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The SDN Column

Brud Boren, chairman of the Scurry County Historical Survey Committee, encountered a lot of questions about Snyder's All - America City award when he attended a recent regional meeting of historical committees in Garza County. And this week he received a letter from the host committee complimenting Snyder and especially the local historical committee for the community accomplishments here. Historical committee projects, of course, played a major role in Snyder's All - America City "case."

"We want to commend the City of Snyder for this honor and the many constructive things they did to receive it," said the letter from Garza County. "They will be permanent and something to be proud of. Having attended the dedication of the numerous markers on the courthouse square and having seen the vast improvement there, we know that city - wide it must have been something to be proud of, with this as a sample.

"We want to give full credit to your Historical Survey Committee for helping to create some of the steam it took to generate such an accomplishment. This large marking program carried on by this committee must surely have spurred the Chamber of Commerce and other organizations on the further activity. We thought we could detect some such thing when we attended the regional meeting in Snyder two years ago.

"We do know also that many of the same people were working in many of the projects, but we like to give much of the credit for the beginning right to the interest created by the historical committee?"

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The Snyder Fellowship of Christian Athletes members are sending out invitations over the area for their big rally scheduled for the evening of May 9 in the Scurry County Coliseum. They hope to have at least 2,000 persons on hand.

The feature attraction will be an appearance by Paul Anderson of Vidalia, Ga., the "world's strongest man." Also scheduled to appear on the program is Ray Hildebrand, Associate Director of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Kansas City, Mo. Donald Jay, head football coach at Lamesa High School, will be the master of ceremonies. Jay has been an FCA worker for several years and is president of the Texas High School Coaches Association.

One of the preliminary activities will be a question and answer period dealing with the organization of FCA huddles in schools. Some 20 schools have indicated that they will be represented at the rally. —WACIL McNAIR.

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Today In History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Thursday, April 24, the 114th day of 1969. There are 251 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1898, Spain declared war on the United States after a U.S. ultimatum demanding Spanish withdrawal from Cuba.

On this date:

In 1704, the first American newspaper to be printed on a regular basis, the Boston News Letter, began publication.

In 1800, The Englishman who invented the power loom, Edmund Cartwright, was born.

Also in 1800, the Library of Congress was founded.

In 1953, women voted for the first time in Pakistan as extra police protected them from male hecklers.

In 1961, President John F. Kennedy put out a statement saying he bore full responsibility for the U. S. role in the unsuccessful Bay of Pigs invasion in Cuba.

In 1965, rebellious army officers and civilians in the Dominican Republic seized control of two radio stations in Santo Domingo and broadcast their intention to cust the government.

Ten years ago — Argentina was trying to cope with river floods which had taken more than 100 lives.

Five years ago — The Pentagon announced plans to shut down or reduce operations at 63 military installations and administrative offices in the United States and Europe.

One year ago — It was said that stepped-up allied operations in the Mekong Delta in South Vietnam had accounted for nearly 2,000 enemy fatalities.

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THE WEATHER

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High reading Wednesday 83 degrees; low, 52; reading at 7 a.m. today 53 degrees.

Northwest Texas: Partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Scattered thunderstorms in Panhandle tonight and over area Friday. Warmer in west and north Friday. Low tonight 50 in northwest to 62 in south. High Friday 77 to 87.

North Central Texas: Partly cloudy and mild tonight and Friday. Widely scattered thunderstorms in west Friday afternoon. Low tonight 50 to 58. High Friday 72 to 80.

South Central Texas: Partly cloudy and warm tonight and Friday. Low tonight 56 to 68. High Friday 78 to 92.

Southeast Texas: Partly cloudy and warm tonight and Friday. Low tonight 58 to 68. High Friday 76 to 86.

Sirhan Sentence--Death In Gas Chamber

By HARRY F. ROSENTHAL
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The jury believed Sirhan Bishara Sirhan's mind was impaired, says juror George Stitzel, but not to a degree to affect its verdict—death in the gas chamber for the assassin of Sen. Robert F. Kennedy.

What of the month-long testimony from psychiatrists and psychologists as the defense tried to prove Sirhan lacked the mental capacity to form a mature and meaningful plot against Kennedy?

"It stunk—I don't buy that stuff," said Albert N. Federico, another juror. He expressed his view to newsmen after the verdict was announced in court Wednesday.

Stitzel, 57, a pressroom foreman at the Los Angeles Times, was asked: What was the overriding consideration that made him vote the death penalty?

"The gravity of the crime," he told newsmen. "The cold-blooded murder of an individual. A planned murder."

Did he believe the jury would have decreed death if the victim had not been Kennedy, a candidate for president? "I think we would . . . as long as it was this cold-blooded, heinous crime."

Other jurors sad the same thing.

By most jurors' accounts, the first vote was eight in favor of the death penalty, two in favor of life in prison, and two undecided. For the next two ballots it was 10 for death, one for life, one undecided. The fourth ballot, on Wednesday morning, was unanimous. The original holdouts were not identified.

Under California law, the same jury which finds a defendant guilty sets the penalty in a later trial. Superior Court Judge Herbert V. Walker set May 14 for the formal sentencing. State law provides for an automatic review in capital punishment cases and Sirhan's lawyers have said they will move for a new trial. Judge Walker also has the power to reduce the penalty to life in prison.

Grant Cooper, chief defense lawyer, said the appeal would be taken of both the first-degree murder verdict and the death sentence. He said there would be three major points:

—That Judge Walker did not exercise discretion in rejecting a pretrial deal allowing Sirhan to plead guilty to first-degree murder and be sentenced to life. Walker insisted the case was too important worldwide to be settled out of court, and the penalty should be left to a jury to decide.

—That the grand jury which indicted Sirhan was not properly constituted.

—That Sirhan's private notebooks were seized illegally and should not have been placed in evidence. In them, Sirhan wrote repeatedly: "RFK must die."

STUDENTS MEET IN CORNELL CRISIS — Threatening violence if the administration of Cornell University doesn't meet Negro demands, Tom Jones, a spokesman for the Afro-American Society on the Ithaca, N.Y. campus speaks to some 6,000 students during a rally. Students for a Democratic Society leaders confer behind Jones. Under a threat that Cornell had "three hours to live" unless black militant demands were met, faculty considered whether to drop disciplinary action against five Negroes. (AP Wirephoto)

PEACE TALKS

Lodge Pleads For Fast Withdrawal

By RODNEY ANGOVE
Associated Press Writer

PARIS (AP) — The United States today urged North Vietnam to join in practical steps immediately to begin withdrawing outside forces of both sides from South Vietnam.

Speaking at the 14th enlarged session of the Vietnam peace talks, Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge declared that this could start a series of events to end the war. He said he saw "no good reason why that process should not begin soon."

North Vietnam representative Xuan Thuy, however, replied that the only foreign troops in South Vietnam were those of the United States and its allies and what is needed is their withdrawal.

Thuy's statement seemed to rebuff, at least for the present, Lodge's appeal to end "historical" exchanges and get down to practical problems.

Tran Buu Kiem, representative of the Viet Cong's National Liberation Front, also continued to press a hard-line policy. He insisted that the way to end the war was for the United States to withdraw its forces and stop clinging to the present Saigon administration.

"If the United States refuses to follow this trend," Kiem said, "and instead continues to intensify its war of aggression, it will sustain still heavier losses."

Thuy denied at the four-hour and 50-minute session that his government was trying to drive the United States into a corner by insisting on the unilateral withdrawal of U.S. forces.

OEO DIRECTOR — Rep. Donald Rumsfeld, R-Ill., is pictured at the White House after being named director of the Office of Economic Opportunity and assistant to President Nixon with cabinet rank. Rumsfeld, 36, plans to resign his House seat when he is confirmed. (AP Wirephoto)

"The Vietnamese people are ready for a peaceful settlement," he said. "if the United States really wants to settle it on the basis of respect for the Vietnamese people's fundamental national rights."

South Vietnam's Pham Dang Lam told his adversaries that the Saigon government would take a sympathetical attitude toward the Vietnamese who are now bearing arms against it.

"The government of the republic of Vietnam," he added, "only demands that they abandon violence in order, along with other citizens, that they may participate in the democratic political life within the legal and constitutional framework and in a spirit of great national unity and national reconciliation."

This appeared to be in line with previous statements that individual members of the Viet Cong could participate in future elections if they renounced the use of force and did not label themselves as Communists.

The U.S. representative said the talks had spent 13 weeks going into the history of the Vietnam conflict and that it is now time to begin serious negotiations.

"Let us, therefore, now get down to the task of bringing the war in Vietnam to an end," he said. "Let us seek practical solutions to practical problems.

"There is one practical step, which both sides can take, that would go a long way to bring the fighting to an end. That step is for the external forces on both sides to begin the process of withdrawal from South Vietnam."

Lodge repeated that the United States is "prepared to begin the withdrawal of U.S. forces from South Vietnam simultaneously with the external forces on your side."

Lodge said he saw no reason why the military and political

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NEAR CAMBODIA

Raids Heaviest Yet

By GEORGE ESPER
Associated Press Writer

SAIGON (AP) — U.S. B52 bombers made their heaviest raids of the Vietnam war Wednesday night near the Cambodian border, dropping more than 2,000 tons of bombs along a 30-mile stretch northwest of Saigon, the U.S. Command reported.

"They are harassing enemy troops so as not to let them get organized," an American spokesman said.

The targets of the giant Stratofortresses were enemy bases in the Viet Cong's War Zone C, where the Viet Cong and North Vietnamese have built a network of camouflaged roads and infiltration routes on which to move supplies and troops from Cambodia into Vietnam. Some of the bombing was within a mile and a half of the border.

The air attacks were aimed primarily at the North Vietnamese 1st and 7th divisions, which reportedly have pulled back to the border to receive replacements for heavy losses suffered during the Viet Cong's spring offensive, now in its ninth week.

The targets in War Zone C were given top priority, and B52 raids on the Ho Chi Minh Trail through eastern Laos were temporarily curtailed to permit a heavier concentration against the Cambodian border bases.

Meanwhile, the Viet Cong offensive dwindled to 11 rocket and mortar attacks Wednesday night, with over-all damage and casualties reported light as usual.

Ground fighting again was scattered, but in one fierce clash Wednesday five miles south of the demilitarized zone, eight U.S. Marines were killed and 19 wounded by North Vietnamese troops firing heavy weapons from caves. The bodies of 14 North Vietnamese were found after the fight.

Two more U.S. helicopters were shot down Wednesday, killing nine Americans and wounding three. This raised the total of U.S. helicopters reported lost in the war to 2,551.

One of the aircraft was hit while attempting to make a landing east of the A Shau Valley near the Laotian border. Seven U.S. troops were killed and two wounded. A second chopper was downed near the Cambodian border northwest of Saigon; two men were killed and one wounded.

Bases To Be Closed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird announced plans today to shut down, consolidate or cut back 36 military installations and activities in the United States to save about $95 million annually.

A total of 3,028 civilian jobs will be eliminated and 6,222 military personnel will be transferred to other assignments under the plan.

Many of the specific details had been announced earlier this week by members of Congress who were informed of Laird's move.

A planned realignment of North American air defense is a major feature and will save, according to Laird, about $38.1 million.

Nixon Requests Mail Rate Hikes

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon appealed to Congress today for a penny boost in the cost of mailing most letters and promised to outline a major overhaul of the Post Office Department within 45 days.

In a special message, Nixon proposed increases in rates for first-, second- and third-class mail that he said would yield more than $600 million in the fiscal year starting July 1.

The first-class letter rate would be boosted one cent to seven cents and stamps for postcards would cost six cents, effective July 1, under his plan.

Airmail rates—now 10 cents —would not be changed.

Without these and other proposed increases—affecting newspapers and magazines and the bulk mailings often termed "junk mail"— Nixon said the Post Office Department's deficit in the coming fiscal year would approach $1.2 billion.

He said higher rates would help achieve two important goals: Control of inflation by bringing the federal budget into better balance and improvement of the postal service.

If approved it would be the fourth postal rate increase since 1958 when the rate went from three to four cents for a letter. The price went up one cent in 1963 and again Jan. 7, 1968.

Although he called for higher rates, Nixon stated: "This administration is determined that the cycle of greater and greater postal deficits and more and more rate increases will be broken."

"The only way to break that cycle is through effective, long-range reforms in the way the postal system operates," he added. "Some of these reforms can be implemented by the postmaster general; others will require congressional action. We will be submitting specific proposals for such reform to the Congress within the next 45 days."

'Magic Show' At Crusade

Youngsters 8 to 12 will see a "magic show" tonight prior to the fifth service of the Encounter Crusade in the Scurry County Coliseum.

The youngsters are to assemble at 6:45 p.m. in the arena. The regular Crusade service will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Approximately 2,000 persons attended the Wednesday night session of the Crusade, which is being sponsored here by 23 churches representing seven denominations. The Rev. John Gordon of First Presbyterian Church, presided at the Wednesday night service.

The Crusade series will be concluded Friday night. The evangelist who is speaking each evening is the Rev. Ralph Neighbour, Dallas, of the Evangelism Department of the Baptist General Convention of Texas. Gerald Ray of Sagamore Hill Baptist Church in Fort Worth is directing music for the Crusade.

DeGaulle Serving His Final Week?

By STEPHENS BROENING
Associated Press Writer

PARIS (AP) — Indications are mounting that this may be President Charles de Gaulle's last week in office.

The 78-year-old French leader has said he would resign immediately if the referendum Sunday votes down his proposal to transfer some of the central government's powers to regional administrations and reduce the Senate to a consultative role.

The newspaper Figaro published a poll today showing that for the first time since De Gaulle made his resignation threat, opponents of the constitutional changes outnumber supporters 53 per cent to 47 per cent. As recently as March 31, polls showed 56 per cent planned to vote yes in the referendum.

The switch came after De Gaulle's televised address linking his political future to the little understood, 38-page reform bill.

De Gaulle himself indicated doubt Wednesday about the outcome when he told his Cabinet at the end of their weekly session: "We'll meet again—in principle—next Wednesday."

The merits of the proposed changes have been overshadowed by the question of confidence in De Gaulle's stewardship, which is exactly what he intended. The threat of defeat has spurred the Gaullists to frantic new efforts, but many voters still appear apathetic about the referendum and the future of the 11-year-old De Gaulle epoch.

The president will broadcast another appeal for support Friday night. His traditional argument, "De Gaulle or chaos," appears to have lost much of its force due to the lack of threat from the left and the prospect of a replacement for the old man.

Violence Erupts In Lebanon Towns

By DENNIS NEEL
Associated Press Writer

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — A new clash broke out between Palestinians and troops in Lebanon today and four persons were reported killed despite a state of emergency designed to keep the nation calm.

Several thousand Palestinian refugees, protesting restrictions on Arab guerrillas operating in Lebanon against Israel, broke through a cordon of troops in the southern town of Tyre and attacked a police station.

Twelve persons were killed and 62 were wounded in scattered clashes Wednesday. The imposition of a state of emergency was accompanied by curfews in Beirut and five other major towns.

At least a dozen refugees were reported wounded in the new clash at Tyre where troops and riot police were supported by armored cars.

One witness said the Palestinians burned a Lebanese flag at the police station before being driven back to Tyre's Rashidien refugee camp. The camp holds 10,000 Palestinians uprooted from homes in Israel. Army reinforcements were rushed to Tyre and the entire area was sealed off.

Strict military censorship has been imposed under the state of emergency laws. All security forces were placed under the command of the army chief, Gen. Emile Bustani.

In the north of the country armored cars sealed off the Christian village of Zhorta near Tripoli for fear of clashes between Christians and Moslems.

In Beirut's Palestinian quarter many people defied the curfew to carry on normal business. Police dispersed gatherings of more than two or three but there was no violence.

Coalition Passes School Aid Bill

By JOHN BECKLER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House Republican-Southern Democratic coalition, showing it can still call some legislative shots, has passed into law extension of federal aid to schools for two years.

In joining the Republican the Southern Democrats brought about the defeat of the three year extension sought by their party leaders.

In past years, even during Democratic administrations, the Southerners formed with Republicans in a coalition to stop what they considered too liberal legislation.

House Democratic leaders found Wednesday they were powerless to stop the coalition even in this time of a Republican in the White House.

Besides limiting aid extension to two years, a move supported by President Nixon, the coalition, with help from a key northern Democrat, Rep. Edith Green of Oregon, also moved another step forward in its drive to provide lump-sum grants instead of funding specified programs.

The bill, sent to the Senate floor after three days of debate would bring together four programs which now require separate applications and use to grants.

Defeat of the House Democratic leadership on the bill was especially bitter because it went to great lengths to hold the southerners in line.

Democratic leaders, who met for several days with southern representatives had trimmed their own bill to meet demands.

But on the final roll call vote that put the Green-sponsored package over and sealed their defeat, they lost 235-84, with 60 Democrats deserting to the Republicans. Only nine Republicans supported the version backed by the Democrats.

The House then joined to give final approval to the bill 400-17.

The bill continues until fiscal 1972 the Elementary and Secondary Education Act that funnels more than $1 billion a year into school districts that have a high concentration of children from low-income families.

The bill also make funds available for library materials, experimental educational programs and aid to migrant and handicapped children. A total of $5 billion a year is authorized for the programs, but the actual money appropriated has been less than half that amount.

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— aspects of a settlement could not be worked out at the same time. He stressed the word "practical" several times in his statement.

In an apparent reference to North Vietnamese and Viet Cong objections to negotiating with the present Saigon regime, the U.S. representative said: "Your side must recognize that no undertaking of importance with regard to South Vietnam can be carried out without the approval of the legitimate government of the Republic of Vietnam. Therefore, you must be prepared, as the government of the Republic of Vietnam is prepared, to begin the process of serious discussions among South Vietnamese of the elements of a political solution."

He said the United States will respect "whatever choice they make about their political future in a context free of compulsion and coercion."

"Progress toward peace," Lodge said, "can be hastened significantly if your side is prepared in the near future to engage in practical negotiations on mutual force withdrawals."

HOSPITAL NOTES

Chaplain: Rev. Phillip Lopes

ADMISSIONS: Earl Jenkins, 200 Thirty-eighth; Nettie Logan, 2911 Ave. Y; Tom Davidson, Rt. 2; Emma Huffman, 3741 Sunset; Pauline McArthur, 2107 Forty-second; Kathleen Pope, 3782 Ave. V; Benjamin Barrera, 124 Milburn; Marjorie Brown, 3810 Highland Dr.

DISMISSALS: Mary Josey, Robert Garcia, Sam Renfro, Eloy Benitez, Benjamin Barrera, James Randall.

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Snow Whitens Mountains

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Snow whitened mountain areas of northern New England and parts of the Far West today while a late-season chill lingering over the midcontinent stung much of the Midwest with frost.

The snow fell out of storm systems that also spilled cold rain into opposite ends of the country. Showers and thunderstorms washed the Gulf Coast from Texas to Florida, as well.

Four inches of snow blanketed Caribou, Maine, through Wednesday night. Two inches fell at Houlton and Limestone, also in Maine.

Snow in the West was scattered through the Sierra Nevada and into the Cascades of the Northwest.

Temperatures tumbled down through the Midwest and to freezing or lower as far south as central Illinois. The mercury settled to 29 at Hibbing and Duluth, Minn., shortly after midnight.

Both the Northwest and the eastern seaboard from coastal New England through Georgia cooled down to the lower 40s before daybreak.

Genuinely mild weather was confined to southern Florida and the Southwest, where the season's first 100-plus temperature was recorded Wednesday. Presidio, Tex., registered 101.

DECLARES EMERGENCY — President James A. Perkins of Cornell University speaks to some 10,000 students and faculty on the Ithaca, N.Y. campus. He declared a state of emergency to deal with student disorder. Cornell's faculty voted to reject an agreement that armed Negro students signed with administration officials when they agreed to end occupation of student union building. (AP Wirephoto)

Clarksville Home Becomes Landmark

CLARKSVILLE, Tex. (AP) — The historic W. L. Nunellay home in Clarksville was built in 1868 from hand-hewn oak logs over bois d'arc wood blocks and joined by wooden pegs and square nails. And it survived to be designated recently as a Texas Historic Landmark.

The spacious 22x10 foot rooms have oak floors and 12-foot ceilings. Distinctive design is utilized in the ornate, hand-carved mantel, cornices and wainscoting. It was a Baptist parsonage from 1912-27, and was the scene of hundreds of weddings.

The home was restored by its present owners, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Strickland.

Smith Approves New Conservation Area

PARIS, Tex. (AP) — Gov. Preston Smith has approved a five-county application to form the Northeast Texas Resource Conservation and Development Area.

The area takes in Bowie, Delta, Fannin, Lamar and Red River counties and its objective is the conservation and development of all resources in the area with special emphasis on erosion, sedimentation, drainage, flooding, pollution and recreation.

Application has been made to the U. S. Agriculture Department for preparation of a plan to solve the five-county problem.

Funds For Negro College Expansion

NEW YORK (AP) — The Carnegie Corp. has granted $433,500 to assist Negro colleges in expansion and development.

The corporation announced Wednesday that $233,000 had been given to the United Board for College Development, an arm of the National Council of Churches, to develop a cooperative library among Negro colleges.

The Southern Regional Council, Inc., received $200,500 to operate six college service centers for elected officials to study information on public policy questions in Alabama and Mississippi.

Mishap Is Logged

Minor damage resulted from a two-car collision on the parking lot at Cogdell Memorial Hospital at 8:20 p.m. Wednesday.

Involved were the 1963 Model Ford of Carlos Terry Kimbrough, 105 Thirty-fourth Street, and the parked 1966 Model Oldsmobile of Allie Ebor Ivison, Yukon, Okla. Damage to the Oldsmobile was placed at $75, and damage to the other car was negligible.

House Is Damaged By Blaze Today

Fire of undetermined origin caused minor damage to a house four miles north of Union at 8:20 a.m. today.

Firemen said Mrs. Coy Pal, who lives there, told them the blaze apparently began in the attic of the two-story structure. Owner of the house is Ben Dennis.

Gifts Planned For Victims Of Fire

The Hermleigh Community Center will be open from 2 to 4 p.m. April 27 for friends and neighbors of Mrs. Helen Bowen and Gary who wish to leave gifts and donations for them. The Bowen home, clothing and household furnishings were completely destroyed by fire last Monday.

Car Stolen Here Found In Dallas

The 1969 Model Chevrolet stolen from Les Francis Chevrolet Co. earlier this month was recovered in Dallas a couple of days ago.

Bobby Goodwin, detective captain with the Snyder Police Department, said officers in Dallas recovered the car in the 1800 block of South Lamar. It had been abandoned there, according to police, who said a Dallas detective had received a tip from an anonymous caller.

Theft Is Reported

Thieves stole a toy washing machine from the Speed Queen Laundry, 1505 Twenty-sixth Street, Tuesday night, according to City Police, who said the owner of the property is Alfred Eugene Vernon, Jr., 2309 Sunset.

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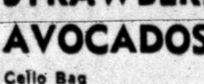

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WOMEN

Twilight Garden Club Show Scheduled Saturday

"April Showers Bring May Flowers" is the theme of a Standard Flower Show to be sponsored Saturday at Martha Ann Woman's Club by the Twilight Garden Club of Snyder.

The show will be open to the public between the hours of 3:30 and 7 p.m.

Mrs. Lester Moore is president of the sponsoring organization, and Mrs. Fred Davis is the show chairman.

Committees for the show include the following: Schedule—Mrs. Clyde Brown, Mrs. John Blum, Mrs. Clyde Collins, Mrs. Fred Davis; Judges and Awards —Mrs. Clyde Key, Mrs. Charles Tyer, Mrs. Sis Jones; Entries and Classification — Mrs. Bob Dupree, Mrs. Jack McGlaun, Mrs. Robert Glasscock (artistic), Mrs. Lester Moore, Mrs. Nellie Smith, Mrs. Mollie Pinkerton, Mrs. Oeverette Lewis (horticulture) Clerks — Mrs. Clyde Brown and Mrs. John Blum (artistic), Mrs. Clyde Key and Mrs. Jack Berry (horticulture); Staging and Placement —Mrs. Clyde Collins, Mrs. Clyde Key, Mrs. Fred Davis; Publicity — Mrs. Jack Berry, Mrs. Billy Tune, Mrs. Robert Glasscock; Hospitality — Mrs. Sterling Parker, Mrs. Jack McGlaun, Mrs. Bob Dupree; Educational Exhibit — Mrs. Charles Tyer, Mrs. J. O. McNew, Mrs.

Hermleigh 4-H Club Is In Session

HERMLEIGH — The Hermleigh 4-H Club met in the home of Anita and Nancy Leatherwood. Following the pledge, motto and prayer, Nancy Leatherwood gave a demonstration on washing dishes the easy way.

Refreshments were served. Attending were Denise Sanderfur, Cathy Hess and the hostesses.

4-H Team Contests Are Held

The 1969 4-H Team Demonstration Contest was held at the Ira Community Center on April 19 beginning at 1:30.

The approximately 15 entrees ranged from 8-year-olds to high school seniors. Many varieties of demonstration were given - ranging from Horse Demonstration to Clothing Education to Vegetable Preparation. The purpose of Team Demonstration is to help a young woman or man gain poise and speaking ability in front of a live audience. Their ability to present or demonstrate one idea is also judged.

Entries in the Clothing Education Demonstration were Shirley Stirl, "Color Today," red ribbon; Darlene Tate, "The Magic Math of Mix and Match Makes Sense and Saves Cents," red ribbon; Peggy Stephens, "The Hand - Me - Down Story," red ribbon. Home Improvement Demonstration - Barbra Tate, "A Step in Time Saves Nine," white ribbon. Cooperative Demonstration - Mary Braziel and Sharon Johns, "Co-op and Taxes," red ribbon. Electric Demonstration - Sylvia Martinez and Caroline Melton, "Housepower," white ribbon; Della Braziel and Myra Tippens, "Our Genie," blue ribbon.

Horse Demonstration — Mark Mathis and Raymond Smith, "Equine First Aid," blue ribbon. Money Management Demonstration - Margie Thompson, "Food Packaging and Labeling," white ribbon. Natural Resources Demonstration - Wilma Stirl, "Water," blue ribbon; Denise Sandefur and Kathy Hess, "Do You Have a Safe Trash Burner," red ribbon. Safety - Bicycle Demonstration, Connie Byars and Danita Layne, "One Dozen for Safe Buzzin," blue ribbon; Nancy Leatherwood and Anita Leatherwood, "An Accident About to Happen," red ribbon. Vegetable Preparation Demonstration, Martha Braziel and Lucille Thompson, Carrots for Snacks", red ribbon; Teresa Thompson and Rosalie Perkins, "Carrots for Snacks," red ribbon.

Winners from these contests will attend the district contest on the Texas Tech Campus in Lubbock on May 3.

AT B&PW CLUB MEETING — Among those at the B&PW Club meeting Tuesday night at Martha Ann Woman's Club, were, seated from left, Bob Briley, guest from Abilene; Rae Phillips of Abilene, director of Mesquite District of Federated Women's Clubs; Bill Nixon, Industrial Relations Superintendent for American Magnesium Co., who was guest speaker for the meeting; and, standing, Mrs. Clemie Andress, hostess for the meeting, and Mrs. Nellie Smith, program chairman.

Response Of Citizens To Needs Vital, Club Told

The response of its citizens to community needs will determine whether Snyder becomes an "All-Time, All-America City."

That was the challenge issued by Bill Nixon, Industrial Relations Superintendent for American Magnesium Co., who spoke to members of the Business and Professional Women's Club at their meeting Tuesday night at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

Speaking on the topic, "Civic Participation," Nixon said that everyone may have a part in helping his community respond to human needs, although all may not be able to participate to the same degree.

"Your part may be making a large donation, or giving several of your employes time off with pay to work on some worthy project, or making some of your equipment available for use. Or it may be telephoning people to remind them of a project and to get them out for it," Nixon explained.

"We're already an All-America City, but where do we go from here? Are we going to quit? Are we going to keep telling people from here on out that we are an All - America City? Or, are we going to push forward and continue to act like an All-America City? There are still things that need to be done in Snyder."

Rae Phillips of Abilene, director of the Mesquite District, Federated Women's Clubs, spoke briefly.

Colt's Cleft Palate Corrected

AUCKLAND (AP) — A New Zealand foal was eating grass two hours after a unique cleft palate operation.

Nobody attending a conference of the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons, at which the operation was described, had heard of other treatment for the trouble being successful.

When born, the valuable colt was unable to suck and had to be fed via a tube.

A plastic surgeon from Auckland's Middlemore Hospital first examined the palate with a speculum made from a length of chromium plated auto exhaust pipe.

But unlike surgeons in Britain who were reported to have tried to reach palates through the mouth, the Auckland surgeon worked from an incision made along the neck.

His method was so successful that two hours after the operation the colt leapt from a trailer and began to eat grass. It has since porgressed well.

The surgeon said cleft palate trouble was rare in horses and the few recorded attempts at surgery overseas had resulted in death.

UNION NEWS

By MRS. J. B. ADAMS

A recent visitor with Rev. and Mrs. I. T. Huckabee was her sister, Mrs. W. N. Birggern of Wahoo, Neb.

Mrs. Charles Eckert entered the hospital in Snyder Monday for surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stipes visited last week with their children in Fort Worth.

Mrs. H. G. Moore visited last week with her son, [illegible] Moore, and family in Italy, Tex., and with her daughter, Mrs. Sheridan Eades, and family at Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hogue vacationed last week in the Big Bend National Park. Others who made the trip were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Webb spent the weekend in Lubbock with relatives.

Mrs. Mattie Minor visited recently in the home of her grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Minor.

Bobby and Mike Pinkerton of Snyder are spending the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sanders of Hobbs, N. M., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pate.

Mrs. Bobby Jones was honored with a surprise birthday party Tuesday at the Baptist Church. Attending were Mrs. Doris Rollins, Shirley Pate, Rudy Minor, Mildred Rogers, Bill Pate, Lugene Rollins, Anita Payne, Jack Wilson, Lola White, Hollis Jones and Mrs. J. B. Adams.

WOMEN's CALENDAR

FRIDAY

El Feliz Club meets at 2 p.m. at Steak House with Laura Miller hostess.

SATURDAY

Twilight Garden Club flower show at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

Church Women United tea at nursing homes. All members urged to participate.

SUNDAY

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

School Menu

FRIDAY

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Pickle & Onion
Lettuce & Tomato
Whipped Jello w-Topping
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WHAT'S GOING ON

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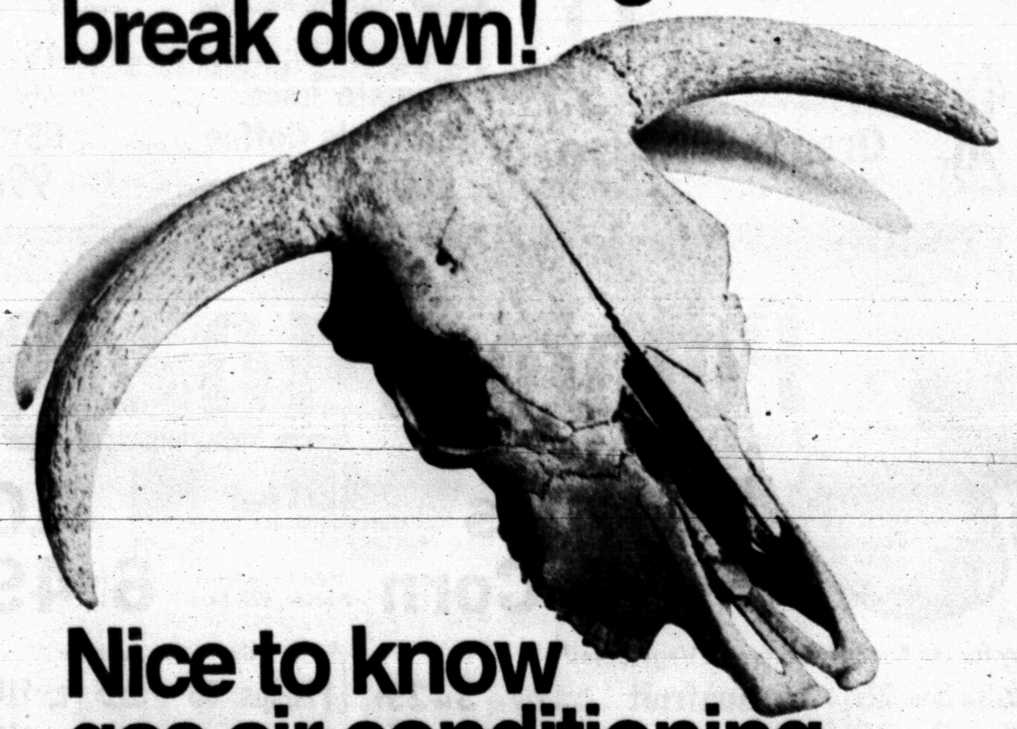

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Wrong Man Identified--Three Times

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — Three times in five months the same youthful gunman held up the same South Bend gas station.

Three times he was identified by the station attendant as Franklin T. Wike, a 20-year-old church-choir singer.

Three times the police arrested Wike and charged him with robbery.

It cost Wike his job, his apartment, his car, his wardrobe, many weeks of liberty and a chance to be married in sunny California.

Then Wike's luck turned. He was in jail, still protesting his innocence but unable to raise bail on the third robbery charge, when the young gunman made his fourth call on the gas station. This time he was caught by two policemen in a patrol car.

The gunman, who bore a close resemblance to Wike, was Gordon W. Ward, 20, of Niles, Mich. He admitted all four holdups.

The charges against Wike were dropped and he was released April 4. Four days later, he and Dian Copenhaver, a newspaper carrier, were married at the Mishawaka church where both sing in the choir. The newlyweds have settled down in Elkhart, where Wike has a new job with an iron works.

A run-in with the police as a juvenile had landed Wike's photo in a mug shot file where the gas station attendant picked it out after the first robbery last November. It took Wike a month and a half to raise the $5,000 bail.

Free on bond, Wike learned that he had been evicted from his apartment and fired from his job as a salesman.

The station was robbed again Feb. 2, and again the attendant identified Wike.

Frank and Dian had eloped to California to be married. Wike was arrested and extradited to South Bend. His car and clothes were left behind, and he says he hasn't seen them since.

After another week in jail, relatives raised $10,000 bail.

The station was robbed a third time March 26. Wike was identified and jailed again.

"I was broke and disgusted," he says. There was no chance of making bail this time.

Robbery No. 4 came March 30, with Wike still behind bars. That's when the police caught Ward, who has pleaded guilty and awaits sentencing.

Sheriff Proposes Farm For Prisoners

FORT WORTH (AP) — Sheriff Lon Evans has suggested that a prison farm be established.

Besides growing vegetables for prisoners and children kept in county facilities, Evans said it would enable inmates to get fresh air and exercise.

The sheriff has made the proposal before but it has fallen on deaf ears.

Battle Casualties Up Slightly

SAIGON (AP) — American battle deaths in the Vietnam war totaled 216 last week, the U.S. Command reported today, a slight increase over the previous week and still well above the average before the Viet Cong offensive began nine weeks ago.

The weekly report said 1,602 Americans were wounded, a big drop from 2,691 the week before.

The enemy death toll rose sharply — 2,379. The total the week before was 2,938.

Combat fatalities among troops of the Saigon government also increased considerably, from 244 during the week ending April 12 to 329 last week.

In the long period of comparative lull before the enemy offensive began Feb. 23, the weekly U.S. death toll generally ranged from about 150 to 190. In recent weeks the total has decreased steadily again as the enemy attacks have slacked off.

Last week's toll of American dead was 12 more than the 204 reported killed in action the week before.

Since the preliminary peace talks began in Paris last May 13, 11,332 Americans have been killed. The report brought the number of Americans killed in Vietnam since 1961 to 34,283.

Viet Cong and North Vietnamese dead now total at least 184,450.

The weekly report said 1,304 Americans are missing or captured—a drop of 18 from the previous week. This resulted from the reclassification of men from missing or captured to killed in action.

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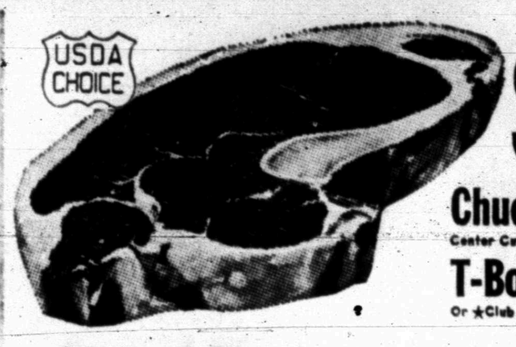

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Legal Gambling Protests Program

By MALCOLM BARR
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Legal gambling interests are complaining President Nixon's program to fight organized crime discriminates against persons engaged in lawful betting operations.

Bookmakers in Nevada, where gambling is a legal and big business, said a proposal, backed by President Nixon, to increase the federal occupational tax on wagering from $50 to $1,000 was unfair and indicated they may fight it up to the Supreme Court as "unconstitutional."

If they do, it won't be the first time the occupational gambling tax has been there.

The Court ruled early last year that an illegal gambler couldn't be convicted for nonpayment of the tax if he claimed that by registering to buy the tax stamp he incriminated himself.

Justice Department officials said that decision neutralized the Internal Revenue Service in that phase of the racketeering battle but said other parts of the new measure "will get the IRS back into the battle against organized crime." The officials didn't say how the proposal would get around the high court decision.

It won't apply to government-operated sweepstakes such as the New York and New Hampshire state lotteries.

In Reno, North Swanson, owner of the Reno Turf Club, said the annual federal wagering tax stamp along with the 10 per cent wagering tax was conceived originally as a punitive measure rather than a revenue producer.

"It's obvious that we, the legal gamblers in Nevada, will have to get together and take this to the Supreme Court to get Nevada exempted," he said.

"The whole purpose of the tax is to fight illegal crime—which we are not."

A Washington area man who runs an illegal bookmaking operation asked how bookies like himself could be induced to pay $1,000 when few of them pay the $50 fee.

"Hell, I'd pay $5,000 for a stamp if they'd let me alone," he said. "But when the stamps first went into effect I can remember four guys who went ahead and bought them and within a year they'd all been arrested."

Treasury Department figures show sale of stamps in 1968 produced 26,000 and 10 — cent tax levied against gambling operations produced another $4.5 million—most of it, presumably, from legal operations in Nevada.

Suit Names H&R Block

CHICAGO (AP) — A suit was filed Wednesday in U.S. District Court, charging H and R Block, Inc., with illegal monopolization of the income tax preparation market.

The suit was filed on behalf of Donald Edwards and Joe Ross, who own 3 6 H and R Block franchises in Michigan.

They ask $4.5 million in damages and a stop to alleged restrictive franchise agreement provisions.

The suit said that H and R Block is the largest tax return preparation service in the nation, with more than 3,000 offices. It cited numerous franchise agreement provisions, which it claimed, are illegally restrictive.

Among them are that independent franchises of H and R Block are required to purchase all office supplies from the corporation; that franchises must use the advertising services of an agency which, the suit says, is a wholly owned subsidiary of the corporation; and that franchises are restricted from competing with each other or other Block Co. offices during the period of the agreement and for three years thereafter.

Every second, four million tons of solar hydrogen transforms itself into radiant energy that floods into space. National Geographic says. Yet the sun is so huge that it can continue to consume itself at this rate for billions of years.

TOUT TRAVIS — These pretty girls were elected cheerleaders at Travis Junior High School for the next school year. From left, they are Vicki Murray, Terrisu Sims, Leslie Bilberry (head cheerleader), Pam Smith; Sue Jane Sullivan and Waynann Monroney (Blue Devil). The sponsor is Miss Melvia Jones.

Bucher Pays Visit To Orphanage

By JIM DONNELLY
Associated Press Writer

BOYS TOWN, Neb. (AP) — Cmdr. Lloyd M. Bucher has revisited the boyhood home he calls "a little bit of heaven."

With flags and placards and cheers the citizens of this City of Little Men—a haven for neglected, delinquent or orphan boys—greeted him as a heroic son.

And Peter Bucher, as he was known when he played tackle for Boys Town High School in 1945, let it be known that he hadn't forgotten his life as an orphan at Father Flanagan's Boys Home.

Speaking to some 500 Boys Town High School students in their dining room Wednesday night, the skipper of the USS Pueblo told the boys, "Each of you is a brother to me."

"I know what you feel," he said, "I was here. You come from broken homes or from homes unable to take care of you. Or you're here because you were pretty damned ornery. I've been in all those categories myself."

The man who spent 11 months in a North Korean prison following seizure of his ship and crew still can't eat an apple because of loose teeth suffered in beatings by North Korean guards. But he made light of that:

"I doubt if any one of you here hasn't had two or three bloody noses. But that makes for camaraderie and by pulling together you're pulling tight."

The boys gave Bucher a standing ovation which he acknowledged with a thumbs up sign.

S. Korea To Ask More Air Power

SEOUL (AP) — President Chung Hee Park of South Korea will ask President Nixon to beef up U.S. air power in South Korea and strengthen the South Korean navy before a special American task force leaves the Sea of Japan, the Donghwa news agency said today.

The naval force was dispatched to protect American reconnaissance flights off North Korea after the downing of a U.S. spy plane April 15.

Donghwa said a high-ranking official told it South Korea's ambassador to the United States, Kim Dong-jo, will deliver Park's request to Nixon after he returns to Washington Saturday following consultations at home.

A similar report was carried by the Korea Times.

The U.N. Command reported meanwhile that North Korean and South Korean troops exchanged fire across the demilitarized zone early Wednesday. The command said the gunfight was initiated by the North Koreans and lasted more than an hour, but there were no South Korean casualties reported.

North Korea had charged that U.S. forces "fired into North Korean territory Wednesday," but the U.N. announcement said the firefight occurred in the central sector of the 151-mile truce zone. Americans guard 18 miles of the DMZ on the western front.

Chamber Expands

VICTORIA, Tex. (AP) — Victoria Chamber of Commerce signed up 368 new members in a nine-day period to double its size. Chamber of Commerce Manager Bob Eitelman said the membership campaign established a record for chambers of commerce in the southern states, pointing out that no other chamber in a city the size of Victoria has ever signed up so many new members in so short a time.

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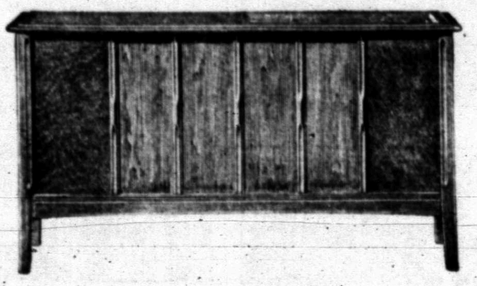

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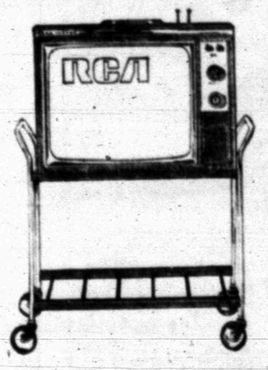

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Life In Corporate Castles Makes Monster Of Prince

By JOHN CUNNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — This is a story of life in the corporate castles of America and how guests therein undergo the ugly transformation from princes to monsters.

The transformation, which is revealed by years of scientific study by one of the country's foremost authorities on corporate life, is causing serious problems for many of today's blue chip companies.

Dr. Eugene Jennings, a psychologist, author and management consultant among other things, described the situation the other day while preparing a chapter on his book, "Route to the Executive Suite."

The circumstances are set in motion by the need of corporations to find young executives. In their eagerness to do so they create the great expectation syndrome.

And what is that? It is a psychological disposition created by putting young executives on a rich diet of upward mobility and challenges. The young fellow is moved along swiftly; He is treated like a prince.

In fact, in his own mind he thinks he is just that. His syndrome is perhaps most markedly illustrated by a young man with a bachelor's degree in science, engineering or accounting, and a master's in business administration.

Holders of such degrees are the fastest moving young executives in industry today.

The young man holding such degrees has an "expectancy additive." That is, by obtaining the degrees he expects to succeed. And sometimes he expects to succeed even without the qualities the degrees indicate he has.

Now he enters a corporation with a need for young executives and he finds his impressions confirmed. The company moves him along swiftly, and he is liable to fall into one of three categories:

—The instant success type who feels that success is just around the corner. He is a prodigious worker because he feels the presidency is just one great leap away.

—The success without trying type. This fellow begins well ahead of his peers, but he has a defect. He is a game player, an opportunist. He looks good, but game players soon are caught by sophisticated management.

—The over able type. This fellow has the goods to match his own impression of himself. Even though he is moved along fast, his skills hardly have been tested yet.

These are the princes. But at the same time, in the view of the corporation employing them, they are guests, treated with unusual consideration and usually compensated equally well.

However, their expectancies are ahead of their achievements and the company's ability to fulfill them. This soon becomes a crisis when they come up gainst something called the girth-apex assymetry.

In other words, after running swiftly through middle management, where jobs are plentiful, they reach the bottleneck. There just aren't enough jobs at the top for all the great expectors.

The prince becomes frustrated, and he brings out his frustration on himself and others. He becomes one of the meanest personnel problems in the company. More ambitious than wise, he becomes a monster to deal with.

Moreover, he often ups and quits without so much as a thank you to the corporate host for all the training and fast action he has been given.

Working Is Fulfillment, Says Actress

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) — "I think one of the greatest gifts in life is the opportunity to work at something you enjoy doing," said Angela Lansbury.

"Many, many people don't get this chance, and therefore they never experience a sense of the fulfillment of life."

It was a loss to politics and a gain to the theater when the British-born actress decided to follow her mother's example and embark on a career before the footlights. One of her childhood dreams—she is the granddaughter of George Lansbury, former leader of the British Labor party—was to become England's first lady prime minister.

Miss Lansbury, currently starring in the Broadway musical, "Dear World," which gained her a second Tony Award, has appeared in 70 films and numand got a $60-a-week job in 1942 erous plays since she came to Canada as a wartime evacuee a week when the late movie magnate Louis B. Mayer, impressed by a short film test, signed her to a seven-year contract at $500 weekly.

Over the next two decades Hollywood make-up men must have anointed her with a ton of goo to age her fcae to play the roles of hags and hussies which became her specialty. She finally escaped from this typecasting in the Broadway hit, "Mame," a sprightly rom in which she won her first Tony Award.

Her fine character acting also won her three Academy Award nominations for her performances in "Gaslight," "The Picture of Dorian Gray," and "The Manchurian Candidate."

Many film fans, indelibly impressed by her screen images, have automatically come to think of Angela as a crafty, wrinkled old lady—a Mrs. Methuselah. This rather amuses Miss Lansbury, a strikingly handsome, blue-eyed woman still in her early forties.

"It's ridiculous for the public to think that the parts I play are really me," she said, smiling. "But the public doesn't care to know who you really are. They like to feel that what they think about you is true."

In her next film role in "The Dreamers," she again essays the upper age brackets as a decaying European countess standed in the past.

"She's quite a character," said Angela, "and it's fun to have a crack at it."

The remark is typical of Miss Lansbury, and shows why people in the theater are fond of her as "the professional's professional."

This is her creed in her own words:

"If you conscientiously attempt to give the best you can of yourself in every department of your life, you will indeed get the best back. By giving affirmatively, you can't help but end up on the plus side of happiness.

"Your state of life will be happy and forward, not stationary and negative."

The United States minted 2-cent coins from 1864 to 1873 and 3-cent coins from 1865 to 1889.

Junior Editors Quiz on ROLLER SKATES

QUESTION: *Why do the wheels of my roller skates whirl around so easily?*

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ANSWER: When two surfaces are dragged against each other, friction is created. Movement, such as that of a piece of metal revolving inside another piece, is thus slowed down. There are many cases where wheels must revolve very rapidly, such as the wheels of your roller skates. They can do this because of the ball bearings inside your skates' wheels. Notice that the ball in (1) touches the flat surface at only one small point. This reduces friction as it rolls. Inside the wheels of your roller skates are sets of small shiny steel balls (2). These are set in a frame so as not to touch each other. One part of the ball rests on the axis or metal bar going across the skate. The other part takes the weight of the skate and you above it. As the wheels whirl around (4), they spin on the rolling balls with so little friction that they allow you to move very fast. Another important use for ball bearings is in the hub part of your bicycle wheels. These allow the bike's wheels to turn very rapidly and make riding much more fun.

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(Joanne Laperle of Cumberland, R. I. wins a prize for this question. You can win $10 cash plus AP's handsome World Yearbook if your question, mailed on a postcard to Junior Editors in care of this newspaper, is selected for a prize.)

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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4. Cheer word
7. Singing voice
11. Elocution
13. Dillseed
14. Cough drop
15. Festive
16. The Orient
17. Compass point
19. Jujube
20. Legal thing
21. Scout's pack
23. Destiny
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25. Bewildered
27. Degree
28. Raze
30. Gullet
33. Tokyo's former name
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12. Social affair
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22. Convened
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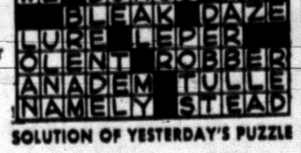

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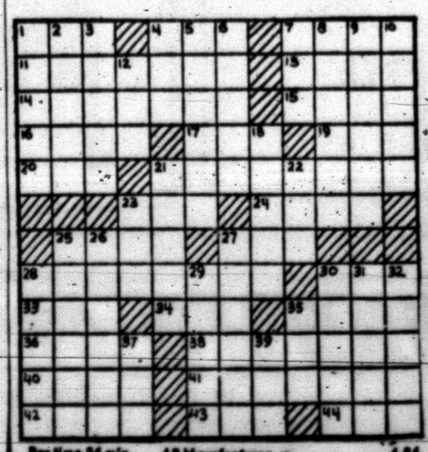

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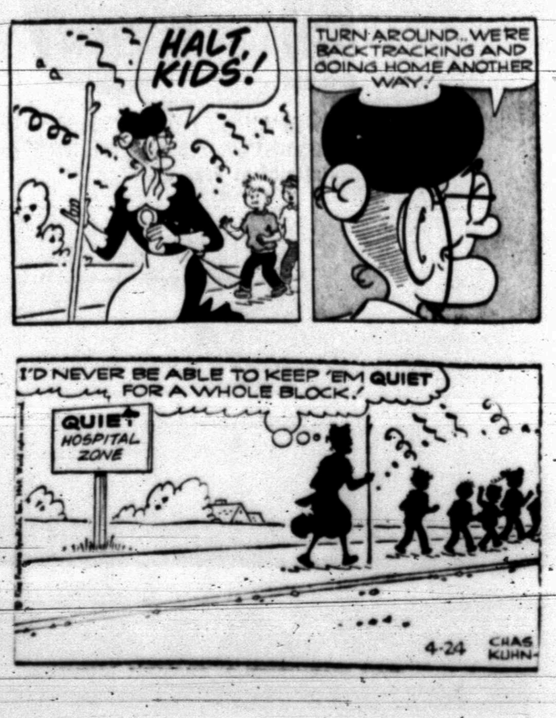

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: You always say, "If you think he's the kind of guy who will throw it up to you later, tell a man NOTHING about your past before you marry him." I agree with you, it's none of his business.

I was a prostitute for a while, been married eight times, and have been in jail.

In about a month I will marry for the ninth time. I have been walking a very straight path ever since I met this guy. He's the first really decent man I've ever known and I want to be decent, too.

What if somebody who knows my past says something to him? People like to talk, and my fifth husband's sister works in the same plant where my future husband works. Also my third husband works there.

I am 39 and the man I'm marrying is 47. He spent 20 years in the army and came out a first sergeant, so you know he has got it made.

He's a little square. Doesn't drink or smoke, and I know he loves me. How much should I tell him?

LADY WITH A PAST

DEAR LADY: In your case, it would be wise to tell him that you've been married before. (Tell him he's Number Nine; he'll probably think you're kidding.) If he asks any other questions, be prepared to answer them honestly. If he doesn't, keep quiet, continue to walk the straight path, and try to draw the curtain on your past. If he really loves you, and you behave yourself, he won't believe rumors, neither will he dig for dirt. Good luck.

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DEAR ABBY: I heard you say that more wild birds and game actually die of starvation, attacks from other animals, and from freezing weather than die by a hunter's bullet. You were trying to make the point that the hunter's bullet was a "merciful" death.

Following the same logic, more people are killed every year by automobiles than by a hunter's bullet, so if a bullet is a more merciful death, then perhaps all the hunters should shoot each other, which isn't such a bad idea.

HATES HUNTERS

DEAR HATES: It's not such a good idea, either. But don't joke about it, unfortunately many do.

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DEAR ABBY: Two of my relatives (both male) visited me yesterday and they got into a fight, and one of them (age 27) broke a window. It wasn't a window in our apartment, it was one in the front entrance of this apartment building.

I told his mother about it, and she said, "If the manager asks you what happened, tell him you don't know."

Boy, this really made me mad! That overgrown 27-year-old baby ought to take the responsibility and pay for the damage.

If I tell the manager who did it, my whole family will be against me. What should I do?

ARLINGTON, VA.

DEAR ARLINGTON: Tell the manager; and if your whole family is "against you" for doing the right thing, shame on them! Why protect a chiseler?

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DEAR ABBY: I, too, have an answer to the lady, married for 21 years who boasted that she phoned her hubby every day at work to say, "I love you."

"Mush" is strictly a breakfast food. Served piping hot at 6 to 7 a.m. with several cups of steaming coffee, it is better than served "strained" thru a phone wire every day for 21 years.

Could she be trying to appease her guilty conscience because the "YOU" of "I love you" has been grabbing a quick cup of coffee and a day-old doughnut every morning at the corner cafe?

NAOMI IN MEDFORD

DEAR NAOMI: Could be. But not necessarily.

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CONFIDENTIAL TO "FUTURE ACTRESS": Don't depend on "breaks." If you are seriously considering making "acting" your career, prepare for a lot of hard work. There are fine schools where you will be taught speech, drama, singing, dancing, and how to FALL gracefully — which is probably the most useful thing you could learn.

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Sadler Issues Guidelines

AUSTIN (AP) — Skirts in the General Land Office must come down "to the knee," and sideburns cannot extend below the "middle lobe of the ear," says Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler.

Also, male employes must have a neat neck trim, Sadler has decreed.

Sadler was not available Wednesday for comment on his new regulations, but his chief clerk, Jack Giberson, said: "He's one of the believers in neatness and well grooming."

"He felt like mini-skirts are not appropriate to this office or any other business office," Giberson said.

So far, there has not been any complaints from the employes, he said.

In 1961, soon after he took office, Sadler said employes were spending too much time at coffee breaks. He said there would be no more coffee breaks.

Science Popular

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (AP) — Almost half the 12,053 students at Texas A&M University this spring studied for engineering or science degrees, a university survey showed.

Crime On City Streets Deterring Women Workers

By PHILIP WECHSLER
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — The fear of crime in the streets, particularly in major cities, has prompted more and more women to refuse night shifts or overtime work during evening hours.

As a result companies are spending millions of dollars, in addition to higher night pay, on safety precautions to attract women to evening work.

A survey by The Associated Press found, for example:

—Illinois Bell Telephone Co. contracts with a Chicago taxicab company to pay the fares of 500 night operators.

—Eastern Airlines regional office in an Atlanta suburb installed closed circuit television on its grounds and employs guards with two-way radios.

—The Republican Inaugural Committee spent five per cent of its total budget on cab fares for its female workers in Washington.

Gary R. Davie, a regional manager for American Girl Service, a nationwide agency furnishing temporary help, says its workers are turning down overtime, especially during winter when dark comes earlier.

"The women refuse based on the fact of safety in the streets," he said.

In some instances the reluctance of women to work at night has cut down on production.

The United California Bank said it had to abandon overtime shifts in most of its offices in Los Angeles because women refused to work at night.

"With our younger women applicants safety is a very important factor," says the bank's vice president for personnel, Charles Sherman. He added that the bank's data processing center near Hollywood had to provide a guard for the parking lot.

Mrs. Charlotte Cole, an employment agency official in Newark, N.J., says, "Young women just don't like standing on a street corner waiting for a bus at night." She added that companies now building downtown offices are providing employe parking facilities.

Women of course turn down night work for other reasons: interference with their regular lives or lack of adequate public transportation.

A New York City employment agency reports that 20 per cent of the women refusing night work cite the fear of going home on the subways or waiting on a corner for a bus. The agency says it is extremely difficult to recruit women for work after 9 p.m.

Ernest Cooper, manager of a Philadelphia employment agency, says women will accept jobs in center city or the suburbs, but "they don't want to work in fringe areas or where they have to walk many streets."

New Bill On Sales Taxes

AUSTIN (AP)—Marshall's local sales tax has started business to a lumberyard operated by the city's mayor outside the city limits, Rep. C. L. Ray says.

Ray, of Marshall, presented the House Tax Committee a bill Wednesday that would end Mayor A. Weldon Webber's advantage.

The bill would require that the city sales tax be imposed on items purchased outside of town for delivery in the city.

Ray said a lumberyard inside of Marshall has lost bids to Webber's yard since the local sales tax was imposed.

"I have a real good suggestion—just annex the guy outside the city," said Rep. John Traeger, Seguin, who sponsored the 1967 bill that permits local sales taxes.

"He's the mayor and he sort of has control over that," said Ray, who conceded "This bill virtually puts a 1-cent sales tax all over Texas."

The measure went automatically to a subcommittee.

Industries Oppose Tax

By LEE JONES
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — Beer, cigar, oil and gas people lined up before the House Tax Committee Wednesday to oppose taxes on their industries.

In a long afternoon of hearing, the committee listened to testimony on bills that would:

—Impose a 1-cent tax, at the wholesale level, on disposable alcoholic beverage and soft drink containers in an effort to reduce highway litter by encouraging greater use of returnable bottles.

—Add a penny on the dollar to the 7-cent natural gas production tax; impose a 5-cent tax on professional sports, night club and certain tourist attractions, and place a 3 per cent tax on telephone company gross receipts.

—Repeal the tax on cigars, which runs about $15 per 1,000.

All the bills went routinely to subcommittee.

New Avenue Of Student Expression

DENTON, Tex. (AP) — Student problems at North Texas State University are finding a new avenue for expression at a public forum, an idea initiated by new President Dr. John J. Kamerick.

The public meeting provides a place where students can state their opinions to, and be heard by, the administrators.

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LIVING COSTS UP, BUT —

Price Decrease Predicted

By NEIL GILBRIDE
AP Labor Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — White House sources insist last month's jump in living costs—biggest in 18 years—doesn't mean a new twist upward in the inflation spiral.

"We don't foresee an increase in the price trend, we foresee a decrease," said a Nixon administration source. "But this should increase the worry about the state of the economy and the need for economic restraint."

The Labor Department Wednesday reported that the cost of living rose eight-tenths of one per cent in March, the biggest jump since the Korean war year of 1951.

Last month's index was 125.6, meaning it cost $12.56 to buy what $10 would have purchased in typical family goods and services in the 1957-59 base period. A substantial rise was reported for food, clothing and gasoline.

Wholesale prices of foodstuffs and industrial raw materials also rose sharply, five-tenths of one-percent, bringing that index to 111.7, a rise of 3.2 per cent in a year.

"During the first quarter of this year, consumer prices rose one-percent, bringing that index to 111.7, a rise of 3.2 per cent in a year.

"During the first quarter of this year, consumer prices rose 1.5 per cent, the sharpest rate of advance for any three-month period since May-July, 1956," said the department's Bureau of Labor Statistics. "The index now stands 5.1 per cent above a year ago."

The White House source said in spite of the figures, "the economy is slowing down," although the March hike "does suggest a long time to get down to a more acceptable level of price increases."

He also said that the prospect of government imposed wage-price controls such as were used to stop Korean War inflation are "absolutely zero."

Some government economists said sharp increases in mortgage interest rates and used car prices tended to make the March price picture look worse than it really was. Used car prices vary sharply and mortgage and other housing costs don't affect that many people, they said.

Sen. Pike Would Probe Missions

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Otis G. Pike, D-N.Y., whose investigation of the Pueblo capture has broadened to include the loss of a Navy reconnaissance plane, says he wants to know how the military's intelligence system is run and if it is conducting too many missions.

Pike says there is high-level confusion in the Navy about which intelligence missions need protection. He cited messages about the Pueblo which never reached top commanders and said he wants to know if the same thing happened with the EC121, shot down over the Sea of Japan by North Korean MIGs April 15.

"This incident is one of a package," Pike said. "I have some very fundamental questions on how necessary the volume of our missions is."

Some of those questions may be directed to Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, chairman of the joint chiefs of staff, a scheduled witness when the subcommittee resumes open hearings Friday.

Time lags in reporting such incidents to top officials in Washington are especially vexing, said the New York Democrat, chairman of the House mittee on the Pueblo Armed Services special subcom-

Rep. L. Mendel Rivers, D-S.C., chairman of the full committee, told Pike Wednesday to expand the probe, saying: "I wish to particularly emphasize my interest in ascertaining the command and control response of the executive branch to this latest incident."

PRIVATE CLUB RULES

LCB To Hold Public Hearing

AUSTIN (AP) — The Liquor Control Board will hold a public hearing May 9 on its proposed rules for private clubs.

The LCB released its final version of the proposed rules Wednesday.

The final version contains several changes made by the board ing, said the New York Demo- since the rules were first proposed, including added language saying:

—"No minutes shall be required of any discussion or action regarding a membership application which is denied."

—"A club using a business machine to maintain its membership records shall not be required to keep a well-bound book if such machine provides such information as shall be required by the (LCB) administrator."

—"A club using a business machine to bill each member of its liquor pool shall not be required to have such well-bound book if such machine provides such information as shall be required by the administrator."

Another addition provides that the membership number of a ... may be assigned to another member.

Another regulation spells out the manner of operation of a locker system and requires a quarterly report to the LCB.

The LCB proposes to define "member's family" as "the spouse, parents and adult children of the member."

"Guest" would be defined as "an individual who is personally known by the member or one of the member's family and who is admitted to the club premises by personal introduction of; or in the physical company of, the member of one of the member's family. If a guest who is not in the physical company of a member or one of the member's family incurs an indebtedness, such indebtedness shall be billed to and paid by the member."

Five states — California, Colorado, South Dakota, Alaska and Nevada — have yielded more than 75 per cent of the gold produced in the United States.

US Natural Gas Reserves Decline

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — The nation's natural gas reserves have declined for the first time in 23 years.

The American Gas Association year-end report on 1968 reserves prompted immediate industry concern over long-range supply trends.

"There is no point in trying to kid ourselves," said J. L. Parrish Jr., executive vice president of Tennessee Gas Transmission Co. "there is evidence that a shortage of natural gas is upon us."

Parrish and officials of the gas association said there is need for a sharp reversal of a prolonged slump in drilling operations. Drilling activity has fallen 40 per cent since the industry drilled a record 58,259 oil and gas wells in 1956.

Jan. 1 natural gas reserves totaled 287.3 billion cubic feet, compared to 292.9 billion a year earlier.

A record production of 19.3 billion cubic feet last year more than offset reserve additions that totaled only 13.6 billion. This means that gas reserves in 1968 declined for the first time since the association began compiling such estimates at the end of World War II. Parrish said projections of recent trends had indicated production would exceed discoveries no later than in 1969. He said gross 1967 reserve additions had exceeded production only by a ratio of 1.2 to 1.

This ratio now has dropped below unity.

"How comforting it must have been for the industry and to the nation to look at a reserve life index of 32.5 years back in 1946 when 3.6 times more gas was discovered than was used," he said.

"The reserve life was twice as high in 1946 as it was in 1967, and the ratio of gross reserve additions to production was three times as high. The decline in both ratios has been steady."

Parrish said the supply problem ahead is challenging in that production almost doubled from 1946 to 1953 and almost doubled again between 1953 and 1967.

"Almost exactly two-thirds of all the estimated gas production since the industry was born 148 years ago has occurred in the last 23 years," he said. "There is every reason to expect this demand to continue rising."

Demand is expected to grow about 4 per cent a year until 1975 and about 3.5 per cent a year from 1975 to 1980.

"At that rate of compounding, we would soon be placing a gigantic task before the exploration and drilling segments of the industry just to maintain a one-to-one ratio of gross reserve additions to production, he said "Anything short of a one-to-one ratio would mean a net loss to reserves. And even if that one-to-one ratio is maintained, the reserve life index would steadily decline, since a static figure for reserves would be divided by an ever-increasing production figure."

Reserve additions in South Louisiana dwarfed gains made in other areas last year. Extensions and revisions added 6.9 billion cubic feet and new fields and pools added 996 million. By comparison, total gas reserves in Texas declined by 6.4 billion cubic feet.

Parrish said South Louisiana had accounted for 83 per cent of the net additions to the nation's reserves in 1967 and had claimed 90.7 per cent of such additions between 1960 and 1967.

He said the Interior Department should rescind a recent oder delaying a scheduled sale of another block of federal offshore leases in the south Louisiana area.

"We must convince the powers-that-be to reconsider this decision at the earliest possible date," Parrish said.

The postponement was ordered after the Santa Barbara oil spill prompted a temporary shutdown of offshore drilling operations along the California coast.

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By H. L. SCHWARTZ III
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Transportation Secretary John Volpe has reshuffled his department's priorities, putting two controversial airways projects ahead of—solving mass transit problems.

The former Massachusetts governor reportedly has told President Nixon he wants administration approval for either the Supersonic Transport—SST—or an airways and airports bill before action on increasing other programs, including mass transit.

The SST wasn't ranked at all in a list of priorities published by Volpe's Democratic predecessor, Alan S. Boyd, a year ago. Airport and airways improvement and construction was ranked fourth.

In the revised Nixon budget put out last week, a request for $25 million in new money for mass transit was cut out although Volpe had told an interviewer in March that trucks and autos were choking the cities and "we wouldn't be in the mess we're in" if studies had been started earlier.

Of the two projects, the SST proposal is on the President's desk. A month ago it appeared headed for limbo but it's fate now is uncertain.

The airports bill reportedly would provide for the first time up to $2 billion in loan guarantees for construction of airports which in some cities are vastly profitable.

The bill also would provide some $150 million in outright grants for airport construction, including terminals. This practice was discontinued in the 1950s because of criticism that federal money as being used to build such things as cocktail lounges.

Critics in the administration say federal aid is not needed to build airports. They cite the example of the New York Port Authority, which is building two huge skyscrapers from the profits of the three airports it runs.

There also is opposition to the guranteeing of loans. Some critics say the guarantees would put tax-free muncipal bonds in direct competition with taxable Treasury bonds at a time when the Treasury needs all the cash it can get.

The Transportation Department is expected to argue that more and bigger airports are desperately needed to ease air congestion, the government could easily stand the competition from municipal bonds and would benefit with the low interest of a government loan.

Nixon go-ahead for the SST or even a delay order would be a major change of fortune for Volpe who was forced last month to back away from a highly favorable report on the project.

An 11-man committee of agency heads and Cabinet under secretaries had drawn up recommendations for the report that contained some severe criticism.

Backers of the SST said some $200 million was needed to keep it going full blast in fiscal 1970 but concede it could limp along on carryover funds while Boeing Corp., the prime contractor for the plane, tried to work out the design bugs that have prompted much criticism of the superjet.

SST opponents argue that too much money—some $300 million—has been wasted already. They say the craft will be too noisy ever to fly over land routes or use most domestic airports and therefore would be economically unsound.

Backers of the plane say the United tates must develop its own SST to remain competitive with Soviet and Anglo-French versions.

Heir Of Gandhi To Be Married

BOMBAY, India (AP) — Mrs. Kanti Gandhi plans to fly to the United States Tuesday for the wedding May 3 of her son Dr. Shantikumar K. Ghandi to an American girl in Youngstown, Ohio.

Dr. Gandhi is a great-grandson of Mohandas K. Gandhi, father of Indian independence. He will be the first member of the Gandhi family to marry a foreigner.

He will marry Susan La Force, a nurse at the Youngstown hospital where he is a doctor.

The marriage at the United Methodist Church in Youngstown will be followed by a Hindu ceremony performed by a Brahmin attached to the Indian consulate in New York.

Rural Advantage Myth, Says ERS

By DON KENDALL
AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department says people who live in the country frequently do not have the great economic advantage over city dwellers that some experts claim.

A report by the Economic Research Service suggests that rural America—which includes about half of the nation's poverty level families—too often has been painted as a place where people have numerous fringe benefits which offset income problems.

"It's generally assumed that money goes farther in the country than it does in the city, but ERS economists doubt that it goes as far as present definitions of poverty assume," the report said.

Under one formula cited, the ERS said, a family of four living in a city is considered "poor" if its income totals only $3,200 a year and would be eligible for public assistance.

"But if this same family moved to a farm, its income would have to drop another $1,000 before it could qualify for assistance," the report said.

The officials said that farm families' food bills are thought to be about 30 per cent lower than those of urban families because of a 1965 survey showing that home-grown foods represented about that proportion of farm diets.

"But not every farm family is able to grow its own food," the ERS report said. "In fact, a recent survey showed that fewer than five per cent of the very poor farmers (incomes of less than $1,000) in the Ozarks and Mississippi Delta had home gardens.

"And even those with gardens usually didn't produce any meat or poultry—important but expensive parts of a good diet.

Thus, while homegrown food is present in part of the rural population, officials said, it does not provide as much as existing poverty definitions assume.

Transportation costs also are higher in rural areas, the ERS said, as well as utility bills in many less densely populated areas.

"Medical bills, too, often loom larger for the self"—employed farmer who must meet his family's medical expenses with out-of- pocket cash, while the city dweller often gets fringe medical benefits along with his job."

The ERS report said quality of housing, medical and educational facilities in farming areas is often "far below" that in cities.

"As a result, the farm poor are apt to be much worse off than the urban poor—and farm families generally have more limited opportunities to escape their plight."

Robb's Wife, Baby Waiting At Ranch

NAHA, Okinawa (AP) — With his wife Lynda and the 5-month-old daughter he has never seen waiting at the LBJ Ranch in Johnson City, Tex., Marine Maj. Charles S. Robb has begun his trip home from 13 months in Vietnam with a processing stop in Okinawa.

Robb, 30, son-in-law of former President Lyndon B. Johnson, arrived here Tuesday, and a Marine spokesman said processing would take two to five days. He now is at Camp Hansen in northern Okinawa.

Palmer's Ex-Mayor Dies In Collision

PALMER, Tex. (AP) — The former mayor of this Ellis County town died Wednesday when his auto was in collision with a train in Palmer.

Lemuel Hughey Barron, 65, was returning from a visit to one of his ranches when the accident occurred.

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Transplant Pleases Doctors

HOUSTON (AP) — Doctors were pleased today with the progress of eye transplant patient John Madden but stressed it will be at least three weeks before they know the outcome of the surgery.

Madden, 55, of Conroe, and his surgeon, Dr. Conrad Moore, hope the world's first total eye transplant Madden received last Tuesday at Methodist Hospital will restore his vision.

Moore said, that to his knowledge, it was the first time, except for animal experiments, for an entire eye to be transplanted with an objective to restoring vision.

The hospital described Madden's condition as excellent.

The surgery was performed shortly after the donor, O. B. Hickman, 55, Houston, died of a brain tumor.

On the southwest edge of Cleveland, where Interstate 71 slashes through a fossil-rich section of shale, the city's Natural Science Museum has recovered tens of thousands of specimens of fish that swam in Devonian seas 350 million years ago.

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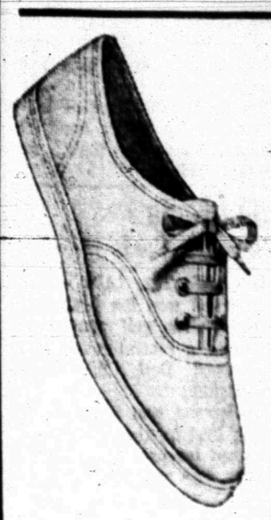

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West Leads Lakers Past Boston 120-118

By JACK STEVENSON
Associated Press Sports Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Boston's John Havlicek said it the only way it could be said.

"Jerry West was fantastic and he really killed us."

Not only did the veteran star of the Los Angeles Lakers score 53 points against the defending National Basketball Association champion Celtics in their opening playoff game Wednesday night but he had 10 assists.

As it turned out, the Lakers needed all the West contributions to pull out a 120-118 decision and take a 1-0 lead in the best of seven title series.

Player-coach Bill Russell of the Celtics declared he didn't plan any big changes for Friday night's second game, again at the Lakers' forum.

He won't, for instance, double team the 6-foot-3 superstar from West Virginia.

"West was a difference, but with a two-point loss here in the opening game I'm not going to change a thing," Russell said.

"It wasn't the 53 points that beat us, it was the 10 assists."

West's previous playoff high total was 52 points but not in a championship series. In eight previous seasons, the Lakers never have won the title, losing to Boston on five occasions.

Jerry played like a man with a mission before the 17,554 fans, hitting shots from 25 feet out and on several occasions driving in under Russell and coming back with a reverse lay-up.

"I suppose it's one of the greatest games I've ever played," West commented. "However, there have been games when I've scored a lot fewer points and still felt I helped the team more with assists and playing defense."

Havlicek, with 37 points, paced the Celtics who led 58-56 at the half and 84-82 in a game which saw the lead change hands 21 times.

The key came with less than two minutes to play when West hit two jumpers from the side for a three point lead at 113-110. Four times the Celtics cut the margin to one, but never again went ahead.

Elgin Baylor scored 24 for the Lakers while Sam Jones had 21 for the Celtics. In the rebound department, Russell collected 27 and Wilt Chamberlain 22. In their personal scoring duel, Russell got 16 points and Chamberlain 15.

"I'm sure Wilt must have intimidated some of their shooters," commented Laker Coach Bill Van Breda Kolff of the 7-foot-2 Chamberlain, who's playing his first season in Los Angeles.

Red Auerbach, the general manager of the Celtics, had his own idea:

"We can sustain this type of fast game. I don't think the Lakers can."

SPORTS

Joe, Jerry Plan $250,000 Fight

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
Associated Press Sports Writer

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — Joe Frazier is fast becoming boxing's No. 1 capitalist.

The Philadelphia kid with the now-you-see-it and now-you-don't left hook has been guaranteed $250,000 to defend his heavyweight title June 23rd in New York City's Madison Square Garden against Jerry Quarry.

He earned $500 a second or $48,000 for his 96-second knockout of outclassed Dave Zyglewicz in Houston Tuesday night.

"I have to work hard but it's all worth it," grinned the bearded Frazier Wednesday as he played a fast game of cards with a fistfull of bills while awaiting announcement of his fourth title defense.

Harry Markson, president of Madison Square Garden Boxing Inc., said the 24-year-old Frazier will receive 35 per cent of the net gate receipts and 40 per cent of the ancillaries. Markson said a capacity Houston would draw in excess of $750,000.

Quarry gets 25 per cent of the net receipts and ancillaries.

Markson said the fight will be seen nationally on closed circuit television although it will be blacked out in New York.

Quarry and Frazier both wore beards at Wednesday's signing. The 24-year-old Quarry, who has a 31-2-4 record, and the unbeaten Frazier, who is 23-0, playfully tugged at the beards.

"Mine's better and redder," laughed Quarry.

Yancey (Yank) Durham, Frazier's manager, said the money for the fight was "too sweet" to turn down.

"You've got to go when you can get that kind of green," he said.

Durham said he eventually would like to see Frazier meet Jimmy Ellis, the World Boxing Association champ. Frazier is recognized as champion only in New York, Massachusetts, Illinois, Maine, Pennsylvania, and Texas and Argentina and Mexico.

Pan Am Trio

EDINBURG, Tex. (AP) — Pan American College basketball coach Sam Williams has announced the signing of the school's first three basketball signees of the current recruiting season.

They are Tim Reilly of Newark, N. J., and John Strothers and Rick Rooamontes, both of Houston.

Oaks, Pacers Near Goals

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Oakland Oaks and the Indiana Pacers each could wrap up their American Basketball Association division playoff titles Friday night, against New Orleans and Miami, respectively.

While the Pacers overpowered the Miami Floridians 119-105 Wednesday night, Oakland needed six free throws in the final three minutes to tilt the see-saw game against the New Orleans Buccaneers 113-107 for a commanding 3-0 lead in the best-of-7 Western Division final. Indiana also holds a 3-0 lead over Miami in the Eastern Division final.

Oakland's biggest margin was six points at the final buzzer after New Orleans had led most of the way. The Floridians, described by Coach Jim Pollard as "injured and tired," charged to within two points of Indiana at 74-72 in the third period in their most productive rally.

Rookie Warren Armstrong put Oakland ahead 104-103 with 3:12 to go and then sank six free throws to ice the game for the Oaks and bring his point tally to 25.

Gary Bradds was high for the Oaks with 33. The Jones boys, Jimmy and Steve, each had 26 for the Bucs.

Fred Lewis hit for 33 points for the Pacers with Mel Daniels and Roger Brown tallying 22 in the well-balanced Indiana attack. Don Freeman, with 23 points, was the only Floridian to pass the 20 mark.

The Pacers jumped off to a 21-8 lead midway through the first quarter and staved off one of many Floridian rallies to end the first period with a 37-27 lead.

BIG LOOP LEADERS

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

American League

Batting (25 at bats)—Moses, Bost., .444; Petrocelli, Bost., .440.

Runs—F. Robinson, Balt., 16; Blair, Balt., 15.

Runs batted in—Buford, Balt., 14; Murcer, N.Y., 14.

Hits—Blair, Balt., 23; 3 tied at 22.

Doubles—D. Johnson, Balt., 7; Carew, Minn., 6.

Triples—McAuliffe, Det., 2; D. Green, Oak., 2.

Home runs—F. Robinson, Balt., 6; F. Howard, Wash., 6.

Stolen bases—Harper, Sea., 9; White, N.Y., 6; Kenney, N.Y., 6.

Pitching (2 decisions) — 12 tied with 1.000.

Strikeouts—Culp, Bost., 23; G. Peters, Chic., 23.

National League

Batting (25 at bats) — C. Jones, N.Y., .444; Laboy, Mtl., .429.

Runs—Morgan, Houst., 14; 3 tied at 13.

Runs batted in—Jones, Mtl., 14; McCovey, S.F., 14.

Hits — Laboy, Mtl., 24; C. Jones, N.Y., 24.

Doubles—H. Aaron, Atl., 9; M. Alou, Pitt., 7; Laboy, Mtl., 7.

Triples—5 tied at 2.

Home runs—McCovey, S.F., 8; Cepeda, Atl., 4; Stargell, Pitt., 4.

Stolen bases—Brock, St.L., 4; 5 tied at 3.

Pitching (2 decisions)—10 tied with 1.000.

Strikeouts—D. Wilson, Houst., 27; Gibson, St.L., 26; Jenkins, Chic., 26.

Bluebonnet Races Set Saturday

Snyder's female athletes will have a chance to attract interest their way Saturday at the annual Bluebonnet Belles Relays in San Angelo. Teams from the high school and both junior highs will be entered in the competition along with several other teams from West Texas.

Coaches Melvia Jones and Judy Stephenson will accompany the Snyder girls. They've been working out the past several days at the Tiger track.

Those slated to compete:

Snyder High School — Terry Smithee, Gayle Beckham and Barbara Moffett.

Travis Junior High — Debra Collins, Belia Rodrigues, Peggy Andrews, Joyce McKnight, Diane Guynes, Sue Pilgram, D'Ann Fisher, Sue Jane Sullivan, Mary Braziel, and Paula Baldwin.

Lamar Junior High — Mary Moss, Christy Suttle, Janis McMullan, Hollye Crenshaw and Jacque Stehley.

Goldstrand Pockets Cash

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — Joel Goldstrand won the first Little Byron Nelson golf tournament by firing a second round 69 at Northwood Golf Club course Wednesday.

Goldstrand won $1,000 for finishing first in the tournament, designed for pros who failed to qualify for the Byron Nelson Classic, which started today. Goldstrand also received an exemption into next year's Byron Nelson Classic.

Goldstrand had a 36-hole score of 143, one shot better than Ray Botts, who finished second and won $500.

Rymkus Will Guide Rufneks

MIDLAND, Tex. (AP) — Former Houston Oil head football coach Lou Rymkus, the 1960 American Football League coach of the year, has been named head coach, general manager and part owner of the West Texas Rufneks in the Texas Football League.

Rymkus, an All-American at Notre Dame and later an all-pro tackle for the Cleveland Browns, was one of a group of Odessa and Midland businessmen who bought the TFL franchise from Alton Fairchild.

ChiSox Smash Angels, 7-1; Songbirds Win In 10 Frames

DO YOU HEAR ME? — Minnesota Twins' manager Billy Martin yells into umpire Larry Barnett's ear after Barnett threw Martin out of game with Oakland Athletics for yelling at him from dugout. Oakland won game, 7 to 0 (AP Wirephoto)

Twins Still Lead Chi, Kansas City In West

By HAL BOCK
Associated Press Sports Writer

The Chicago White Sox have opened their second front in the American League war. But the troops... where are the troops?

The White Sox played their first of 11 transplanted home games in Milwaukee County Stadium Wednesday night with Gary Peters scattering six hits and Buddy Bradford rapping a three-run homer in a 7-1 victory over California. Artistically beautiful. A crowd of 8,565 paid to watch the game in 41 degree weather. Financially, not so beautiful.

In nine home-away-from-home games at Milwaukee last season the White Sox never drew less than 20,000 fans. The numbers inspired a return for 1969 and two new teams added two more games to the Milwaukee schedule.

It inspired Fred Haney, vice president of the California Angels, to suggest that the only thing preventing the White Sox from making a permanent move out of Chicago was their lucrative radio-television package.

That brought an angry retort from Arthur Allyn, owner of the Sox, who as much as told Haney to mind California's business and not Chicago's.

"I wish they'd get off that kick that we're going to move anywhere," snapped Allyn. "I've said it before. We're not moving to Milwaukee today, next year or ever."

Then, almost as if they were punishing the Angels for Haney's remarks, the White Sox whipped California before the 8,565 Milwaukee fans. Still, that was a mob compared to the 1,058 that watched the same two teams in Chicago the night before.

Elsewhere in the American League Thursday, Baltimore edged Detroit 3-2 in 10 innings, Kansas City nipped Seattle 4-3, Minnesota topped Oakland 7-6 and Washington whacked Boston 9-3. New York's game at Cleveland was postponed by cold weather.

The Angels pushed across a first inning run against Peters but nothing more. Chicago got that one back with some to spare in the fourth when Bradford's third home run of the year produced three runs.

Hits by Sandy Alomar and Carlos May produced another run in the fifth and Chicago wrapped it up with one more in the seventh, two of them scoring on a single by Luis Aparicio.

Mark Belanger, whose two-run homer had tied the game for the Orioles earlier, won it for Baltimore with a 10th-inning single against Denny McLain. That scored Ellie Hendricks, who had opened the 10th with a double ending a string of 21 consecutive batters retired by McLain.

Mike Cuellar allowed five hits in the first three innings and nothing after that to gain his first American League victory for the Orioles.

Chuck Harrison rapped a two-run pinch single in the bottom of the ninth that gave Kansas City its victory over Seattle.

Jerry Adair, whose inside-the-park homer had given the Royals their first run in the seventh, started the winning rally with a one out single. Pinch hitter Bob Taylor doubled and then Harrison delivered the runs with his single.

John Roseboro and Rod Carew tagged two-run homers leading Minnesota past Oakland. The Twins had two runs on Catfish Hunter's first two pitches when Ted Uhlaender, who had four hits, opened withasingle on the first one and Carew followed with his homer. Carew also drove in two other runs.

Mike Epstein and Ken McMullen poled a pair of three-run homers and Washington belted Boston in Ted Williams' first appearance at Fenway Park as manager of the Senators.

Williams received a warm ovation from the crowd of 28,972 and the Senators reacted just as warmly to Sonny Siebert, making his first start for the Red Sox since coming to Boston in the trade for Ken Harrelson. He lasted just four innings, allowing five runs on seven hits.

FENWAY FANS WELCOME TED

By LARRY ELDRIDGE
Associated Press Sports Writer

BOSTON (AP) — Ted Williams returned to a tumultuous welcome at Fenway Park, but the Hall of Fame slugger who now manages the Washington Senators seemed the man least affected by it all.

"It didn't really hit me that much," the great Boston Red Sox hitter of yesteryear said of the pre-game applause he received Wednesday, climaxed by a standing ovation as he strode to the plate to exchange line-up cards with his opposite number, Dick Williams.

"If was a fine reception, but I wasn't especially aware of the size of the crowd or anything—I really wasn't," Williams said.

Everyone else—even the writers with whom Williams had often feuded during his playing years in Boston—seemed more moved than he was by the warmth of the ovation he received from the big weekday turnout of 28,972 fans.

"You looked pleased," said one reporter who couldn't believe Williams' post-game nonchalance.

"Did I tip my cap or anything?" the manager shot back.

He didn't, though he did get out of character long enough with the crowd at the request of photographers. He also seemed in good spirits as he smiled and joked with the scores of newsmen.

The last man to hit .400 greeted old acquaintances on the field and in the stands.

Williams reminisced about the day in 1939 when he first trotted out onto the field here as a gangling rookie destined for baseball immortality, and of the fabulous career which continued through 1960.

"Some of my fondest memories are here in this park," he said.

Then came the big ovation right before the game, followed by the part of the day which made him happiest of all—a 9-3 victory by his ball club.

Williams also got in the last word to some of his old acquaintances.

"Doesn't it feel strange coming in here as the enemy?" one writer asked.

"The enemy" Williams asked. "I thought that's what I always was to you guys."

Reds Nab Marshall

ARLINGTON, Tex. (AP) — Six-foot guard Louis Marshall, who led Corpus Christi Miller to a district basketball championship last season, has signed with the University of Texas at Arlington.

Coach Barry Dowd made the announcement Wednesday.

STANDINGS

Today's Baseball
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

National League
East Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Chicago	11	4	.733	—
Pittsburgh	10	5	.667	1
New York	6	8	.429	4½
Montreal	6	8	.429	4½
St. Louis	5	9	.357	5½
Phila'phia	4	8	.333	5½
West Division				
Atlanta	10	4	.714	—
Los Angeles	10	4	.714	—
San Fran.	7	6	.538	2½
Cincinnati	6	6	.500	3
San Diego	5	10	.333	5½
Houston	4	12	.250	7

Wednesday's Results

St. Louis at Chicago, rain
Philadelphia at Montreal, rain
Atlanta at San Francisco, rain
New York 2, Pittsburgh 9
Houston 4, San Diego 0
Los Angeles 6, Cincinnati 3

Today's Games

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

Friday's Games

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

American League
East Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Baltimore	12	5	.706	—
Detroit	8	5	.615	2
Boston	8	6	.571	2½
New York	7	6	.538	3
Wash'n.	7	10	.412	5
Cleveland	1	11	.083	8½
West Division				
Minnesota	8	5	.615	—
Chicago	7	5	.583	½
Kansas City	8	6	.571	½
Oakland	7	7	.500	1½
Seattle	5	8	.385	3
California	4	8	.333	3½

Wednesday's Results

Washington 9, Boston 3
Minnesota 7, Oakland 6
New York at Cleveland, rain
Baltimore 3, Detroit 2, 10 innings
Chicago 7, California 1
Kansas City 4, Seattle 3

Today's Games

Oakland at Minnesota
Washington at Boston
New York at Cleveland, N
Detroit at Baltimore, N
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Oakland at Seattle, N
California at Kansas City, N
Minnesota at Chicago, N
Boston at Detroit, N
Washington at Cleveland, N
New York at Baltimore, N

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City Secretary

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Joe D. Carter, Chairman
TEXAS WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

Dierker's 2-Hitter Stops Astros' Skid

By DICK COUCH
Associated Press Sports Writer

Larry Dierker and Jerry Koosman have written off a couple of embarrassing numbers and replaced them with zeros.

Dierker braked Houston's seven-game skid Wednesday night with a two-hit 4-0 triumph over San Diego while Koosman cut a pre-game 9.00 earned run average down to size by hurling the New York Mets past Pittsburgh 2-0.

Don Sutton, who started the day with a 7.04 ERA, spotted Cincinnati three early runs, then stopped the Reds cold in pitching the Los Angeles Dodgers to a 6-3 victory in the only other National League action.

The Atlanta-San Francisco, St. Louis-Chicago and Philadelphia-Montreal games were rained out.

In the American League, Washington thumped Boston 9-3, Minnesota nipped Oakland 7-6, Baltimore edged Detroit 3-2 in 10 innings, Kansas City topped Seattle 4-3 and Chicago whipped California 7-1. New York and Cleveland were rained out.

The Astros, humiliated by Cincinnati 14-0 Tuesday night, ended their seven-game losing streak as Dierker, 2-2, held San Diego hitless after the third inning. The Houston right hander gave up an infield single by Ed Spiezio in the second and a single by Roberto Pena in the third, then retired 14 Padres in order.

Norm Miller doubled in the first inning and scored the only run Dierker needed on a single by Curt Blefary. A walk, singles by Miller and Joe Morgan and a balk by reliever Frank Reberger gave the Astros two more runs in the sixth. Another scored in the eighth on a bases-loaded walk to Miller.

Koosman, a 19-game winner for the Mets as a rookie last year, scattered five hits on the way to his first 1969 victory after two setbacks. The shutout lowered the left-hander's ERA to 4.41.

Cleon Jones stroked three hits, drove in one run and scored another while grabbing the NL batting lead with a .444 average. Jones' run-scoring single off Jim Bunning, after a double by Ken Boswell, sent the Mets ahead in the first inning. In the fourth, Jones doubled and scored on Ed Kranepool's single.

Sutton, clipped for a two-run double by Tony Perez in the first inning and a RBI single by Bob Tolan in the second, settled down to finish with a six-hitter and his first victory in three decisions. The loss snapped a three-game winning string for the Reds.

The Dodgers shot in front 4-3 with a four-run burst off Gary Nolan in the fourth and Ted Sizemore's two-run single in the eighth wrapped up their seventh victory in eight home games.

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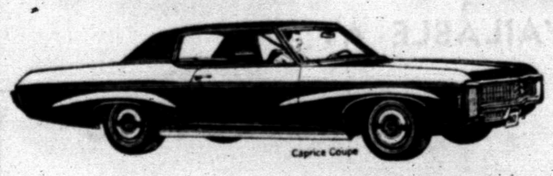

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9:15 Market	1:30 High wild
9:30 Markets tone	2:00 Matinee
10:00 Dow Jones	3:30 Harry hines
10:05 Market	4:00 Rascals
10:30 Market tone	4:30 Dennis
11:00 Market news	5:00 O Conner
12:00 Noon News	6:30 Joan Rivers
12:30 Market News	7:00 Financial

KDTV—Thursday Evening

7:30 Movie	11:45 Al Burton
9:15 Movie	11:50 Sign off

KDTV—Friday Evening

7:30 Cinema 39	11:00 Al Burton
9:15 Center aisle	11:05 Sign off

WFAA DALLAS Scat 3

WFAA—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

5:59 Inspirational	12:00 ream house
6:00 Op. Lift	12:30 Make a Deal
6:30 M. Cox	1:00 Newlyweds
6:55 News	1:30 Date game
7:00 Peppermint	2:00 Hospital
8:00 Real McCoys	2:30 One life
8:25 News	3:00 Shadows
8:30 Early show	3:30 Movie
10:30 Divorce Court	5:00 News
11:00 Bewitched	5:30 What's My lin
11:30 Funny-you-ask	6:00 News-wthr

WFAA—Thursday Evening

6:30 Flying nun	10:00 News
6:30 J. Costean	11:00 Joey Bishop
7:30 Bewitched	12:30 News
8:00 All about	12:45 FBI
9:00 Gen. gap	12:46 Prayer
9:30 Make deal	

WFAA—Friday Evening

6:30 Tom Jones	11:00 Movie
7:30 Wagon train	12:54 Movie 2
9:00 Judd	3:30 Movie
10:00 News	4:30 Movie

KMID MIDLAND Channel 2

KMID—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

7:00 Today	1:00 Days of livps
9:00 It Takes Two	1:30 Doctors
9:25 News	2:00 Other world
9:30 Con'trafion	2:30 Don't say
10:00 Personality	3:00 Match game
10:30 Squares	3:25 News
11:00 Jeopardy	3:30 Ramp room
11:30 Eye guess	4:00 Comics
11:55 News	5:00 Beaver
12:00 Patty Duke	5:30 Hunt-Brink
12:30 Hidden Faces	6:00 News-wthr

KMID—Friday Evening

6:30 Chaparral	10:00 News-wthr
7:30 Name of gme	10:30 Tonight
9:00 Playboy	

KMID—Thursday Evening

6:30 G. Washington	9:30 Dean Martin
7:30 Ironside	10:00 News-wthr
8:30 Dragnet	10:30 Tonight

KWAB BIG SPRING Channel 4

KWAB—Mon. thru Fri. Daytime

5:55 Sign on	12:15 Sheila Rawls
6:00 Semester	12:25 weather
6:30 Farm news	12:30 World Turns
7:30 News	1:00 Newlywed
7:55 Sheila Rawls	1:30 Guiding life
8:00 Capt. K'roo	2:00 Sec storm
9:00 Lucy show	2:30 Edge Night
9:30 Hillbillies	3:00 Houseparty
10:00 Mayberry	3:25 News
10:30 Bingo	3:30 Gen hospital
11:00 Love life	4:30 Dark Shadows
11:25 news	5:00 BeWitched
11:30 Search for to	5:30 CBS News
12:00 Noon show	6:00 News
	6:10 Here n' there

KWAB—Thursday Evening

6:30 Queen & I	10:30 Avengers
7:00 Takes A Thief	11:30 Dark Shadow
8:00 Movie	

KWAB—Friday Evening

6:30 Tom Jones	10:00 News
7:30 Gomer Pyle	10:30 About world
8:00 Glen Campbell	11:30 Dark Shadows
9:00 Judd	

KRBC ABILENE Ch. 9

KRBC—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

7:00 Today	12:30 Hidden faces
7:25 Harry Holf	1:00 Days Lives
8:25 Devotions	1:30 Doctors
9:00 Takes Two	2:00 Other World
9:25 News	2:30 Don't say
9:30 Con'trafion	3:00 Match game
10:00 Personality	3:25 News
10:30 Squares	3:30 One life
11:00 Jeopardy	4:00 Dream house
11:30 Guess	4:30 Dating game
11:55 News	5:00 HYPD
12:00 News	5:30 Huntley
12:15 S Chappel	6:00 News

KRBC—Thursday Evening

5:00 King family	8:30 Dragnet
6:00 News	9:00 Dean Martin
6:30 G. Washington	10:00 News-weath'
7:30 Ironside	10:30 Tonight

KRBC—Friday Evening

5:00 Bid-Buy	9:00 The Saint
6:30 High Chaparra	10:00 News
7:30 Name of game	10:30 Tonight

KTVT FT. WORTH Scat 4

KTVT—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

6:40 Meditations	1:00 Wlywood Case
6:45 News	2:30 Whirlybirds
7:00 Theatre	3:00 Capt. Zero
8:30 Romper Room	3:30 Popeye
9:00 Jack LaLanne	4:00 Flintstone
9:30 P.D.Q.	4:30 Batman
10:00 Girl Talk	5:00 Cisco Kid
10:30 Movie	5:30 Twilight Zone
12:00 News	6:00 Have Gun
12:30 Cartoons	6:30 Rawhide

KTVT—Thursday Evening

7:30 P. Mason	10:15 Movie
8:30 Wanted	11:00 Movie
9:00 Movie	12:30 News
10:00 News	12:50 Meditations

KTVT—Friday Evening

7:30 Per Mason	10:15 Movie
8:30 Lucy	11:00 Late Show
9:00 Movie	12:30 Sports
10:00 News	c12:35 News

KLBK LUBBOCK Channel 13

KLBK—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

5:58 Sign on	12:30 World Turns
6:00 Semester	1:00 Many Splend'
6:30 Farm news	1:30 Guiding life
7:30 CBS News	2:00 Sec storm
7:55 News	2:30 Edge night
8:00 Capt. Kange	3:00 House party
9:00 Lucy	3:25 News
9:30 B. Hillbillies	3:30 Gen. Hospite
10:00 Andy	4:00 One life
9:30 Van Dyke	4:30 Dating game
11:00 Love life	4:55 Children Dr.
11:25 News	5:00 Newlywed
11:30 Search	5:30 News
12:00 News	6:00 News

KLBK—Thursday Evening

6:30 Queen & I	10:30 Ski Report
7:00 Thief	10:30 View space
8:00 Movie	11:30 Peter Gunn
10:00 News weath	

KLBK—Friday Evening

6:30 Tom Jones	9:00 Judd
7:30 Gomer	10:00 News
8:00 Outcast	10:45 Movie

KTXS SWEETWATER Scat 6

KTXS—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

5:55 Sign On	12:15 Sheila Rawls
6:00 Semester	12:25 Weather
6:30 Farm News	12:30 World turns
7:30 News	1:00 Newlywed
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11:00 Love Life	4:30 Shadows
11:25 News	5:00 Bewitched
11:30 Search	5:30 News
12:00 News	6:00 News

KTXS—Thursday Evening

6:30 Queen & I	10:00 News-wthr
7:00 Takes A Thief	10:30 View space
8:00 Movie	11:30 Dark Shadows

KTXS—Friday Evening

6:30 Tom Jones	10:00 News
7:30 Gomer	10:30 About world
8:00 Glen Campbell	11:30 Dark Shadows
9:00 Judd	

KCBD LUBBOCK Ch. 11—Scat 8

KCBD—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

7:00 Report	12:15 Closeup
7:05 Farm news	12:30 Hidden Faces
7:25 Weather	1:00 Days our life
7:30 Today	1:30 Doctors
8:25 Report	2:00 Other world
8:30 Today	2:30 Don't say
9:00 Takes two	3:00 Match game
9:25 News	3:25 News
9:30 Con'trafion	3:30 Make deal
10:00 Personality	4:00 Hazel
10:30 Squares	4:30 Betwitched
11:00 Jeopardy	5:00 Wells Fargo
11:30 Eye guess	5:30 News
11:55 News	6:00 News
12:00 Report	

KCBD—Thursday Evening

6:30 G. Washington	10:00 News
7:30 Ironside	10:30 Tonight
8:30 Dragnet	12:00 N. Mex. Rep.
9:00 Dean Martin	

KCBD—Friday Evening

6:30 Chaparral	10:00 News
7:30 Name of game	10:30 Tonight
9:00 The Saint	12:00 N. Mex. Rep.

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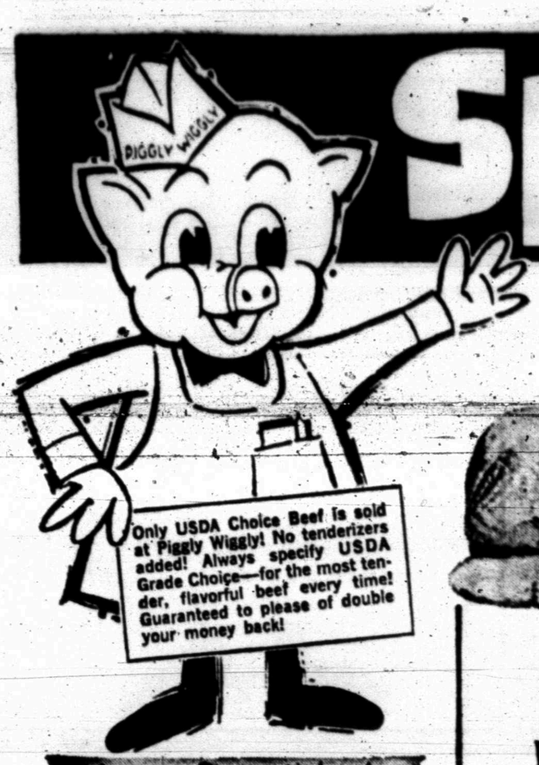

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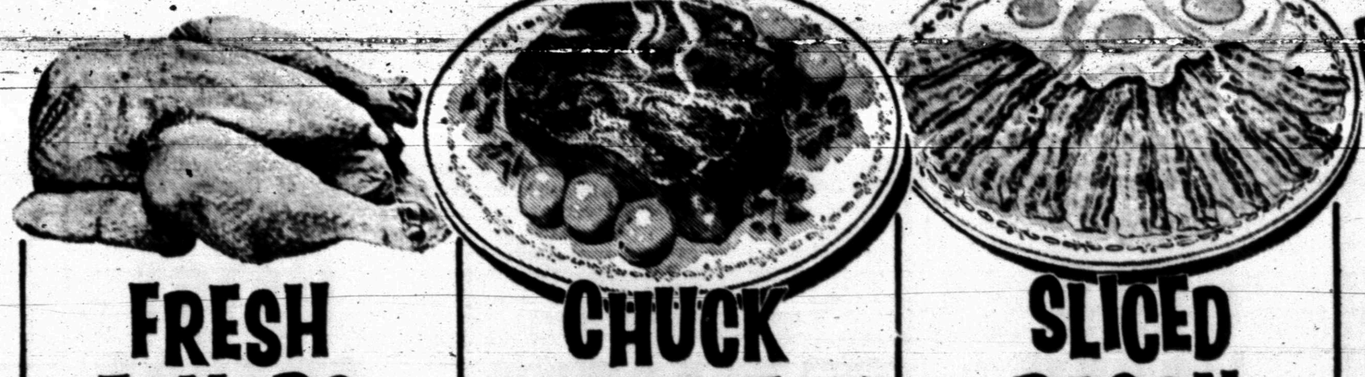

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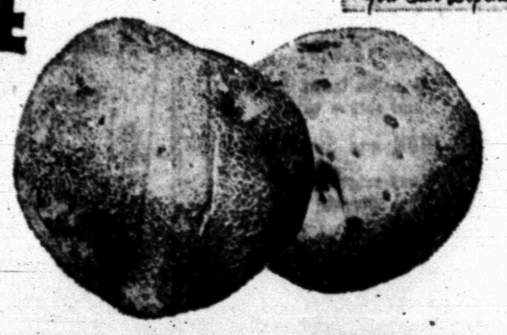

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TROUBLE SEEMS TO GROW

Lone Star Terror Strike

By CLAYTON HICKERSON
Associated Press Writer

LONE STAR, Tex. (AP) — Tension is tight and terror is unreined in this section of Northeast Texas, its sylvan beauty enhanced by lakes and pines but troubled with human frailties.

Residents thought the ugliness came to a climax at midnight on Oct. 15, when about 2,500 members of the United Steel Workers, AFL-CIO, went on strike.

But the trouble had only begun. Since, there have been 80 or more acts of violence including one slaying. Men have been maimed, beaten and shot. Property has been destroyed and terror hangs a continual threat over the steel plant and the area for 60 miles around.

"I don't want to talk about it," most residents say with a negative shake of the head. They look at the ground, apologize and walk away. "I don't know" probably is the most worked over phrase.

At least one sheriff in the five or six counties in the strife-torn area wishes he had never run for office. He is nervous, licks his dry lips and gets a faraway look in his eyes as newsmen talk to him. A sheriffs deputy is thankful that the latest violence "was just outside my county."

Texas Rangers and agents of the Texas Department of Public Safety, usually most cooperative with newsmen, clam up and move on quickly when they are the targets of questions.

In talking to 50 or more persons in the area, a reporter found only one businessman who wanted to be quoted by name. Union officials and law officers are almost as reticent.

But the people talk, and they are terror-stricken—scared.

"You never know what's going on," a Dangerfield woman said. "I just hate to go to bed at night." Her husband gave her a hard look, and she added, "And you're just the same. You try to act like you ain't scared, but you are. You know you are." He would not give his name. His wife talked on.

An employe of the Titus County courthouse said, "There are too many good people on both sides for this to happen. It's terrible, just terrible. If you say anything, you make somebody mad, but you can't be unconcerned about it." The more she talked, the more agitated her speech became.

The reason for the stark terror?

Go back to October and November 1968, when the strike was new and there were high hopes that it would soon be over.

Sporadic violence already had erupted. Drivers of trucks hauling pipe and other products from the plant said their trucks were targets of rifle fire.

A week after the strike started, two Texas Rangers arrested three men after a pickup truck driven by the officers was shot up. Charged with intent to murder were William E. Montgomery, 41, of Gilmer; Leo White, 61, of Mount Pleasant, and Archie W. Connor Jr., 41, of Omaha, Tex. They had been workers at the plant with 14 to 21 years of seniority.

Gov. Preston Smith, campaigning in his race for governor, said his plane was warned not to land at the steel company's airstrip because of what he termed "the threat of sniper fire."

"We were told not to land because snipers were rather active," Smith said later. "We did note a car on the runway, and we were told later that there were three trucks parked off the runway."

There have been brief periods of quiet. But each time the violence has flared up again.

With the strike little more than a month old, bullets ripped through the walls of three homes one Tuesday night in November.

The same night, three trucks were shot up, two carrying Lone Star workers and another hauling bomb casings to Longview.

One of the home shootings was at Naples in the early morning hours before dawn. Rifle slugs and shotgun pellets riddled the home of C.V. Moore, who was running a plant employment office at Mount Pleasant. The occupants barely escaped injury.

Across the street from Moore's home, bullets were fired into the house where an employe who had returned to work was sleeping with his wife and children.

Pickup trucks in which many workers ride to work have been a favorite target of the snipers. Most of the men in the vehicles have been lucky and escaped harm. But one didn't.

A. S. Blackburn, 27, of Pittsburg was one of the unfortunate. As he drove to work on the morning of Jan. 16, bullets from a high-powered rifle ripped through his truck cab. The vehicle veered crazily to the side of the road and stopped. Blackburn fell out and Sheriff J. L. Morgan said the man was dead before he hit the ground.

"He was killed in the pickup," Sheriff Morgan said, "but fell [illegible]."

A fellow worker riding with Blackburn was so shaken he was incoherent and had to be given a sedative. The company offered a $10,000 reward for the arrest and conviction of Blackburn's assassins, but no arrests have been made. Some strikers were questioned by Rangers and released.

Both plant officials and union men expressed sadness over Blackburn's death. Plant flags were lowered to half-staff in his memory. The USW's international president, I. W. Abel, told more than 2,500 strikers who gathered at the union hall: "In the history of labor struggles, unions have not been the ones to start violence."

Hopes for settlement of the dispute rise and fall, but each time they fall, the spirit of the community dips to a new low. And violence invariably has marked a stalemate in negotiations.

Back in December, mass picketing at the plant was halted by an injunction signed by Dist. Judge Morris Rolston. The order prohibits insulting, obscene or threatening language by pickets designed to "intimidate any person exercising his lawful right to work."

The union repeatedly has said there has been no mass picketing and that pickets have not used obscene or insulting language. Two visitors who walked passed pickets at the plant recently found them polite and cooperative, but uncommunicative when askd questions concerning the strike.

But the violence continues. Just as union leaders would have you believe that all the violence doesn't come from the strikers, the company puts it on their back. "We don't believe more than 25 of the men are responsible," said a company spokesman this week.

The strike was almost three months old when talks to settle it began. "It just shows how far apart the company and the strikers are," said a Mount Pleasant businessman. "I'm beginning to believe it will never be settled.

The talks began in December, recessed for the Christmas-New Year's holidays and then resumed. They produced nothing but bitterness and recriminations.

Eugene Zimmerman of the U. S. Mediation and Conciliation Service has worked ceaselessly on the dispute for months. He indicated some hope when union leaders a week ago decided to let the strikers vote on whether to accept a company offer.

Union leaders—the local's executive board and the negotiating committee—explained the company offer to the strikers. They called it "disgraceful and insulting."

In what was termed "a virtually unanimous vote," the strikers shoulted down the proposal.

"Even if a secret ballot had been held," the company said in published, paid advertisements, "the bloc of 1,400 strikers-out-of-a-job would have exceeded the vote of 1,200 strikers who stood a chance of being placed in vacancies."

The company said it wanted to keep its present working crew, men who did not strike and men who have been hired since last Oct. 15. The union men would be put back to work, Lone Star Steel said, on a seniority basis. The company said it owed the men now working a debt of gratitude.

The union disagreed. It said the men now working should be discharged and all the strikers returned to their old jobs. The men now working, said union members, would not be there if they were working for the old wages and the old working conditions.

It meant another stalemate, and a stalemate it remains. And the violence again erupted.

Two huge trucks were blown to smithereens Tuesday night in almost simultaneous blasts as their drivers stayed overnight at Holiday Inn in Mount Pleasant. The inn was damaged but nobody was injured.

An alert Mount Pleasant youth was a witness. He risked his life to follow a car speeding from the scene to get its description and license number. He told quick-acting Titus County and Mount Pleasant officers who within minutes arrested three men as they drank coffee at Winfield, six miles away.

The three men arrested were strikers, old employes of the plant who joined the midnight walkout on Oct. 15, B. F. "Bobby" Clifton, 36, of Lone Star; Corus R. Clements, 40, of Pittsburg; Richard D. McClellan, 38, of Daingerfield. Justice of the Peace Eugene Gilpin put them [illegible] $2,500 each.

"These arrests," a Texas Ranger said, "are our best chance yet to stop the violence."

But it didn't work out that way.

Wednesday night, the home of A. D. Campbell, a worker who didn't strike, was bombed. A gaping hole was made in the Campbell house at Ore City. Luckily, nobody was injured.

At the union hall in Lone Star, some of the strikers gather every day.

They are polite to visitors but wary. They talk but little and refer most questions to C. L. Wimberly, president of United Steel Workers Local 4134. Wimberly politely refrains from discussing the strike.

"I don't have any comment on this at all," he said of the truck bombings at Mount Pleasant.

Asked how his men were doing, he talked a little more. "As a whole, they're doing as well as could be expected — under the circumstances. The majority of our men," he continued, "are working at other jobs."

The big stacks still belch smoke at the steel plant. The open hearth furnaces blaze brightly, and hundreds of men go about their tasks of production. Most of them sleep in the big, circus-type tents that have been spread among the pine trees on the Lone Star Steel property. They get along in a fashion, and they're making money, much of it overtime pay at premium rates.

"There's a bunch of boll weevils and fleas over there," a striker at the union hall said.

"And scabs..." said another.

"It's a hippieland, pure and simple," commented a third.

The strike continues. Trucks keep hauling steel from the plant and the violence goes on... an on and on.

PUBLIC RECORDS

NEW VEHICLES

Milton Bryan, Route 3, Winters, 1969 GMC truck-tractor, from Snyder Motor Co.

J. A. Dodson, 1969 Buick, from Snyder Motor Co.

Jack K. Greene, 1969 International winch truck, from Snyder Truck and Tractor.

Jack Greene, 1969 flat bed, shop made.

Consolidated Tool and Supply Corp., 1969 Nabor trailer float, from Nabor Trailer Inc., Dallas.

G. C. Brumley, Route 3, 1969 Ford, from Wilson Motors.

O. P. Tate, Jr., 1969 GMC pickup, from Snyder Motor Co.

Terry Lee Smith, and Jane Smith, Route 1, 1969 Chevrolet, from Les Francis Chevrolet Co.

Hattie Gatlin, 1969 Dodge stationwagon, from Thomas Chrysler-Plymouth.

R. R. Reneau, 1969 Oldsmobile, from Snyder Motor Co.

Lyndell D. Morphis, Odessa, 1969 Mercury, from Wilson Motors.

Shelby Coker, 1969 Mercury, from Wilson Motors.

E. D. Walton Construction Co., 1969 Nabors trailer float, from Nabors Trailer Inc., Dallas.

Mrs. D. L. Bowles, 1969 Oldsmobile, from Snyder Motor Co.

Joyce Latham and R. C. Latham, Route 3, 1969 Ford, from Wilson Motors Co.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marshall David Williams, Jr., Snyder, and Brenda Kay Ashley, Ira.

Gerald Edward Davenport and Wanda Faye Hall, both of Snyder.

Robbie Eugene Glasscock and Beverly Gilbert Hill, both of Snyder.

John Zalman and Donna Ruelene Stinnett, both of Snyder.

Elbert Martinez Ramos and Carmen Reyes Sanchez, both of Snyder.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Jearld Smith and wife, Ione C. Smith, to Joe R. Stanley and wife, Betty Stanley, lot 3, block 9, Bassridge West Addition, with exceptions.

Mattie Fischer, a widow; Philip Fischer; Lelia Burrow and husband, Modrell Burrow; Lura Moore and husband, Grady Moore; Linda Fay Mills and husband, Johnny Mills, all of Scurry County; and, Joy Fiscus and husband, Nort Fiscus, of Taylor county to Eloy Hill and wife, Pauline Hill.

The Western and Southern Life Insurance Co. to Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, Washington, D. C., lot 2, block 3, Highlands Addition, with exceptions.

Charles Ella Reeves Fitzpatrick, joined by her husband, J. A. Fitzpatrick of Potter County; Overa Reeves Patton, joined by her husband, Monty Patton of Wilbarger County; Thomas Roy Reeves of Potter County; and Noah Reeves, Jr. to Alvin D. Reeves, part of lot 3, block 24, T. N. Nunn Addition, with reservations.

Don L. Etter and wife, Carolyn Jo Etter to Billy G. Pylant and wife, Ozene Pylant, lot 13, block 8, Bassridge West Addition, with exceptions.

Joyce N. Bass to Ray W. McDonnell, part of lot 8, block 7, Bassridge West Addition, with exceptions.

David E. Casey and wife, Hettie Calloway Casey, to Jim A. Adams, two tracts out of section 208, block 97, H&TC Railway Co. survey, with exceptions.

Raymond Phipps and wife, Katy Phipps, to A. P. Smith, Jr. and wife, Virginia Smith, lot 15, block 21, Andress Heights Addition, with exceptions.

FILED IN DISTRICT COURT

Joe Elam VS. Mariland Sue Elam, divorce.

Ross Williams VS. Marie K. Williams, divorce.

Gerald Johnson VS. R. J. Lefevere, suit on note.

Carolyn Jean Lancaster VS. William Earl Lancaster, annulment.

ACTION IN DISTRICT COURT

Alvin Koonsman, doing business as Alvin Koonsman Livestock Trucking Co. VS. J. H. Davis, dismissed with prejudice.

No More Meters

WAXAHACHIE, Tex. (AP) — The City Council of this Central Texas town 30 miles south of Dallas has discontinued permanently the use of parking meters.

John Tower Honored By Southwestern

GEORGETOWN, Tex. (AP)—U. S. Sen. John Tower, R-Tex., will be honored Saturday with a distinguished alumnus award from Southwestern University.

Tower is a 1948 graduate, receiving a bachelor of arts degree in political science. He also holds an honorary doctor of literature degree from Southwestern. In 1953 he received a M.A. in political science from Southern Methodist University.

There will be an 11 a.m. reception for Tower followed by a luncheon and the presentation ceremony.

Master of ceremonies for the ceremony will be Edward A. Clark, Austin, former U. S. ambassador to Australia and a former Southwestern student.

The award citation to Tower will be read by R.F.B. Morse, Georgetown, president of the Southwestern ex-Students Association. The ex-students association annually selects deserving alumni for the awards.

Dr. George C. Hester, professor of history and government at Southwestern and longtime personal friend of Tower, will speak. Dr. Durwood Fleming, president of Southwestern, will present the award.

Tower taught government at Midwestern University from 1951 until he was elected to the U.S. Senate in 1961; the first Republican senator from Texas since 1870.

Fifty-Year Job

DALLAS (AP) — The aviation industry's senior employe has retired here after more than 50 years uninterrupted service at the same aircraft company. George Franko, 66, an employe services coordinator of LTV Aerospace Corp., began with the company as an errand boy in 1918. He worked 50 hours a week for a $12.50 paycheck.

Maid Of Cotton In Capital

WASHINGTON (AP) — Cathy Muirhead, the 1969 Maid of Cotton who is traveling with a 23-trunk wardrobe, came to the capital to display her exclusively cotton finery.

The Denton, Tex., beauty, a sophomore at Texas Woman's University, opened a four-day stay Wednesday by lunching with members of the House Agriculture Committee. The panel is headed by a Texas Democrat, Rep. W. R. Poage.

While here she will participate in three fashion shows, including one planned for members of Congress and their wives. She also planned a visit to the White House today and hoped to meet President Nixon.

On tour since early January and—as she says—loving every minute of it, Miss Muirhead will visit most of the nation and some foreign countries before returning to college next fall.

She said she doesn't have an index on the contents of her 23 trunks.

"We mostly just remember where everything is," she said.

Traveling with the Maid are Trudye Weaks, of Memphis, the tour manager, and Katherine Henry, of Birmingham.

Miss Muirhead, who was born at Bolling Air Froce Base in the District of Columbia—her father was stationed there at the time—will return to the base Thursday for a style show sponsored by the officers Wives Club.

On Friday she will participate in a benefit luncheon fashion show and later will meet Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin.

Saturday will be a free to permit her to rest and tour Washington if she chooses.

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