College's Stewart Barnett hits the floor in a fight for the ball with South Plains' Lorne Joshua Thursday night at Chap Center. Despite Barnett's effort, the ball went to the Texans, but not the game. Chaps won, 66-63.

Tight pack following Permian in race for playoffs

By BOB BRUNDAGE
Sports Writer

The District 4-5A boys basketball season is starting to take on the look of a hotly contested NASCAR race. The lead cars are running strong, picking up speed and heading for the finish line.

Defending champion Odessa Permian, 4-1, has a nose lead over second place San Angelo, 3-1, while Midland Lee, Midland High and Abilene Cooper are nudging with their bumpers at 2-2.

Even the teams trailing the field

are still within striking distance. Abilene High at 1-3 and Odessa High at 1-4. Their cars aren't running as well as the others, but then again, this isn't the fastest field 4-5A has put on the track.

While the 4-5A race is hot, pre-district play is keeping records from sizzling. Permian and San Angelo are the only teams with a winning record, each coming in at 13-9 (.591). They can be caught and that's good news for one Tall City basketball team tonight as Midland Lee travels to San Angelo for an 8 p.m. encounter.

District 4-5A

Elsewhere around the league, Midland High hosts Odessa High at Chap Center while Abilene High takes on cross-town rival Cooper. Permian is in the pits and won't return to action until Tuesday.

In girls 4-5A action, the pack is almost as tight with four teams within three games at the halfway point.

The San Angelo Bobcats are unbeaten at 6-0 with homecourt wins

over Midland High, 5-1, and Midland Lee, 4-2, in the first half.

Tonight, the Lady Rebels can gain a notch on the lead as they host San Angelo while the Lady Bulldogs travel to Odessa High. Abilene High, 3-3, takes on 2-4 Abilene Cooper in a game the Eagles need to keep their hopes alive.

DOMINATING PLAYERS haven't been a part of either Tall City boys team this year, especially in district play.

Michael Ball and David Lujan top the Midland High shooters with 12.8

and 10.7 averages respectively while Danny Allen and Mark Van Cott are high for Lee at 10.1 each.

Lujan, appearing in only one 4-5A game so far, leads the team in league scoring with an 11.0 average while Joe Wayland is working at a 10.0 click. Allen and Van Cott lead Lee with 11.5 and 11.0 averages while Nicky Sanchez adds another 10.8.

The league's top two shooters also happen to be on the first and second place teams. San Angelo's Chris Lowry has used deadly free throw accuracy to aid his 22.5 per game average while Lance Watkins has been hot

from the field for 21.0.

Cooper's Doug Starr is third at 17.3 while Abilene's Pat Garrett is hitting at a 16.1 pace.

THE TEAM that has the top scoring leaders in Midland is the MHS girls with the top three overall averages this year.

Amy Cumings' 17.0 average tops the trio while Brenda Rodriguez is averaging 14.4 and Sebrina Finch 13.0. For The Lee girls, LaVette Wallace is the only player in doubles at 11.3.

No. 11 Cash stuns top-seeded Lendl

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) — Australian Davis Cup hero Pat Cash battled for over four hours before toppling top-seeded Ivan Lendl of Czechoslovakia today to advance to the men's final of the \$1.65 million Australian Open Tennis Championships at Kooyong.

Cash, 21, the 11th seed, moved into the first Grand Slam final of his career by outdueling Lendl 7-6 (7-1), 5-7, 7-6 (7-5), 6-4 in a struggle between two of the most powerful players in the world.

The fiery Cash will meet defending champion Stefan Edberg of Sweden, the fourth seed, in Sunday's final.

Edberg romped to a 6-2, 6-4, 7-6 (9-7) victory over unseeded Australian Wally Masur in today's other semifinal.

The women's final will be held Saturday, with defending champion

Martina Navratilova of Fort Worth, Texas meeting Czechoslovakia's Hana Mandlikova.

Cash, who will be playing in only the fourth Grand Prix tournament final of his career, defeated Lendl for the first time in five career meetings.

He will be aiming to become the first Australian to win the title since Mark Edmondson did it in 1976.

"I think I'm playing pretty good tennis, and it really helps that I can stay at home for this event," said Cash, who grew up in suburban Ringwood, just a 30-minute drive from Kooyong.

"You have to be organized to tackle a tournament like this. Being prepared is the key and I can prepare best at home."

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Cowboys' Septien indicted

DENTON, Texas (AP) — Dallas Cowboys kicker Rafael Septien is free on \$10,000 bond after being indicted on charges of aggravated sexual assault of a 10-year-old girl.

"We are planning on entering a plea of not guilty, because he is not guilty of these charges," Septien's attorney, Jay Ethington, said.

The indictment against the veteran placekicker, the Cowboys' all-time leading scorer, was returned by a Denton County grand jury on Thursday. It alleged the child was molested Dec. 28, said District Attorney Jerry Cobb.

If convicted, Septien could be sen-

tenced to up to life in prison, Cobb said.

Septien posted the bond at the Denton County Jail about 5 p.m. Thursday, said Capt. Jim Neal, detention director.

A native of Mexico City, the 33-year-old Septien joined the Cowboys nine years ago after attending Southwest Louisiana.

Septien was a 10th-round draft choice of the New Orleans Saints in 1977, but was released in training camp and signed by the Los Angeles Rams. He was released by the Rams after the final pre-season game of 1978.



AP Laserphoto

Sgt. Steven Webb of the New Jersey National Guard in Bound Brook, N.J., rolls a tank with the New York Giants insignia over a compact car

painted Denver Bronco orange and blue to show the 102nd Armored Division's choice in Sunday's Super Bowl.

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Sports Calendar

Odessa High boys vs. Midland High at Chap Center, 8 p.m.
Midland Lee boys at San Angelo, 8 p.m.
Midland High girls at Odessa High, 8 p.m.
San Angelo girls at Midland Lee, 8 p.m.
Kermit boys and girls at Crane, 6:30 p.m.

Alpine boys and girls at Greenwood, 5 p.m.
Pecos boys at Lamesa, 7:30 p.m.
Sweetwater boys at Andrews, 7:30 p.m.
Reagan County boys and girls at Stanton, 4:30 p.m.
McCauley boys and girls at Rankin, 5 p.m.

Trivia Teaser...

Friday's Question: Which of the following defensemen scored five goals in an NHL game? a-Bobby Orr. b-Ian Turnbull. c-Denis Potvin. d-Paul Coffey.

Thursday's Answer: Jimmy Demaret won three Masters titles, but never won any other major tournament.

Iowa posts record 18th straight win

Associated Press

Iowa went to the top of the Associated Press college basketball poll for the first time this week. The Hawkeyes must like the view.

For the second time in four nights, Iowa beat a ranked opponent from the Big Ten to remain undefeated and erase any doubts about its stature as the nation's top team.

The Hawkeyes beat No. 3 Indiana 101-88 Thursday night for their school-record 18th consecutive victory. On Monday night, Iowa beat No. 5 Purdue 70-67 and the Hawkeyes are 6-0 atop one of the toughest conferences in the country.

"I think we're probably the deepest club in the league, one of the deepest in the country," first-year Coach Tom Davis said of his team on which everybody gets plenty of minutes because of his lineup shuffling. "The way we press and run, we need to go eight guys deep for sure."

Six players scored between 13 and 17 points for Iowa against the Hoosiers, 14-2 and 5-1, who allowed more than 100 points for the first time since Bob Knight became coach there in 1972.

Reserve guard Jeff Moe sparked a 19-4 outburst that allowed Iowa to break from a 59-59 tie. Moe hit a 3-point field goal with 15:24 to play and added two other field goals as Iowa raced to a 78-63 lead with 11:17 remaining.

"Jeff Moe is Mr. Inspiration to us," Davis said. "He's very, very important to our ballclub, especially for his defense."

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Shortstop not problem for Cubs

Michael isn't considering moving Dunston to outfield

CHICAGO (AP)—Shawon Dunston of the Chicago Cubs has some lofty ambitions such as fielding like Ozzie Smith and hitting like Hubie Brooks. Manager Gene Michael believes his shortstop can attain those goals if he can harness his raw talent.

There has been some talk about possibly turning Dunston, a former Midland Cub, into a center-fielder but Michael nixed the idea.

"There's no doubt in my mind that he can be an outstanding outfielder," said Michael, "but I don't want to take his bat out of the infield. Our problems are pitching, the outfield and third base. Not shortstop."

Despite his tremendous talent which includes speed, one of the finest arms in baseball and power at the plate, Dunston needs to polish some of his skills.

The big raps on him have been that he is overly aggressive at the plate, has not used his speed well on the bases and tries to gun down runners at first base when there is no chance for a putout.

"Dunston has the ability to be

great," said Michael. "We have to show him, teach him, prod him. We have to keep reminding him of what to do until there comes a time when we'll tell him to relax and go out and play."

"He has to do it himself," said Michael. "Some players never learn. He's capable. He'll make mistakes because he's too emotional and has too much enthusiasm. He has to learn to play within himself."

Michael will be counting on his low-keyed second baseman, Ryne Sandberg, to help Dunston check his emotions and enthusiasm.

"I know, but I don't want to lose my enthusiasm," said Dunston. "I'm not wild. I just have a lot of energy and I want to put it in the right places. I want to be the best shortstop I can be. I want to field like Ozzie Smith and hit like Hubie Brooks."

SMITH, WHO displays his talent at shortstop for the St. Louis Cardinals, is considered the best fielder in the game today and one of the all-

time greats. Brooks is Montreal's hard-hitting shortstop whose .340 average could have won him the National League batting championship if he had not been sidelined by injuries.

Dunston, 23, seeks advice from his heroes at every chance.

"Ozzie told me 'You've come a long way. You're improving, but you have to learn to settle down.' I didn't get much of a chance to talk to Hubie last season," said Dunston.

Dunston was the Cubs' Opening Day shortstop in 1985 but soon found himself struggling. He split the season between the Cubs and the Iowa farm club. Last year, Dunston was up to stay. He batted .250, hit 17 home runs, drove in 68 runs while batting first or eighth in the lineup, positions not conducive to driving in runs.

On the negative side, he drew only 21 walks in 581 at bats, struck out 114 times, stole only 13 bases and committed 32 errors.

"Most of my errors were throwing errors," said Dunston, who has a hab-

it of unloading throws towards first when the runner is only a step away. "If there's a play in the hole and I have a chance to get the guy, I'm going to take the chance. I'm proud of my arm."

Dunston said "I've always had a strong arm. When I was a kid in Brooklyn I used to throw a lot of stones and snow balls."

While he led the league in errors, Dunston also led all shortstops with 320 putouts, 465 assists and 817 total chances.

Dunston credits coaches Billy Williams and John Vukovich with helping him with his hitting.

"Vuke told me 17 home runs is nothing," said Dunston. "He also said he'd accept 250 this year but not the next. Patience, I have to have patience and then maybe I can hit 20 home runs."

Michael, gesturing with his arm on an even level, said "He's right here. 'Now he's ready to take off,' said Michael, tilting his arm towards the ceiling, "and there's no telling how far he can go."

CHAPS

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To add to the Chaps' woes was the fact that Lincoln Minor, averaging 17 points per outing, hit for only four points, hitting one shot in 14 attempts during the game. In effect, MC was giving South Plains a 33-point advantage with Blaylock out and Minor ineffective.

But the Chaps did get 16 points from the hard working Alex Stanwood underneath and 12 from outer space shooter Todd Duncan, who hit two three-point baskets.

ANOTHER SURPRISE was the play of Midland freshman Matt Sears, who dusted off the bench cobwebs for four key points in the stretch drive.

"Stewart, Matt Sears and Alex really did a job for us," said Stone. "Their performance really helped since Minor was really off and (Herman) Henry was in a lot of foul trouble. They were giving a lot of effort, but had no polish."

Henry was 2-of-9 from the field before fouling out.

South Plains took control early in the game, holding a nine-point edge at 32-23 with three minutes left in the first half. The Texans hit eight of their first 10 shots to open the game while MC was struggling.

The Chaps came back to earn their first lead at 38-36 in the second half when Duncan canned a three-point shot and once led by eight at 55-47 with 11:03 left to play on a 15-footer by Sears from the corner — just like in his Midland High days. Although SPC never led again, they struggled back to tie at 63 to set up Barnett's final fling with glory.

BIG 6-FOOT-6 Greg Colbert hurt the Chaps in the first half with nine of his 14 points. In the second half, the Chaps had trouble with Darryl Knight, who scored 12 of his 20 points in the second half. SPC also got 10 each from Lorne Joshua and Hayden.

MC now plays two straight road games against the lower echelon teams of Frank Phillips and Clarendon. But Stone is cautious.

"Those games mean as much in the win column as this one did. The days of blowing a team off the court by 20 and 30 points are gone. We'll take victories any way we can get them."

South Plains College (63): Levell Garris, 1-3 2-2 4 4; Reggie Gibbs, 2-6 0-0 0-5; Donnell Hayden, 5-10 0-0 2 10; Dennis Green, 0-10 0-0 0-0; Darryl Knight, 8-15 4-7 3 20; Steve Johnson, 0-0 0-0 0-0 0; Lorne Joshua, 3-6 4 8 10; Greg Colbert, 9-11 2-4 1 14. Totals: 25-54 12-21 12 63.

Midland College (66): Lincoln Minor, 1-14 4-4 4 8; Stewart Barnett, 5-6 1-1 1 14; Todd Duncan, 5-11 0-0 1 12; Billy Smith, 3-7 2-2 1 8; Herman Henry, 2-9 2-5 6 8; Bruce Nix, 0-0 0-0 1 0; Alex Stanwood, 8-11 0-2 2 18; Nat Carvey, 0-0 0-0 1 0; Clifton Jones, 0-1 0-0 1 0; Matt Sears, 2-2 0-0 1 4. Totals: 27-63 9-0 18 66. Halftime: South Plains 36, Midland College 33. Three-pointers: South Plains: Reggie Gibbs, 1. Midland College: Todd Duncan, 2; Stewart Barnett 1. Technicals: None.



Arkansas Coach Nolan Richardson.

Leukemia claims life of UA coaches' daughter

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — The 15-year-old daughter of University of Arkansas basketball coach Nolan Richardson died Thursday at a Tulsa hospital nearly two years after she was diagnosed as having leukemia, officials at St. Francis Hospital said.

Richardson, former University of Tulsa basketball coach, had taken a leave of absence from his coaching duties at Arkansas to be with his daughter, Yvonne.

The girl died at 12:40 p.m., a hospital spokesman said.

"I've told him to do what he thinks is best and that I'll support him in whatever he does," Arkansas Athletic Director Frank Broyles said earlier this week. "He needs support from everyone right now."

The Richardson family was told in March 1985 that Yvonne, then 13, had leukemia.

Yvonne is the youngest of Richardson's four children. She had been in and out of school with an undiagnosed illness since December 1984.

Dr. Daniel C. Plunket, who treated the girl at St. Francis Hospital, said

Yvonne had the most common form of leukemia among young teenagers.

Richardson missed some practices for his University of Tulsa basketball team at the end of the 1985 season.

"The most important thing in my life is my family, and she is one of the most important things," he said at the time.

"I don't feel fear, and I don't think she does either," Richardson said at the time. "I don't know what it is to quit, and I think I have passed that down to her, too. She's no quitter."

Miss Richardson underwent bone marrow transplants at the University of Minnesota Hospital in Minneapolis late last year. She was in serious condition at the hospital in December before being re-admitted to St. Francis.

Nolan Richardson III, Yvonne's brother, is a basketball player for Oklahoma State University. He had traveled to Minnesota to be with his sister in December and said he spoke with her by telephone before basketball games.

TOP 20

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"Everyone's always talking about his offense, but I think he means even more to our defense."

"I've been extremely impressed with how low we've prepared to play them," Knight said. "I think Tom Davis is as an ideal coach as can be to coach this team."

When asked if anybody could slow the Hawkeyes down and beat them, Knight replied: "How the hell do I know? We couldn't."

Steve Alford, held to seven points in the first half, hit three consecutive 3-pointers to bring Indiana back after Iowa built its big lead and the Hoosiers trailed 93-88 after Tony Freeman made two free throws with 2:24 left.

B.J. Armstrong's layup gave Iowa a 95-88 lead with 1:10 left and the Hawkeyes then ran off six straight points.

Moe and Kevin Gamble each had 17 points, while Armstrong and Roy Marble scored 16 each, Ed Horton added 14 and Brad Lohaus 13. Daryl Thomas led Indiana with 22 points, one more than Alford.

North Carolina 79, Wake Forest 53. Kenny Smith, the Tar Heels' leading scorer with a 17-plus average, had just three against Wake Forest. Yet Coach Dean Smith praised the senior guard as a key to victory.

"We decided he wasn't going to take anything except 3-pointers or layups with (5-foot-3) Tyrone Bogues on him," Dean Smith said. "He simply ran the offense and did a great job of passing the basketball."

North Carolina, 16-1 and 5-0, held the Demon Deacons, 8-7 and 0-5, to 20 points in the second half as it extended a 39-33 halftime lead. The Tar Heels used a 16-4 run to take a 71-51

lead with three minutes to play.

Joe Wolf led visiting North Carolina with 19 points, while freshman Sam Ivy's 23 points topped the Demon Deacons, who lost their 22nd consecutive Atlantic Coast Conference game.

UNLV 104, Long Beach State 74. Armon Gilliam's 25 points led the Runnin' Rebels, who took over sole possession of first place in the Pacific Coast Athletic Association.

Long Beach State, 10-9 and 5-1, jumped to a 5-0 lead but Gilliam scored 10 of Nevada's last 17 points as the Runnin' Rebels, 17-1 and 6-0, took a 24-18 after 12½ minutes and coasted from there to the home victory.

John Hoffman and John Haten scored 14 points each for the 49ers, who had a five-game winning streak snapped.

Purdue 87, Illinois 86. The last second of play at Purdue's Mackey Arena seemed to last an eternity.

Reserve sophomore forward Kip Jones was fouled as time ran out in overtime with the score tied at 86. The buzzer, however, did not sound — and Jones missed the first free throw but made the second to give the Boilermakers an 87-86 lead.

The rest of the Purdue team thought the game was over and charged on the court to congratulate Jones, who scored only one other point in the Big Ten Conference game.

However, a technical foul was assessed against Purdue for the pregame celebration — but Illinois' Doug Altenberger missed the free throw. The Illini were awarded the ball out of bounds but a final shot was short

and Purdue had the hard-fought victory.

"After I missed the first free throw I felt more relaxed," Jones, who averages 20 points, said. "The second one, I knew I was going to hit it."

Purdue's Doug Lee made sure there was an extra session as he hit a 3-point field goal as the buzzer sounded in regulation.

Troy Lewis led Purdue, 15-2 and 6-1, with 31 points, while Ken Norman led Illinois, 13-4 and 5-2, with 19 points.

Illinois played the final five minutes of regulation and the overtime period without guard Tony Wyszinger, who re-injured a shoulder in a collision and will be out indefinitely.

Alabama 88, Auburn 82

It was a game of two very separate halves as Alabama nearly blew a 21-point lead in its Southeastern Conference home game.

The Crimson Tide, 14-2 and 7-0, broke from a 24-21 lead with a 15-0 run as Derrick McKey scored seven points. After an Auburn field goal, a 10-5 Crimson Tide burst made it 49-28 at halftime.

Auburn, 10-4 and 3-3, was not done yet, however. The Tigers closed with 16-80 on a 10-0 run, but McKey dunked to end the threat.

"Alabama played up to its capabilities in the first half and Auburn played up to its capabilities in the second half," Crimson Tide Coach Wimp Sanderson said.

"The first half was the worst half we have played and the second half was the best half we have played," Tigers Coach Sonny Smith said.

Jim Farmer led Alabama with 20 points, while Frank Ford topped the Tigers with 23.

HARLEM GLOBETROTTERS



Hey Kids: Be a Junior Harlem Globetrotter!

On February 4, two lucky young people will be on the basketball court with the Harlem Globetrotters as junior members of the team.

One boy and one girl between the ages of five and 12 will represent the Midland Reporter-Telegram and KNFM Radio at the Harlem Globetrotters game at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 4 at Chaparral Center.

The lucky winners will be chosen by random drawing, using the coupon below. Fill it out completely and send it in to the Midland Reporter-Telegram right away! The postmark deadline is January 28. You may send in as many coupons as you like, cut from the paper or hand-drawn. No photocopies are eligible.

The Reporter-Telegram and KNFM Radio Junior Globetrotters will receive:

- An official replica Harlem Globetrotter uniform.
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The legendary Harlem Globetrotters are in their 60th season of entertaining people of all ages with their basketball wizardry. For the first time, a woman plays on the team—Lynette Woodard, captain of the gold-medal winning 1984 Women's Olympic Basketball team.

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WT Sports

Turkey Shoot

Due to bad weather over the weekend, the Northeast Midland County Volunteer Fire Department has rescheduled its Turkey Shoot for Jan. 24 from 10 a.m. til dark at the Midland Shooters Association range, 1½ miles south of I-20 on FM 1788. Entry fee is \$3 per shooter. In groupings of nine shooters or less there will be one winner and in groupings of 10 or more there will be two winners. For more information, contact Jerry Vorheis (682-0689)...

Jumping

Bernie Traurig's hunter-jumper clinic will be Feb. 20-22, at Midland's Double C Stables with a limit of 24 riders. The first of four daily sessions begins at 8 a.m. Feb. 20. Horse-rider combinations will be grouped according to experience and fence height. Cost is \$225 per rider. Audit cost is \$15 per auditor per day, no deposit necessary. Contact Marcie Stimmel, 694-3409 or Jim Crenshaw in Lubbock, 763-8338...

Cross Country

Dallas will host the U.S. Cross-Country trials Feb. 14 in which the U.S. senior men's women's and junior men's teams to compete in the IAAF world championships March 22 in Warsaw, Poland, will be picked. Registration is underway and the fee is \$5 for valid TAC-registered members, \$10 for the open citizens race. For information send a self addressed envelope to U.S. Trials, 7021 Prestonshire Lane, Dallas, 75225, or call Judy Wagner 214-559-0800...

Skiing

The Flatlanders Ski Club seeks 10 members for the Feb. 4-8 Crested Butte trip (Will Green 683-2141) to stay in the running for the Texas Ski Cup...Feb. 13-16 the Taos Presidents' weekend trip is scheduled at \$170 per person. Contact Sandy McRoy, 1307 Cordova, Odessa (362-8130) home 563-0444) 11:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m....

Golf

The Four-Man Scramble scheduled for Jan 17 at Andrews CC has been rescheduled for Jan. 31 because of the recent bad weather. Fees will be \$40 per person with a 20 team limit. Tee off times begin at noon...

The Hogan Park Golf Association will meet 7 p.m. Feb. 10 in the snack bar. Annual membership dues are \$20, including a handicap and eligibility to all HPGA sponsored events in 1987. Register at the HPGC pro shop or mail name, address, city, zip code and home phone number and \$20 to HPGA, PO Box 10136, Midland, 79702...

Bowling

The Ladies Invitational at Tall City Lanes starts Jan. 31-Feb. 1 and will run three week-ends. Entry fee is \$50 per team, \$20 doubles, \$10 singles and \$2 all events. Deadline is Jan. 21. Contact tournament director Carolyn Keeley, 694-9521...

TENNIS—

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Cash, a former U.S. Open and Wimbledon semifinalist, faced Edberg in the opening match of the Davis Cup final against Sweden at Kooyong last month, beating the 21-year-old Swede in straight sets to spark Australia's 3-2 victory. Edberg won their only other meeting.

Lendl had prepared on grass for three weeks prior to the Open, but Cash played him evenly and showed tremendous concentration on the key points.

"I was really making a special effort to block everything out," said Cash. "You can always improve on your concentration."

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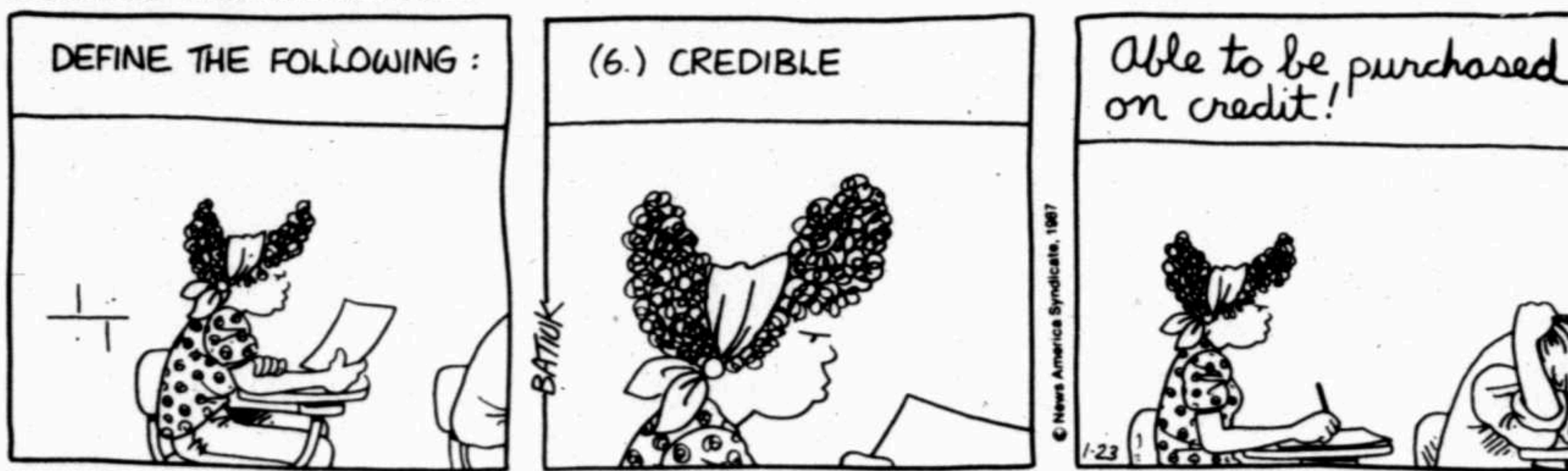
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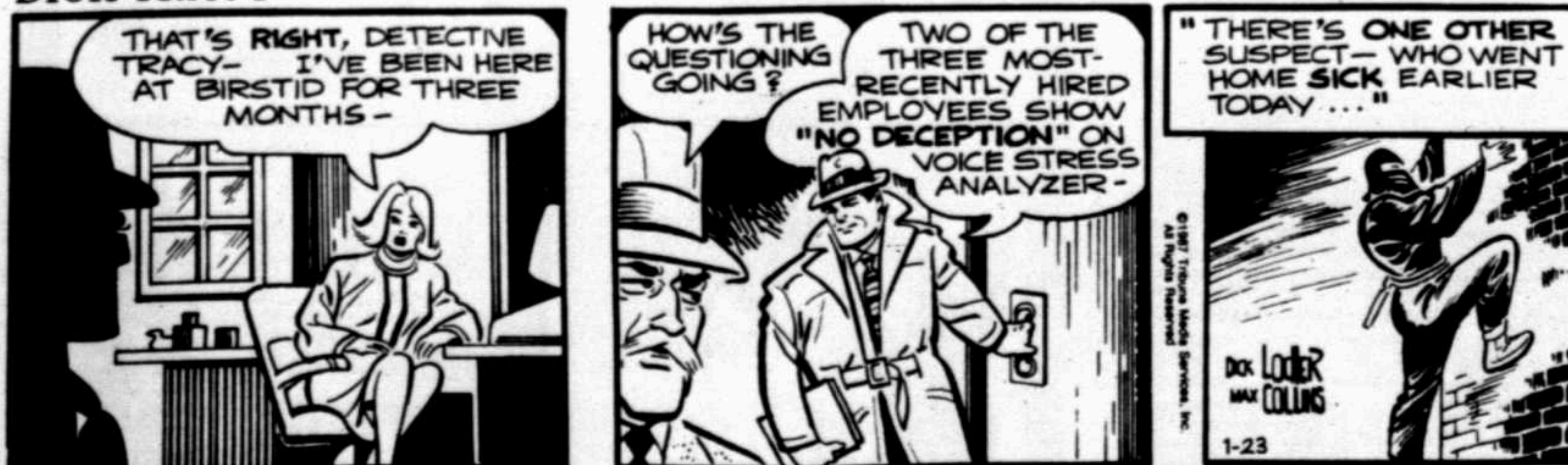
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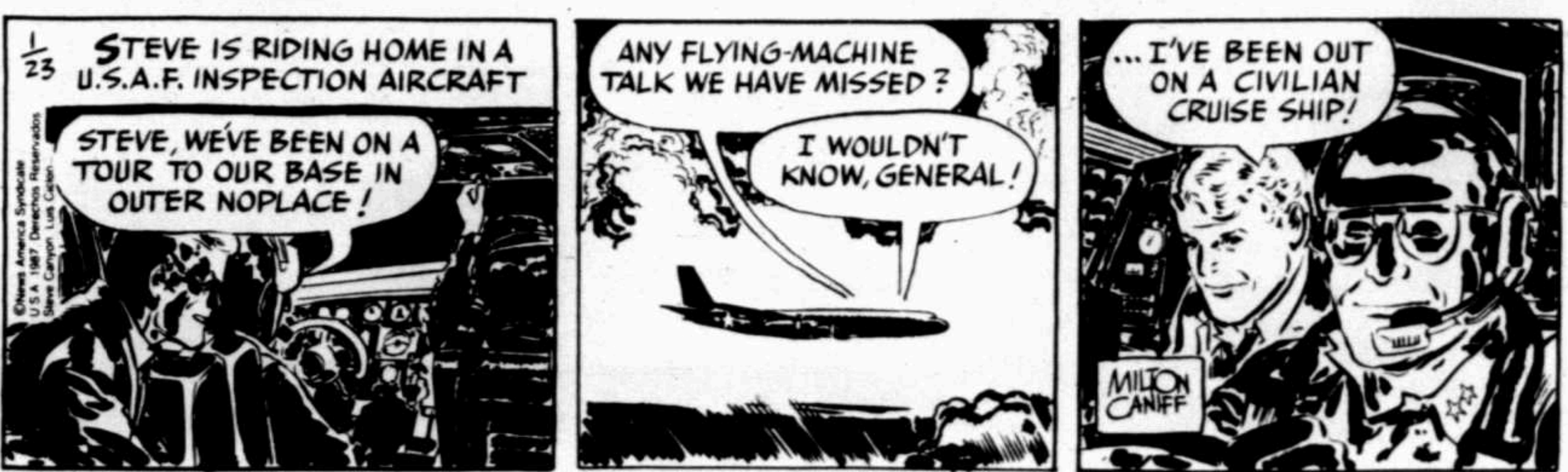
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MARY WORTH



JEANE DIXON'S
your horoscope

By Jeane Dixon
Saturday, January 24, 1987

YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY:

Muddled finances can become a thing of the past if you plan ahead this year and listen to an expert's advice. New rewards come through old acquaintances. Those in a position to marry will find June or August the most favorable time for tying the knot. A parent-child relationship benefits when the two parties spend more time listening to each other. Spiritual values become most important.

CELEBRITY BIRTHDATES: Evangelist Oral Roberts, actor Ernest Borgnine, Olympic star Mary Lou Retton, Senator Paula Hawkins (R-Fla.), singer-actor Neal Diamond, San Diego stopper Tim Lincecum, Chicago White Sox pitcher Neil Allen, San Francisco left-hander Atlee Hammaker, Detroit Lions coach Monte Clark, TV game show producer Mark Goodson, dancer Maria Tallchief.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): You can easily take on some extra work. Put valuables in a safe place. A misunderstanding arises with a family member.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A surprise message or letter will delight you. Devote more attention to family finances. Pay bills on time to preserve your credit rating.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Welcome a splendid opportunity to make some extra money. Catch up with bill-paying. Talk over your plans for family members with those directly involved.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Get an early start if going shopping. Take advantage of the January white sales. You need to pay more attention to family needs.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You are able to unravel a financial tangle. Change is inevitable. Why fight it? If looking for a new residence, you will soon find it.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Rely on your hunches. Your intuition is right on target. Do everything you can to make your home more attractive without spending a lot of money.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A mail-order business could produce fine profits. Stick to prearranged social plans and you will not overspend. Be careful not to neglect your family responsibilities.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Your wit and charm help you settle a dispute. You may need to buy something new to wear to a large gathering. Check to see if you have adequate insurance coverage.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Stay alert. Carelessness could result in expensive losses. A letter or document that was lost resurfaces. Spend more time tending to an older person's needs.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): An out-of-town visitor restores your sense of humor. You find that you greatly enjoy the company of an attractive member of the opposite sex. Exercise self-discipline. Avoid going to extremes.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Be more patient with a youngster or inexperienced person. Rise to the occasion if a neighbor has an emergency, offering to baby-sit if necessary. Being more discreet about your relationships pays off.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Trying to advise a younger person could strain your patience. Curb your temper. Rely on your own efforts if you want something done right. Resist the temptation to buy luxury items.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF
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IMPS AT WORK

Neither vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ 75
♥ Q 105
♦ A 1073
♣ 9875

WEST
♠ J 8642
♥ 43
♦ Q 82
♣ A 6

EAST
♠ Void
♥ 872
♦ K J 965
♣ J 10432

SOUTH
♠ A K 1093
♥ A K J 96
♦ 4
♣ K Q

The bidding:
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 1 NT Pass
3 ♠ Pass 3 ♠ Pass
4 ♠ Pass Pass Pass
Opening lead: Four of ♠

At our father's knee in the Old Country, we learned the adage: "Lead up to your high cards." Apparently South's sire was born in the New World and forgot to impart this wisdom to his offspring. Note North's waiting bid of three spades. Since South's jump shift was game-forcing, North did not have to guess what his partner's distribution was. The temporizing action allowed South the room to describe his holding.

West shrewdly led a trump, and declarer saw no problem in the hand. He won with the nine and, in an attempt to ruff at least one spade, he laid down the king. His complacency was shattered when East ruffed this trick and exited with a trump, and declarer found he could come to no more than nine tricks—one fewer than he had contracted for.

There is no magic to this hand. All declarer had to do to land his contract was to follow one of the oldest rubrics in bridge.

Let's see what would happen had declarer won the first trick in dummy and led a spade toward his ace-king. If East trumps this trick, he will be ruffing air—declarer will follow with a low spade and preserve his winners. If East does not ruff, declarer wins with the

ace, crosses to the ace of diamonds and leads another spade from the table. Again it does not help East to ruff, and when he discards declarer's king wins. Now he ruffs a spade with the board's high trump, draws trumps and then forces out the ace of clubs. In all, declarer scores five trump tricks, two spades and a ruff, the ace of diamonds and a club.

Those players in the Old Country must have been pretty good.

WATCHES

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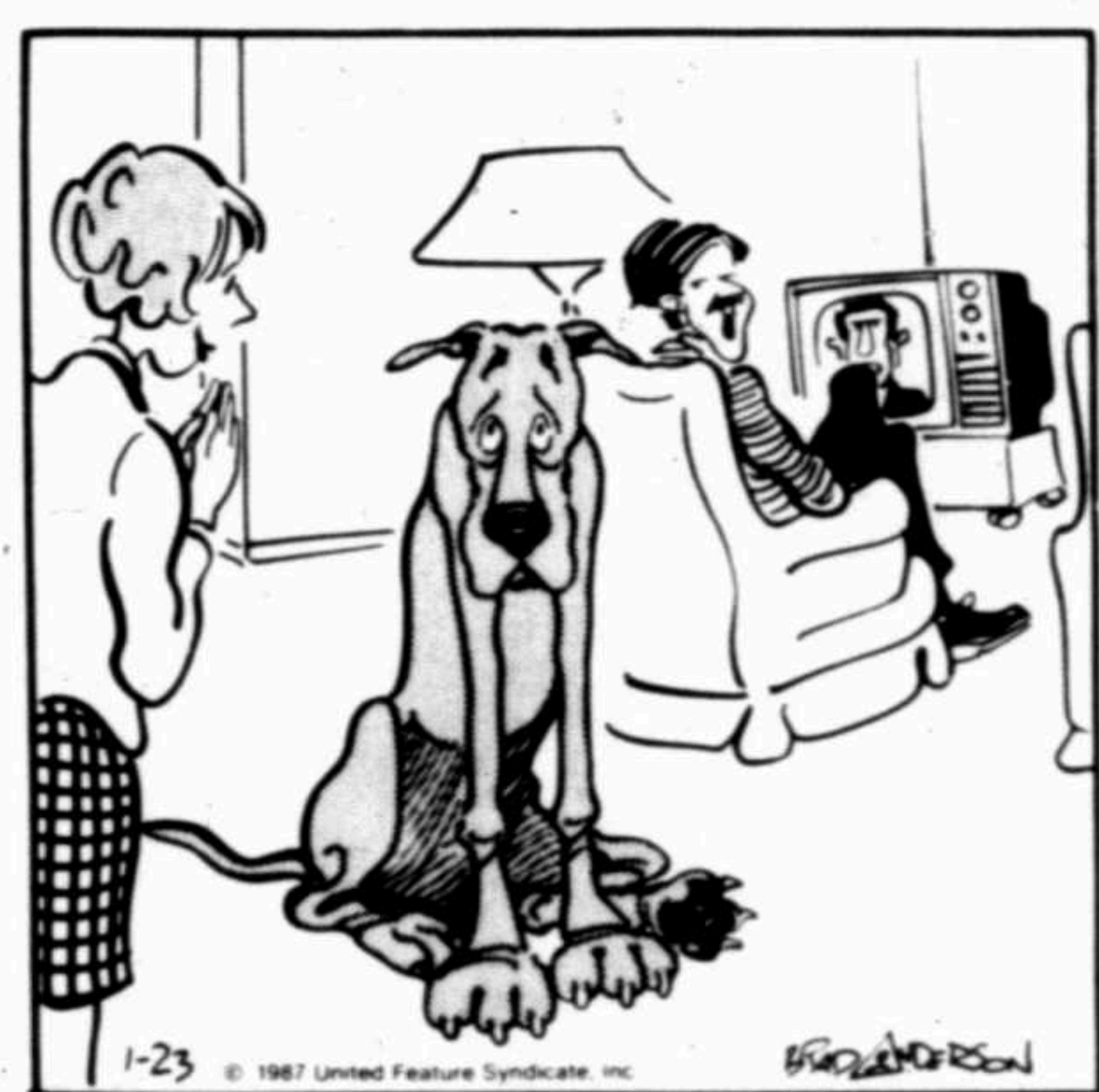


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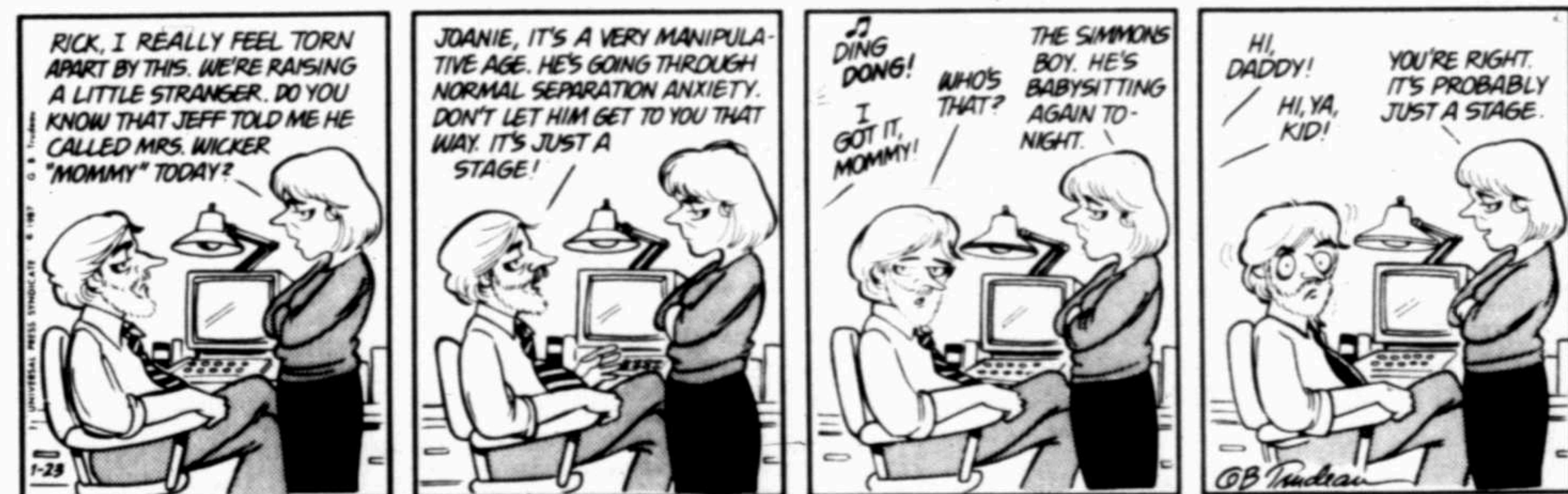
"I'M NOT COMIN' IN 'CAUSE MY MOM SAYS SOMETIMES YOU AN' MR. WILSON LIKE TO BE LONELY."

MARMADUKE



"Be on your guard...when he gets that innocent look on his face you can bet he's up to no good."

DOONESBURY



PEOPLE

Hall freed on bail after drug arrest

BRIDGETOWN, Barbados (AP) — Jerry Hall, the 30-year-old fashion model who has been Mick Jagger's companion the past 10 years, was freed on bail Thursday after pleading innocent to possessing 20 pounds of marijuana.

At an appearance in Magistrate's Court, she was ordered to remain on this tiny island in the Caribbean pending a Feb. 13 court hearing.

Chief Magistrate Frank King set bail at \$10,000 in cash for Miss Hall, a Texas native who is the mother of two children with Jagger, lead singer of the Rolling Stones.

The charge carries a maximum penalty of two years in jail and a \$50,000 fine.

Miss Hall was arrested by police and customs officials Wednesday night at Grantley Adams International Airport outside Bridgetown when she claimed a box that was unloaded from a Mustique Airways plane that arrived from the Caribbean island of St. Vincent, 100 miles west of Barbados.

Mustique Airways is a small airline that serves Mustique, one of the string of islands known as the Grenadines.

Customs officials inspected the box and found the marijuana, police said. Jagger, who was not charged, was with her at the time.

Terms of her bail require her to appear at a local police station every Tuesday and Saturday morning prior to trial.

Miss Hall and Jagger have been staying in the posh Mullins Hill section on the west coast of Barbados, the easternmost of the Windward Islands, about 500 miles southeast of Puerto Rico.

She was represented in court by Elliott Mottley, who court officials said is one of the top criminal lawyers in Barbados.

HOUSTON (AP) — With a quiet flourish of his pen — and no kiss — Charles V. Harrelson, convicted of murdering a federal judge, married a west Houston woman using his son as proxy.

Harrelson, 48, a hired assassin serving two consecutive life sentences for the 1979 murder of U.S. District Judge John H. Wood Jr. of San Antonio, married Gina Adelle Foster, 38, in a Fort Bend County justice of the peace ceremony Jan. 3.

"I knew he was an inmate at TDC (Texas Department of Corrections), but I didn't snap he was the Charles V. until after the ceremony," said Justice of the Peace James C. Adolphus, who performed the ceremony.

The judge was hesitant to discuss details of the ceremony, saying he respected the privacy of the individuals involved as



Jerry Hall

well as the legality of the proceeding.

"Certainly in no way do I condone Charles V. Harrelson's actions, particularly knocking off judges, that's a very tender spot," Adolphus said Thursday. "At the same time, they have a right to marry by proxy, and I respect their privacy."

In a September 1986 "affidavit of absent applicant" on file at the Fort Bend County district clerk's office, Harrelson listed his son, Woodrow Tracy Harrelson of Los Angeles, as proxy at the January ceremony. The sworn affidavit indicated Harrelson, an inmate at the Ellis Unit in Huntsville, divorced his former wife, Jo Ann Harrelson, in 1983-84.

The Supreme Court upheld the perjury conviction and 20-year prison sentence of Harrelson's former wife in December 1985. Jo Ann Harrelson's conviction was based on answers she gave to a 1981 federal grand jury while under a grant of immunity.

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) — Frank Sinatra is in good spirits, recuperating at home after surgery to follow up the earlier removal of a section of his large intestine, a spokesman said.

The 71-year-old singer is doing fine, publicist Lee Solters said Thursday. "The surgery was successful."

A painful bout of diverticulitis on Nov. 9 forced Sinatra to cut short a series of performances in Atlantic City, N.J. Surgeons removed a 12-inch section of inflamed intestine during a two-hour operation.

Sinatra had to wear a colostomy bag until reconnection surgery Jan. 13.

The singer was released Monday from Eisenhower Medical Center in nearby Rancho Mirage and will appear Feb. 13-15 at the Golden Nugget in Las Vegas, Nev., Solters said.

After the first operation, Sinatra performed at the gala reopening of New York's refurbished Carnegie Hall on Dec. 15 and taped a "Magnum P.I." episode in Hawaii.

AMERICUS, Ga. (AP) — Jimmy Carter, who once lived in a housing project, says he has never forgotten the value of public housing for the poor.

Carter made the comment at a ceremony Thursday in which a plaque was placed at Dura Apartments, where the former president and his wife, Rosalynn, lived 33 years ago.

The plaque quotes a passage about public housing from his book, "Why Not The Best?" and notes that a former tenant of the project went on to become the 39th president.

The Carters lived there for about a year after he returned from the Navy upon his father's death and when the couple had little income.

WHITE PLAINS, N.Y. (AP) — County Executive Andrew O'Rourke, who lost his bid to unseat Gov. Mario Cuomo two months ago, faces another tough challenge — this time from novelist E.L. Doctorow.

O'Rourke, whose first novel, "The Red Banner Mutiny," was published last year, and Doctorow are among Westchester County residents nominated for the Westchester Library Association's Washington Irving Book Award.

In the non-fiction category, convicted murderer Jean Harris was nominated for her book, "Stranger in Two Worlds." The book is an account of her life with Scarsdale Diet doctor Herman Tarnower, the lover she shot and killed, and her work at the Bedford Hills Correctional Facility where she is serving 15 years to life.

Evening TV Schedule

FRIDAY JANUARY 23, 1987

KMD Cable 3	KOSA Cable 8	KTPX Cable 9	KPEJ Cable 14	TBN Cable 4	WTBS Cable 7	SN Cable 10	WGN Cable 11	ESPN Cable 12	KOCY Cable 13
4:00 Facts Company	Divorce Ct. Hour	Chance People's Ct.	G.I. Joe Jettsons	Praise The Lord	Gilligan At Home	Seduction	G.I. Joe Transform.	Open	Captain Roo Mr. Rogers
5:00 Newsworld ABC News	Magazine CBS News	News NBC News	Jeanie Hillbilles	Praise The Lord	Hillbilles A. Griffith	Comingo Noticero	Facts WKRP	Sportslook SpeedWk.	Sesame Street
6:00 News Fortune	News MPSM	Jeopardy Dating	Benson Taxi	Praise The Lord	Sanford H'mooners	Maria De Nadie	B. Miller Jeffersons	Sportz NFL Films	MacNeil / Lehrer
7:00 Webster Belvedere	Scarecrow & Mrs. King	Stingray	Frosty Jack Frost	The Scenes Diane Bosh	NBA Basketball	La Gloria Maldita	Movie: "Helter"	S. Bowl NFL Films	Wash. Week Wall St. Wk.
8:00 Gung Ho Dads	Dallas	Miami Vice	C. Country	Frederick K. Price	Knicks at Rockets	Del Alma Secreto	Tennis Australian	Gr. Perfor- mances	
9:00 Starman	Falcon Crest	Pointer Sisters	Charlie's Angels	Praise The Lord	Motorweek	Charytin No Empuyn	News Open	"O'ello"	
10:00 News Ext. Tonight	News Tonight	News Tonight	Soap B. Newhart	Praise The Lord	Power Play	Univision Late News	H'mooners Magnum	Magic Yrs. SocTr.	Occidental
11:00 Nightline Nightline	"Topper"	Show Friday Night	Mission: Impossible	Praise The Lord	Night Tracks	Amo Y Senor	P.J. Movie: "Brides Of Fu Manchu"	NFL Films Outdoors	GED Tony Brown
12:00 News CNN News	Video	Video	Movie: "The Scenes Christ"	Night Tracks	Night Tracks	Charytin No Empuyn		World Cup Skiing	

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4:00 Days Get Along	Movie: "A Piano"	Kids Inc. Your Wings	Bandits Movie:	Country	Make A Deal Dance Party	Dennis Double Dare	The Wind	Solofox Movie:	Green Acres Rifeman
5:00 Movie: "A Piano"	Movie: "D.A.R.Y.L."	"Kids Who Knew Too"	"Tender Mercies"	Chase Video	Monkees NICK Rocks	Missing From Home	"Mr. Wong, Detective"	"Mr. Wong, Detective"	Big Valley
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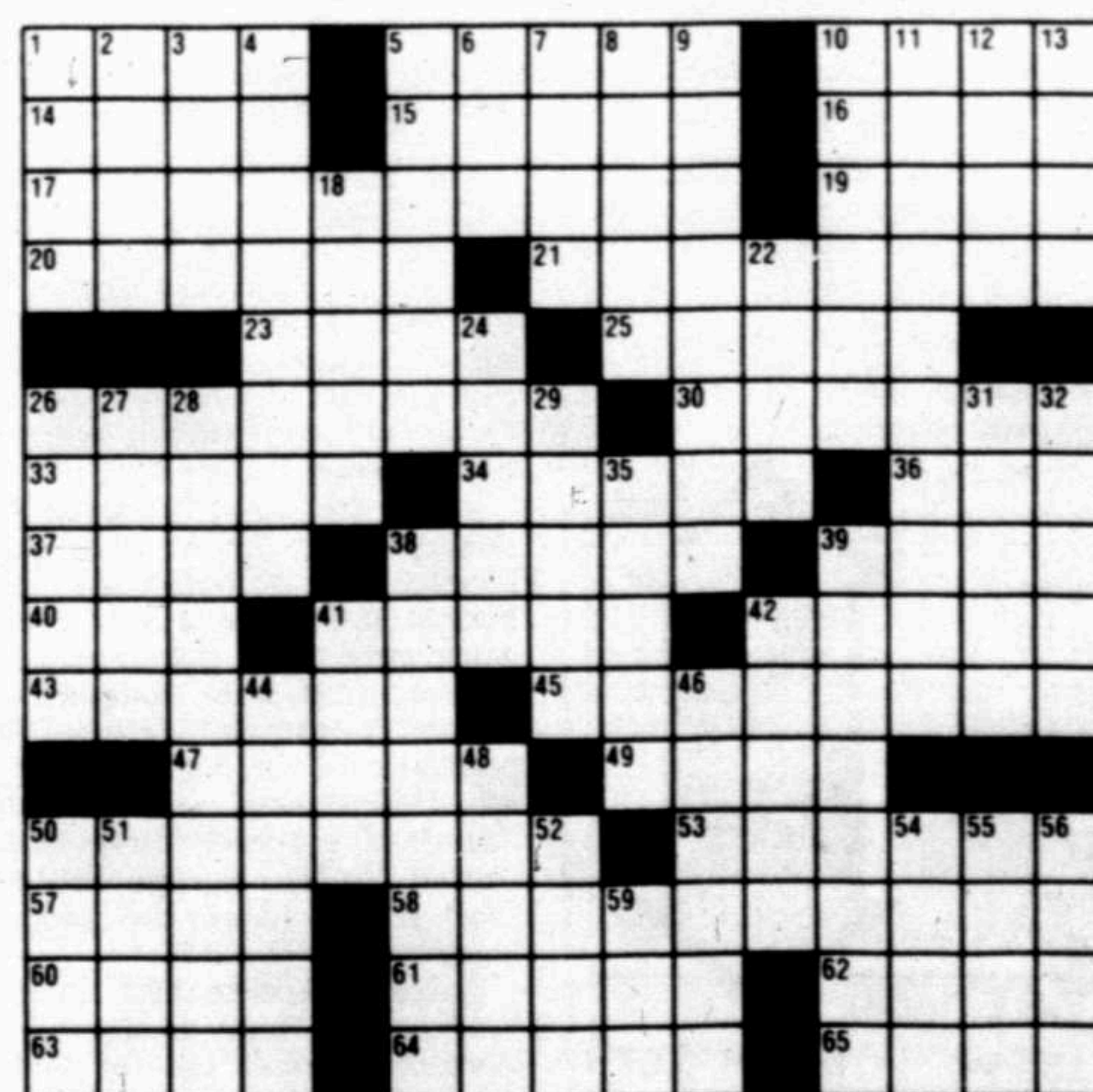
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- Pass into law
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- Field of work
- Eager
- Plant of the nightshade family
- Window section
- Hobbled
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- Double-runner
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- Clavell's King
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- Jawbone
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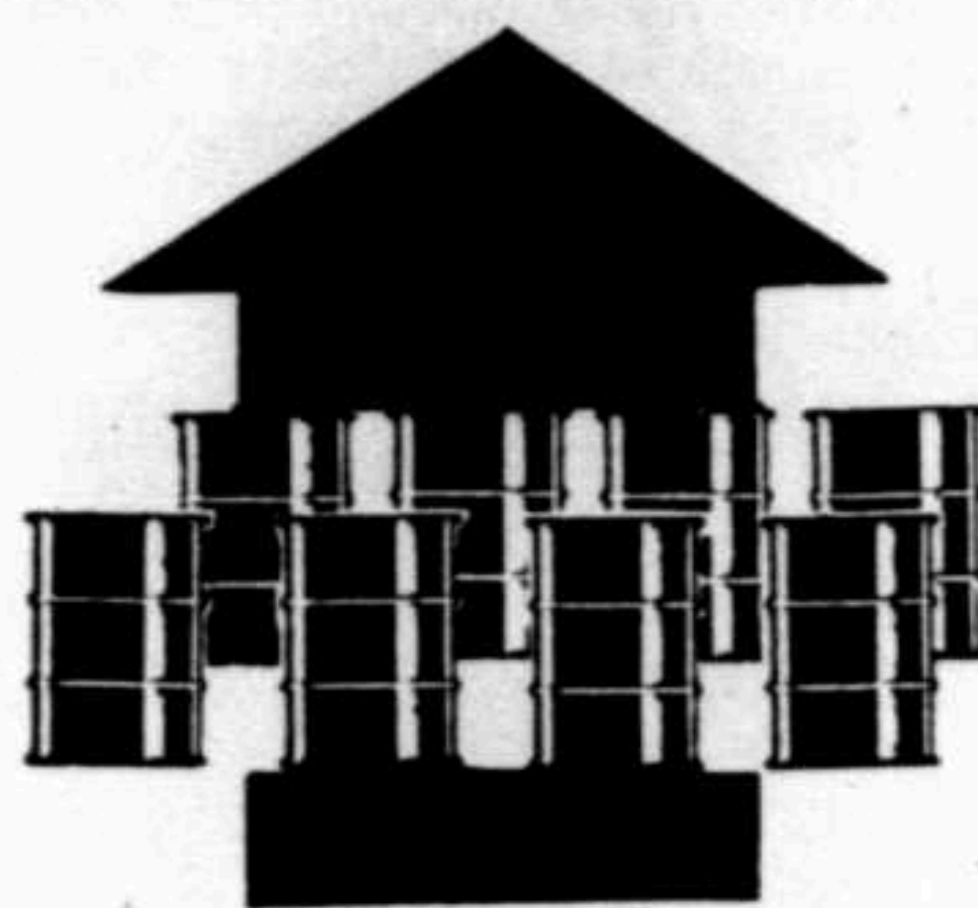
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MARKETS SPOTMARKET



W.T. INTERMEDIATE
Latest quote \$18.75; previous quote \$18.60; year ago \$19.65.

W.T. SOUR
Latest quote \$18.10 - 18.15; previous quote \$18.00 - 18.05; year ago \$19.65.

Latest quotes are from Thursday, Jan. 22. Previous quotes are from the previous working day.
Source: Wall Street Journal

MONEY



Dollar edges up
LONDON (AP) — The dollar edged up in Europe early today in light trading. Gold fell to around \$403.50.

Despite its gains, traders said market sentiment for the dollar remained unfavorable.

They said the cut in interest rates by West Germany's central bank on Thursday had little immediate effect on the dollar. One Frankfurt trader called it a "cosmetic action for the U.S., to pretend we are doing something."

The Reagan administration has been pressuring West Germany and Japan to lower interest rates as a way to stimulate domestic buying of U.S. goods and narrow the U.S. trade deficit.

Wednesday's meeting in Washington between Japanese Finance Minister Kiichi Miyazawa and U.S. Treasury Secretary James Baker failed to lift the dollar in New York late Thursday.

At the close of trading today in Tokyo, the dollar was quoted at 153.25 yen, up from 152.40 yen Thursday. Later, in London, the dollar eased to 152.45 yen.

Some midmorning dollar rates in Europe compared with late Thursday:

- 1.8250 West German marks, up from 1.8140
- 1.5310 Swiss francs, up from 1.52025
- 6.0825 French francs, up from 6.0625
- 1.3585 Canadian dollars, up from 1.35685
- The British pound eased to \$1.5195, down from \$1.5340.



London's five biggest bullion houses fixed a recommended gold price of \$403.55 a troy ounce, down from \$409.50 late Thursday. A trader said the dollar's early recovery triggered a rapid selling of bullion.

In Zurich, gold was quoted at \$403.60, down from \$410. Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold closed at a bid of \$407.50, down from \$410.84 dollars.

Silver bullion was quoted in London at \$5.48 an ounce, down from \$5.55.

STOCKS

MARKET IN BRIEF

N.Y.S.E. Issues Consolidated Trading Thursday, Jan. 22
Volume Shares 222,384,250

Issues Traded 2,018
Up 1,209
Unchanged 357
Down 452

N.Y.S.E. Index 155.97 + 3.07

S.&P. Comp. 273.91 + 6.07

Dow Jones Ind. 2,145.67 + 51.60

State should help exporters

Lack of financing hinders expansion

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — The vice chairman of the Texas World Trade Development Authority believes the state can enhance its economic diversification efforts by helping small and medium size businesses expand their export activities.

John Keck, president and chief executive officer of the Union Bank in Laredo, told members of the Permian Basin International Trade Forum attending a luncheon meeting at the Rowdway Inn Thursday, one of the bars to small and medium size businesses becoming involved in exporting their goods is the lack of suitable financing.

Observing that the Texas World Trade Council and the Texas World Trade Authority "have an embryonic existence" at the present time because they were only created by the state legislature in 1985, Keck said the trade authority hasn't really begun to develop yet because everyone's attention (in Austin) is concentrated on resolving budgetary woes.

However, Keck said the authority has done some work on the problem of developing financing opportunities for exporters.

The State of Illinois, he said, has developed a plan that involves issuance of bonds to finance the activities of exporters and he sees nothing wrong with Texas developing a comparable plan.

The Illinois Trade Authority, he said, with strong support from the state's banking community, issued \$15 million in bonds and obtained credit enhancement from a Japanese bank. In addition, they receive backup from the Federal Credit Insurance Agency, insurance

companies and the Export-Import Bank. The Illinois program, Keck said, is geared basically to small and medium size businesses, with maximum loans of \$500,000 not to exceed one year available to exporters.

The process is initiated, he explained by a potential exporter going to his own bank, which in turn, applies to the Illinois World Trade Authority to make the loan. The authority then transfers funds to the bank for disbursement to the exporter only after goods have been shipped.

Texas World Trade Authority members Dec. 17 met with the chairman of the Illinois agency to hear him explain how that state's program worked. Describing the Illinois experience as good, Keck indicated a comparable program will be suggested to House Speaker Gib Lewis and Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby. He noted that everybody, including Lewis and Hobby as well as Gov. Bill Clements, has their own agendas concerning economic development and diversification for the state, but he believes making financial assistance available, at reasonable rates, to a greater number of potential small and medium size exporters could help resolve some of the State's economic problems.

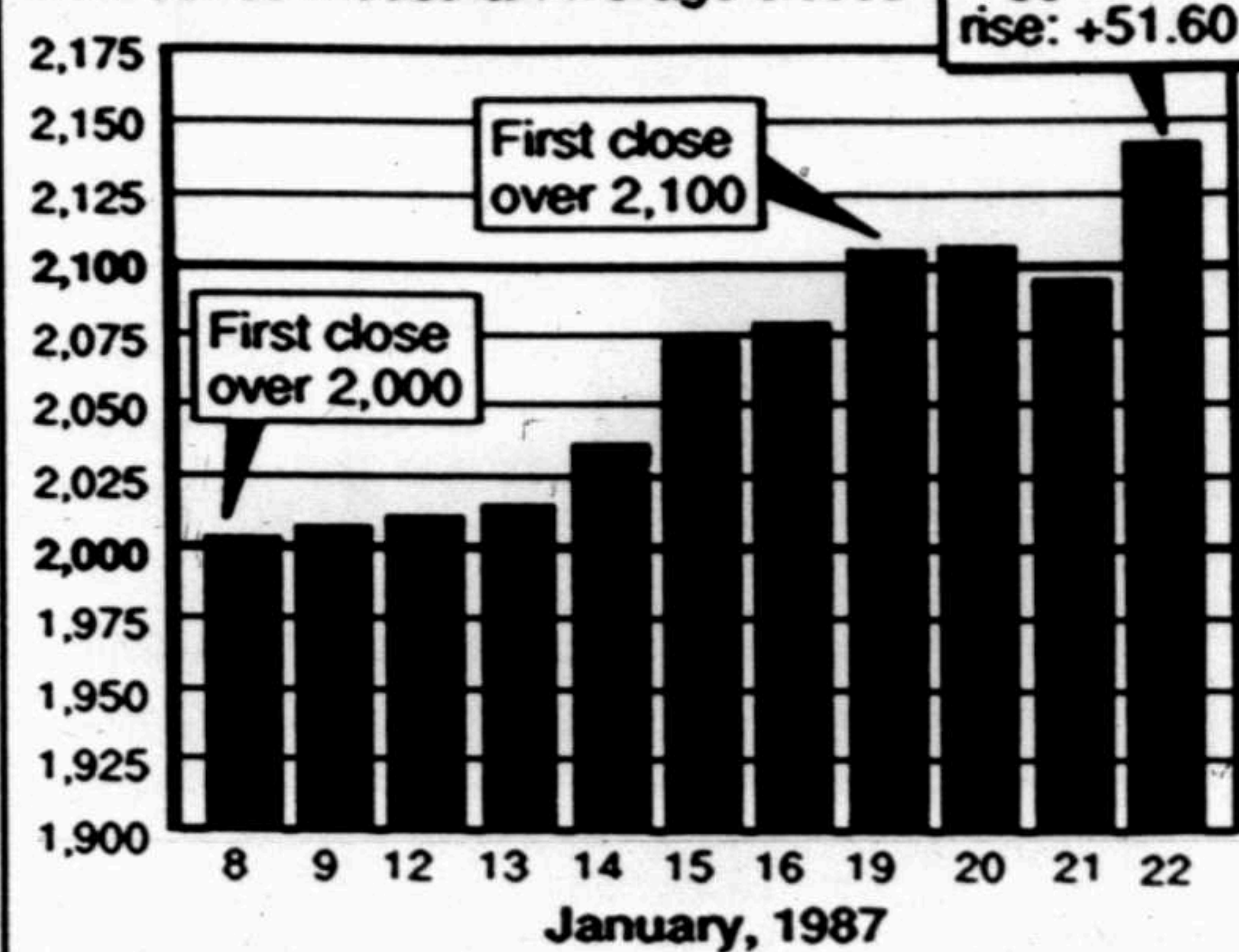
According to Keck, at least a million Texas residents are involved in some aspect of international trade, but "small businesses have found it difficult, if not impossible, to export because of their inability to obtain financing." The reason, he says, is that many financial institutions that do finance exports "have too high a threshold for their minimum transaction size," which keeps smaller potential exporters from participating.

He believes the bond program that will be proposed could resolve this problem for small exporters.

A Month Of Records

Dow Jones Industrial Average closes

Biggest 1-day rise: +51.60



Stock market comes back after breather

NEW YORK (AP) — After taking a one-day breather, the stock market has come roaring back to its torrid 1987 pace in what analysts say is an apparent signal that investors believe stocks will keep climbing for some time.

Stock prices Thursday shrugged off the broad declines of the day before, moving higher in a rebound that pushed several market indexes to record heights.

One of the most widely followed market barometers, the Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks, soared a record 51.60 points to close at a new high of 2,145.67. That topped the record gain of 44.01 points Jan. 5 and pushed the Dow over the record close of 2,104.47 set Tuesday.

The record close was the 13th this year for the blue-chip market index, which had followed the general decline Wednesday and lost ground for the first time in 1987.

Wednesday's broad-based losses were written off by many analysts as a temporary "correction," in which investors decided to cash in on profits made so far in the 1987 rally.

"Now that the correction is over we can go on to new heights," said Raymond F. DeVoe Jr. of Legg Mason Wood Walker Inc.

Much of Thursday's advance was attributed to buying by investors who had been wary about getting into the market during the New Year rally but who had become increasingly afraid of missing out on a prolonged advance.

"There's a lot of money still out there, so that every time it (the market) backs off, that money finds its way in here," said Hildegarde Zagorski, an analyst for Prudential-Bache Securities Inc.

Energy experts sound warning

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration's secret sales of weapons to Iran could lead to increased U.S. dependence on foreign oil, two energy experts are warning Congress.

"An Iranian victory (in its war with Iraq) would be catastrophic for the United States," says James E. Akins, who was U.S. ambassador to Saudi Arabia from 1973 to 1976.

President Reagan and Secretary of State George Shultz should be forcefully restating U.S. neutrality in the Persian Gulf conflict and working to prevent allies from selling arms to Iran, Akins says.

Echoing his warnings Thursday to the Senate Energy Committee was

James R. Schlesinger, who headed the CIA and the departments of energy and defense in the 1970s.

"We are today sowing the seeds of the next energy crisis," testified Schlesinger, who said the controversial U.S. sales to Iran send the wrong message to the world.

"Where America leads, others are likely to follow," he testified. "Saudi Arabia, too, has in recent months acted to reach an accommodation with Iran."

Both witnesses said that should Iran win the war, its influence among Arab states would be strong enough to allow it to supplant Saudi Arabia, a U.S. ally, as the dominant Persian Gulf member of the international oil cartel.

This, they said, would give Iran the ability to force cutbacks in global oil production and a further rise in crude prices at a time when imports supply 39.4 percent of U.S. oil needs — the same level that existed just before the Arab oil embargo of 1973.

Schlesinger said this figure could rise to 50 percent by 1990, further increasing the U.S. foreign trade deficit and leaving this country even more vulnerable to cutoffs of imported petroleum.

"Quite simply, American oil dependency means lessened leeway in foreign policy," said Schlesinger, pointing to last year's U.S. bombing of Libya to protest that nation's support of international terrorism.

General Motors doubling life of 1987 warranties

DETROIT (AP) — General Motors Corp. is doubling the life of its warranty against powertrain troubles and corrosion on North American-made cars to six years, beginning with 1987 models, the nation's top automaker announced Thursday.

Industry analysts said GM's move will counter the five-year, 50,000-mile warranty Chrysler Corp. has been offering and promoting in its advertising.

GM's new warranty will last six years or 60,000 miles on the powertrain and six years or 100,000 miles on corrosion protection. Most GM cars previously were covered by a three-year, 36,000-mile powertrain warranty.

"We are demonstrating in the most tangible way our commitment to producing quality products — the best we have ever made. We are backing that commitment by offering the best protection plan in the industry," said GM chairman Roger Smith.

The new, longer lifetime does not apply to the broader warranties covering some of GM's top-of-the-line models. And it will not apply to GM's Japanese-made Chevrolet Sprint and Spectrum models nor to its Chevrolet Nova, made at the GM-Toyota joint venture plant in California,



GM chairman Roger Smith, right, and president F. James McDermott announce the company's plans to extend their powertrain warranty and corrosion protection.

Smith said. The powertrain includes the engine, transmission or transaxle on front-wheel-drive cars and rear axle components on rear-wheel-drive cars, said GM spokesman David Hudgens.

"It's a smart marketing move," said Ron Glantz, industry analyst with Montgomery Securities in San Francisco. "It's a dramatic way of showing the consumer how much the quality of GM cars has improved."

Glantz said the longer warranties probably will cost GM about \$50 per car, but will help counter Chrysler's warranty program.

"The five-year warranty of Chrysler's was a problem," said Glantz.

"It's a step in the right direction," said Thomas O'Grady, analyst with Integrated Automotive Resources Inc. in Wayne, Pa. "At the same time, it can be a mixed blessing. Dealers don't usually explain a warranty very well, and consumers often are surprised at how few repairs are covered."

Glantz said the overall quality of American cars has improved significantly in the last eight years.

"American cars are as good as Japanese cars were five years ago and that was pretty darn good," he said.

The long warranty will benefit GM in the long run by putting pressure on the company to improve its quality, Glantz said. "It becomes an objective."

Ford Motor Co.'s current warranty provides three-year, unlimited mileage powertrain coverage and corrosion protection on most cars, with five-year, 50,000-mile coverage on luxury car powertrains and five-year, 100,000-mile corrosion protection on luxury cars, said Ford spokesman Jim Bright.

Health club posted for foreclosure

From Staff Reports

The Midlander health club in north Midland has been posted with the Midland County Clerk's office for foreclosure sale on Feb. 3, according to Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. spokesman Cody Buck.

Negotiations prior to the sale date are not precluded by the posting procedure, Buck explains, so reports of the imminent sale of the facility are premature, he says.

Officials of the Midlander were unavailable for comment on the club's operations this morning, but reports say that owner Paul Thorpe will hold a press conference today to clarify the situation and reiterate details that the club is closing.

The 91,000-sq.-ft. club, with indoor and outdoor tennis courts, racquetball courts, swimming pool, weight room and other facilities, opened in February 1983 at an estimated cost of \$3 million.

Falling dollar drawing attention to trade, budget deficits

NEW YORK (AP) — The international controversy over the falling dollar is drawing attention to a major cause of the United States' \$170 billion trade gap — the huge federal budget deficit.

The dollar's plunge against foreign currencies should help the trade deficit, but it won't be enough by itself, economists and policymakers said Thursday.

The budget deficit and the trade deficit grew together and will have to shrink together, they said.

Treasury Secretary James Baker told the House Budget Committee that U.S. policymakers "should make every effort" to reduce the budget deficit as a step toward helping U.S. trade competitiveness.

Stung by American criticism of their policies, the Japanese and Europeans are also pointing at the U.S. budget deficit as a key factor in worldwide trade imbalances.

"You must help yourself before Europe helps you," Jacques Delors, president of the European Community Commission, said Thursday in France in a speech directed at the United States. Europe, he added, "will not yield to the permanent blackmail of the dollar."

Federal Reserve Chairman Paul Volcker and many business leaders have also spoken out for shrinking the budget gap as a trade remedy. But the connection is hard to visualize and to promote as a policy.

"Politicians say they want to do something about the trade deficit directly. They say, 'Let's put a tariff on imports.' It's essentially, 'Let's just give up,'" said Barry Bosworth, an

economist for the Brookings Institution in Washington.

"This is a country that's on a consumption binge and is forced to borrow overseas. Politically, that (explanation) has no appeal. The connection is too indirect," Bosworth said.

Although the stock market is soaring and inflation is low, economists say the continuing trade deficit is laying the groundwork for trouble in the future. The years of deficits have turned the United States into the world's largest debtor, and eventually that debt will have to be paid back.

"We are running up a tremendous burden on future generations," Bosworth said.

The twin-deficit connection works this way:

The U.S. government spends more than it takes in, so it has to borrow money. It offers attractive interest rates on Treasury bonds, so foreigners buy them. To do that, they need to buy dollars.

The foreign demand for dollars pushes up their value against other currencies. In turn, the strong dollar makes it cheap for Americans to buy imports and raises the prices of American exports. That makes the trade deficit grow.

The dollar's surprising fall — connected to sluggishness in the economy — should make U.S. goods more competitive. But economists say the United States will not really recover from its trade problems until it reduces the budget deficit.

The reason is that once the trade deficit begins to shrink, the U.S. economy will perk up and more peo-

ple will want to borrow money. That will push up interest rates, foreign investors will come back into the financial markets and the dollar will rise again to uncompetitive levels.

The only way to keep interest rates and the dollar from going up, Bosworth said, is to reduce the government's borrowing needs.

The U.S. budget deficit is running at about 5 percent of the nation's total output of goods and services, the highest since 1946, when the nation was emerging from World War II.

"Partly it's the size of our budget deficit, and partly it's that we're out of step with the rest of the world," said Bluford Putnam, senior economist of Morgan Stanley & Co.

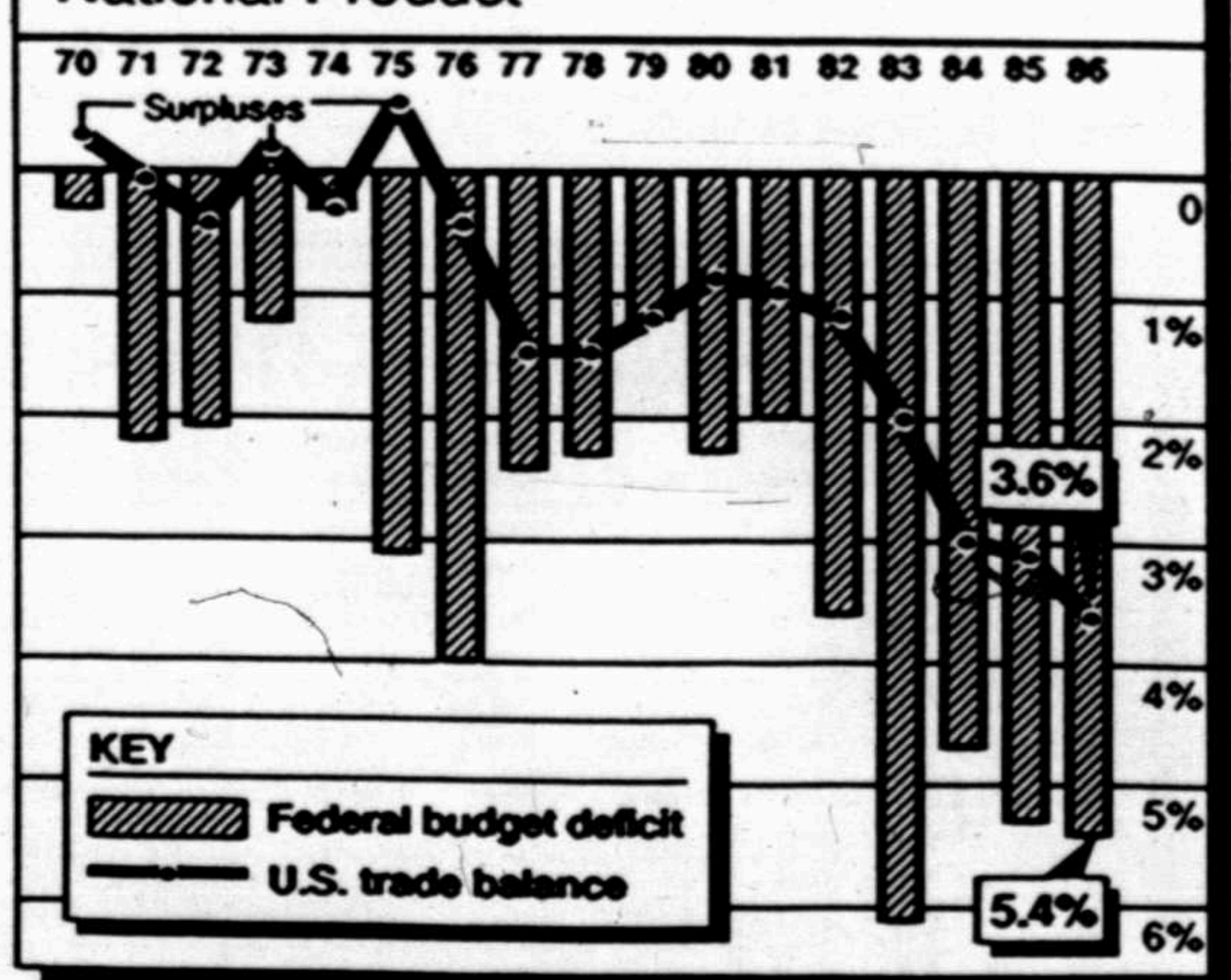
Heavy government spending and a loose hold on the money supply have kept the United States economy growing and stimulated the appetite for foreign goods. At the same time, other nations have run trade surpluses by clamping down on their domestic demand and keeping their currencies cheap.

As a result, the United States is pressing Japan and West Germany to stimulate their economies as a way of increasing the worldwide appetite for U.S. goods, and is allowing the dollar to slide on currency markets.

Frank McCormick, a senior economist for Bank of America in San Francisco, said he agrees there is a connection between the budget deficit and the trade deficit. But he said there has been fundamental damage to U.S. competitiveness that goes beyond the budget deficit.

The Twin Deficits

America's budget and trade deficits expressed as a percentage of Gross National Product



This graphic shows America's budget and trade deficits expressed as a percentage of Gross National Product.

OIL & GAS REPORT

EXPLORATION HIGHLIGHTS

Wolfcamp find tested in Mitchell

From Staff Reports

The BANAM CORP. reports a modest Wolfcamp discovery in Mitchell County with completion of a reentry project. The well is located east of the Albaugh field.

On potential test, the No. 1 Henderson flowed 45.2 barrels of 34 gravity crude, 70 Mcfd and two barrels of water on a 1/2 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 115 psi. Production is from perforations 6,478 to 6,494 ft., which had been acidized with 15,000 gallons of NeFe acid. Gas-oil ratio is 1,550:1.

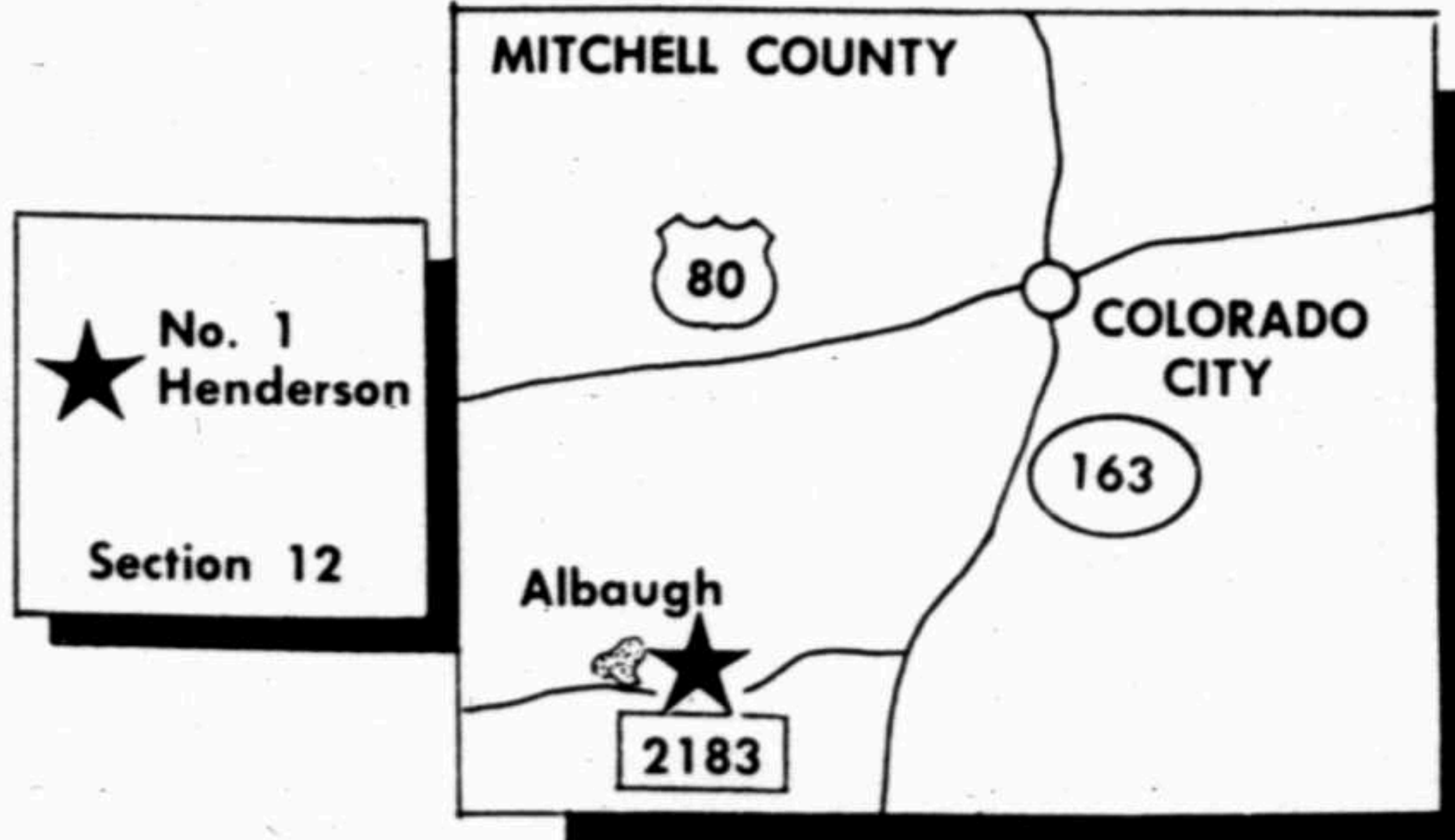
Permitted as a 6,600 ft. wildcat plugback, the well was plugged back to 6,598 ft. with 8 1/2 inch casing set at 6,650 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,330 ft., include the Lower Clear Fork at 3,180 ft., Vale at 3,640, Wichita Albany at 3,903, and Wolfcamp at 6,430 ft. Pay was topped at 6,478 ft.

Location is 1,900 ft. from north and west lines of Section 12, Block 17, SPRR survey, 15 miles southeast of Coahoma.

Glasscock County field gains Wolfcamp well

GERALD BROCKMAN & ASSOCIATION has added a new Wolfcamp producer to the Cobra field of



Glasscock County with completion of the No. 301 Cooper.

The well was tested to pump 243 barrels of 42 gravity crude, 192 Mcfd and 193 barrels of water from perforations 7,970 to 8,042 ft. The interval was acidized with 4,250 gallons of 15 percent NeFe acid. Gas-oil ratio is 794:1.

Drilled to a total depth of 8,137 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, the well was plugged back to 8,108 ft.

The well topped the Spraberry at 5,970 ft. and the Wolfcamp at 7,960 ft. on ground elevation of 2,548 ft. Pay was topped at 7,970 ft.

Location is 747 ft. from north and 2,490 ft. from west lines of Section 3, Block 35, T-3-S, T&P survey, nine miles northwest of Garden City.

Cherry Canyon well flows 60 barrels oil

An explorer in Reeves County has yielded a new Lower Cherry Canyon producer in the Matthews field for BLAIR ROYALTIES OF ORLA, INC.

The No. 1 Buckshot was finalized to flow 60 barrels of 32.5 gravity crude, 7.5 Mcfd and 99 barrels of water from perforations 4,352 to 4,366 ft. The interval was acidized with 500 gallons of 7.5 percent acid and fractured with 8,000 gallons of gel, 11,000 lbs. 20/40 sand and 6,000 lbs. 10/20 sand. Gas-oil ratio is 125:1.

Permitted as a 4,600 ft. wildcat, the

well was drilled to 4,508 ft., where 4 1/2 inch casing was set.

The well topped the Base Salt at 2,732 ft., Top Delaware Lime at 2,910 and Top Cherry Canyon at 3,858 ft. Pay was topped at 4,352 ft.

Location is 467 ft. from south and 474 ft. from east lines of Section 13, Block 57, T-2-N, T&P survey, two miles north of Orla.

Midland operator finals Spraberry well

PARKER & PARSELEY PETROLEUM CO., Midland, has added yet another producer to the Spraberry Trend area of Midland County.

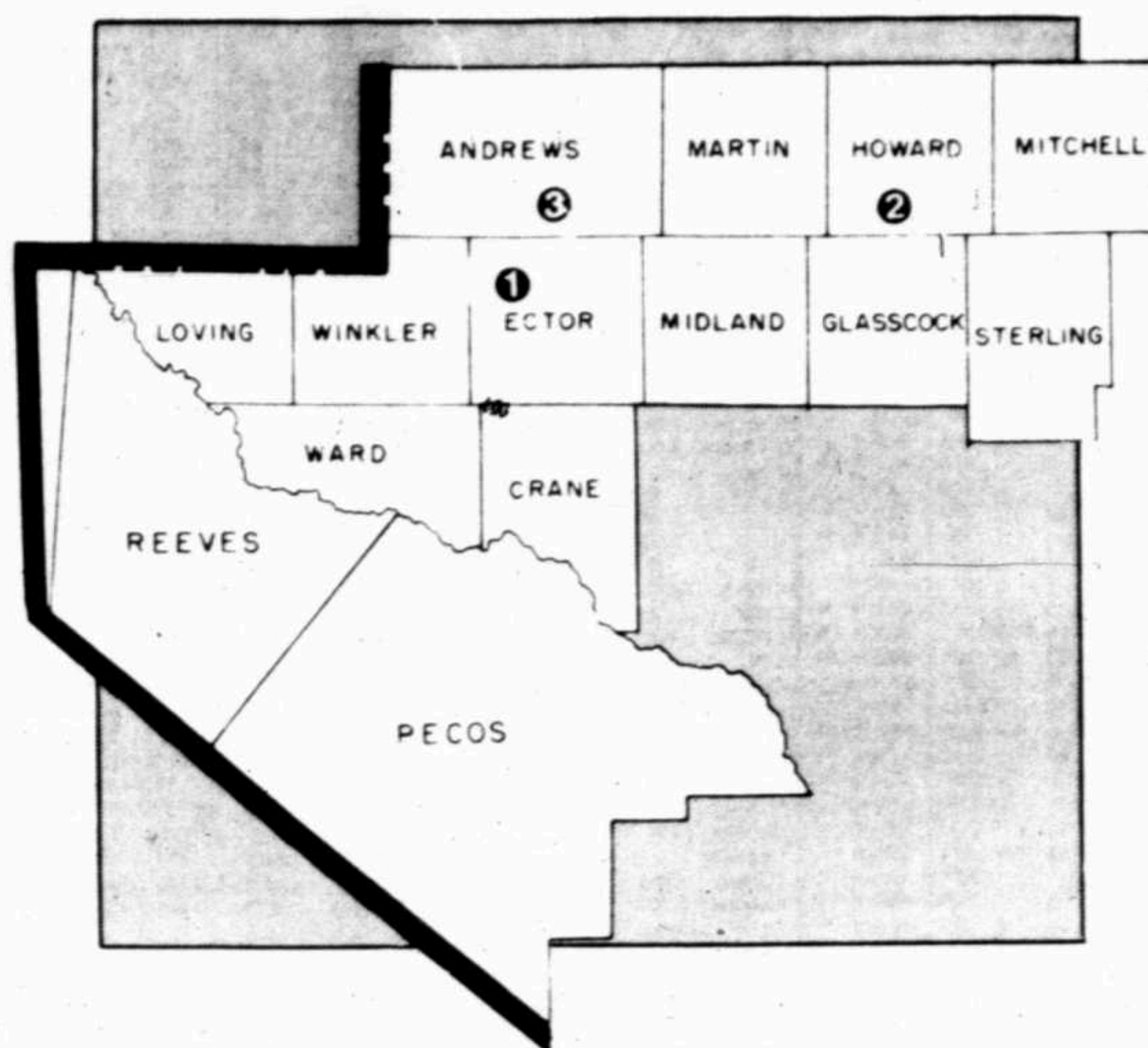
Parker & Parsley potentialed the No. 1 Buchanan "H" to pump 30 barrels of 39.2 gravity crude, 14 Mcfd and 91 barrels of water from perforations 7,329 to 9,031 ft. The interval was acidized with 3,000 gallons of gel and fractured with 180,000 gallons of gel and 432,400 lbs. 20/40 sand. Gas-oil ratio is 466:1.

Drilled to 9,100 ft., where 4 1/2 inch casing was set, the well was plugged back to 9,048 ft.

On ground elevation of 2,685 ft., formation tops include the Upper Spraberry at 7,308 ft., Lower Spraberry at 8,030, Top Dean at 8,643, and Base Dean at 8,849 ft. Pay was topped at 7,329 ft.

Location is 660 ft. from north and east lines of Section 37, T-2-S, L.A. Webb survey 20, eight miles south-east of Midland.

WILDCATS



TRC DISTRICT 8

■ 1. CONOCO PLANS ECTOR COUNTY WILDCAT. Conoco Inc., Midland, will drill its No. 8 Wight '17', a 10,700 ft. wildcat in Ector County. Location is 1,980 ft. from the south and east lines of Sec. 17, Block 43 of T-1-S, T&P Survey, five miles northwest of Odessa.

■ 2. 10,150 FT. EXPLORER SET IN HOWARD COUNTY. A 10,650 ft. explorer is set to drill two miles south of Luther in Howard County. EP Operating Co., Midland, will drill the No. 3 Blasingame at a location 2,180 ft. from north and 660 ft. from east lines of Section 28, Block 32 of the T&P survey.

■ 3. PROSPECTOR SCHEDULED NEAR ANDREWS. Texakoma Oil & Gas Corp. has filed application to drill a 13,500 ft. prospector 15 miles southeast of Andrews. The Andrews County location is 560 ft. from south and 760 ft. from east lines of Section 21, Block 40 of the T&P survey.

Saxon plans stock exchange

DALLAS (SWN) — Saxon Oil Co. announced that it entered into an agreement to exchange 63,710 shares of its new Series D preferred stock for 10,193,658 units of Saxon Oil Development Partners, L.P. held by The Hallwood Group, Inc.

Each share of Series D preferred stock will be:

- entitled to receive a dividend equal to the distribution paid on 16 units of the partnership.
- convertible by the holder at any time into 400 shares of common stock of the Company.
- redeemable by the Company at any time for a cash payment equal to 400 shares of common stock.
- entitled to a liquidation preference equal to \$100 per share, which is equal to the product of 160 (the number of units exchanged for each share of Series D preferred stock) times \$0.625 (the price at which the Partnership recently offered to sell units to its unitholders); and,
- entitled to the same vote as 400 shares of common stock, voting with the common stock as a single class, on any merger or consolidation of the company.

In addition, the holders of the Series D preferred stock will be entitled to elect two additional directors to the company's board of directors at any time the dividends on the Series D preferred stock are in arrears in an aggregate amount equal to six full quarterly dividends until such dividends are paid in full. Also, upon demand at any time by the holders of at least 1,500 shares of Series D preferred stock (or 600,000 shares of common stock issued upon conversion) the company will be required, at its cost, to cause such shares to

become registered for resale under applicable securities laws.

Separately, the partnership announced that its bank has lowered its borrowing base from \$12 million established in June 1986 to \$7 million. The partnership's current outstanding debt is \$4 million.

Also, the partnership will pay a distribution of \$0.02 per unit on Feb. 15, to unitholders of record on Dec. 31.

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TRC DISTRICT 8

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Cobra (Wolfcamp)

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MIDLAND COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Buchanan "H", 660 fwi, 660 fwi, sec 37, T-2-S, L.A. Webb survey No. 20, 8 se Midland, Elev. 2,685.

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DEVELOPMENT

TRC DISTRICT 8

ECTOR COUNTY

Goldsmith (5600)

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 T-XL CF, 660 fwi, 1980 fwi, sec 23, blk 45, T-1-S, T&P, 6 sw Goldsmith, PD 6,200.

MARTIN COUNTY

RK (Devonian)

RK Petroleum Co. No. 1 Elizabeth Taylor "A", 330 fwi, 700 fwi, sec 30, blk 57, T-1-N, T&P, 6 s Orla, PD 2,800.

REEVES COUNTY

Geraldine Ford

Conoco Inc. No. 333 Ford Geraldine Unit, 1065 fwi, 915 fwi, sec 36, blk 58, T-1-N, T&P, 6 s Orla, PD 2,800.

MITCHELL COUNTY

Duncan Drilling Co. No. 1 Etta Brown, 2173

330 fwi, 700 fwi, sec 30, blk 57, T-1-N, T&P, 6 s Orla, PD 2,800.

OIL & GAS DIGEST

Dorchester earnings slide in fourth quarter

DALLAS (SWN) — Dorchester Hugoton, Ltd. announced that earnings for the fourth quarter ended Dec. 31, were \$221,000, or \$12 per unit, on revenues of \$734,000 compared to \$272,000, or \$15 per unit, on revenues of \$660,000 for the previous year's fourth quarter. Results for the current period include the previously announced purchase of the undivided interests of its principal working interest partner in certain oil and gas properties located in Texas County, Okla. effective March 1, 1986.

Earnings for the twelve months ended Dec. 31, were \$845,000, or \$47, per unit on revenues of \$2,576,000 compared to \$767,000, or \$42 per unit on revenues of \$2,072,000 for the same period of 1985.

Reading & Bates launch 10-well group venture

TULSA, Okla. (SWN) — Reading & Bates Petroleum Co., in association with a group of participants, has initiated a drilling program in the Anadarko Basin of Oklahoma. Plans call for the drilling of as many as 10 development wells on leases currently held by the company. Drilling of the first well is expected to commence in late January. The targeted horizon is the Red Fork which is gas productive at an average of 12,000 feet.

The participant group which has been organized by Reading & Bates will fully fund the drilling program and will recover its costs and profit entirely out of future production.

Texas Eastern continues shedding subsidiaries

HOUSTON (SWN) — Texas Eastern Corp. has announced the sale of subsidiary Fishing Tools, Inc. and the signing of a letter of intent to sell subsidiaries, Air Drilling Services, Inc. and Air Drilling Services International, Ltd. Both actions are in keeping with Texas Eastern's previously announced plan to dispose of certain assets not included in its long-term strategy to focus on core businesses.

Fishing Tools, Inc. was sold to Vanderhider Management Group, Inc., while Air Drilling Services, Inc. will be sold to a management group headed by the firm's current president, Chaman Malhotra, and Air Drilling Services International, Ltd. will be sold to a group of Canadian investors.

Enex purchases Iberia Dome working interest

KINGWOOD, Texas (SWN) — Enex has purchased 100 percent of the working interest in a producing property in the Iberia Dome Field in south Louisiana. Enex's interest was purchased from Bean Energy of Lafayette, La.

Net acquired reserves are more than 950,000 barrels of crude oil and 200 million cubic feet of natural gas. Current producing capability is 300 barrels of oil and 500,000 cubic feet of gas per day. Total acquisition cost was \$4,780,000, purchased by three partnerships in the Enex Oil & Gas Income Program II.

El Paso moves gas supply expert to Meridian

EL PASO (SWN) — Weldon F. Lewis, who has been vice president, gas transportation and exchange, for El Paso Natural Gas Co., has been transferred to Meridian Oil Inc. in Houston, where he will be the vice president responsible for El Paso Hydrocarbons intrastate gas supply, sales and transportation. El Paso Natural, Meridian Oil and El Paso Hydrocarbons are subsidiaries of Burlington Northern Inc.

Lewis' former responsibilities with El Paso Natural will be assumed by Thomas J. Mulkey, vice president, marketing.

Sun opens Wyoming gas processing facility

DALLAS — Sun Exploration & Production Co. has opened a new natural gas processing facility to handle its Luckey Ditch wells in Uinta County, Wyoming.

The facility has a capacity of 20 million cubic feet of natural gas per day. Initially, it will process 15 MMcf per day at -20 degrees Fahrenheit and produce 18,000 gallons of a propane-butane-natural gasoline mix.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CONCHO COUNTY

Paint Rock, West

Texas Concho, Inc. No. 1-A Ella Houston.

PLUGGED WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Standard Oil & Producing Co. No. 390 Spraberry Driver Unit, 4620 fwi, 660 fwi, sec 2, blk 37, T&P, 19 sw Garden City, TD 6,983. Oil well. Completed 10/14/51. Plugged 12/15/86.

MITCHELL COUNTY

Duncan Drilling Co. No. 1 Etta Brown, 2173

330 fwi, 700 fwi, sec 30, blk 57, T-1-N, T&P, 6 s Orla, PD 2,800.

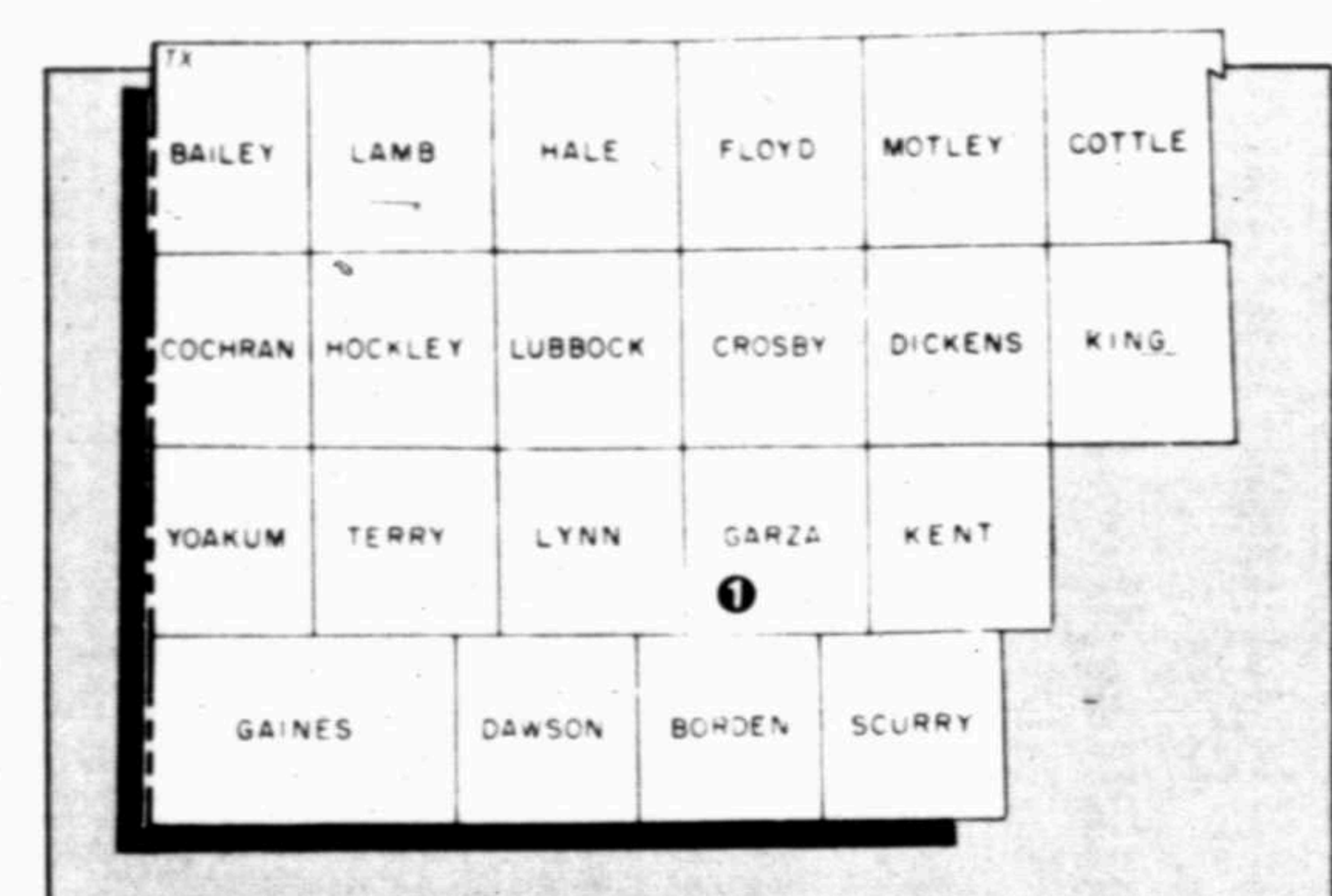
fwi, 467 fwi, sec 11, blk 29, T-1-S, T&P, 5 sw Westbrook, TD 3,370. Oil well. Completed 4/5/63. Plugged 12/15/86.

WARD COUNTY

Shipley (Queen Sand)

Cactus Operating Co. No. 202 Shipley Queen Sand Unit, 330 fwi, 330 fwi, sec 15, blk 5, H&C, 1 n Royalty, TD 2,591. Oil well. Completed 12/15/35. Plugged 12/24/86.

WILDCATS



TRC DISTRICT 8A

■ 1. TERRA RESOURCES SLATES GARZA WILDCAT. Terra Resources Inc., Midland, will drill the No. 1 Crump to 8,200 ft. in Garza County. The well location is 2,300 ft. from south and 2,073 ft. from east lines of Section 38, Block 6 pf the H&GN Survey, two miles southwest of Justiceburg.

Swedes, Belgians form drilling firm

HOUSTON (SWN) — Sandvik, a Swedish multi-national group with a world-leading position in cemented-carbide products and specialty steels, and Diamant Boart, a Belgian multi-national group specializing in superabrasive tools and related equipment, have signed a letter of intent to combine their oil and gas drilling tools activities into a company in which the parties will have equal proprietary interests.

The new enterprise would have gross revenues of around \$75 million and employ 300-400 persons.

Sandvik's present activities in this field are managed through its subsidiary, Strata Bit Corp.

It is expected that a final agreement will be signed in time to allow the new company to go into operation on April 1, 1987.

The letter of intent provides that during the first two years, the new entity's chairman of the board will be Charles Pierre Hallez, managing director of Diamant Boart.

A NEW BUSINESS IN THE PERMIAN BASIN

Perry and Jo Connell would like to announce the purchase of **Action Moving and Storage, Inc.**, an agent for **Bekins Van Lines**.

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Please call us at **563-1272** or **366-2861** for quality service.

FORECLOSURE SALE BY FDIC

The following property will be sold at foreclosure at the Midland County Courthouse February 3, 1987.

Multi-use Health Club
Racquetball, Tennis, Pool, etc.
225 Corporate Drive
Midland, Texas

Parcel 1: Lot 2-Blk 1, Corporate Plaza
Parcel 2: Lots 1, 3, 4, 5-Blk 1, Corporate Dr.
Unimproved Commercially Zoned Lots

TERMS

The real estate will be sold for cash to highest bidder. Sold subject to all taxes due thereon. Title will be conveyed by substitute trustee's deed.

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The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 11:00 a.m., on Tuesday, February 10, 1987, in the Council Chambers, City Hall, on a request by East Distributors, Inc. for a Specific Use Permit for the premises sale and consumption of beer and wine in a restaurant on Lot 10, 11 and 12 Block 61, West End Addition, City of Midland, Midland County, Texas.

(Located at the northwest corner of the intersection of South "H" Street and West Front Avenue)

LEGAL NOTICES

CITY OF MIDLAND
CITY SECRETARY
January 23, 1987

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed bids will be accepted in the office of the Midland County Auditor, second floor of the Midland County Courthouse, P.O. Box 421, Midland, Texas 79702, until 4:30 o'clock P.M., Friday, February 6, 1987, to be opened by the Commissioners' Court, Monday, February 9, 1987 at the 9:00 o'clock A.M. meeting for the following:

LEGAL NOTICES

Landscape Maintenance for all County Properties
Computer system for the Courthouse

Specifications and bid information may be obtained from the Auditor's office second floor of the Midland County Courthouse.

Midland County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive all formalities.

Floyd T. Jamagin
Midland County Auditor
January 16, 23, 1987

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LEGAL NOTICE

INVITATION TO BID
TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS

You are invited to bid on a General Contract for "Renovations to the Midland County Jail", Midland, Texas. All bids must be on a lump sum basis, segregated bids will not be accepted.

The Midland County Commissioners' Court will receive sealed bids until 4:00 p.m. on February 17, 1987, at the Midland County Courthouse (second floor), Midland, Texas. At that time, bids will be opened in public and read aloud. All Prime Bidders are invited to attend.

Prior to the bid date and time, sealed bids may be sent to the Midland County Commissioners' Court, P.O. Box 421, Midland, Texas 79702. Bids received prior to the time of bid opening will be securely kept, unopened. Bids received after the time set for opening will not be considered.

In general, the scope of the project may be described as follows:

LEGAL NOTICES

BASE BID: Interior renovations to the existing Midland County Jail (5th floor of the Midland County Courthouse) and including phased work for demolition, general construction, detention work, mechanical and electrical construction, all as indicated on proposed Contract Documents dated January 19, 1987.

ALTERNATE #1: Construction of an additional 8-bed Multi-Occupancy Cell in existing space within the Jail.

ALTERNATE #2: Substitution of regular concrete block masonry, block filler and epoxy paint in lieu of glazed faced block masonry (in the base bid).

ALTERNATE #3: Substitution of regular concrete block masonry, block filler and epoxy paint in lieu of glazed faced block masonry (in the above Alternate #1).

The proposed Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations:

Pate & Associates, Architects-Planners
1000 West 8th Avenue
Midland, Texas 79701
Dodge Reports (E. H. Hise)
2211 E. Missouri, Suite #239
El Paso, Texas 79903
Odessa, Texas 79702
2706 Henderson
Odessa, Texas 79702
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Dallas, Texas 75247
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6630 Fifth Street, Suite 202
Lubbock, Texas 79414
Concho Valley Plaza
6630 Fifth Street, Suite 202
Lubbock, Texas 79414
Bona fide general contract bidders may secure copies of the proposed Contract Documents from the Architect on the following basis:

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1. Complete sets (including the Drawings) will be supplied to bidders upon payment of a \$100.00 deposit for each set. The deposit is completely refundable if the sets are returned to the Architect within 10 days after the bid opening. Costs for postage or handling charges will be deducted from the deposit amount prior to refund.

2. No partial sets will be issued.

3. Plans and Project Manual will be available on January 19, 1987 at the Architect's office of 1000 West Loop South, Suite 100, Dallas, Texas 75247. OR shipping (if required) will be borne by the bidder requesting the bid documents.

4. Bid bond in the amount of 5% of the bid and made payable to Midland County must accompany each bid (on AIA Document A310 "Bid Bond") according to the Instructions to Bidders.

The Midland County Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any technicalities and informalities.

This invitation is issued at the request of the Midland County Commissioners' Court.

Mr. Floyd T. Jamagin
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January 16, 23, 1987

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1. Lisa Reese, will not be responsible for any debts other than those incurred by myself as of 1/23/87.

150 LOST & FOUND

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START Speaking Spanish on your first lesson. Special rates for groups. Call 685-6827 or leave message at 684-0527.

PRIVATE Pilot Ground School, commencing Monday evening, January 26. Call Harold Beatty at Basin Aviation, 685-2465.

VERSACAD demonstration for Engineers and Architects Thursday, January 29. Engineers: 9am to 1pm. Architects: 2pm to 4pm at the Midland Hilton San Antonio Room. Sponsored by Versacad, Micrographics and Comtech Data. Call 683-8777 for information and reservations.

Air Conditioning Service

SALES and service on all major brands. Over 40 years service to Midland. C. A. Gray Plumbing, Heating and Air Conditioning, Inc. 683-5233.

JETER'S SERVICE FIRST. Commercial, Residential, Lennox Air Conditioning Installation & Service. 583-0104.

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Preparation of individual and corporate tax returns, tax planning, reasonable rates. Philip Davis, CPA, 699-5302.

TOM Harrell and Company, Inc. tax preparation, monthly - yearly - quarterly bookkeeping service, tax planning and managerial advisory services. 25 years experience and enrolled to practice before IRS. 687-2216 or 565-5546. 3108 N. Big Spring, Suite 105.

J.F. ADKINS INCOME TAX SERVICE. CPA. 682-3221.

CPA would be interested in performing contract labor on hourly basis. 687-1484.

SPH Bookkeeping Services

Individuals or corporations. Free pickup and delivery. Reasonable rates. 684-7276.

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Complete service in bookkeeping and taxes for individuals, corporations and partnerships. 687-3751.

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Carpet Install. & Cleaning

BUY \$300 Carpet cleaning, receive chair cleaned for \$1,001 \$100 carpet cleaning, get coach cleaned for \$1,001. B. J. Carpet. 697-0444.

Click and Watch Repair

Expert Anticlock & Other Clock Repair. At Delwood Mall by Hoag (Rear) Lot at the Right Time. 687-0546.

Concrete Work

All Types of Concrete work. Twenty years experience in the Midland area. Call 686-8879, 682-1175 estimates.

WEBSTER Construction: concrete and asphalt work. 30 years experience. Free estimates. Small jobs welcome. 686-8780.

YALL Need Shuco, brick, concrete, framing. No job too small. Insured and bonded. 687-7859. Freddie.

Dirt Work

DOZER and maintenance, grubbing, raking, fire guards, rock, rags. All types of dirt work, small and large track. Call 682-0364.

Electric Service

Will do any kind of dirt work and haul. Deliver field dirt and pick up trash, grubbing and raking. Ray Rogers. 682-7843 or 682-7548.

BL backhoe, dozer, dump trucks, topsoil, catclaw, lots, oilers, digging, shredding, septic systems. 687-4876.

DIRT, catclaw, driveway rock, trash hauling. Reasonable rates. you call. 687-9385.

DUMP Truck and Tractor. Topsoil and Field Dirt. Leveling, Digging and Shredding. Call 694-6532.

KREGER Electric Company

Licensed electrician. Licensed bonded, insured. Calling fans, lights, plug outlets, etc. etc. commercial, residential. 684-4834.

ELECTRICAL work wanted

No job too small. Calling fans, light, reasonable rates in town. 699-4790.

CEILING fans, phone jacks, TV and electrical outlets no problem! No job too small. 683-7859.

Fences

LABRO Roofing. Qualified for all roofing and repairs. 30 years experience. Free estimates. 682-4015, 1309 E. 3rd.

"DUI Fence" New fence, some experienced personnel. 10 years experience. All types of fencing and repairs. Midland resident since 1954. Call 685-3743.

GENERAL repair, Wood - chain link

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Furniture Refinishing

ED'S Furniture Refinishing. In Home touchups. Free Estimates and Delivery. Refinished Antiques for sale. 685-3866.

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FREE estimates. hauling, moving and cleaning. Will clean alley, yards, gutters, trash barrels, etc. 697-8240.

LOTS cleaned off, trash hauling, fill dirt, topsoil, dump truck service. J. Lee. Phone 683-1058.

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COMPLETE building service, fences, doors, windows, roof work, remodeling, old and new, roofing, painting, tile, formica, beautiful tile patio covers and carports. Free planning service. Free estimates. Bonded and guaranteed. 694-9713.

R. W. Construction. Complete remodel and repair of all types. Plumbing, floors, doors, windows, walls, paint inside and out and carpet. Just some of many services we provide. Insurance claims, welcome. Financing available. Member of the BBB. Call 689-8378, 682-4587.

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Ceramic tile, plumbing and electrical, roofing, painting, drywall, masonry, insurance claims and bids. 34 years in Midland. 697-7115.

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GUARANTEED repairs and remodeling

all phases. Free estimates. Reasonable rates. Local references. Call Mike 682-4818.

CERAMIC tile installation. All types & sizes.

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Quality home and commercial construction. Remodeling and repair. Insured and Bonded. 697-7609.

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HOMEOWNERS Contractor. Additions,

fences, painting, roofing, storage buildings, all types repair work. Call Lennie. 694-3226.

DON'T Home Repair. Painting, vinyl

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If you haven't fixed all those little

fixes that you've been fixin' 'til you give me a call, I'll fix them for you. Complete home remodeling. Freddie. 683-7859. Insured and bonded.

HOME Repairs Service. For all those

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Janitorial Service

MOTHER daughter cleaning service. Fast and efficient. Reasonable rates. Free estimates. Call 699-4909 or 694-2229.

KATHY and helper do it all! All it takes

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COOPER'S Housecleaning & Handyman

210 General Help Wanted

BABYSITTER WANTED

A responsible Christian lady to help children. Must maintain discipline, be free to travel with family and be able to drive. Would be on call. Salary and work schedule negotiable. Do not want a person to live with family. No cooking, cleaning or housekeeping involved. Send resume and references to BOX K15 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

EXECUTIVE Director of Camp Fire

College degree required. Two years experience in related fields. For details call 694-7704.

ANNOUNCEMENT of vacancy of position of Superintendent of Schools of the Perryton Independent School District, Perryton, Texas. Position requires Texas Superintendent's Certification and Administrative experience in Texas Public Schools. Resumes will be accepted until February 21, 1987. Salary is negotiable. Please submit personal resume to: Jim Holmes, Perryton ISD, Box 1048, Perryton, Texas 79070 (806) 435-5478

AREA SUPERVISOR

Lucrative position for one Superior in the Midland area. A MOSTLY BASKETS opportunity. Person selected will present Wickler Furniture, Wickler wall decor and baskets on home party plan. Will hire, train, supervise Reps. Our qualified Supervisors earn well in excess of \$40,000/year presently. Call MOSTLY BASKETS American Furniture Home Party Plan Joanna 1-800-521-1228

TRAFFIC ACCIDENT RESEARCH

National research institute needs sharp individual to participate in Midland County accident research program. Job will include both office and field work. Experience in estimating damage to vehicles, physics, photography, and medical terminology desirable. Associate degree or some college work. Ability to work with people and on a deadline necessary. Resumes some travel for training program. \$15,000 to start. Send resume to: Kinley-Horn Research Institute, 1200 E. Hillcrest St., Suite 301, Orlando, FL 32803.

EXPERIENCED auto damage appraiser

Excellent benefits including profit sharing, retirement, Lindsay & Newman Insurance Adjusters, 332-6845.

ZENTNER'S now taking applications

for experienced Weld Staff. Apply 2215 N. Midland Drive.

210 General Help Wanted

LVN needed 11-7 shift. No Phone Calls. 2800 North Midland Drive.

NEED IMMEDIATELY. Laminar operators, one year actual office experience. Please call 683-4624 for appointment. APPLICATIONS being taken for Warriner and Walters. Apply in person. Monday thru Friday, 3:00-4:00 P.M. 3404 W. Wall. Monday through Friday.

Long term temporary position available

MOA experience required. Call 683-4624 for appointment.

LAW firm involved in collection of delinquent property taxes seeks Secretary or Para-Legal to staff its Midland office.

Applicant should be self-starter, have demonstrated ability to work independently with minimum supervision and communicate effectively with general public. Title research and/or experience with District Clerk's office a plus. Complete job description and applications available at the Midland Central Appraisal District, Suite 160, Delwood Mall, Midland, Texas. Salary to \$1,200/month based on qualifications plus medical insurance.

MAJOR OIL COMPANY ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT

Position available, individual should have two years oil and gas experience. Job requires input on computer, preparation of journal entries, some account analysis and reconciliations. For interview, call Mrs. Steele 684-8231 Ext. 327

The City of Big Spring will

be testing for the position of Certified Police Officer only, at 8:30 AM in the City Council Room, 4th & Nolan, Wednesday, Jan. 28th, 1987.

Interested applicants must hold at least a Texas Basic Certificate and be at least 21 years of age. Applications will be accepted through Tuesday, Jan. 27th, 1987. For more information contact:

City Hall Personnel PO Box 3190

Big Spring Texas, 79721

or call:

(915) 263-8311 Ext 101

EOE

210 General Help Wanted

PART-TIME examiners to do mobile insurance physicals in surrounding areas, must draw blood and do EKG's. Call 1-800-633-6005

WANTED: counter help, sales experience and some light bookkeeping. Lady preferred. Apply at Ace Auto Center, 3000 W. Wall. 686-7943

EXPERIENCED painter needed. Call 697-8843 after 6 pm

NEED childcare in my home. Monday through Friday, half day. Will provide separate living quarters if needed. Call 686-7943

LAND RECORDS ADMINISTRATOR

The University of Texas System, with the responsibility of the oil and gas royalty administration for the 2.1 million acres of West Texas Permian Basin, has an opening for a Land Records Administrator. Three to five years of progressive experience in the oil and gas lease record management field. BS degree in a related field required with exposure to land titles preferred. Prior supervisory and computerized system development a plus. Negotiable salary. \$30 - \$35,000/year plus benefits. Call 512-499-4587 for application information or send resume to: System Personnel Office, 201 W. 7th Street, Austin, Texas 78701. EEO/AA Employer.

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1-800-442-4997

SECURE position for individual possessing solid accounting experience.

Computer knowledge helpful. Salary begins \$13,247-16,521 depending upon qualifications. Send resume and copy of college credits to P.O. Box 513, Midland, Texas 79702.

LIGHT delivery, own transportation, neat appearance, temporary, days and/or evenings shifts. 694-3825.

TELEPHONE sales experience preferred but not necessary, temporary. 24 hour work week, evening shift. 694-3825.

210 General Help Wanted

MANAGER Trainee opportunity for eight people. Three paid vacations per year, \$1200 per month - if you can qualify. For interview call, 685-8963.

DO you like to cook and bake? We're looking for someone who can bake cookies, dessert bars and simple yeast breads as well as cook soups, entrees, etc. Need to be able to follow recipes, improvise when necessary, use a food processor and get along with fellow workers. Work 7:30 to 3:30, Monday through Friday occasionally Saturday. Apply in person #14 Imperial Shopping Center.

Doctor's office needs part-time help. 684-0941, ask for Robin.

PREFER female bartender with outgoing personality and lots of hustle. Need someone who wants to work. Apply in person, 3421 W. Wall.

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DO you like to cook and bake? We're looking for someone who can bake cookies, dessert bars and simple yeast breads as well as cook soups, entrees, etc. Need to be able to follow recipes, improvise when necessary, use a food processor and get along with fellow workers. Work 7:30 to 3:30, Monday through Friday occasionally Saturday. Apply in person #14 Imperial Shopping Center.

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TEXAS Tech graduate with Child Development degree offers home child care. Six child maximum. Has two openings. Newly and Midland Drive area. 689-8346.

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I would like to care for your infant in my home Monday through Friday. 563-4962.

BABYSITTING in my home. Ages two years and up, 24 hours. Delwood area. 694-4275.

REGISTERED daycare has openings. Full or part-time. Excellent references. Good location. Call 699-4304.

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WEE Share Daycare has full time, part time and drop openings available. In-home through 13 years of age. Planned preschool activities for all ages and much more. Hot lunches and snacks provided. 682-8259.

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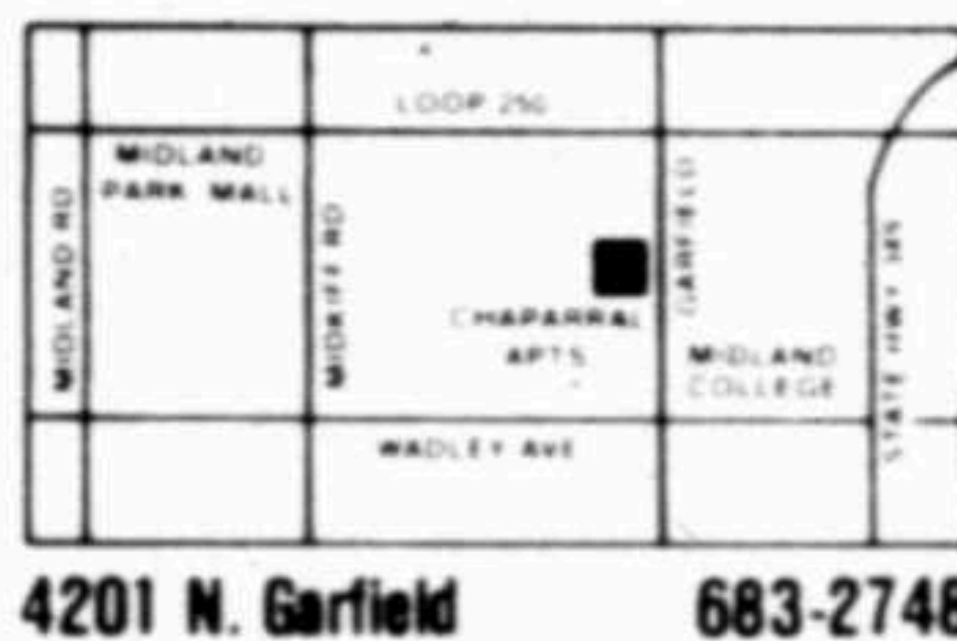
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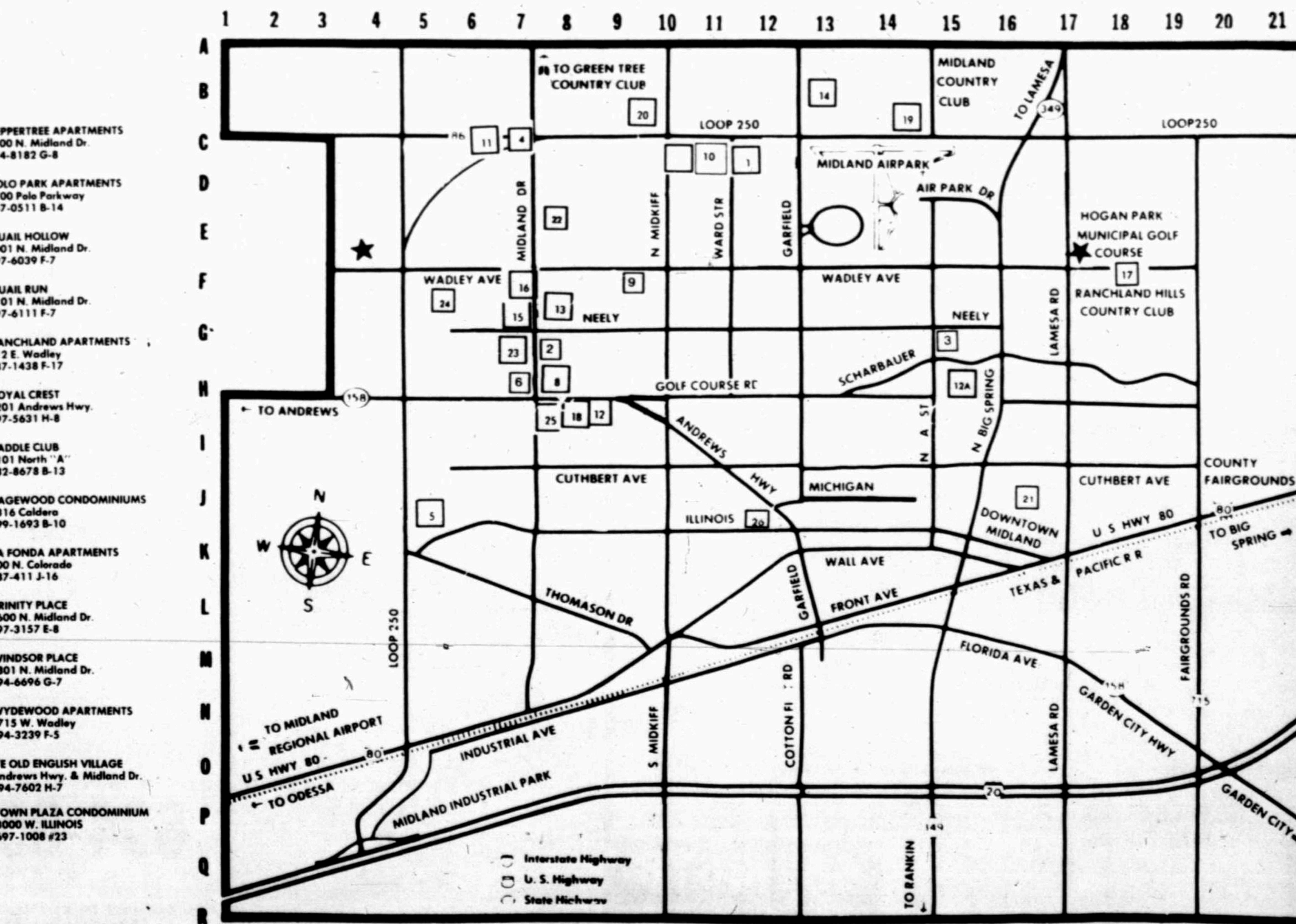
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24,000 square foot warehouse with office, for sale or lease. #23 Industrial Loop. Call 694-7311.

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GRiffin Mini Storage. New Leasing. 10x10's, 10x20's and 20x20's. Call 686-7177 for the lowest rates in town! 686-7177.

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EXOTIC trophy hunt. Blackback Antelope and Fallow Deer. Call 697-0205 after 5:00.

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HAVE CASH TO PURCHASE PRODUCTION. 1 million minimum to \$50 million. Must have engineering reports and a completed lease. Call 694-0941 after 7:00.

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ASSUMABLE Loan. No credit check. No down payment. Seller pays all closing costs. Call 694-0941 after 7:00.

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