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Coffee Crop Hit By Frost

By SERGIO LEITAO
Associated Press Writer

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil AP - An estimated three quarters of Brazil's coffee crop has been hit by frost, meaning housewives around the world may be paying 50 per cent more for coffee by this fall.

All exports have been halted until the full damage can be assessed.

Camilo Calazans de Magalhaes, president of Brazil's Coffee Institute, said Monday that the frosts over the past week were the worst in 50 years, that trees were damaged "nearly down to their roots," and that this will affect the next two growing seasons.

"We were trying to produce as much as 28 million bags in the next 1976-77 crop, but now, with the frosts, we will be lucky if we poroduce 10 to 12 million bags," he said.

Brazil, the world's largest coffee producer, exported 12.1 million bags last year, more than half of it to the United States. In all, Brazil supplies a third of all world coffee sales.

There has been fierce trading on the London coffee market because of the Brazilian crisis and the price has advanced an unprecedented 62 per cent in two days. On Monday, the price for coffee to be traded in September skyrocketed $391 per metric ton, closing at $1,881.

"The Braziliam crop which has been partly destroyed is next year's but it is present prices which are affected and it is these which manufacturers must pay to replenish existing stocks," the Financial Times of London said.

Experts of the Brazilian Rural Society estimated the 1976 coffee harvest would be only four million bags compared with 27 million in 1975.

In the first five months of 1975, Brazil exported 1.23 million bags of coffee, far below initial projections of 17 million bags by the end of the year.

Meanwhile, authorities in the flood-stricken northeastern Brazilian state of Pernambuco reported that 78 persons were confirmed dead and an estimated 60,000 were homeless.

Gen. Anabal Amaral, the interior minister's adviser on public disasters, said about 60 per cent of Recife, the capital of Pernambuco state, was flooded but that the waters have receded.

Recift and eight other municipalities have been declared disaster areas.

LITTLE MISS ANONYMOUS—An eight pound baby found in a trash container at an apartment complex in Big Spring last Thursday morning, appears content in the arms of Sharon Shanks, a nurse at Malone-Hogan Hospital. The baby was left in a paper sack inside the trash container less than an hour after birth and was rescued by a janitor dumping trash. (AP Wirephoto)

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Today In History

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, July 22, the 203rd day of 1975. There are 162 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1933, Wiley Post completed the first round-the-world solo flight in his plane, the "Winnie May."

On this date-

In 1798, Napoleon Bonaparte was occupying the Egyptian city of Cairo.

In 1812, English troops under the Duke of Wellington defeated the French at the Battle of Salamanca in Spain.

In 1934, FBI agents in Chicago shot and killed gangster John Dillinger.

In 1937, the U.S. Senate defeated President Franklin Roosevelt's measure to reorganize and enlarge the Supreme Court.

In 1943, in World War II, Allied forces captured Palermo, capital of Sicily.

In 1950, King Leopold III returned to Belgium after six years' exile.

Ten years ago: Sir Alec Douglas-Home resigned as leader of the opposition Conservative Party in Britain, saying another leader might be better able to win a general election.

Five years ago: The death toll was put at more than 500 as floods in India swept 24 buses and five taxis carrying Hindu pilgrims into a river in the Himalayan foothills.

One year ago: The United Nations Command on the island of Cyprus announced a ceasefire was in effect between Greek forces and Turkish invaders.

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The Weather

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High reading Monday, 86 degrees; low reading, 64 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 64 degrees.

Northwest and Southwest Texas: Partly cloudy tonight with widely scattered thundershowers west and north. Clear to partly cloudy and warmer Wednesday with a few thunderstorms mountains. Low tonight 58 to 73. High Wednesday 84 to 105.

North Central and Northeast Texas: Clear to partly cloudy through Wednesday. Widely scattered thundershowers in east tonight and Wednesday afternoon. Low tonight 71 to 77. High Wednesday 94 to 101.

South Central and Southeast Texas: Partly cloudy, warm and humid through Wednesday with slight chance of showers or thundershowers extreme east. Low tonight 70 to 80. High Wednesday 88 to 98.

Coast: Southeast winds 8 to 16 knots through Wednesday. Seas 1 to 3 feet. Winds and seas slightly higher in widely scattered showers or thundershowers.

Snyder, A Bicentennial City

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PUSHED BY HIGHER FOOD, GAS COSTS

Consumer Prices Up

By R. GREGORY NOKES
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sharply higher prices for food and gasoline pushed the nation's Consumer Price Index up eight-tenths of one per cent in June, double the May increase and the highest monthly jump in consumer prices since last December, the Labor Department reported today.

The index also had increased eight-tenths of a per cent in December.

At the White House, Press Secretary Ron Nessen said the increase was "higher than expected." He said it was not anticipated that there would be "rises of this size every month."

"It's just a signal that inflation has not been defeated and it's a warning that it needs continued concentration and Congress should not do anything in the way of excessive spending to make it worse," Nessen said.

Food prices increased 1.5 per cent in June, the largest increase since last September when the increase was 1.6 per cent, and the price of food in grocery stores rose 1.9 per cent, the department said.

Over-all food price increases were less than the hike at the supermarket because the reported two-tenths of one per cent rise in restaurant meals held the total down slightly, a department spokesman explained.

Among increases, meat prices were reported up 5.8 per cent and prices of fruits and vegetables rose 2.4 per cent.

The price of gasoline was listed as up three per cent to an average of nearly 57 cents a gallon for regular and 60 cents a gallon for premium, compared to 55 cents for regular in May and 59 cents for premium. Gasoline prices have risen even further since information was gathered for the June price index.

Meanwhile, the Labor Department said the real spendable earnings of workers declined an average four-tenths of one per cent in June compared with a 4.7 per cent increase in May. For the year, the Labor Department said real earnings of workers were down by four-tenths of a per cent.

The Consumer Price Index in June stood at 160.6 per cent of the 1967 average of 100. This meant it cost $160.60 to buy a statistical sample of goods that cost $100 in the base period. For the 12 month period ending in June, consumer prices rose 9.3 per cent, slightly below the inflation rates of last year.

The size of the June increase appeared to catch administration economists by surprise. They had expected some increase, especially in the food and fuel area, but they were surprised at the big increase.

Kelley Announces New Crime Fighting Experiment

By MARGARET GENTRY
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — FBI Director Clarence M. Kelley announced today he is assigning two FBI agents to each of four cities in what he called "a new and carefully targeted assault on our society's agonizing crime problem."

Kelley and Patrick Murphy, president of the Police Foundation, told a news conference the four-month experiment will be carried out in Wilmington, Del., Birgmingham, Ala., Norfolk, Va., and DeKalb County, Ga., which covers much of Atlanta.

The program, announced after new FBI statistics showed still another 18 per cent surge in the nation's crime rate, is designed to provide FBI assistance to local police efforts to enlist citizens in the fight against crime.

Kelley said the program may be continued if it is considered successful at the end of four months.

The police chiefs of the four cities joined Kelley and Murphy at the news conference.

Kelley said there will be no federal funds required for the program, and Murphy said the private non-profit foundation will spend less than $25,000 on it.

The FBI on Monday released the quarterly Uniform Crime Report showing an 18 per cent increase in serious crimes across the nation for the first three months of this year, compared with the same period a year ago.

The crime rate has been climbing at about the same rate for at least 18 months. There was a 19 per cent increase recorded in the final three months of 1974. Preliminary figures for 1974 point to a full-year increase of 17 per cent in the nation's crime rate, based on the number of crimes reported to state and local law enforcement agencies in more than 7,000 jurisdictions.

Final 1974 figures are due for release in September.

Atty. Gen. Edward M. Levi said the latest increase is "one of the terrifying facts of life, which we have come to accept as normal, and which we must not accept as normal."

He said the statistics "again point up the need to improve the nation's criminal justice system."

The FBI report showed increased crime in communities of all sizes, in all sections of the country, and in all seven crime categories covered.

According to the report, the crime rate rose 21 per cent in rural areas, 19 per cent in suburbs, and 17 per cent in cities over 25,000 in population.

The crime rate was up 21 per cent in northeastern states, 17 per cent in north-central states, 20 per cent in the South, and 13 per cent in the West.

In the nation as a whole, robberies soared 28 per cent, the largest increase of any crime category. Murders were up 7 per cent, rapes 4 per cent, assaults 10 per cent, burglaries 20 per cent, larcenies 19 per cent, and motor vehicle thefts 6 per cent.

The greatest increase in any crime and population category was a 53 per cent jump in robberies in cities between 10,000 and 25,000.

There were minute, but not statistically significant, declines in rapes and motor vehicle thefts in medium-sized cities.

Rocky To Speak For Ford

WASHINGTON (AP) — Vice President Nelson A. Rockefeller is planning an expanded speaking schedule in behalf of President Ford, the Republican party and, in an indirect way, his own hopes for a spot on the 1976 GOP ticket.

Rockefeller, whose 1976 status has been clouded in recent weeks, speaks in Cincinnati tday to the Midwestern Governors Conference. But aides say his big push won't come until after Labor Day.

His Cincinnati visit also included a meeting with Republican leaders and a news conference, a guarantee to assure him greater local publicity than he received earlier in the year when his only contact with the local media was at the airport.

When he hits the road after Labor Day, Rockefeller will concentrate on raising money for the party and influencing 1976 delegates to support Ford. Aides say the White House made no suggestion that he do some subtle campaigning for himself though they agree that the impression he makes will affect his chances.

ON ENERGY LEGISLATION

House Leaders, Ford Set Talk

WASHINGTON (AP) — House leaders arranged today to discuss energy legislation with President Ford Wednesday, but apparently it will not be until after the House kills his plan to phase out oil price controls over 30 months.

A vote on Ford's plan was expected later in the day.

On a related energy matter, it appeared no attempt would be made in the House to override Ford's veto of a bill Monday that would have provided more oil price controls.

Speaker Carl Albert, who told reporters of the White House meeting, said the vetoed bill probably would be sent to the House Commerce Committee, an indication the leadership doubts it can muster the two-thirds majority needed to override.

Ford's plan to phase out oil price controls could be killed by disapproval from either branch of Congress.

"Both the President and Congress are playing great defensive games," said Rep. Jim Wright, D-Tex. "It's the third quarter and the score is zero-zero."

Wright, head of the House Democratic task force to develop a party policy on energy, said one of the major problems is that even if the House leadership could hammer out a compromise with the White House there is no assurance that the House members would vote for it.

Albert also acknowledged that Congress and administration energy representatives have not come up with a bill "that will fly."

Both Albert and Wright said the main snags include how high to set the price cap on domestic crude oil and how long it should take to phase out price controls.

One of the possibilities, said Wright, is to phase out price controls over a 36-month period and to place a $13.50 a barrel price ceiling on so-called new oil. There is also talk of a $2 a barrel tax on domestic crude oil.

Asked about possibilities that Ford could call Congress back into session to act on energy during its August vacation, Albert replied:

"If we have presidential spite on top of presidential veto, we will have no government around here at all."

College Board Okays Pay Hike

The board of trustees of the Scurry County Junior College District meet with oil company representatives, gave tentative approval of the 1975-76 budget, approved an across the board 12 per cent salary hike, okayed a student health insurance program and approved two revisions to the personnel policy last night.

Art Dimney, representing Chevron Oil Company, and Carlton Meredith, representing Monsanto, R.E. Smith and several other companies, both told the board that current levels of production cannot continue.

Dimney said the "cost per student is getting out of sight." He particularly objected to the expenditure of $66,000 for travel.

In connection with this, however, Dr. Robert Clinton, WTC president, said that he met recently with other presidents of the Western Junior College Athletic Conference and most of them expressed the opinion that sooner or later the conference would have to be divided into two zones so that athletic trips may be cut.

"We're talking about playing a double round robin schedule and cutting the athletic trips by half," he explained.

Dimney pointed out the budget for Western Texas College has grown from $703,000 in 1970 to $2,790,000 in 1975 (which includes the interest and sinking fund). At the same time, student enrollment increased from 400 to 1,200.

Meredith observed that oil taxes were based on projected increases in revenues which are expected from future increases in the price of oil, and he said this is an unfair estimate since the increases may not materialize.

Dimney said an excise tax on oil could wipe out any so-called windfall profits.

"There will be a drop in values next year," he cautioned.

The board gave tentative approval for the 1975-76 budget of $2,231,032. However, the budget will not be formally approved until the next meeting on August 11 after a public hearing on the budget.

The across the board 12 per cent salary hike covers professional, maintenance and clerical personnel at the college.

The student health insurance program would be available for students not covered on their parents' medical-health policy. It would be required for all residence hall students not covered by other policies. Cost would be borne by the individual student.

The personnel policy changes provide for merit grade increases.

All action by the board was unanimous. They, also discussed progress of golf course construction, legal liabilities of board members, the open records law and Buckley amendment pertaining to students, and possible use of Snyder Public School buildings. No action was taken on any of these matters, although they expressed the belief that all activities of the college should be kept on the campus as much as possible.

Board members present included Bill Wilson, who presided over the meeting; Edwin Parks, Dr. Robert Hargrove; R.C. Patton, George Patterson and Bentley Baize. Others presented included Dr. Robert Clinton, Dr. Ben Brock, Dr. Jim Tully, Dr. Dwaine Hood, Dr. Gene McClurg, Merv Croston, Ron Estill, Guy Hickman, Bob Clifton, Arvil Hall and Jerry Coffman.

Saturday Is Dog Vaccination Day

The Snyder Jaycees and the City of Snyder are sponsoring another dog vaccination day in Snyder from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. It will be held at the Central Fire Station.

Dr. R.J. Kidd, D.V.M., and Dr. Robert Taylor, D.V.M., both will be present to vaccinate dogs. The vaccination fee will be $3, but the City of Snyder will not charge dog owners for the $2 registration fee.

Another dog vaccination day was held last spring with some 600 animals being vaccinated.

Diplomats Wait On Sadat Answer

By The Associated Press

United Nations diplomats were hopeful today that an appeal sent by the Security Council would prompt Egyptian President Anwar Sadat to agree to continuation of the U.N. Emergency Force in Sinai.

Some expressed belief that he would reply by nightfall, perhaps in a scheduled Cairo speech, and that the Council could go to work to renew the mandate of the buffer force, which expires Thursday.

Sadat also is expected to announce in the speech whether the U.S.-led efforts to agree on a second withdrawal from Sinai have succeeded.

The U.N. appeal, adopted 13 to 0 Monday night, was that Sadat "reconsider the attitude of Egypt" on extension of the mandate on grounds it would help create "an atmosphere conducive to progress toward agreement on a just and lasting peace."

Egyptian Foreign Minister Ismail Fahmy had notified the United Nations a week ago that Egypt did not consent to an extension because Israel was misusing the 3,919-man force to perpetuate the occupation of Arab lands and the state of "no war, no peace."

However, Egypt's ambassador at the United Nations, A. Esmat Abdel Meguid, said of the latest resolution, "I think this is a gesture of good will and I hope it will bring peace and stability in the area."

On Monday, Israeli government sources in Jerusalem said that Egypt and Israel were "getting close" to an accord on further Israeli troop withdrawals in Sinai that could lead to an interim peace pact.

In Washington, Israeli Ambssador Simcha Dinitz said Israel's latest proposal to Egypt calls for increased U.S. surveillance of Sinai, return of the Abu Rudeis oilfield to Egypt and maintenance of the U.N. peace force for "several years."

He stressed that American troops would not be used for expanded U.S. surveillance. "Never soldiers, because the defense of Israel will continue to be in the hands of Israeli soldiers," the envoy said in a television interview.

AFTER THE "THUMPDOWN"—Cosmonaut Valeri Kubasov writes on the capsule as Alexei Leonov stands at right Monday after the Soyuz partners blasted safely back to earth from history's first international space mission. They landed about 300 miles east of the [illegible] from where they were launched last Thursday. (AP Wirephoto)

OPEN HOUSE SET—Open house and an official dedication ceremony for the new Baptist Student Center at Western Texas College in Snyder will be held Sunday, July 27 at 2 p.m. Mickey Porter, the Baptist Student Union director at WTC is pictured in his office. There is also a large workroom adjoining the secretary's office where Baptist Student Union publications, posters and tests are made. Mr. Porter is available for student counseling 24 hours a day. To reach him, phone 573-0661 in the day or 573-7686 at night. Any student attending WTC is invited to join the Baptist Student Union. The center will be open from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. seven days a week.

MAY NOT SUE CIA

Family Is Moved By Ford Apology

By MARGARET SCHERF
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A son of Dr. Frank Olson, who plunged to his death after being given LSD by the Central Intelligence Agency, says the family may not file suit against the CIA because of President Ford's personal apology to them.

"You can't conceive of how moving it was to hear him say he was outraged at this travesty of American history," Nils Olson said in a telephone interview Monday night from his Frederick, Md., home following a White House visit with Ford.

Nils, his brother Eric, their sister Mrs. Lisa Hayward and mother Alice spent about 17 minutes with the President. The White House said Ford apologized on behalf of the U.S. government for the circumstances of Olson's death.

The family previously had announced plans to file suit against the CIA for several million dollars. However, Nils Olson said there now is a good chance the suit will not be filed.

"We'll have to see how it goes," he added.

Nils Olson said the family had three concerns — that they have full access to any data available on the case, that they receive an apology and that they get some sort of financial settlement from the CIA.

Ford promised to make available information on the case and said he had asked the attorney general to meet with the Olsons' legal representatives "to discuss the claims they wish to assert against the CIA by reason of Dr. Olson's death," White House Press Secretary Ron Nessen announced after the meeting.

"The President told us that he in no way wanted our meeting with him to prejudice our case against the CIA," Nils Olson said. He said he understood that the attorney general would discuss a financial settlement with the family's legal representatives.

And he said the family felt Ford's personal apology was adequate and that one would not be sought from the CIA. "Our feeling after coming out of the meeting is that he is to us kind of the manifestation of the will of the government," Nils Olson said. "We were all very much amazed at how genuine and sincere he was at extending his sympathy and concern," he added.

The circumstances of Olson's Nov. 28, 1953 death came to light after the Rockefeller Commission report on the CIA disclosed experimentation with the hallucinogenic drug LSD.

Christina Weds Rich Greek

ATHENS, Greece (AP) — Christina Onassis is planning to marry Alexander Andreadis, son of a wealthy Greek businessman, in a ceremony today that will unite two of Greece's biggest fortunes. The bridegroom's longtime girlfriend said she was "shocked" by the news.

The wedding is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. — 12:30 p.m. EDT — in a tiny chapel that holds only six persons, Andreadis family sources said. The chapel is in the garden of a priest who built it himself in the exclusive seaside suburb of Glyfada, 10 miles from Athens.

The sources said that Christina's stepmother, Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis, was to fly in from the Onassis-owned Scorpios island in the Ionian Sea to be present at the wedding. She is the widow of shipping magnate Aristotle Onassis.

Dénise Sioris, 24, of Washington, D.C., said she had been Andreadis' girlfriend for "two years and two months to be exact. I was going with him up to a week ago."

The vivacious Miss Sioris, a Greek-American whose father is with the U.S. Foreign Service, added, "I have never talked about my relationship with Alexander in all the time I was going with him. It's time I spoke up."

Alexander, a 30-year-old bachelor-playboy who has expensive tastes like antique cars and sailboats, was eyed by many of Athens's wealthiest girls as a potential husband. Tall and husky, he has done graduate work in economics in Swiss and British universities. He is expected to play a key role in running Christina's shipping empire.

Christina, 24, inherited the bulk of her father's estimated $1 billion fortune on his death in March.

She has been married once before, in 1971 to Los Angeles real estate broker Joseph Bolker, a man more than twice her age. They were divorced nine months later.

Since then her name has been linked with her long-time companion Peter Goulandris, son of another shipping magnate, and her father reportedly begged her to marry him. But in May she said she had no such marriage plans.

In recent weeks Christina has been seen almost every night with Andreadis, dancing and dining at the Athens Hilton Hotel owned by the Andreadis family.

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MIDDAY STOCKS

By The Associated Press

Alcoa	45⅞	off ⅛
AT&T	49⅞	off ¼
Atl Rich	103¼	off1¼
Beth Stl	35⅞	off ½
Borden	25⅛	up ⅜
Brit. Pet.	11⅜	
Cat Trac	68⅛	off ½
Celanese	37⅜	
Chrysler	13	
Cities Svc	49	off ½
Coca Cola	84	up ¾
Cont Oil	68⅛	off ⅞
Dow Chem	83¾	off ¾
duPont	123⅛	up ¼
Eastman	95¾	off1⅛
El Paso NG	13½	up ⅛
Exxon	87¾	off1⅛
Fairchild Cam	55½	off1
Ford	39⅞	off ⅛
Gen Elec	49⅛	off ½
Gen Foods	25¾	off ⅜
Gen Mtrs	49⅞	off ¾
Gen Tel	24⅝	off ¼
Gen Tire	16¾	off ⅛
Goodrich	18⅝	off ¼
Great A&P	11⅞	up ½
Gulf Oil	22½	off ⅛
Hart-Jk	19¼	off ½
Hous. LD	22¾	off ⅜
IBM	198¾	off2¼
Int Paper	50¼	off ¼
Jhn-Man	24½	off ¼
John Joh	89⅝	off ⅛
Litton	8⅝	off ⅛
Marathon	53⅛	off ½
Marcor	26¼	off ¼
Mobil Oil	46½	up ⅛
Monsanto	70⅞	off1⅛
Penn Centl	1¾	
Penney	51½	off ¼
Phill. Pet	55¾	off1
RCA	19¾	off ¼
Safeway	51⅜	up ¼
Sears	65⅜	off1
Sony	11⅝	off ⅛
Stand Ind	50	off ¼
Sun Oil	35¼	off ¼
Texaco	27¼	off ¼
Texas Inst	105¾	off1¾
Un Carbide	60¾	off ½
Uniroyal	9⅛	off ⅛
US Steel	57⅜	off1½
Woolworth	16⅝	
Xerox	63⅞	off1⅛

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Linda Wilson, 102 Chestnut; P.R. Warren, 113 Scurry; Hazel Casey, 1707 Seventeenth; Petra Vasquez, 509 Sixteenth; Christine Rodriguez, 2612 Ave. U; Alice Borrego, Rt. 2; T.D. Leech, 4500 Beaumont; Earl Jenkins, 200 Thirty-eighth; Della Gannaway, Rt. 2, Hermleigh; Guadalupe Martinez, 1802 Ave. Q.

DISMISSALS: Deliz Ortis, Billie McCormick, Carolyn House, Olen Davis, Raymond House, Johnny Claxton, Patricia Hook, Lillian Hardy, Alvis Barton, Lois Sentell.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Borrego, Rt. 2 are the parents of a 9 lb. 4½ oz. baby boy, born at 5:10 p.m. July 21 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Thefts Reported

Thieves stole a bicycle valued at $149 from the residence of Ramona Cain, 400 Twenty-ninth Street, between 10:30 p.m. Sunday and 10:30 a.m. Monday, according to a City Police report.

Officers also are investigating the theft of $500 worth of fishing equipment from Eldon Thompson.

Grades Show Teens Under a Bad Influence

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I have two teenagers, ages 14 and 16. Their father and I divorced five years ago and both remarried. For years, the children have been begging me to let them live with their father because they felt that their stepfather and I were too strict. Also, their real father promised them the moon.

Last year, I let them go on the condition that they keep their grades up (both were honor students) and continue their confirmation classes.

Well, they are flunking in school and have practically dropped out of confirmation class. (They also let four years of music lessons go down the drain.)

I know they prefer living with their father because he doesn't discipline them at all. When they came home, my daughter had so much makeup on I didn't recognize her.

Should I let them go back with their father, or should I insist that they stay with me until they finish high school? My husband has been a wonderful stepfather, although they never showed him the proper respect. He is willing to have them back if I say so.

I know it will be difficult if they return, but I hate to see them ruin their lives because I know they will regret it later.

Please advise me.

MOM

DEAR MOM: Bring them home. Their grades are sufficient evidence to justify it. These are important years. They desperately need a firm hand, guidance and discipline. They'll thank you later. And if they don't, at least you'll know that you did all you could for them.

DEAR ABBY: What is the correct way to address a letter to a lady whose husband has just died?

Also, how does one address a woman whose husband has been dead for several years?

D.S.

DEAR D.S.: A widow is always addressed as "Mrs. John Jones" — regardless of how long John has been dead.

DEAR ABBY: I could not leave unanswered your reply to "Nameless," whose wife made several suicide attempts.

My mother died a natural death two years ago. My father died last month at 73 of carbon-monoxide poisoning.

I am proud to say that he finished the last page of his long "note" on the night before he died, after dictating it to his best friend. On Sunday morning, my two daughters and I arrived at his home for a lunch date to find the sheriff and coroner there.

My family will bear its share of guilt for not preventing his death — each in his and her own way. But I say, "Greater love hath no man."

He did not want to live on as a vegetable; he left a six-page letter of explanation in lovely, lucid English.

I miss both my parents. But I honor their memory in the only way I know; I share their love with all other living things. That is their legacy to me. And if I am lucky, my three children will share this love with the family of man.

You may use my name.

MARTIN K. EAKIN, O.D.

Everyone has a problem. What's yours? For a personal reply, write to ABBY: Box No. 69700, L.A., Calif. 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope, please.

For Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding," send $1 to Abigail Van Buren, 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212. Please enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped (20¢) envelope.

Letter To Editor

To Snyder Daily News
Dear Sir:

Any community service project could not be successful without the enthusiam of its workers and the acceptance of such a program by the businessmen of the community.

Scurry County Summer Recreation concluded last week with another successful program of over 410 members and with an average daily attendance of around 100 members. I would like to praise the efforts and enthusiams of the instructors: Janice Rhodes, Sue Jane Sullivan, Marcia Shields, Kellye Crenshaw, Suzanne Peek, and Amber Walker. These ladies have been interested in Girls Recreation in earlier years as active participants in the program.

I would like to publicly thank the board members who have again guided the program: Guy Sullivan, Janet Wesson, Ila Ruth Newton, Barbara Sojourner, Empress McFarland, and Annette Waller.

Local businesses also contributed to the success of the program. Milton Ham helped the program tremendously by allowing SCSR to use Snyder Athletic Center as a registration site and by helping us with the registration of new members. Snyder Athletic Center also donated a plaque which will be used to add the name of the recipient of the Most Enthusiastic Member award each year.

Special awards helped to promote the interest of the adult volleyball program. D.B. Lyles of Snyder Lanes donated bowling passes, and the Pizza Hut donated pizza discounts to the volleyball winners.

Thanks to the efforts of Mrs. Edith Jones and the staff of This 'N That, the dip 'n drape workshop was also a big success.

I know the members would agree in expressing appreciation to the county, city, and school officials who support and finance this program.

The people of Scurry County are fortunate for the recreational opportunities provided to its residents. Not many counties are as fortunate!

Thank you,
Patsy Rainwater
Director

Astronauts Conduct Tests

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — While the Soyuz cosmonauts celebrate their safe return to earth, the American astronauts of Apollo conduct experiments today and look ahead to their own splashdown parties after their homecoming Thursday.

The Soyuz crew returned to earth Monday after six days in orbit, two of which were flown in tandem with Apollo.

Astronauts Thomas P. Stafford, Vance D. Brand and Donald K. Slayton are staying up an extra three days, taking advantage of their ship's longer orbithcapability to obtain scientific data.

Cosmonauts Alexei Leonov and Valeri Kubasov came home tired but in excellent physical condition after completing their phase of the international flight which could open an era of space cooperation between the world's two most powerful nations.

Soyuz landed in the barren steppes of Soviet Kazakhstan, stirring up a giant cloud of dust as its braking rockets ignited just before touchdown. The landing and swift recovery were televised live around the world, another first for the Soviets, who removed much of the secrecy from their space program for this mission.

The cosmohauts were flown to the nearby Baikonur Cosmodrome, their launching base, where Kubasov reported, "We feel fine." Leonov said, "It is very fortunate to be sent into space, but it's more fortunate to return home, to earth."

News conferences are planned by both crews — the astronauts from orbit Wednesday and the cosmonauts Thursday in Moscow.

Houston mission control informed the astronauts about a Monday night "touchdown" party here to celebrate the Soyuz safe return — a version of the splashdown parties that always follow successful American flights.

"Sorry we can't join you," commander Stafford said.

"Ah, you can have a little orange juice or whatever you've got up there," mission control told him.

With a sigh, Stafford said, "All righty."

Later, talking with capsule communicator Robert Crippen, Stafford commented, "If I had a penny for every DSKY stroke, we could really put on one hell of a splashdown party." The DSKY is a display keyboard the astronauts use to punch instructions to their computer.

"That's certainly a good idea," Crippen said. "I think we could have one anyhow."

"We will," Stafford assured him.

Stafford, Brand and Slayton are concentrating an earth resources photos, solar astronomy and metals melting experiments as they circle the globe every 90 minutes.

Plea Entered

George Lay Powell pleaded guilty in county court yestarday to a charge of driving while intoxicated. He received a $100 fine plus court costs and a 30-day jail term, probated for six months. He was arrested last Saturday.

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House Sets Special Session

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas House members have received formal notice that they must reconvene here at 10 a.m. Aug. 4 to consider impeachment articles against District Court Judge O.P. Carrillo of Benavides.

A resolution making 11 allegations against Carrillo and calling for his impeachment was approved last Wednesday by a special House committee.

House Speaker Bill Clayton sent notice of the impeachment session to the representatives. He said Monday he hoped they wouldn't take long to make their decision.

"Because of the exhaustive work of the committee in preparing the record on this case, it is my strong hope that the House will be able to move with all possible dispatch in considering the resolution. Since this will be the only issue pending before the House, it would appear as though we should be able to give the matter thorough and complete consideration in a relatively short period of time," Clayton said in his letter to all House members.

He has said he believed the House could finish work in two or three days, but others who have observed the House in previous special sessions think consideration of the impeachment articles will take more than that.

This will be the first time since 1931 that the House has considered impeachment of a state official. A district judge was impeached, but the Senate acquitted him.

Suspect Released On $7,500 Bond

Freddy Huff, 20, of Post, has been released from county jail on $7,500 bond.

He was charged with aggravated assault following an alleged assault on Randy Sterling, 19, of Ira at the Scurry County Coliseum at 1 a.m. last Friday. Sterling sustained a serious arm injury when he was struck on the elbow with an axe. He was treated at Cogdell Memorial Hospital and then transferred to a hospital in Lubbock.

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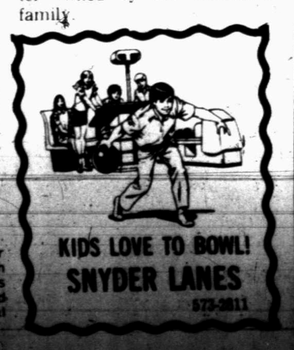

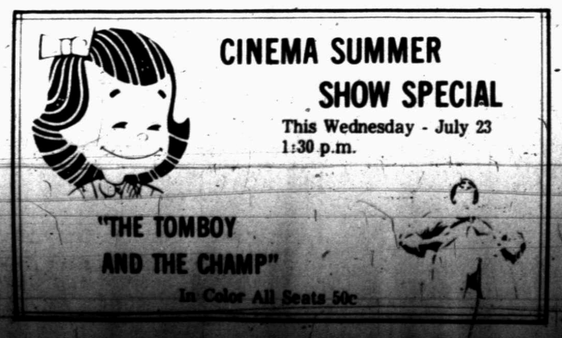

Recreation Girls Receive Awards

GYMNASTIC WINNERS—Winning awards in the gymnastics competition are, bottom row, Kelly Farquhar, Leeann Pierce, Laurel Schmidt, Linda Rose Walker; top row, Rhonda Head, Rita Black, Pam Blankenship, Gina Pierce, Jean Anderson, Stacy Sellars, Valetta Wheeler, and Rhonda Golhike.

ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS—These girls were awarded plaques or trophies in the different classes; bottom row, Laurel Schmidt, Linda Rose Walker, Kelly Farquhar, Patsy Talamentez; top row, Kelly Jones, Debbie Calvert, Kim James, Karen Prescott, and Rita Black.

TENNIS WINNERS—Tennis tournement results include Jennifer Hunter, most improved; Debbie Summers, third; Tami Martin, second, and LaDonna Underwood, third.

WATERMELON FEAST—Margaret and Jean Anderson seem to enjoy last Thursday's watermelon feast.

MOST ENTHUSIASTIC—Nine-year-old Linda Rose Walker was named the Most Enthusiastic Member of Scurry County Summer Recreation which will become an annual award in the program.

BINGO!—Apparently Diane Horsely needs one number at the bingo game last Thursday.

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Scurry County Summer Recreation concluded its six-weeks program Friday with an awards presentation and picnic at Towle Park pavilion.

The highlight of the awards program was the announcement of the Most Enthusiastic Member award. Nine-year-old Linda Rose Walker won this honor which will become an annual award. Linda was active in the gymnastics and Let's Pretend programs.

The Instructor's Award, a new annual award, was presented to Miss Janice Rhodes for her enthusiasm in the program. Ms. Rhodes headed the track program.

In the gymnastics class Pam Blankenship was named Outstanding Gymnast. Laurel Schmidt and Stacy Sellars won improvement awards.

In the advanced tumbling contest Rhonda Head won first place. Gina Pierce placed second while Jean Anderson took third place. Beginner tumbling winners were Laurel Schmidt, first; Leeann Pierce, second, and Linda Rose Walker, third.

Balance beam competition winners in the advanced division were Rita Black, first; Rhonda Head, second, and Valetta Wheeler, third. Leeann Pierce won the beginner's division while Laurel Schmidt and Linda Rose Walker placed second and third places, respectively.

Valetta Wheeler captured the first place trophy in the advanced trampoline contest. Rhonda Head and Rhonda Gohlke placed second and third places, respectively. In the beginner division Linda Rose Walker placed first. Laurel Schmidt won second place and Kelly Farquhar, third place.

In the basketball class Kim Fritz won a trophy for most improved. Donna Hunter and Donna Browning were awarded basketball charms for their enthusiasm.

The Outstanding Track Star award was presented to Debbie Calvert. In the Volleyball class Alisa Wilson won the most improved award.

La Donna Underwood won first place in the tennis tournament. Tami Martin placed second while Debbie Summers won third place. Jennifer Hunter received the most improved trophy. In the women's class Nance Brice won the most improved award.

In the art class Christina Rameriz was recognized as most enthusiastic. Linda Rose Walker won the Best Actress award for her performance in the Let's Pretend production. Achievement awards in aerobic dance were awarded to Marilyn Foster and Pat Snider.

GIRL OF THE WEEK—Debra Pace won the Girl of the Week title during the final week of the program for her enthusiasm and cooperation in the Let's Pretend and gymnastics classes.

Tracy O'Day won the bowling tournament. Donna Browning placed second and Tracy Collier, third. Andrea Hamilton was awarded the most improved trophy.

Kim James was named the Outstanding Twirler. Laurel Schmidt won the most improved award while Karen Prescott won the effort award. The Most Spirited Cheerleader award was presented to Kelly Jones.

The results of the Superstars contest was also announced. Kelly Farquhar won the 8-9-10 year old division while Patsy Talamantez won the 11-12 year old division. Rita Black won the competition in the teen division.

For the members who were not at the awards presentation, they may pick up their awards at the Snyder Athletic Center.

Blatty Weds

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — William Peter Blatty, author of the bestselling novel "The Exorcist," and amateur tennis star Linda Tuero have been married here.

Asked by friends why he decided to marry, Blatty replied: "An angel made me do it."

Blatty, 47, and Miss Tuero, 23, of New Orleans were married Sunday. It was the third marriage for Blatty.

Guests included Mario Puzo, author of "The Godfather," and comedians Don Rickles and Buddy Hackett.

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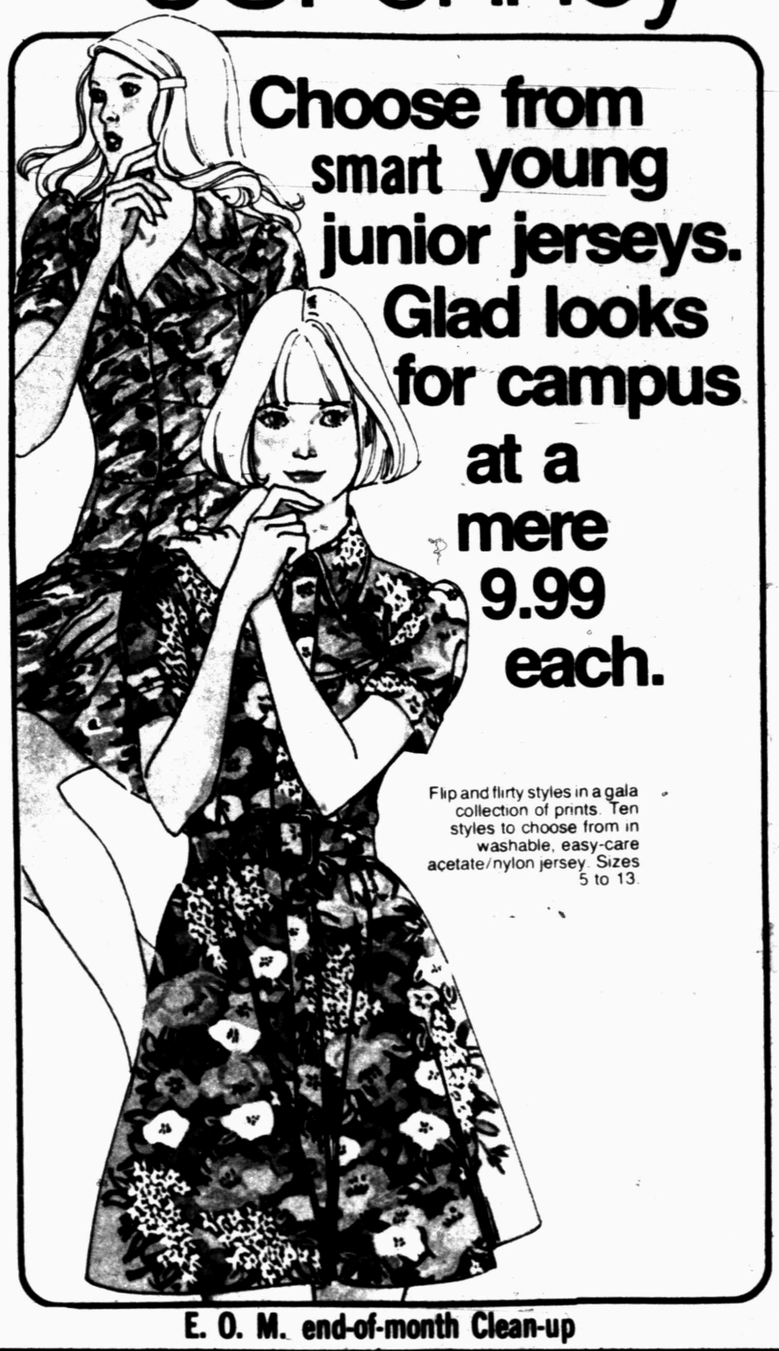

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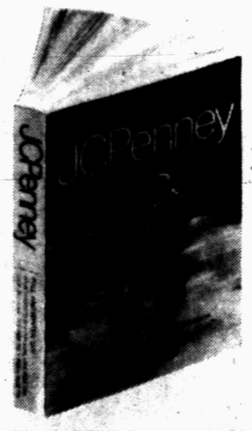

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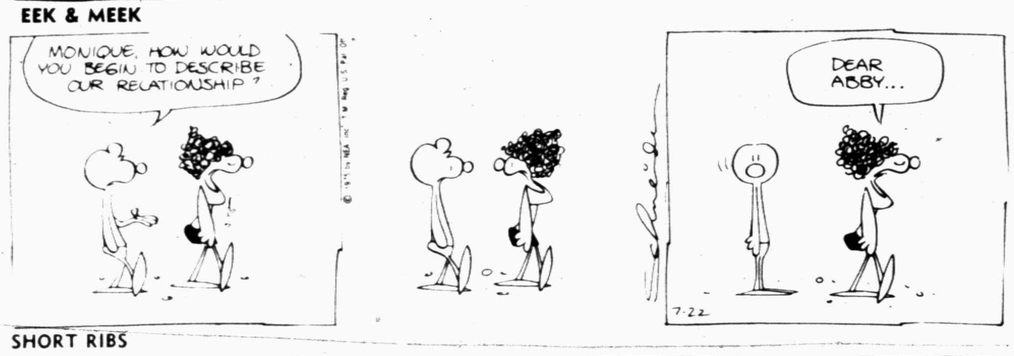

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23 Surrender
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27 Being (Latin)
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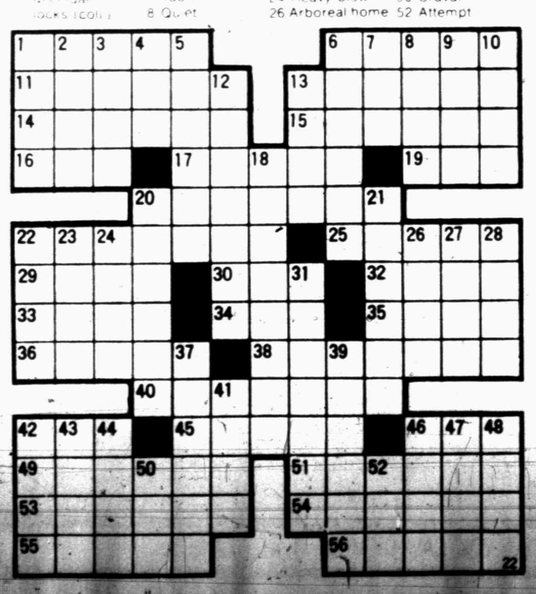

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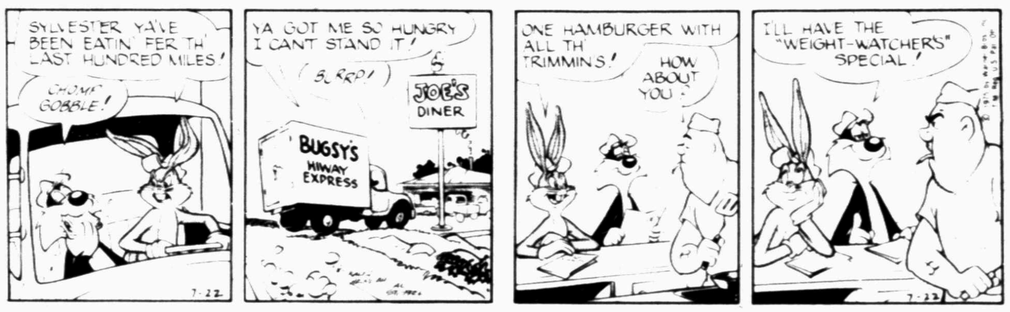

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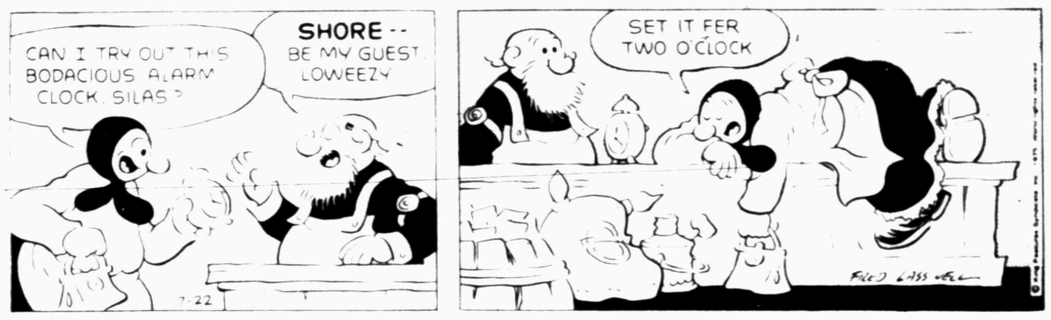

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"WHAT PURRIN' NOISE?"

Women Athletes Gain Equality

By TOM SEPPY
AP Sports Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Most university athletic departments, some reluctantly, began facing the reality today that women will have to have equal opportunity to participate in their sports programs.

Congress enacted Title IX of the Omnibus Education Act three years ago banning sex discrimination in schools receiving federal funds. But the regulations implementing the legislation did not become effective until Monday, after much wrangling in Congress.

The regulations prohibit discrimination on the basis of sex in 16,000 school districts and 2,700 institutions of higher education and educational association.

They apply to a wide variety of educational areas such as recruitment, hiring, admissions and scholarships, but the section on athletics was the most controversial and brought the most discussion.

The National Collegiate Athletic Association and its member schools have claimed that no one is opposed to equal opportunity for women in sports but they believe it means "equal expenditures." The Department of Health, Education and Welfare, which wrote the guidelines, denies this.

Efforts to block the legislation were defeated in the House and Senate last week, but the NCAA says it will pursue passage of an amendment to the law which, in effect, would exempt money-producing sports such as football and basketball.

Under the amendment, money produced by football and basketball would first be spent on those sports and what remained could then be used for the rest of the athletic program.

"We feel that this is not only a very desirable but necessary amendment," said Thomas Hanson, assistant NCAA executive director, by telephone from Kansas City.

He said the NCAA plans a convention in Chicago next month to see how economy moves can be made. "It is ironic that much of the saving we could expect in Chicago would be more than offset by Title IX," he said.

"We have to accept that it is law and do all we can do to comply within reason," he said. "The reason ends when you demand that football and basketball programs be matching.

In a survey of NCAA schools by The Associated Press, most athletic directors said their schools had already begun efforts to comply with the law, long before the Monday effective date of the regulations.

At several schools, such as William & Mary and Northwestern, a survey of the students will be conducted to see what sports they are interested in, a proposal that was in the original HEW regulations but later discarded.

Jap V'Ball Girls Shine

TORONTO (AP) — Japan continued its domination of the international Olympic-class women's volleyball tournament with a 3-0 victory over the Soviet Union at Maple Leaf Gardens Monday.

Japan, which is undefeated in the tournament, won 15-6, 15-1, 15-6 over the Soviets.

Canada was defeated 3-1 by the United States in another match.

Travelers Triumph

By The Associated Press

Arkansas pounded San Antonio pitchers for 19 hits, including two homers, but it took a two-out, ninth inning error by the Brewers to help the Travelers avoid defeat in the Texas League Monday night.

Once they were off the hook, the Travelers went on to score five runs in the 12th inning for a 10-5 victory.

In the only other game completed Monday, Midland held on to beat East leader Lafayette 6-5. West leader Shreveport was rained out at Jackson. Shreveport now has lost 25 games to the weather this season and it was Jackson's 21st rainout.

Texas League Standings
By The Associated Press

West Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Shreveport	56	31	.644	—
Midland	54	41	.568	5
El Paso	43	47	.487	14½
San Antonio	38	50	.383	23½
East Division				
Lafayette	49	42	.538	—
Arkansas	45	46	.495	4
Jackson	41	46	.471	6
Alexandria	37	50	.425	10

Monday's Games
Arkansas 10, San Antonio 5 (12 innings)
Midland 6, Lafayette 5
Shreveport at Jackson, ppd. rain Only games scheduled.

Tuesday's Games
Alexandria at El Paso
Arkansas at San Antonio
Midland at Lafayette
Shreveport at Jackson

ARTIFICIAL LEG—Bud Beaston, owner of the Oklahoma Farrier's College at Sperry, 10 miles north of Tulsa, shows the artificial leg of a one-year-old filly to farrier student Jan Shapiro. Beaston handcrafted the fiberglass limb. (AP WIREPHOTO)

Front Office Disputes Leave Martin Jobless

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

ARLINGTON, Tex. (AP) — Billy Martin says it's three strikes and he's out of baseball.

"I don't think I can come back into baseball because my reputation precedes itself no matter where I go," said the fiesty Martin, who was fired Monday by Texas Ranger majority owner Brad Corbett and replaced by Frank Lucchesi.

Martin, the American League Manager of the year in 1974, was fired by the Rangers for the same reasons he was given the axe at Detroit in 1969 and Minnesota in 1970: disputes with the front office.

He said of the Rangers, "They want a winner and they want a 'yes' man but I can't be both."

Martin brashly predicted a pennant for the Rangers in 1975 but their defense fell apart and the pitching quickly followed. Texas was 15½ games out of first place going into Monday night's game with Boston.

"I'm happy about one thing," said Martin. "I brought Texas a winner ... I brought them a million fans and I brought them some real major league baseball."

A bitter Martin said Corbett "knows about as much about baseball as I do pipe." Corbett is in the plastic pipe manufacturing business in Fort Worth.

"Corbett is in baseball one year and all of a sudden he's a genius," Martin added, his eyes reddened by 48 consecutive hours without sleep. "I was against the Willie Davis trade all the way. But if you don't approve it then you're a ——"

Martin said, "He accused me of being disloyal. Well, I might be a miserable little bastard but there's one thing I'm not and that's disloyal. I'd rather be dead than be disloyal."

With one year remaining on his contract, Martin collided with the Ranger front office over the acquisition of Tom Egan, a catcher released by the California Angels.

Ranger general manager Danny O'Brien didn't want Egan because he didn't fit into the Texas youth movement mold.

"It all happened over a petty thing," Martin said. "I wanted Egan because he could have helped. Bill Fahey has a bad hand and can't play. We just couldn't communicate."

The Texas Ranger switchboard lit up with calls from irate fans—some threatening never to spend another nickel at Arlington Stadium.

"I recognize the trauma it will cause with the fans" said Corbett. "The fan reaction will be tough.

"As a student of the game, Billy was one of the finest. But there are causes beyond the won-loss record that I think are not appropriate to discuss."

Asked if he considered Martin disloyal, Corbett said, "I wouldn't care to comment on that."

Corbett said the Rangers had to concentrate on going with their young players.

"We've got to settle down and keep players in one position," said Corbett.

Martin said he had no immediate plans although there was specualtion Kansas City would like to hire him.

"I plan to spend some time at (his Arlington) home with my family," said Martin.

Then he laughed, "I guess the Rangers will let me keep that for awhile."

Lucchesi managed for three years at Philadelphia and was Martin's third base coach. Lucchesi will get the team for the remainder of the year.

"He'll do a good job," said Martin.

Assistants Art Fowler and Charlie Silvera also got the axe with Martin.

Lucchesi is now the fourth manager the Rangers have had since they moved to Texas from Washington before the 1972 season.

ROOKIE HOMER GIVES LUCCHESI FIRST WIN

ARLINGTON, Tex. (AP) — It was Frank Lucchesi's longest day, but thanks to a rookie's first major league home run it ended with the new Texas Ranger manager smiling for the first time in 24 hours.

Lucchesi, who managed the Philadelphia Phillies of the National League from 1970-1972, stepped into fired Billy Martin's shoes just hours before game time against Boston Monday night.

"It was a tough day for me ... I'll be honest," said the 49-year-old Lucchesi, who was a third base coach under Martin.

"I respected the man (Martin) who was here and following Billy is like a fellow following Al Jolson in his prime in show business," said Lucchesi.

The Rangers bombed Luis Tiant for 12 hits, including David Moates' first homer and Jeff Burroughs' 19th roundtripper. Texas scored four runs in the first inning, and Moates clubbed Tiant's third pitch for a homer to dampen any possible dissension in the crowd.

Ferguson Jenkins cut the Red Sox down on just five hits and coasted to a 6-0 victory.

"I was, of course, concerned about the fan reaction but that four-run first inning sure helped," said Lucchesi, who started managing when he was 24 years old.

There were only a few scattered boos when Lucchesi went to the mound in the ninth inning to give Jenkins a brief rest.

"I wasn't going to take him out ... I just wanted to give him a breather," Lucchesi said.

Only one sign appeared in the crowd of 11,000, asking majority owner Brad Corbett, "Who gets the monkey on his back next?"

Lucchesi held a team meeting before the game and said, "I was happy with the attitude of the players. Ball players make the manager, not the manager the ball players."

He said, "I told the players my door was always open even if they wanted to see me about car trouble, finances, or a girl. I'm not aloof, and I believe in honesty. I don't have many team meetings but I set world records for individual meetings."

The grey-haired Lucchesi said, "It was strange how fast everything happened today. Tonight's game meant a lot. I started managing when I was 24 so nothing out there was all that new to me. I sure was happy to see Moates' ball go out. That settled things down."

He added, "Burroughs was swinging the bat better tonight than I've seen him in a long time. I guess it was just a coincidence but he was really attacking the ball. And Fergie was just great. He keeps getting better and better after a horrible start."

Jenkins is now 12-10 for the year while Tiant is 13-9.

"I'd like to manage this team a long time and I learned a long time ago you can't demand respect from your players unless you give it to them first," Lucchesi said. "This is going to be a good, young ball team for years to come."

And he added, "I'd like to get some sleep now. I think I've had about two hours in two days."

Halas Released

CHICAGO (AP) — Chicago Bears' owner George Halas, 80, has returned home after a week-long stay at Northwestern Memorial Hospital.

A spokesman for the hospital said Halas, former head coach of the National Football league team, went home Monday. He was operated on for a hernia.

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Flames' Boosters Are Named

Kathy Weber was named to the All-Tournament team for the Women's Softball Tournament held here last weekend.

The host Flames expressed appreciation to several local individuals and merchants who helped pay the expenses of the tournament as well as supported the team at the state tourney. They include O.D. Brewer, Snyder Community Antenna Television. T.E. Shelburne and Son, Musslewhite Trucking Company, Smith Recreation Center, Western Auto, Dryden's Shoes, Thompson's Shoes, Bentley Baize, J.B. Lee, Tiger Barber Shop, West Texas State Bank, Snyder National Bank, Snyder Savings and Loan, Wadleigh Construction, Inc., Top Acidizers, Inc., The Western Company, Mr. English, Clark Lumber Co, and Lester Christopher.

Two Girls Qualify For State

Two members of the Scurry County Summer Recreation track program qualified for the state track meet scheduled July 25 in Grand Prairie, according to Miss Janice Rhodes, director of the girls' summer track program.

Debbie Calvert and Lisa Loyola placed in their respective divisions at the district meet held in Lubbock July 19. Miss Calvert won second-place ribbons in the long jump and the 50-yard dash. She also placed third in the 100-yard dash. Miss Loyola qualified for state with a second-place finish in the long jump.

In order to compete in the state meet, the girls had to finish either first, second, or third in their event.

Rozelle Verdict May Be Delayed

By JOHN LUNDQUIST
Associated Press Writer

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (AP) — Nearly two months of testimony have been concluded on the trial of the National Football League's Rozelle Rule, but there's no prospect for a quick end to what has become a festering sore to the NFL Players Association, league officials and club owners.

It may take another three years for a final verdict, in the view of U.S. District Judge Earl R. Larson. He said in an interview he doesn't expect to hand down a verdict until late this year.

An appeal is almost automatic, no matter which way he rules, meaning the case would head for the U.S. Court of Appeals before possibly reaching the U.S. Supreme Court.

The class-action suit was filed on behalf of all players in 1972 but was reduced to 15 plaintiffs as the case began before Larson last February.

Former Minnesota and New England quarterback Joe Kapp blazed the trail for the NFLPA suit. He prevailed in a legal attack on the standard players contract, which also resulted in a ruling against the Rozelle Rule. The question of damages is pending.

NFL officials and club owners prefer the term "option compensation rule," but it's commonly known in sports as the Rozelle Rule. By playing the club's option year after a contract expires, usually at a 10 per cent pay cut, the player is a free agent the next May 1.

In event he signs with a new team, the club losing the player must be compensated by the other team. And if the teams can't agree on the compensation, Commissioner Pete Rozelle must dictate terms — usually involving a pick in the next college draft or a player trade.

A parade of 49 witnesses appeared before Larson, and attorneys introduced some 320 exhibits — not all of which were received. They varied from a single sheet of paper to sheafs of contracts and pamphlets and books.

The cross-currents of testimony revealed a deep conviction by each side in the sport's titantic legal test:

Most plaintiffs took the stand to tell why the Rule prevents them from dealing freely with other teams. They charge it violates the Sherman Antitrust Act.

Club owners and NFL officials argued with equal fervor the rule is one cornerstone of the game. Eliminating it would create "bedlam" or even "destroy" the NFL, they warned.

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Standings

By The Associated Press

National League East	W	L	Pct.	GB
Pittsburgh	58	36	.617	—
Philphia	53	41	.564	5
New York	46	44	.511	10
St. Louis	46	46	.500	11
Chicago	44	51	.463	14½
Montreal	38	51	.427	17½
West				
Cincinnati	63	32	.663	—
Los Angeles	51	45	.531	12½
S.Francisco	45	49	.479	17½
San Diego	43	53	.448	20½
Atlanta	42	52	.447	20½
Houston	34	63	.351	30

Monday's Results
Cincinnati 10, philadelphia 4
Atlanta 4, Montreal 1
Houston 6, New York 2
St. Louis 4, San Diego 0
Chicago 1, Los Angeles 0
San Francisco 7, Pi5tsburgh 2

Tuesday's Games
Atlanta (Morton 11-9) at Philadelphia (Carlton 8-7), (n)
Houston (Konieczny 4-10) at Montreal (Rogers 6-7), (n)
Cincinnati (Billingham 10-4) at New York (Koosman 8-7), (n)
Pittsburgh (Kison 9-4) at San Diego (Jones 11-6), (n)
St. Louis (Denny 4-3) at Los Angeles (Rau 8-7), (n)
Chicago (Burris 8-6) at san Francisco (Falcone 7-6), (n)

Wednesday's Games
Chicago at San Francisco
Atlanta at Philadelphia, (n)
Houston at Montreal, (n)
Cincinnati at New York, (n)
Pittsburgh at San Diego, (n)
St. Louis at Los Angeles, (n)

American League East	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	54	39	.581	—
New York	48	45	.516	6
Milwaukee	48	46	.511	6½
Baltimore	46	45	.505	7
Cleveland	42	50	.457	11½
Detroit	42	50	.457	11½
West				
Oakland	58	35	.624	—
Kansas City	48	45	.516	10
Chicago	45	47	.489	12½
Texas	45	51	.469	14½
California	43	54	.443	17
Minnesota	41	53	.436	17½

Monday's Results
Cleveland 2, California 1, 11 innings
Kansas City 3, Detroit 2
Baltimore 6, Oakland 2
Milwaukee 7, Chicago 4
Minnesota 3, New York 0
Texas 6, Boston 0

Tuesday's Games
Oakland (Bahnsen 5-8 and Abbott 4-2) at Detroit (LaGrow 7-8 and Walker 3-6), 2, (t-n)
Kansas City (Fitzmorris 9-7 and Busby 11-8) at Milwaukee (Slaton 9-8 and Champion 6-5), 2, (t-n)
California (Ryan 10-10) at Baltimore (Cuellar 8-6), (n)
New York (Hunter 12-9) at Chicago (Kaat 14-6), (n)
Boston (Lee 11-6) at Minnesota (Goltz 7-7), (n)
Cleveland (Raich 5-4) at Texas (Perry 8-14), (n)

Wednesday's Games
California at Baltimore, (n)
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Industry Leaders Fail To Share Hills' Optimism

By JOHN CUNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — Housing Secretary Carla Hills' optimism about the immediate future of housing isn't shared by some leaders of that industry.

Testifying before the Congressional Joint Economic Committeee, Mrs. Hills stated that "all sectors seem to be rebounding," despite a decline in housing starts during June.

The June rate, on an annual basis, was 1.07 million starts, about one-half the rate achieved during peak months in the period 1971 to 1973.

Asked later to comment, Grover Ensley, executive vice president of the National Association of Mutual Savings Banks, whose main business is home mortgages, said:

"The administration would like to feel we are turning up. I haven't seen any evidence of it."

His chief economist, George Hanc, concurred. "Rebound? Certainly not to the level we used to think was needed. It's one thing to reach bottom, another to say we're headed upward."

"We're still at a pretty modest level, well short of anything you'd call exuberant or bouyant," he said. The association estimates housing starts will reach 1.3 million by the end of the year.

Mrs. Hills, who found reason for optimism in what she said were slowly declining mortgage rates, even though such rates are rising, forecast housing starts to be at an annual rate of 1.35 million in the third quarter and 1.5 million in the final three months of the year.

Such a forecast in itself would seem to contradict the use of the term rebound, even though the number exceeds those foreseen by some housing industry economists. They are more pessimistic.

Told of Mrs. Hills' estimates, Robert Sheehan, director of economic research for the National Association of Homebuilders, commented: "Rebound is a fairly strong word. It would suggest a high level of production. That would be 1.8 million or 1.9 million or 2 million."

Sheehan's own estimate is far below those figures. "We don't believe starts will get back to 1.5 million by the end of the year. There's no reason to believe they will be."

The real issue, said Sheehan, is a depression in multifamily housing. "For us to get back even to 1.4 million starts we'd have to have an extraordinarily strong rebound — maybe a doubling — of the multifamily rate."

A spokesman for the U.S. League of Savings Associations, whose members are the chief home mortgage lenders, commented: "We don't see anything in the housing picture that can be termed bright and rosy."

Tot Owns Real Fire Truck

BATAVIA, Ill. (AP) — When August Gering turned 4 last week, his parents bought him a fire truck to play with. A real one.

It cost $511, is 19 feet long, has a 500-gallon water tank and could be used to snuff out a fire at the neighbor's house.

"August has wanted to be a fireman since he could walk and talk," said his mother, Elynor Gering, a registered nurse. "So when we saw an ad in the paper for one we put in a bid and it was accepted."

The 1946 Dodge, complete with two hoses, sirens, horns and a ladder, now sits in the driveway of the Gering's home in Batavia, Ill., about 30 miles west of Chicago.

"It's in very good working order," said Mary Sue Bowman, Mrs. Gering's sister. "When we turn it on with the key the siren works perfectly, which is why the key has been hidden."

Another reason to hide the key is that state law prohibits the private use of sirens, such as that on August's new toy.

"They can't turn on the red lights either, because that's against the law, too," said John Peterson of the Batavia Police Department.

When the Gering's $511 bid was accepted by the St. Charles Fire Department, Mrs. Gering said August went wild.

"He was all enthused and jumping up and down yelling, 'We won it, we won it!'" she said. "We had to tell him we didn't exactly win it, his daddy had to pay for it."

August's father, John, a truck driver, already has taken August, his 6-year-old sister, Katherine, and just about every other kid in the neighborhood for rides on the truck almost daily, Mrs. Gering said.

"August's big thing is to hang on the back when we take him for a ride," she said. "He thinks that's the big time."

Mrs. Gering said she and her husband plan to keep the truck as a "toy" for the children and use it in local parades.

As for August, "I'm gonna drive it to high school," he said.

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Heart stimulus is blocked

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB—While I was in the hospital for surgery I had an electrocardiogram (ECG), and the surgeon said I had a right bundle branch block. My family doctor repeated it and said I had a conduction defect, a cholesterol problem. My cholesterol test was within the normal limits. My doctor said the conduction defect was a minor thing and many people have this finding for years, and I shouldn't worry. He put me on Atromid-S three times a day, told me to watch the fats in my diet and come back in six months for another ECG.

I am a 53-year-old male, apparently in good health other wise, except for slightly elevated blood pressure. My weight is normal, and I do not smoke. I would appreciate your explanation of this and the risks to my health.

DEAR READER—Right bundle branch block means a defect in the nerve-like fibers that carry the electrical stimulus to the right side of the heart for each beat. It doesn't significantly affect the heart function. Its importance depends solely on what causes it. And, to make matters more confusing, it is a conduction defect. Many minor conduction defects are sometimes classified (not always correctly) as right bundle branch block or "incomplete bundle branch block."

I saw a large number of right bundle branch block cases, and many more so-called incomplete types, in the U.S. Air Force flying population when I studied them over a 10-year span. In many instances these were in young, healthy men with no heart disease at all. It can be a birth defect, or from a minor inflammation of the heart from a childhood disease, or it can be the result of fatty deposits in the arteries that cause heart attacks. So, it can be something or nothing. Its importance must be judged on other medical findings.

Your cholesterol may be normal by some values but apparently your doctor thought the level was important enough to warrant giving you medicine to try to lower it. Elevated cholesterol is one of the important factors that increases the risk of having a heart attack.

For more information on the significance of cholesterol levels, send me 50 cents and a stamped, self-addressed envelope in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019 and ask for The Health Letter number 1-2 on cholesterol.

Your elevated blood pressure is another important risk factor. It makes any mild elevation of the cholesterol even more important. The fact that you don't smoke is a plus, and your risk is less by as much as a factor of three compared to a moderate of heavy ciagrette smoker with the same other findings.

I recognize that you think you have no weight problem. However, if you have any significant amounts of fat at all under your skin around the small of the back, you might do alot for yourself by losing weight. Many people with moderate elevations of blood pressure have perfectly normal pressure when they eliminate even small amounts of fat that they may consider normal.

DEAR DR. LAMB—In order to maintain a normal potassium level, I have been eating an average of one banana per day. Is there any possible adverse reaction to the eating of bananas over a period of time?

DEAR READER—No. An average-sized banana contains about 100 calories. Bananas are a good source of potassium and so are most fruits. They are very low in sodium and are essentially fat-free. The only possible problem would be from eating large amounts regularly to the point of eating too many calories, but you could do that with almost any food.

YOUTH GROUP IN NEBRASKA—Thirty young people and sponsors from the Colonial Hill Baptist Church left last Friday for Omaha, Nebraska. The group is housed in a dormitory at Creighton University, and is leading backyard Bible study groups near the Raven Oaks Baptist Church.

Judge Blocks Freeze On Malpractice Rates

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Efforts by the State Insurance Board to freeze the rates at which doctors renew their malpractice insurance this summer have been blocked by a judge's ruling.

Judge Wesley Dice granted an injunction, requested by Argonaut Insurance Co., against enforcement of the board's order freezing rates for 90 days at their June 3 level.

Most doctors and hospitals renew their malpractice policies duing the summer months, and Dice's order evidently means that many will pay higher rates than they otherwise would have.

Board chairman Joe Christie said there would be no appeal because the matter would be moot before an appeal could be considered by higher courts.

He issued a statement saying the ruling probably would "place some strains on doctors, hospitals and patients, but it doesn't mean that the world is coming to an end."

In freezing rates, the board had invoked a provision in a new stopgap malpractice law that requires companies to give doctors and hospitals 90 days' notice before raising their rates or canceling their policies.

Argonaut said this amounted to retroactive enforcement, since there was no way Argonaut could have given 90 days' notice of rate increases taking effect with policies renewed on July 1.

Argonaut obtained a temporary restraining order on that date and renewed about two dozen hospital policies at considerably higher rates.

Dice, a retired judge of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals who is helping with the Travis County district court docket, agreed with Argonaut.

"Enforcement of the 90-day notice requirement, would in this court's opinion, be applying the law retroactively during the first 90 days after the law became effective June 3," Dice ruled from the bench.

The same law that imposed the notice requirement also says that malpractice policies must be at annual rates.

Until the board exercises its power to approve or veto rates proposed by the companies, Dice's ruling evidently means a firm can charge whatever rates it wishes upon renewal and leave them in effect for a year.

Rates have been filed with the board, which is required by the new law to act by Aug. 14.

Christie said a doctor who has been stuck for a year with a higher rate has the option of canceling and seeking a new insurer.

Cops End Strike In Albuquerque

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) -Striking Albuquerque policemen agreed to return to work today after accepting a contract offer giving them an 11 per cent raise.

Members of the Albuquerque Police Officers Association (APOA) voted 303-125 late Monday night to accept the proposal, which was hammered out during three days of meetings by a fact-finding board headed by a federal mediator.

Nonstriking APOA members voted on the proposal along with the strikers.

The new contract ends a 10-day strike by more than 300 officers who walked off their jobs July 12 in a contract dispute.

Jim Baca, a city spokesman, said the officers would be back on the job this morning, giving a force of 150 supervisors and nonstriking patrolmen their first break since the walkout began. The skeleton crew has been working 12-hour shifts with no days off.

Under the new contract, the officers will receive an 8 per cent pay raise, a 4 per cent merit increase and a boost in fringe benefits.

The two-year contract raises the officers' nontaxable uniform allowance from $20 a month to $50, with an increase to $70 after July 1, 1976.

The agreement reinstates all striking officers, including more than 300 who resigned last week after District Court Judge James A. Maloney ordered them to return to work.

Newsmen were excluded from the meeting at which the proposal was presented to APOA members, but details of the offer were confirmed by city officials and a member of the fact-finding board.

The strikers had said they would hold out for a 12 per cent raise and a 4 per cent merit increase.

City officials had offered an 8 per cent raise with a 4 per cent merit hike and a 12 per cent across-the-board raise with no merit increase. Both offers were rejected by the APOA.

Mayor Harry Kinney said the proposal "gives the police something additional at this time and keeps our costs in reasonable control over a two-year period."

Hunts, Five More Indicted

DALLAS (AP) — Seven Texans, including Houston lawyer Percy Foreman and two sons of the late Dallas oil billionaire H.L. Hunt, have been indicted by a federal grand jury here on charges of conspiracy and obstruction of justice.

The indictment alleged Nelson Bunker Hunt, W. Herbert Hunt, Foreman, three Dallas lawyers and a retired Houston industrialist paid witnesses to go to prison and keep quiet about wiretapping by the Hunts.

The nine-count indictment was returned Monday night, only hours before the grand jury's term expired.

The other defendants are Ralph Shank, Charles Tessmer and B. H. Timmins Jr., all Dallas lawyers, and Edward J. Hudson of Houston, retired president of hudson Engineering Corp. of Houston.

Acts constituting obstruction of justice allegedly occurred from January 1970 through February 1973.

A prospective witness, Jon Kelly, was promised by the Hunts, Tessmer and Shank in October 1971 and again the following month that he would be paid $1,250 for each month he spent in prison if he did not testify against the Hunts, the indictment stated.

A similar offer was made to another witness, Patrick McCann, the indictment said.

The indictment charged that during the first two months of 1972, the Hunt brothers paid Foreman $100,000 to keep Kelly and a third witness, W.J. Everett, silent about the wiretapping.

Everett earlier had been offered $800 for each month in prison in exchange for his silence, according to the indictment.

W. Herbert Hunt, reached in Dallas, refused to comment until he could read the indictment. Neither Nelson Bunker Hunt nor Foreman was available.

Kelly and McCann have been convicted of wiretapping Hunt employes and sentenced to three years in prison.

Jobless Rate Up In Houston

HOUSTON (AP) — A Texas Employment Commission (TEC) report says unemployment in the Houston area has increased from 4.2 per cent of the labor force in May to 5.5 for June.

Robert Taylor, district labor market analyst for TEC, said the number of unemployed persons in the area jumped 33 per cent from 45,200 in May to 60,300 in June.

The area includes Harris, Montgomery, Liberty, Waller, Fort Bend and Brazoria counties.

Taylor added that the area is better off than earlier predictions indicated. He said TEC estimates in March forecast a June unemployment figure of 5.9 per cent.

The national unemployment rate for Junes was 8.6, compared to 9.2 for May.

More Talk Of Strikes Than Seams

By LEONORA DODSWORTH
AP Fashion Writer

ROME (AP) — There was more talk of strikes than seams in Rome as the showings of the autumn-winter high fashion collections went into their second day today.

The main topic of conversation was whether top designer Mila Schon would annul her decision, announced Sunday, not to show. A strike by her seamstresses has put her collection almost hopelessly behind schedule.

Her defection could be a crippling blow to the already tottering Italian couture.

But little of the impending disaster appeared on the runways. The first day's shows were filled with luxury — silks, satins, embroideries and furs. Only the brevity of some of the collections revealed the number of working hours lost prior to the showings as seamstresses walked out of the fashion salons pending an improved work contract.

An agreement granting the girls a $35 raise was reached just three days before the shows started.

"Make fashion, don't make war," was the unwittingly apt slogan of the collection by Franco, which closed the program on the first day of these strife-torn shows. He showed cashmere morning wear in shades of camel and tobacco and trendy tunics over wrapped skirts that covered the knee.

Irione, the first of the six furriers scheduled on the five-day program succeeded in showing a slim line in spite of using furs that sometimes reversed to knit. He was wise in avoiding the pitfall of too much tricky technique and applied his furs — which ranged from the smoothies such as mink and Persian lamb to the fluffies such as oppossum and guanaco — like fabrics using them whole without altering their natural structure.

Titti Brugnoli showed slim but shapely coats with small waistlines and big collars. Her gossamer-weight evening dresses were soft and floating in rainbow-hued silks.

Astro-Graph

by Bernice Bede Osol

For Wednesday, July 23, 1975

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Your mind works best on philosophical levels today. It's also a good time to discuss changes with associates.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) A vexing problem concerning your work or duties can be solved today. You have a nose for smelling out the right answer.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Discuss with your loved one that problem in the back of your mind. Today is an opportune time to talk.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Don't be afraid to use your way-out ideas for improvements around home or at work. Your inventive instinct excels.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You communicate well verbally today. You can organize anything from a major stock deal to a seccessful house party.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) The ship you've been looking for comes in today. You'll want to share some of the cargo you've earned with your family.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You're the one to decide what the group does for entertainment today. You can envision what they'll all enjoy.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You'll be happiest spending your resources and energy for something around the home or for the family.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Selling a product you believe in or teaching some of your skills will be very self-gratifying today.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) A surprise material reward comes to you today. You won't recall having done anything to earn it.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Friends will make a hope or dream come true for you today. Your good fortune is realized without action on your part.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Wishful thinking is not a frivolous endeavor for you today. The aspects can change your fantasy into reality.

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Quints Are Doing Fine

DALLAS (AP) — Is it a shock to discover you've just become the mother of quintuplets?

Not at all, said Debbie Davis, who did just that last Friday after going to the hospital with word from her doctor to expect four babies.

"I was shocked when I heard I was going to have four," she said Monday. "But after four, what's one more?"

Aglow with pride, the perky young mother talked with reporters for the first time and joined her obstetrician, Dr. Jack Pritchard, in telling them her four new daughters and one son are "doing fine."

"They are beautiful—all of them," declared Mrs. Davis, who was permitted to hold the infants for a time Sunday.

She recalled that after trying for more than a year to have a baby, she talked to her doctor and he prescribed a drug.

"I did not know it was a fertility drug," she said. "I only took them for five days.

Thereafter she had her 21-year-old husband Jerry, a $175-a-week mechanic, learned by degrees that more than one infant was on the way.

"First it was two," Davis recalled. "Then three. Then it was four."

The Davises live at suburban Lewisville in a small three-bedroom home rented for $130 a month plus utility bills, and the new mother is eager to get back there and start preparing for a new life style.

"It's going to be rough at first," she conceded. "We're used to to going out to eat once in awhile, and going to visit our families. We won't be going anywhere for a couple of years."

She took a leave of absence from her job at the Lewisville State Bank to have her babies.

Davis said insurance will cover most of their hospital bills, but he doesn't know yet whether they'll need a nurse when they take the quintuplets home. They have been offered free formula and all the baby bottles they'll need.

"I need to get home and get another nursery fixed," said Mrs. Davis. "We had one room ready with two beds. Then we arranged to get two more beds. Now we need to fix another nursery and get another bed."

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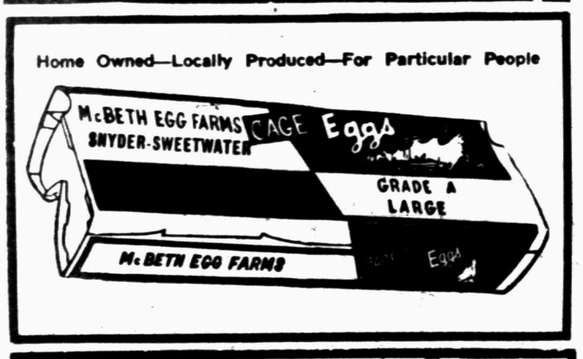

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BILL'S AUTO SALVAGE—Jimmy Farmer, operator of Bill's Auto Salvage, and his pet dog, Brandy, stand beside several used cars and pickups that he has for sale. Farmer said he has motors and all types of used parts for cars, and that he also has or can get new and used speed racing equipment. He also does repair work.

Bill's Auto Salvage Sells New, Used Speed Equipment For Cars

Bill's Auto Salvage is a member of Kolt Hot Line Circuit and Texoma Hot Lime Circuit, which puts them in touch with 150 other wrecking yards across the state.

"This means if you need a part for your car and we don't have it, there is a good possibility that we can get it for you from one of these other yards," explained Jimmy Farmer, who has operated Bill's Auto Salvage for the past four years.

"All we have to do is get on the direct phone to these other yards and relay your request," Farmer said. "And if any of them have the part you need, they have it on the way in minutes."

Farmer said Bill's Auto Salvage has motors and all types of used parts for cars—tires, wheels, rear ends, body parts and glasses.

"We also install motors, transmissions and rear ends," he pointed out.

Farmer is a racing enthusiast, and his firm sells new and used speed equipment for cars. Last year, he set two records at Lubbock with his 1969 Camaro, which has a 427-cubic engine.

"I'm still racing, but now I've got a dragster instead of a full-bodied car," he said.

"If we don't have the speed equipment in stock that you want, we can order it for you and have it delivered within two days," Farmer said.

Farmer is active in local civic work, and he is married to a Hermleigh girl. They are parents of two children.

The young businessman also sells used cars and usually has several on hand. Included among the ones up for sale now are a 1972 Cougar XRT, a 1971 Chevrolet Cheynne pickup, a 1969 Plymouth, a 1969 Pontiac Lemans and a 1968 Datsun pickup.

"We're here almost every day," said Farmer, "And we always welcome visitors. Come in and look around. If we don't have the used car you want, perhaps we can fix you up with a part."

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"We're proud of our service," said Ray, who has been local manager for 25 years.

The station is open from 7 a.m. until 10 p.m. seven days a week. Phillips Super Service has quality JTW tires for sale. Ray said his station will put a new set of regular tires on your car at reasonable prices. Mounting and balancing the tires is included in the price.

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Phillips is owned by McCormick Oil Company of Snyder, which also has stations in Post, Sweetwater, Lamesa, Colorado City, Roscoe, Welch and Fluvanna as well as several other smaller towns of the area.

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John Scali Will Return To ABC

NEW YORK (AP) — An American Broadcasting Company spokesman said Monday night that former chief U.S. delegate to the United Nations John Scali will return to ABC News shortly as a Washington correspondent.

The spokesman said ABC and Scali, 57, have reached agreement on his return to the network, where he was a diplomatic correspondent before entering government.

Briscoe Liable To Run Again

AUSTIN (AP) — A close friend and aide to Gov. Dolph Briscoe says the governor has told him he might run for re-election in 1978 despite widespread assumptions to the contrary.

Reagan Brown, an administrative assistant to the governor, said he asked Briscoe during a recent trip to Fort Worth what he thought about running again.

"I'm just liable to," Brown quoted Briscoe as saying.

If Briscoe won another four-year term, he would break Allan Shivers' record for service as governor. Shivers held the office 7½ years.

Briscoe was first elected to a two-year term in 1972. The constitution was changed, doubling the terms of all statewide elected officials, and Briscoe won a four-year term in 1974.

Many have believed that Briscoe, a somewhat reclusive man, did not enjoy the job enough to seek a new term.

But Brown said Briscoe has reached the point where he feels relaxed in the job and enjoys being governor. He said Briscoe feels a sense of accomplishment over pushing a sizeable portion of his program through the 1975 legislature without much fanfare.

A re-election announcement by Briscoe could cause a number of prominent officeholders to reassess their own political plans for 1978. Atty. Gen. John Hill has said he is thinking about a race for governor. So are Comptroller Bob Bullock and Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby.

Pownall Dies

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (AP) — Vice Adm. Charles A. Pownall, a veteran of two world wars and a former governor of Guam, died Saturday. He was at 87. Pownall was appointed Guam's governor in 1946 and retired from military service three years later after a 39-year Navy career.

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