

Only waited couple of weeks

President receives \$11,631 tax refund

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford, who paid \$94,568.93 in 1975 federal income taxes, only waited a couple of weeks to get a refund check of \$11,631.07 from the Internal Revenue Service.

Ford's press secretary, Ron Nessen, released on Tuesday a detailed report on Ford's income tax return, showing the President made \$251,991.24 last year and had taxable income of \$204,605.83.

Nessen said Ford's tax forms were filed earlier this month and that he received his refund check during the past week.

When asked why Ford "seems to get speedier service (from the IRS) than the rest of us," Nessen gave no answer other than to smile.

Nessen said Ford paid \$38,200 more in federal taxes in 1975 than he did the previous year.

Gross income included the President's salary, his \$50,000 expense account and \$1,991.24 in savings account interest, small dividends and a net return on rental property the Fords own in Virginia, Michigan and Colorado.

"The President hopes this will be a model for the degree of detail on tax information that all candidates should issue to the voters whom they are asking to elect them to the presidency," Nessen said.

Nessen said \$106,200 tax was withheld from Ford's weekly paycheck.

Ford claimed \$750 personal exemptions for himself and his wife and three of his four children. He did not claim son Steve, who is working part time on a ranch in California.

When the federal taxes are added to state and local tax payments of \$11,941.91, Nessen said, they accounted for 42 per cent of the family's gross income — the same percentage as in 1974 when the Ford's gross income was some \$104,000 lower because the President had earned a White House salary for only five months of the year.

The Ford's 1975 state, local and other taxes were nearly double the 1974 figure of \$5,985. The President's higher income largely accounted for that, Nessen said.

Of his \$50,000 expense account, Ford deducted \$23,000 as business expenses. The largest single item in this category was the cost of buying and mailing 35,000 Christmas cards.

Nessen said the Fords spent the other \$27,000 in expense money, but could not deduct it because it was used for private entertaining.

The Fords deducted charitable contributions of \$6,759.34 for 1975, up from \$5,845 a year earlier. Nessen said most of the contributions represented relatively small donations to a large number of organizations such as the Boy Scouts and the American Red Cross.

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Ford eyes \$322 million for Minuteman missiles

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford is expected to ask Congress soon for \$322 million to produce 60 additional long-range Minuteman missiles and speed procurement of a new and bigger nuclear warhead.

The move is prompted by the continuing deadlock in U.S.-Soviet nuclear arms-limitation negotiations and the steady growth of Russian missile power, Pentagon sources say.

Announcement of Ford's new request might come before the May 1 Texas primary, where some political analysts believe Ford may be running behind challenger Ronald Reagan. However, administration spokesmen

are expected to disclaim any political intent.

A Ford request to keep open the Minuteman III intercontinental ballistic missile production line would be a reversal of an earlier decision to shut down Minuteman production. This shut-down decision was reflected in Ford's defense budget for the coming fiscal year.

The recommendation sent by the Pentagon to the White House budget office weeks ago called for \$266 million to produce the 60 missiles.

At present, the United States has 1,000 Minuteman missiles in firing position, including 550 Minuteman IIIs, each armed with three warheads, and 450 earlier Minuteman IIs, which mount single warheads.

Under the Pentagon's proposal, the number of land-based Minuteman missiles in launch silos would not be increased, officials said, but the "mix" probably would be changed to increase the number of multiple-warhead Minuteman IIs and lower the number of Minuteman IIs.

Also included in the package is \$56 million to begin production of a bigger warhead for the Minuteman III in 1977, a year earlier than had been

planned. The new Mark 12A warhead would have the blast power of about 400,000 tons of TNT, twice that of present Minuteman III warheads. This would give the Minuteman greater ability to knock out heavily protected targets such as underground Soviet missile bases,

command posts and industrial plants. Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld testified in February that it had been decided that the money saved by shutting down Minuteman production could be applied better to accelerating development of a much more powerful advanced missile.

Ken Perry named Cosden president

Kenneth W. Perry has been named president of Cosden Oil & Chemical Co., according to an announcement made this morning by the Dallas headquarters of the parent company, American Petrofina Inc.

Perry will continue to headquarter in Big Spring. Perry, a well-known civic worker here, is also one of the four American Petrofina group vice-presidents named by the parent firm. His responsibilities will be in the petrochemical and plastic facilities in Big Spring and at plants in Port Arthur, Carville, La., and Calumet City, Ill.

Others promoted to group vice-presidents include:

C. W. (Wes) Shouse, refining; R. C. Low, transportation, supply and marketing; and Robert B. Wilkins, exploration and production.

All were elevated from vice president and group vice president, a newly created position, except Perry, who was senior vice president of Cosden Oil & Chemical Co., a wholly owned subsidiary.

Shouse, a former Big Spring resident, was also named chairman of the company's refining and marketing profit committee. The company operates refineries at Big Spring, Mount Pleasant and Port Arthur, Tex., and Eldorado, Kansas.

Shouse was elected a director of American Petrofina Inc. Feb. 10, 1976. He has served as a vice president since 1972. Prior to that, he served as vice president, refining, American Petrofina Company of Texas, a wholly owned subsidiary. Shouse was elected a vice president of Cosden Oil & Chemical Company in April, 1963 when American Petrofina, Inc., acquired the assets of Cosden Petroleum Corporation. A native of Picher, Okla., he received a bachelor of science degree in chemical engineering from the University of Oklahoma.

Low's responsibilities include the acquisition of raw materials, the operation of pipeline and terminals and the marketing of Fina products other than petrochemicals and plastic.

Low was elected vice president in



KENNETH W. PERRY

the spring of 1973. He was named vice president, supply and transportation of American Petrofina Company of Texas in October, 1969. Low joined American Petrofina in August, 1965, as general manager, unbranded sales. A native of New Rochelle, N.Y., Low received a bachelor of arts degree from Amherst College.

Wilkins' supervision include geological, land, exploration and production activities.

Wilkins was elected a vice president in 1972. He joined Fina in 1958 as manager of production when the company acquired the Petro-Atlas Corporation. He was named vice president of production for American Petrofina Company of Texas in 1963. A native of Kansas, he received a bachelor of science degree in petroleum engineering from the University of Kansas.

Perry was elected a senior vice president of Cosden Oil & Chemical Company in 1972. He joined Cosden in June, 1957 and served as a product engineer, sales representative, chemical coordinator, product manager, marketing manager and was elected a vice president in 1965. A native of Shamrock, Texas, Perry received a bachelor of science in mechanical engineering from the University of Oklahoma.

Co-founder of Malone-Hogan Hospital-Clinic succumbs

Dr. John E. Hogan, 66, co-owner of the Malone & Hogan Hospital and one of the city's best known community leaders, died at 2:30 a.m., today, victim of an acute myocardial infarction, about an hour after he had been admitted to the Malone & Hogan medical facility.

Mrs. Hogan said her husband had awakened about 1:30 a.m., complaining of chest pains.

Services will be at 2 p.m., Thursday at the First Baptist Church, with Dr. Kenneth Patrick, pastor, officiating. Burial will occur at Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home.

All the Malone & Hogan staff, clinical and hospital, are considered honorary pallbearers.

Dr. Hogan was born Sept. 13, 1909, in Nacogdoches, Tex. He was married to Dixie Dudley, a former nurse, May 27, 1936 in Houston. They moved to Big Spring that same year.

Dr. Hogan formed a hospital and medical partnership with Dr. P. W. Malone in 1938, when they acquired the nine-bed Bivins & Barcus Hospital at 811 Main St.

A coin toss which took place in the lobby of the Settles Hotel decided which name would go first on the billing when the hospital and clinic were renamed.

The hospital added beds in 1940 and



DR. J. E. HOGAN

finished another major addition in 1945. The two doctors divested themselves of any financial interest in the hospital in July, 1945.

The facility became a voluntary, nonprofit, community-owned hospital

under the Malone & Hogan Foundation. The word "clinic" was dropped and the Malone & Hogan Foundation Hospital was adopted, with members of the clinic group leasing office space from the hospital until the new clinic was built in 1964.

The foundation's charter was amended Feb. 5, 1970, to include the name Medical Center Memorial Hospital. At that time, the hospital had 69 beds.

The new 150-bed Malone & Hogan Hospital, since acquired by the Hospital Corporation of America, was formally opened March 16, 1975. The new clinic was dedicated Nov. 9, 1975. Dr. Hogan served as clinic director until his death.

Dr. Hogan earned his doctor of medicine degree at the University of Texas Medical Branch in Galveston in 1934. After his internship at Southern Pacific Hospital and residency at Jeff Davis Hospital, he learned through an associate that Dr. Charles K. Bivens was looking for an associate in Big Spring. The chance to be on his own in a place with a future appealed to him, so he came to Big Spring.

Dr. Hogan served seven years on the Big Spring school board, part of the time as vice chairman, and had a leading role in averting what loomed as a teacher's strike when citizens failed to approve a tax rate increase.

He headed the Downtown Lions Club and was president of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce. In 1951, he served as United Fund Campaign director.

He served on the YMCA board and was very active in the First Baptist Church. Also, he was a staunch civic beautification advocate.

Professionally, he has been a top official of Private Clinic and Hospital Association of Texas, a member of the American College of Surgeons, the Southern Medical Association, the Permian Basin Medical Association, Texas and American Medical Associations. His specialty has been in general and gynecological surgery.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church, Staked Plains Lodge 598 AF & AM, Big Spring Chapter 178 RAM, Big Spring Council 117, R & SM, the Big Spring Commandery, Knights Templar and the Suez Shrine Temple.

Survivors include the widow, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Boone (Peggy) Powell Jr., Abilene, and Mrs. Pat (Janet) Larkey, Vancouver, British Columbia; six grandchildren; his mother, Mrs. T. H. Honea, Nacogdoches; a brother, N. A. Hogan, Houston; and two sisters, Mrs. Vernon Ball, San Antonio, and Mrs. Hubert Chandler, Nacogdoches.

Voting places in same spots

Voting places in the city runoff Friday will be in the same locations as the city election earlier this month. Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Ralph McLaughlin and Jack Watkins are the two candidates for Place 2 in the city council runoff. Absentee votes totaled 81.

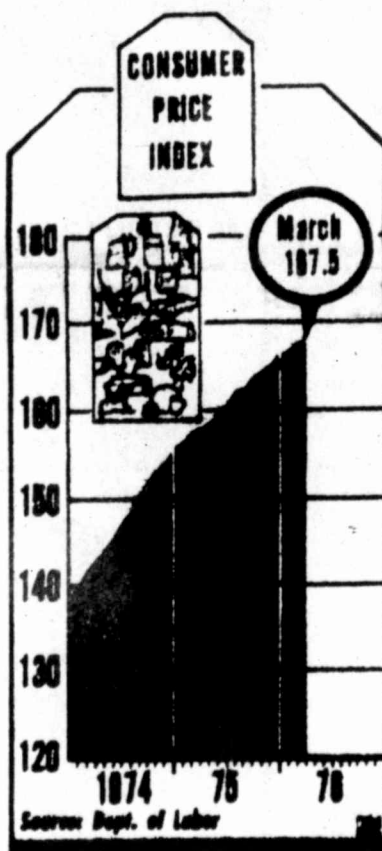
Everybody in city precinct 1, which is the same as county precinct 1, can vote at the Northside fire station.

City precinct 2, which is the same as County precinct 2 and 22 vote at the 11th and Birdwell fire station.

Those from city precinct 3, which is the same as county precincts 3 and 16, vote at 18th and Main fire station.

City precinct 4 voters, which are the same as county precincts 4 and 15, vote at Central fire station.

City precinct 5 voters, the same as county precinct 8, cast ballots at Airport School. The voter's registration permit has the county precinct number listed on it.



PRICE INDEX UP — Chart shows rise to 137.5 in March in the Consumer Price Index from February's 137.1, the government said in Washington today. That means it cost consumers \$137.50 to buy the same variety of goods and services purchased for \$100 in 1967. See story p. 12B.

Decision on Webb may come in early autumn

The Air Force has decided that the public hearing on the environmental impact of closing Webb Air Force Base will be in Big Spring, probably in mid-summer, said Col. Bob Owens, wing commander.

Col. Owens, who addressed the Big Spring Rotary Club Tuesday in the Settles Hotel, said the Air Force had only last week made the decision to have the hearings in the local communities affected so citizens could have maximum input to the decision-making process.

The colonel said that an impartial group would be found to conduct the hearing. He said this means that early fall is the earliest a final decision on Webb could be made.

Col. Owens, who will be leaving Webb June 30 for an assignment near San Bernardino, Calif., said that a five-month phase-out would begin following any final decision to close.

FIRST DRAFT

The colonel said the Air Force's first draft of the environmental impact statement is expected to appear in the Federal Register in early summer.

Col. Owens said that the main reason why two Air Training Command bases, Webb and Craig AFB in Selma, Ala., have to be closed is because of the drop in the number of planes the Air Force is flying and the

number of pilots needed. Pilot production, which was at 4,300 a year in 1972, will be at only 1,000 in 1978, he said.

The Air Training Command is operating at only 63 per cent of its capacity, and by 1978, even with Webb and Craig closed, the command will be at only 71 per cent leaving plenty of excess training capability, he said.

The reason Webb was selected as a candidate for closing, the colonel said, is that it has only two runways and its facilities are somewhat less than other bases.

The facility problem could have resolved itself after the bachelor officer quarters would have been completed, he said, adding that for Webb the timing of the cutbacks came 1½ years too soon.

Col. Owens said construction underway at the base will be completed, but projects in the planning stages will only have drafting completed and be shelved until a final decision on Webb is made.

The Air Force's cut back in support facilities is an effort to get the "most teeth" out of dollars available to it, the wing commander said.

SOME DANGER

But the colonel noted there was some danger in relying on quality instead of quantity of aircraft, as the Yom Kippur war had demonstrated the effectiveness of sophisticated air

defense systems. He said that the U.S. must have the forces in-being to back up the nation's international policy or the U.S. could find itself in the position of being blackmailed.

ON PROGRAM

Also on the program was Supt. Emmett McKenzie, who gave Rotarians a brief estimate of the impact Webb's closing would have on Big Spring public schools.

The schools have 1,162 pupils from families of military and civilian workers, and the indirect effect of the base closing adds a big question mark, Supt. McKenzie said.

A major concern will be school employees. Teachers will be under contract for the full year, but should Webb close, with it would go not only the federal impacted aid but also state money which is tied to average daily attendance, he said.

The delinquent tax rate also could go up, giving the schools a financial pinch in another area, he said.

The district's newest school, Marcy, is 75 per cent Webb families, and a decision would have to be made about it, McKenzie noted.

The fall timing of the Webb decision is bad from the schools' point of view, the superintendent said, and budgets for operation both with and without Webb have to be drawn up this spring.

The program was introduced by A. J. Statser.

Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Insurance to spiral

Q. Recently I saw an article in the newspaper about an increase in homeowner's insurance. What does the prospect of this rate increase mean for me, a Big Spring homeowner?

A. Jerry Mancill, a local homeowners insurance agent, reported that in the northwest region of Texas, which Big Spring is a part, the rates will increase by about 4.8 per cent. "I consider us lucky," responded Mancill. Larger cities throughout the state are experiencing a sharper increase than the residents of Big Spring. Dallas rates are going up 5.2 per cent, and Houston will see a 5.4 increase. One bright note is that there will be a 4.7 decrease in fire and lightning coverage. Mancill supplied information showing that a modest home that cost \$20,000 six years ago would cost double that much to rebuild today. One reason that the insurance rates must go up.

Calendar: Aggie Muster

TODAY

The annual Texas Aggie Muster will begin at 6:30 p.m. the Big Spring Country Club.

THURSDAY

The tax appraisal board will meet at 10 a.m. in the county courtroom.

About 600 original prints from the famed Ferdinand Roten Galleries collection will be exhibited Thursday from 10 a.m. 'till 3 p.m. at the Dora Roberts Student Union Building at Howard College.

Best bet on TV: Bob, Bing together

Bob Hope and Bing Crosby get together again, along with some other celebrities on "The Bob Hope Show Special", 7 p.m. on NBC. The show is a benefit for the United States and Canadian Olympic teams. For movie fans, Burt Lancaster stars in "Hallelujah Trail", 9 p.m. on Channel 11.

Inside: 'First Mama' bares bears

WIVES OF PRESIDENT Ford and Ronald Reagan carry campaign ball for husbands in bidding for Republican votes in Texas presidential primary. See 5-A.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE Jimmy Carter brands Texas presidential primary law "abominable." See 9-B.

FIRST LADY Betty Ford, dubbed "First Mama" by citizens band radio, practices on new set during Texas visit. See 3-B.

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Outside: Fair, bit warmer

Fair and a little warmer. High today in the middle 80s. Low tonight, low 50s. High Thursday, upper 80s. Southerly wind 15-20 miles per hour and gusty this afternoon. Decreasing to 5-10 m.p.h. tonight.



Housing ruling by Supreme Court

Illegal to require female employee to submit to boss' sexual advances

WASHINGTON (AP) — If you lose your job or a promotion because you won't play games behind the filing cabinet with the boss, you may be able to make a federal case out of it.

A federal judge ruled here Tuesday that a worker who resists the boss' sexual advances may sue for sexual discrimination if the worker loses his or her job or is denied advancement.

The decision is apparently the first in which the 1964 Civil Rights Act has been successfully invoked by a worker charging sexual discrimination.

Although U.S. District Judge Charles Richey's decision was made in the case of a female worker, he said his ruling also applies to a male worker who resists the overtures of a female boss, and to a worker who is imposed upon by a homosexual supervisor.

But Richey said there probably would be no grounds for a suit under sex discrimination statutes if a supervisor were bisexual and made demands on employees of each sex.

Richey's decision came in

a case involving a female Justice Department worker who lost her job in 1972.

A department hearing examiner ordered Diane Williams reinstated with back pay after finding that she was subjected to sexual discrimination in her job as a public information specialist.

However, a higher level review officer set aside that decision, prompting Miss Williams to file the suit she won Tuesday. The judge did not award her damages or pay, but said he would decide that issue later.

Miss Williams was hired by the Justice Department's Community Relations Service in January 1972 as a temporary public information specialist. Within a month, she was given a more permanent position and received good job performance ratings for several months, court records showed.

However, she said that

when she spurned a sexual advance by her supervisor, identified in court records as Harvey Brinson, her job ratings tumbled and she was fired in September 1972.

Richey declared, "the connections between the

Social

Security pay hiked

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government said today that 36.3 million persons receiving Social Security or Supplemental Security Income benefits will receive a 6.4 per cent cost-of-living increase beginning with their July checks.

The Social Security Administration said the average benefit for a retired worker will increase from \$204 to \$218.

The maximum benefit for a person retiring at age 65 in 1976 will increase from the current \$864 to \$887.30, while minimum benefit will increase from \$101.40 to \$107.90.

For an aged widow, the average benefit will increase from \$195 to \$208.

Supplemental Security Income payments will increase for an eligible individual from \$157.70 to \$167.80, while the payment for an eligible couple will go up from \$236.60 to \$251.80. Recipients living in states that pay a supplement to Supplemental Security Income checks will get an increase only if the state acts to pass along the higher federal payment.

The cost-of-living increase is automatic, based on a comparison of the average monthly Consumer Price Index in the first quarter of 1975 with the first quarter of 1976.

The Social Security Administration said the 6.4 per cent increase will cost \$5.3 billion in the fiscal year beginning Oct. 1.

The 32 million Social Security recipients will see the increase in their July 3 checks. The 4.3 million aged, blind and disabled persons receiving Supplemental Security Income will receive the increase beginning with their July 1 checks.

advances of her superior, which advances were not disputed, and by the subsequent criticism by the supervisor of her work, was supported by the timing of the incident...."

The judge noted that the government never claimed this was "an isolated personal incident." Miss Williams charged that Brinson's conduct was part of a pattern imposed on other women in the office.

Inner-city blacks, often trapped in ghetto areas because of their need for cheap housing available there, may soon find similar low-income housing in the predominantly white suburbs as a result of a Supreme Court decision.

The court, in an 8-0 decision Tuesday, said black residents of Chicago had been confined to public housing projects in ghetto areas of the inner city largely because of federal complicity in discriminatory practices that kept low-income housing out of the suburbs.

Therefore, the justices said, when federal officials are found guilty of racial bias in the placement of low-income housing in a city, federal courts can order them to create housing for the poor in neighboring suburbs.

The court's decision could have widespread effects on construction of new public housing projects in cities where blacks can prove that low-income housing has been concentrated in ghetto areas by governmental efforts to keep the poor confined within city limits.

In the Chicago case, lower courts had held that the city housing authority created a pattern of overwhelmingly white occupancy of low-income units in white neighborhoods and black occupancy in black sections. The courts also held that the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development was similarly responsible for fostering segregation by approving and financing the plans drawn by Chicago officials.

The justices said that since HUD operates irrespective of local boundary lines, it was proper for a lower court to order the federal agency "to foster projects located in white areas" as a cure for the department's past complicity in discrimination.

The court ruled specifically that HUD can be ordered to provide such housing in the suburbs if the federal government has contributed to city segregation through its public housing funding programs.

In the Chicago area, the decision could lead to a housing plan that would span six counties and an area of nearly 4,000 square miles. The Supreme Court said it considered the "relevant geographic area" for blacks seeking low-cost housing in Chicago "is the Chicago housing market, not the Chicago city limits."

The case has become involved in the current presidential campaign. Democratic candidate Jimmy Carter, whose

remark about "ethnic purity" of neighborhoods was in response to a question about the case, said the court's decision "suits me fine." He said it would condemn deliberate exclusion of blacks but would leave "a substantial amount of flexibility to local communities."

President Ford, who last week said the nation should not destroy the "treasure" of ethnically identifiable neighborhoods, had no immediate comment.

Under the ruling, courts can order HUD to locate low-income projects in the predominantly white suburbs, even if the suburbs involved have not been guilty of racially discriminatory housing practices.

Although HUD could be compelled to place its own projects in the suburbs, the court said the local governments would not be forced to accept federal subsidies for cooperative projects involving local housing authorities with the federal agency.

State courts

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Texas Supreme Court Applications:
Writ of error granted: Citizens First National Bank of Tyler vs. Cinco Exploration Co., Smith (2).
Nanci Adams Holley vs. David E. Adams, Travis.
Writ of error refused: S. Peter Lambros vs. Standard Fire Insurance Co., Bexar (previous writ of error set aside as improvidently granted).
John Henry Reed vs. Odil Westbrook, Castro.
Rev. Leslie T. Griffin vs. Josephine L. Berry, Harris (2).
First National Bank of Weatherford vs. Leon Christian, Parker (2).
J.R. Weatherall vs. Wayne Qualis, Knox.
Writ of error dismissed for want of jurisdiction: Theresa Gonzalez vs. Alvaro Gonzalez, Bexar.
Donald Wayne Crump vs. Barbara Gene Crump, Dallas.
Motions:
Rehearing of applications for writ of error overruled: Johnnie Barrier vs. Alice Harrell Beavers, Wilbarger.
Warren Burton vs. Homes Indemnity Co., Ector.
Leave to file petition for writ of mandamus overruled: Mary Burleson Adam vs. Judge Wells Stewart.
Rehearing of motion for leave to file petition for writ of mandamus overruled: Charles Wendlandt vs. Railroad Commissioner Ben Ramsey.
Cause dismissed as moot: Frank Weritz vs. Jerry Dale Reeves, Dallas (on writ of error).
Writ of habeas corpus denied: Ex parte Arthur Steere.
Ex parte Nick Felix.
AUSTIN (AP) — Texas Court of Criminal Appeals:
Affirmed: Benny Gomez, Lubbock.
Lindsey Henton Bentley, Lubbock.
Commissioner Ben Ramsey, Bell.
Ricky Edward Drake and Robert Cornelius Ellis, Dallas.
John Elton Engler, Erath.
William S. Turrentine, Dallas.
Charles R. Dowden, Orange.

Military news



AIRMAN BARKSDALE
SAN ANTONIO — Airman Debra E. Barksdale, whose parents are U.S. Air Force Master Sergeant and Mrs. Eddie C. Barksdale of 3612 Hamilton, Big Spring, has been selected for technical training at Keesler AFB, Miss., in the U.S. Air Force administrative field.

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex., where she studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

Airman Barksdale, a 1974 graduate of Big Spring High School, attended Howard College at Big Spring.

Bicentennial band appears Saturday

The appearance of the United States Bicentennial Band and Chorus is nearing. The performance will get under way at 8:00 p.m. Saturday, in the municipal auditorium.

Webb Air Base will provide a color guard of eight men, arranged by Capt. Dick Risk and Sgt. Gary Temple.

Mrs. Helen Dawson Cobean heads a group of Daughters of the American Revolution who will serve as ticket-takers, dressed in colonial costumes.

J. Tom Graham, Herald publisher, will welcome the band and audience to Big Spring. The Herald is serving as cosponsor of the Big Spring-Howard County Bicentennial Commission.

A few area students who

PO flag flown at half mast

The Post Office flag is at half mast today, honoring Dr. J. E. Hogan, active civic leader in Big Spring and medical leader in West Texas, who died at 2:30 a.m. today.

Post Master Frank Hardesty made the announcement this morning and ordered the flag lowered in honor of the physician.

State offices closed today

State offices were closed today due to the San Jacinto Day holiday.

April 21 is an important date in the early days of Texas history and is still observed by all state agencies.

Offices such as the state education agency, the state welfare officers and many employees at the Big Spring State Hospital had holidays today.

After Easter FASHION CLEARANCE

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Entire Line of New Spring Missy, Jr. and Girls' Pant Suits

Many attractive New Spring styles and colors to choose from for Missy, Girls' & Jr. sizes. Hurry while they last!

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Weather

NORTHWEST AND SOUTHWEST TEXAS: Fair and warmer through Thursday. Low tonight 45 north to 58 south except near 40 high valleys and mountains. High Thursday 80 to 100.

EXTENDED FORECAST
NORTHWEST TEXAS AND SOUTHWEST TEXAS: Cooler Friday through Sunday. Scattered showers or thunderstorms mainly north Saturday and Sunday. Highest low 70s Panhandle and mountains to near 50 extreme southwest. Lowest low 40s Panhandle and mountains to low 50s southeast.

CITY	MAX	MIN
BIG SPRING	74	45
Fort Worth	71	50
Houston	80	60
Los Angeles	83	57
Miami	76	73
New Orleans	83	59
Richmond	84	58
St. Louis	74	56
San Francisco	68	48
Seattle	53	39
Washington, D.C.	91	63

Sun sets today at 7:19 p.m. Sun rises Wednesday at 6:10 a.m. Highest temperature this date 101 in 1965. Lowest temperature 30 in 1927. Most precipitation: 19 in 1973.

Deaths

Alford Phillips

Alford Phillips, 72, of National City, Calif., died Sunday in a hospital there.

Funeral services and burial will be in Rotan, Tex., Thursday.

Mr. Phillips was born in Hunt County and raised in Fisher County, but had lived the last 35 years in California. He was preceded in death by his wife Eula Mae.

Survivors include a daughter, Joyce Kirkpatrick, National City; three brothers, J. P. Phillips and A. E. Phillips of Rotan, and Billy Phillips of Arlington; three sisters, Lucille Burns, of Ackery; Maurine Miller of Denton, and Oleta Stewart of Whitney; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

KAYOED BY HO briefly knocked out during a riding today. She was taken to examination show broken bones, off

Judge re in discrim

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Sex discrimination involving Univ. of Texas art teacher Berry has concluded two weeks of testimony. William Naima, administrative law judge, said Tuesday he would no decision in the case at least September.

Mrs. Berry says she will not lose its \$29 federal research grant if the Department determines that she failed to promote associate professor of her sex.

Theoretically, it could be canceled executive order President Lyndon B. Johnson issued in 1961, it is determined Berry was discriminated against.

Asked by a reporter the school's possible those grants, Mrs. Berry said: "That's never happened."

Why? "Because the grant is just as corrupt university... The get their research."

School officials testified that Mrs. Berry was not promoted in 1969 she lacked a Ph.D.



KAYOED BY HORSE — Britain's Princess Anne was briefly knocked unconscious when her horse fell on her during a riding competition at Blandford, England, today. She was taken to a hospital where a preliminary examination showed she suffered a concussion but no broken bones, officials said.

Although unincorporated, Sand Springs thriving

Sand Springs is not an incorporated municipality, but rather a location and people who live there are proud to claim it.

"We're not from Big Spring and we're not from Coahoma, we're from Sand Springs," one resident claimed this week.

The Sand Springs inhabitants are a rather solid voting bloc on some issues. They usually back a person from their locality for such positions as members of the Coahoma Independent School Board or the water district board.

Caught in the middle in a manner of speaking, the group of people have opted to live in a rural area because they like a little more room and a little more freedom.

Some of them like to keep a horse or chickens or other domestic animals. Some of them simply like to have a little more elbow room.

They often get accused of simply trying to avoid municipal taxes, but this is not necessarily true, because most of them select to live in a suburban area for entirely different reasons.

Recent attempts by part of the residents to incorporate were abandoned after they

found that the limitation lines they had drawn came within the two mile jurisdiction of Big Spring.

But not too many of them were really bothered by not being able to incorporate. They have thus far been able to solve any problems that arise.

Sand Springs is strung out along IS 20, but originally

Fire academy sought here

The City of Big Spring this week filed an application with the National Fire Academy to try to obtain a facility here.

The national academy is to set up training centers throughout the United States where seminars and classes would be taught in fire fighting.

The facility would employ around 200 persons and would hold seminars that would include up to 1,000 students at a time, staying in local motels while they took the course.

"When we heard about the prospect, we knew that Big Spring was definitely interested," Harry Nagel, city manager said here this week. Paul Feazelle, administrative assistant for the city and Tom Roy, chamber industrial director, have worked this week on getting the application in before the deadline Thursday.

Poison case postponed

DURANT, Okla. (AP)—The preliminary hearing for a Durant exterminator has been postponed until next month because authorities are awaiting chemical analysis of a poison believed responsible for the deaths of three small children last month.

J.D. Jones, 20, is charged with second-degree manslaughter in the death of one of the children. He had been scheduled to appear Tuesday before Special District Court Judge Phillip Douglas.

But officials are awaiting results of chemical testing by a Denver hospital where one of the three young victims died.

Chavez remains in grave shape

Ismael Chavez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ricardo Chavez, continues to be in critical condition in Odessa Medical Center following two recent brain surgeries on a malignant tumor.

The family expressed appreciation to all who have donated to a special fund at Security State Bank here.

His slow recovery includes continued expenses and special treatments. The family asked that anyone who would still like to donate to call Ramon Garcia or Grace Garcia at 263-3638 or simply deposit donations in the Ismael Chavez fund at Security State.

Judge reserves decision in discrimination suit

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — The sex discrimination hearing involving University of Texas art teacher Janet Berry has concluded after two weeks of testimony.

William Naimark, administrative law judge with the Department of Labor, said Tuesday he would reach no decision in the case until at least September.

Mrs. Berry says the school will not lose its \$29 million in federal research grants even if the Department of Labor determines that the school failed to promote her to associate professor because of her sex.

Theoretically, the grants could be canceled under an executive order signed by President Lyndon Johnson if it is determined that Mrs. Berry was discriminated against.

Asked by a reporter about the school's possible loss of those grants, Mrs. Berry said: "That's never going to happen."

Why?

"Because the government is just as corrupt as the university... They want to get their research done."

School officials have testified that Mrs. Berry was not promoted in 1971 because she lacked a Ph.D. She

responded by citing the case of a male art professor who also lacked a Ph.D. but was promoted.

Another art professor, Dr. Eleanor Greenhill, testified that Mrs. Berry "doesn't complete any course" in beginning art history, leaving students unprepared for advanced courses in medieval art.

On cross-examination, Dr. Greenhill said she had not observed Mrs. Berry's teaching. She said it was "common knowledge" that Mrs. Berry failed to complete courses.

Dorothy Stuck, director of civil rights in the U. S. Health, Education and Welfare Department's Dallas office, testified that when she attempted to negotiate Mrs. Berry's complaint in 1973 with Stephen Spurr, then president of UT, Spurr replied that the school was not interested in negotiating.

Eliza Doolittle gets plastered

NEW YORK (AP) — While Henry Higgins was worrying about getting to the church on time, Eliza Doolittle was in the hospital having stitches for a gash on her head.

Christine Andreas, who plays Miss Doolittle in the current Broadway production of "My Fair Lady," was sitting in her dressing room shortly before curtain time Tuesday night when a chunk of plaster fell from the ceiling and struck her on the head.

She went to New York Hospital and her understudy, Vickie Patrik, filled in as the tutored, Cockney flower vendor.

Seymour Krawitz, spokesman for the production, said he expected Miss Andreas to return by today's matinee performance.

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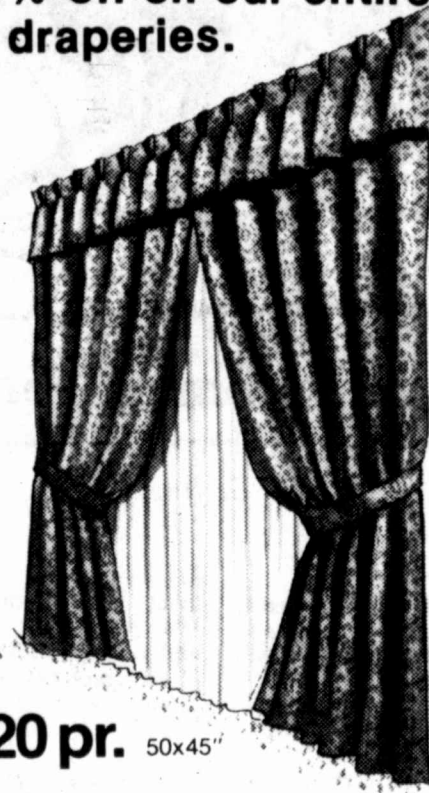
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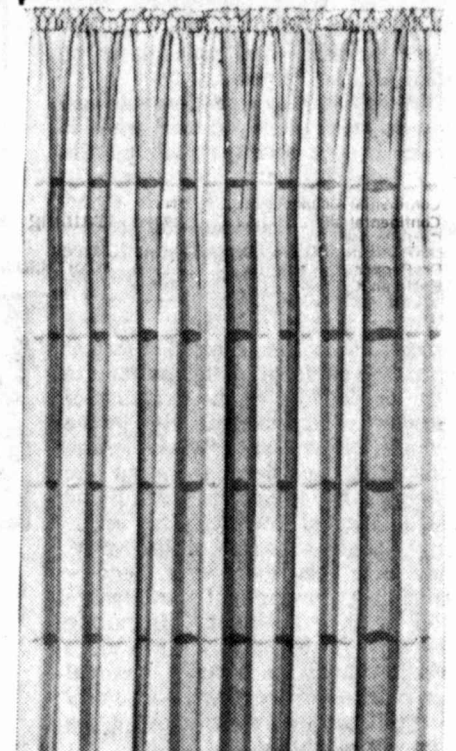
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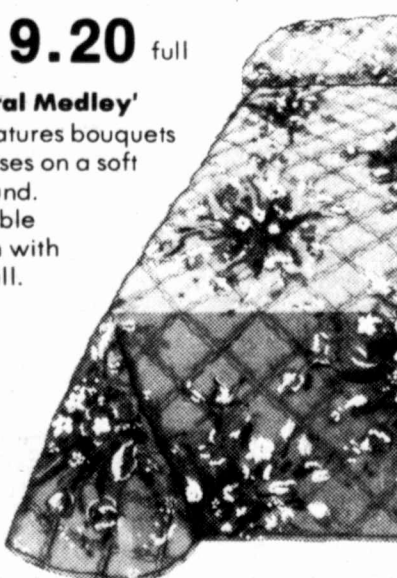
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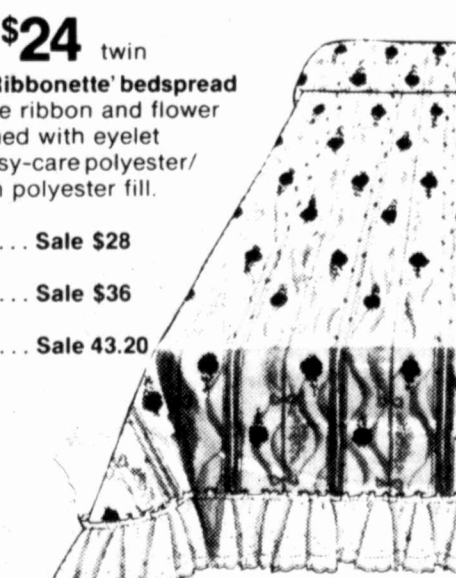
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Publisher's corner

Best trait of U.S. journalism

"All the President's Men" is a tough movie. If you haven't already seen it and you are interested in either recent American history or politics, you will find it fascinating.

THE MOVIE IS playing locally at the R-70 Theatre where it was held over last week. It is a new movie, and Big Spring is fortunate to be able to view it so soon after its premiere.

The film will most certainly be among the most important of the year, and its setting of exactly four years ago as the nation was re-electing President Nixon will have impact as we go about selecting our president this summer and fall.

First, let me warn you. The language in the movie is rough. The expletives which were deleted from the transcripts of President Nixon were not deleted from the conversations of reporters and editors. Don't go if strong

language offends you.

The Watergate story is one that everyone knows the ending. The movie is about the beginning, and the determination of two relatively unknown reporters from the Washington Post who made the nation face the seriousness of what had been described as a "third-rate burglary" but was, in fact, a part of a much broader attempt at using power and covert activities to disrupt the election process in this country. The dangers in this type of subversion are self-evident.

The two reporters, Bob Woodward and Carl Bernstein, are the protagonists in this film. It's not often that reporters are portrayed in hero roles, probably because it is not often that they deserve such a treatment.

BUT THE TWO reporters and the editors of the Washington Post do this instance. They dug the story out, they

checked everything from as many sources as they could, and they stood by it in the face of tremendous White House pressure and criticism.

Almost everything that Woodward and Bernstein ran about Watergate later proved true. Their batting average in this respect was quite incredibly high. And it had to be, because the one major mistake they did make almost destroyed the Post's believability as the White House counterattacked with everything it had.

The film is realistic. The two reporters do not come across as white knights. But they do display the best trait of American journalism: a dogged search for the truth no matter who might be affected, even a president.

The acting carries the movie along with suspense through a plot as detailed and confusing as the actual Watergate affair. The cast is tops, with Robert Redford and Dustin Hoffman playing

the reporters and Jason Robards portraying the famous Post editor Ben Bradlee.

Newspapers do not always perform so admirably as the Post did in this circumstance. Sometimes newspapers make big mistakes; sometimes newspapers overlook stories that should be pursued; and on rare occasions, some newspapers even bow to the kind of intimidation which was placed on the Post.

BUT MOST newspaper editors I have known are uncommonly fair men. Through their profession they have developed a keen sense of what is just and true.

Newspapers like the Post are in the front lines in the constant battle for truth and freedom, and I believe that neither of those ideals can exist for long without the other.

—J. TOM GRAHAM

Travel routines

Around the rim

Julie Simmons

Most of the people I know have developed certain routines of travel. I observed my travel patterns this past weekend when I went home for Easter and in doing so was reminded of other little quirks I have noticed in my friends.

ON THE DAY I am to leave I try to remember not to eat anything for dinner so I can stop at Der Wiener-schnitzel in Lubbock for a mouth-watering chili-cheese dog. I used to get a double bonus for my faithful patronage to Der Wiener-schnitzel when they were "giving away" a Coca-Cola stained glass for 50 cents. In fact, my entire glass collection is composed of two different kinds of Coke glasses given away by Der Wiener-schnitzel.

I have a contest going with myself to find the cheapest gas station in Lubbock. After living there for a year and a half I know which stations to hit for some 45.9 cents per gallon gas.

My folks usually devise some sort of welcome home for me since I don't get back to Phillips too often. On the way home Friday night I speculated whether they would be asleep to let me find the welcome on my own or if they would be awake to show it to me.

As soon as I pulled into the driveway I figured they would be asleep. Evidently they were giving me a hint that I had not been home often enough to please them. On the garage door my father had taped up a sign that said, "Visitors park here."

The rug at the front door had "Welcome Home" printed on it in charcoal. Dad had tacked one of his caricatures of him and mother on the door waving to me.

AS I ENTERED the house they had printed signs giving me directions to my room and other rooms in the house in case I had forgotten.

But I got back at them. I woke them up and told them how much I enjoyed their humor.

Whenever my father takes off on a weekend trip or even a Sunday drive he dons a golf cap. He has built up quite a collection of hats from industrial supply companies, country clubs and other businesses. I even have one of his from International Harvester. Dad's habits are contagious — I wore it home from one of my weekend visits.

One of my childhood friends always played a horse-counting game when she wasn't wrestling with her sister. They would count white horses and whoever saw one first would lick her fingers and slap them down on her palm. Supposedly the white horses equalled kisses with their boyfriends or frogs on each other. They usually ended up froggng each other black and blue on vacation.

My brother and his wife went through a stage where they would always pack a picnic lunch to eat on the way to their destination. They just didn't want to expose innocent restaurant owners and other customers to the antics of their two boys after being confined in a car for five hours.

ONE OF MY best friends has a habit of sleeping through an entire trip. We have gone several places together and it has always been in my car. I warn her to stay awake because I refuse to let her sleep "this time." When we've been gone for about 30 minutes I glance over at her and her eyes are closed but she has remained in a rigid position. Soon she slumps down in the seat and off to dreamland she goes.

I have tried playing the radio, whistling and talking to her and nothing will keep her awake. Her boyfriend told me she weekend that she had slept during a drive through the Colorado mountains in a snow storm. And she was trying to tell me how frightening it had been. I bet she dreamed it all.

Anyone for slavery?

Art Buchwald

WASHINGTON — The ethnic issue has become a major one in this year's campaign. Every presidential candidate, in one way or another, has assured his audiences that, while he is not for ethnic purity, he doesn't believe the government should get into the business of ethnic impurity.

I have a black colleague who is very nervous about the direction the campaign is taking.

"THEY DON'T talk about unemployment, corruption in government or tax reform any more. They're all tripping over themselves trying to explain that, while they think blacks should live anywhere they want to, the government should not do anything to hurt the neighborhood."

"That's reasonable," I said to Wilson. "If you're a candidate, the ethnic vote is very important in this country and it would be political suicide to get those people mad."

"I agree. But what worries me is that some reporter is going to ask a candidate what he thinks about slavery. Suppose the newspaperman says 'Are you in favor of repealing the Thirteenth Amendment?' What's the politician going to say?"

"I'm certain he'll say he's against bringing back slavery," I said. "I'm not too sure," Wilson said. "The South is very important to the election and most of the candidates might waffle on it, just as they have on ethnic purity."

"What do you mean?" "Well, one candidate might say, 'Everyone knows my record on slavery, and I don't believe in it. At the same time I do not think it's Washington's job to say to people they can't own slaves if they want them. I think each area should make its own decision on whether they think slaves are good or bad for the community.'"

"I CAN'T believe that, Wilson. Every one of the candidates is an honorable man and there would be a furor if a candidate even hinted he was for slavery."

"Maybe. But then what would happen after the furor is that the candidate would apologize and say he didn't mean it the way it came out. The bad thing is that it would become an issue in the campaign and the reporters would ask all the candidates where they stood on slavery."

"Wouldn't they denounce it?" "Not during the primaries. There are a lot of states where the proslavery forces could swing an election. What would happen is that one candidate would say, 'I do not believe in slavery per se, but with the high unemployment in the country we shouldn't discard it out of hand.' Another candidate would attack his opponents for raising the slavery issue, but would go on the record as saying, 'The economy comes first, and if we can reduce the welfare bill in this country by bringing slavery back I think it will benefit all Americans, of every race, creed and color.'"

WILSON CONTINUED, "The best we can hope for is a candidate saying, 'I am not prepared to discuss the slavery issue at this time, but if I am elected President I will appoint a

commission to look into it." "Wilson," I said, "I think you're overreacting. I don't believe slavery will become an issue in the campaign. There are so many other important issues like the Panama Canal that I can't conceive of that becoming one."

"What about 'ethnic purity'?" No one thought that would be an issue, but when it came up the media ran with it like O. J. Simpson. By the way, where will you stand on it if it does come up?"

"Well, I don't like slavery any better than anybody else," I said. "And I wouldn't vote for anyone who comes out for the repeal of the Thirteenth Amendment. At the same time, if it could bring down the price of cotton and tobacco and increase our balance of trade with other nations, I don't see anything wrong with having a pilot program to see if it would work. But it should be done on a local level. I would hate to see the Washington bureaucrats get involved with it because they would only screw it up."

There is growing concern here in Georgia and elsewhere in the nation over the tendency of all echelons of government to overregulate our lives.

It appears that once an ordinary mortal is elected to office he believes he is automatically endowed with manifest wisdom with which to direct the lives and living conditions of those ordinary mortals who are not elected to office.

While we have not yet arrived at the ludicrous state of affairs found in the Federal Republic of Germany, if we accept increasing government interference in our lives we shall shortly find ourselves there.

In West Germany there are laws to tell merchants when they can open, when they must close. They may open no earlier than 7 a.m. and close no later than 6:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. On Saturday they are required to close at 2 p.m.

In Haan, West Germany, an enterprising grocer sought to defy the law. He would sell to anyone at any time. And for a while he got away with it. But his competitors sought government interference. He has been fined \$2,000 and warned that he will be fined \$8,000 if he sells anything after 6:30 p.m.

Free spirit that he is, the grocer noted that in today's competitive world the only way to succeed is to "give extra service and show a little imagination." But the Bonn government will not permit him to do this.

He describes this as "insane." And it seems insane to us. But this sort of government insanity will triumph unless those who believe in individual rights and freedom reject with vigor the tendency of government to regulate our every move.

—Atlanta (Ga.) Journal and Constitution

High noon

Rowland Evans

WASHINGTON — The landslide of Palestinian nationalists and radicals in municipal elections on the Israeli-occupied West Bank last Monday (April 12) has now forced postponement of an Israeli cabinet showdown on new Jewish settlements, but only briefly.

ANY MANEUVER by Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin to halt the new-settlements movement, a political-religious phenomenon strongly and emotionally backed by the Religious Parties, would be interpreted as weak-kneed reaction to the radical electoral sweep in Arab towns and cities on the West Bank. As such, it would probably be doomed to failure, despite growing concern within the Israeli government over American pressures to force a change in the explosive West Bank issue of new Jewish settlements.

But the battle over settlements can only be briefly delayed, and when it comes in late spring it will pit the most powerful competing forces in Israeli politics against each other, with the results certain to have a profound effect on the political future of Israel, Rabin and Israeli-Arab relations.

What makes a new policy inescapable is the frenzied effort of more than 100 deeply religious Jews to settle at Kaddum on the outskirts of Nablus, the largest Arab city in the occupied West Bank. When Prime Minister Rabin ordered them out late last year, they refused to give up and instead started housekeeping under army safeguard a few miles away. They have been there ever since — demanding government sanction to build their settlement, infuriating West Bank Arabs and posing one more volatile threat to Israel's political manipulation of the West Bank, now more difficult than ever following the municipal elections.

RABIN'S TRICKY problem in moving toward a cabinet showdown on the proposed settlement of Kaddum and the general question of new settlements is that it could risk his control over his own government. That control is now based on a narrow majority in Parliament which might disappear if the Religious Parties quit the governing coalition in retaliation.

Indeed, major Religious Party defections from the Rabin government are believed unavoidable if the effort to choke off new Jewish settlements, with Foreign Minister Yigal Allon leading the attack, succeeds.

Allon, a prominent cabinet dove, and his allies are pitted against Defense Minister Shimon Peres, the Religious Parties (with three cabinet members) and other government hawks. On the outside, the opposition Likud party, totally opposed to any concessions that would reduce Israeli claims to occupied Arab territories, will maneuver for an overthrow of Rabin and their own assumption of power.

This lethal internal political battle comes at a time when the whole Mideast is on the edge of another precipice in war-ravaged Lebanon, where Syrian intervention threatens to induce Israeli intervention. Yet, it is Rabin's misfortune to have ducked the explosive settlements issue for much too long, an avoidance that can be partly traced to the overall weakness of his government.



Woman 'leaves dignity'

Dr. G. C. Thosteson

Dear Dr. Thosteson: You "socked it to us again," didn't you? I mean advising a woman reader to have a pelvic examination.

How can you justify asking a woman to face an experience known to be traumatic for many of us? Why, after a woman has had a traumatic experience once, is she still denied anesthesia? What are we supposed to do? It's like a dozen shocks to your psyche, your ego, not to mention the pelvic area itself.

I'm not trying to be crude. I'm trying to make you understand some of the feelings that are instinctive with us. Some women can get through it, but virtually every one abhors it. The last time I felt as though I left every bit of my dignity and pride on that examination table.

I can't even look at one of the tables without my heart pounding and my throat closing. Would you be kind enough to express your feelings about my problem? — P. O.

Your letter does not reflect the feelings of most women patients — not even many. Nor does your apparently unfortunate experience reflect the professional and sensitive manner in which most pelvic examinations are conducted. The only thing "left" in the examining room are the concerns about their physical well-being that bring women there in the first place. Dignity and pride are left intact.

The exceptions are few for the simple reason that most physicians (at least those of my acquaintance) are fully sensitive to the feelings of women such as yourself. It is true that not all physicians emerge from medical schools with the same examination-room manners. But if your recent experience has offended you, you have every right to seek another doctor.

I certainly advise you to get this

thing behind you in some way. Thorough pelvic examinations have been a major factor in the discovery of such problems as vaginitis, pelvic tumors, even cancer. You needn't sacrifice any pride and dignity in the process.

Anesthesia is just not practical for the routine pelvic examination, and it is used only under certain conditions, when pain or undue pressure may be factors.

You should learn to accept the fact that your pelvis is as much a part of your anatomy as is your hand or your foot. This is how the physician understands the situation, and so should you.

In a more temperate moment you might agree with me.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I have a friend who is going to have a cataract removed shortly, and he is very concerned about what happens after the operation. He has heard from someone that he will never be able to bend down again or lift anything heavy.

He is a laborer and is worried that he'll have to stop work. What is the period of caution and inactivity after a cataract operation? — Miss B. P.

Your friend has a poor source for his information.

Cataract removal is not a protracted procedure, and it requires only minor post-operative inconvenience, especially where one eye is

involved at a time. The typical hospital stay is from seven to ten days and the average patient can return to work in about six weeks.

The patient is advised to avoid strenuous activity for a period after the operation, the length depending in part on the type of work involved. The bending-over restriction would last for a couple of weeks after the surgery. Within a short time, your friend should be ready for special glasses or contact lenses.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: You recently stated there is no way to decide the sex of a baby in advance. Do you completely discredit all that has been written about the theory of timing intercourse with the ovulation date and also using vinegar or baking soda douches? — Mrs. C. K. C.

Yes. Unless properly treated, both glaucoma and cataracts can lead to blindness. If you are afflicted with either of these ailments, or know someone who is, write to Dr. Thosteson, in care of The Herald, for his booklet, "Cataracts and Glaucoma." Enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 25 cents.

Dr. Thosteson welcomes reader mail but regrets that, due to the tremendous volume received daily, he is unable to answer individual letters. Readers' questions are incorporated in his column whenever possible.

My answer

Billy Graham

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: When God said, "Let us make man in our image" (Genesis 1:26), to whom was He referring by the use of the word "us"? — S. R.

DEAR S.R.: This quotation suggests that God was engaged in some form of consultation over the creation of man. This puts man in a special category, for the phrase "Let us" is not used in relation to any other act of creation. God simply said, "Let there be light," and there was light (Genesis 1:3); but when it came to man, God paused and said, "Let us

The word "us" needs to be seen in relation to the word "our" in the same sentence: "Let US make man in OUR image." God has manifested Himself in three different ways — as Father, Son and Holy Spirit. We therefore refer to God as a Trinity — three Persons in one God. The expression

"Let us" can be taken simply as God reasoning with Himself that He would make man in His own likeness. Man was given a spirit, just as God is a spirit, and so man becomes distinct from all other forms of creation. This verse suggests that the whole of the Godhead — Father, Son and Spirit — were involved in the creation of man. There is a sense in which man is also a trinity, for he has a body, a soul and a spirit.

It seems clear, therefore, that the spirit is a very important part of man's makeup. Yet this is the one side that the world neglects. The world gives all of its attention to the mind and the body, but a man is complete only when he is equally strong in body, soul and spirit. Only then are we truly in the likeness of God as He first intended: "Those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son" (Romans 8:29, Revised Standard Version).

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"I may disagree with what you have to say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire

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VARIETY OF ART—Martha Conway of Sand Springs, who paints under the name of Dalmar, is shown with three of her typical paintings including an abandoned home in the Moore community, one of many outhouses that she has painted and the Louisiana Washday that won a prize for her the first year she started painting.

Art world waited long time for Dalmar works

By MARJ CARPENTER
Martha Conway admits to being one of the "characters that likes it out around Sand Spring." As an artist, she uses the name Dalmar, which is a combination of her first name and that of her husband's. He is Dalton Conway.

She plans to eventually open an arts and crafts type shop in the old Buckhorn Cafe building on the South Service Road near Salem Road.

She has become best known for the fact that she sketches and paints outhouses. "That's a bit of Americana that's soon going to be gone," the artist claims. "So are big old barns and windmills," Dalmar adds.

"I paint because I like to paint," she states emphatically. "It's nice to win ribbons at art shows and it's thrilling to sell a painting, but even if I do neither, I would still paint."

She was in the original group that helped start the Big Spring Art Association, which has become so active in the cultural community.

PORTRAIT TRAINING
Her art instruction has included her beginning teacher, Addie Mae Miller. She took portrait training from Rene Mazza of Dallas, modern art from Arnold Leouard, Midland; general from Mary Raley and Virginia Whitten of Big Spring; landscape from David Slade of Arizona and acrylic from Diana Fleming

of Big Spring.

At the very first show, her painting called "Louisiana Wash Day" was named best in show. "I'm sure this was greeted in horror by many of the local artists. I think some referred to it as a semi-primitive. But my paintings are often referred to as semi this and semi that. Or sometimes, people will say, 'Well, it's interesting, but what about technique?'"

Dalmar's "Louisiana Wash Day" is a memory portrait of wash day at the farm where she grew up in Louisiana. It includes memories which her children asked her to include — such as the lone turkey that strutted around the farm and a proud old rooster.

Her children are all grown and gone. Mrs. Charles Gray is in Illinois. Mrs. Ann Talbott is in Los Angeles. Dalton LeRoy works at a refinery in Corpus Christi and Mrs. Hector Rosario is in New York. One of the four, Ann, is a professional artist.

Dalmar was rebuffed when a child drew pictures. "Don't waste time on that," she was told.

When her children were growing up, she briefly tried it, but the paint was always strewn all over the house. "So I just waited."

She has 60 or 70 snapshots of outhouses, including one that used to be next door and some that used to be all along the Gulf Coast, up

through Arkansas and in Illinois.

SOLD A FEW
She has one pen and ink sketch of an outhouse that she has made into a print with an original poem about the "Old John." It has been advertised nationally and she has sold quite a few.

She originally moved to Sand Springs because she kept show dogs. When she gave up the dogs for painting, she found that at least paintings didn't have to be fed and groomed.

She was a legal secretary until a slipped disc in her back caused her to "take it easier."

But to Dalmar, taking it easier will mean opening an art shop and attending art shows.

"Might as well do what we enjoy," is her theory. "I paint what I like and I have fun doing it," she will tell you.

Her paintings she took to an art show in Brownfield this week included a miniature, and two narrative paintings.

One of them especially tickled her fancy. It was called "Inflation." It showed an over-inflated woman at a meat counter with over-inflated prices. A small child chewed inflated bubble gum and held an inflated balloon. The picture was absolutely loaded with inflation.

And Dalmar — she painted it because she enjoyed doing it. Her love of life absolutely bubbles over into her pictures.

Cars of whites stoned by gang

BOSTON (AP) — A roving gang of about 100 black youths stoned the cars of whites who drove through their neighborhood during a second night of racial violence in Boston, while the victim of a gang beating the night before clung to life.

Richard Poleet, 34, a white auto mechanic who was dragged from his car and beaten in the predominantly black Roxbury section, was unconscious and on the danger list early today after extensive brain surgery.

One source said, "The outlook is extremely grim. His situation is desperate."

Two people were arrested for allegedly beating Poleet Monday night, and the FBI said it has joined the search for more of the 15 to 20 black youths reported responsible.

Police blocked off a mile of streets through the adjacent Mattapan section for nearly three hours Tuesday night in an effort to stop the stonings there.

They said that at least six whites suffered cuts from flying glass.

At least 10 windshields were shattered in Mattapan before the disturbance ended about midnight. No arrests were made.

Boston has been the scene of sporadic racial violence since a federal court ordered busing of pupils to desegregate the city's schools a year ago.

Extra policemen were on duty in many parts of the city, and volunteers manned a 24-hour crisis information watch in Roxbury and patrolled the streets with two-way radios in South Boston.

Political and civic leaders expressed shock and dismay Tuesday over Poleet's beating and other racial violence that has beset the city.

This week's violence by blacks against whites followed two attacks by young whites on blacks.

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Bidding for votes in Texas

Wives of Ford, Reagan carry campaign ball

By The Associated Press
The names of Betty Ford and Nancy Reagan will not be on the Republican ballot in Texas' May 1 Republican primary, but they want GOP voters to remember their husbands.

The candidates' wives are carrying the bulk of the campaign work across the state this week. President Ford and former California Gov. Ronald Reagan, who have campaigned in Texas in recent weeks, will be back next week before the vote.

But this week it's the wives' turn at the hustings.

Mrs. Ford, who picked up a citizens band radio handle as "First Mamma" as she finished her campaigning in San Antonio Thursday, carried the Ford message to the Rio Grande Valley and Corpus Christi next. After spending the night in Corpus Christi, Mrs. Ford will campaign today in Southeast Texas.

Mrs. Reagan arrived Tuesday afternoon in Denton, greeted campaign workers in Waco and proceeded to Odessa, where she spent the night. She planned appearances today

in Odessa and Kerrville before going to San Antonio later this afternoon.

In Harlingen, Mrs. Ford was met Tuesday by a group of Mexican-American dancers. She clapped as she listened to the Mexican Hat Dance. She also visited an elementary school where two children presented her a Bicentennial scrapbook. In Corpus Christi, she attended a private reception and campaigned at a shopping mall.

Mrs. Reagan told campaign workers in Waco that her husband's candidacy was "healthy for the Republican party." She said

a victory for Reagan in the Texas primary would mean the GOP presidential nomination could "possibly go down to Kansas City undecided."

Mrs. Reagan will participate in the Fiesta Week ceremonies in San Antonio tonight. Mrs. Ford took part in the festivities there earlier this week.

Mrs. Ford's schedule for today called for her to participate in San Jacinto Day ceremonies at the San Jacinto monument in Southeast Texas. She will spend the rest of the day campaigning in Beaumont area and spend the night there.

Storms depart

By The Associated Press
Storms besieging Texas departed, and calm weather returned throughout the state today.

Skies cleared except for occasional early morning fog near the Lower Texas Coast. Forecasts promised it would be sunny and mild in all sections.

Remnants of a cold front blamed for the latest round of tornadoes and thunderstorms dissipated in the Gulf of Mexico, where a few showers died down before daybreak.

Early morning temperatures ranged from 37 degrees at Amarillo in the Panhandle up to 70 at Corpus Christi on the coast. Top marks Tuesday went as high as 89 at Presidio in extreme West Texas.

Farm markets

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) — Cattle 200. Slaughter cows weak to 50 lower; few slaughter bulls steady; feeder cattle and calves fully steady in a limited price test. Slaughter cows: utility 2.3 20.00-23.00, high dressing individual 34.50, cutter 1.2 27.00-31.50. Slaughter bulls: 1 1915 lb individual 39.25, 1.2 1200-1810 lbs 35.00-37.75. Feeders: choice 340-500 lb steers 49.00-51.50. Choice 330-385 lb heifers 39.25-41.25. 450-525 lbs 39.00-39.75, good and choice 375-475 lbs 37.00-37.75, good 325-425 lbs 34.00-36.00, 150 lb baby holstein calves 32.50. Good 375-450 lb bulls 39.00-33.90. Choice stock cow and calf pairs 40.50 per pair.

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Thefts

Ellis Henderson, 404 Glasgo, reported the theft of his home, 6:16 p.m., Tuesday. According to police reports, entry was gained through the north window of the home's west bathroom. Stolen was a cassette tape player, and a combination eight-track tape player and radio. Estimated value is \$124.95.

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She isn't talking

Will Barbara Walters leave Jim for Harry?

NEW YORK (AP) — Will Barbara Walters leave Jim for Harry?

Miss Walters isn't saying. NBC says it's continuing negotiations with the "Today" show star to renew her contract. And ABC says it, too, is negotiating with Miss Walters.

ABC reportedly is offering Miss Walters a five-year contract at \$1 million a year to coanchor the "ABC Evening News" with Harry Reasoner.

In addition to becoming the first woman to regularly present the evening news over a major network, Miss Walters would also become the highest paid news personality in television history if she accepts the reported multimillion dollar ABC offer.

Miss Walters, who began with "Today" in 1961 and now serves as cohost with former NBC news commentator Jim Hartz, wasn't available for comment on her contract talks.

A spokesman for NBC News said Tuesday that Miss Walters is nearing the end of negotiations with the network on a new contract.

"It may be as little as hours or as long as days"

Civil rights worth dollar?

POTEAU, Okla. (AP)—The lawyer told jurors it really didn't matter whether they returned "50 cents or the \$25,000" James Tolbert was seeking in a damage suit.

The main thing, said the lawyer, was that the jury find in favor of his client, who alleged that former Poteau auxiliary policeman Forrest Woods, now a Tulsa police officer, violated Tolbert's civil rights last October during an arrest on a public drunkenness count and a routine traffic violation.

Ninety minutes after the closing statements were made, the jurors filed back into the courtroom with their decision in favor of Tolbert.

The damage judgment: \$1.

before she decides anything, the spokesman said. "Hopefully, we'll be announcing that she's renewing her contract with us."

And an ABC spokesman said Tuesday night, "At this point this is all that ABC will say: 'We are negotiating with Barbara Walters.'"

Early this month, Miss

Walters, whose current three-year contract with NBC expires in September, confirmed a report that she had met with ABC officials to discuss the possibility of coanchoring the "ABC Evening News" with Reasoner.

She emphasized then, however, that "it was just a

preliminary meeting. There was no firm offer, just, 'Would you be interested?'"

Reasoner told The Associated Press Tuesday night that if Miss Walters accepts the reported ABC contract, "I'd be fascinated to see what happens. I don't think anybody knows what would happen."

Asked if he would consider quitting if she were hired, Reasoner said, "That kind of discussion would be between me and my boss. How do people put it — I won't confirm or deny."

Reasoner said he had "no idea" what ABC has offered Miss Walters.

"There's no reason why I should. One of the few areas where I'm not neurotic is about what others make. I make enough," he said.

The 53-year-old Reasoner wouldn't say exactly what his salary is, but he said he signed a second five-year contract with ABC last year for more than \$200,000 a year.



AT LEAST WAR FUTURE'S BRIGHT — NBC says it's continuing negotiations with "Today" show cohost Barbara Walters to renew her contract and ABC says it too is negotiating with Miss Walters. ABC reportedly is offering her a five-year contract at \$1 million a year to coanchor the "ABC Evening News" program.

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Lori Brown is hospitalized

Lori Dawn Brown, 2½-year-old daughter of Larry Brown and Lisa Brown, both of Big Spring, underwent major surgery in the Lubbock Methodist Hospital last Friday and remains in the intensive care unit of the hospital. Little hope is held for her recovery.

The child was injured in an

automobile wreck while she and her mother were returning from Midland. Lisa Brown was only slightly injured in the mishap.

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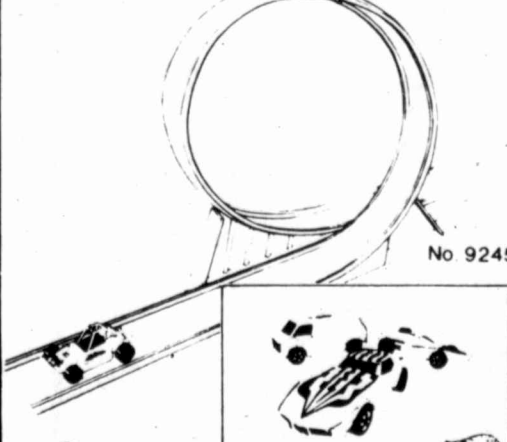
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Alred summarizes petroleum course

Desk and Derrick Club members, meeting Monday evening at Coker's, heard Clayton Alred, earth science teacher at Runnels Junior High School, in a firsthand account of the Petroleum Institute for Educators.

The comprehensive three-week course conducted each summer on the University of Houston campus is sponsored by the Oil Information Committee of Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association. Among the participating sponsors are Cosden and American Petrofina.

Alred enthusiastically labeled the Institute as "a valuable learning experience." Designed to give educators a broader knowledge of the oil industry, the Institute offers three hours of graduate credit. The Big Spring teacher was one of eighty educators enrolled last summer.

Besides professors from several universities, the Institute faculty is composed of knowledgeable, experienced career men from the oil industry. Morning schedules were packed with lectures on topics ranging from historical geology to

modern drilling techniques and today's international energy scene. Exploration, production, refining and marketing, along with the disciplines which tie them together, were discussed as were conservation and pollution control.

The educators spent afternoons on field trips to a refinery, gas plant, research center and drilling equipment manufacturer. There were also tours of Texas historical landmarks and entertainment centers, as extracurricular activity.

Alred holds a BS degree in chemistry and biology from Angelo State University. He will be a candidate this fall for a master's degree in education, with administrative certification, from Sul Ross University.

Mrs. Helen Hunt, program chairman, introduced the speaker and welcomed his wife as a guest.

Mrs. John Rains, president, announced that the May 17 meeting will be a special event, to be held at 7 p.m. at the Texas Electric Reddy Room. Mrs. Stanley Ballou and Mrs. A. G. Perkins head the planning group for this meeting.

Local women to attend Desk & Derrick meeting

Some 250 members of the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs of North America are expected to attend the annual Spring Region V Meeting being held in Abilene Friday through Sunday with headquarters at the Downtowner Inn.

Attending from the Big Spring Club will be delegate Ms. Kaye McDaniel, Mrs. W. E. Barnett, Mrs. Leon Kinney and Mrs. Paul Sheedy.

Jon Rex Jones, Albany independent and immediate past president of the West Central Texas Oil and Gas Association, will be the speaker for the Saturday night banquet. Mrs. Bernice Cleere, oil editor of the San Angelo Standard-Times will be the Saturday luncheon speaker.

Presiding at the meeting will be Mrs. Peggy Bradford, Region V director, who is associated with El Paso Natural Gas Co. at Farmington, New Mexico. Region V encompasses Central, West and North Texas, New Mexico and Arizona.

Theme of the meeting is "You've Come A Long Way Baby." Business sessions will be held Friday afternoon and Saturday morning.

Entertainment includes a trip to Old Abilene Town, where the luncheon will be held Saturday, and a "Flapper Party" Friday night, at which costumes will represent "the Roaring 20's".

Jones, a co-partner in A. V. Jones & Son, served two terms as WESTOGA president and earlier as vice president. He received his BS degree in geology in 1957 from the University of Oklahoma. His topic is "Your Industry Needs You", which will deal with politics relating to the petroleum industry.

Mrs. Cleere, oil editor of the Standard-Times for 25 years, is a charter member of the San Angelo Desk & Derrick and has served twice as president. In a talk entitled "Telling It Like It Is" she will talk about accuracy in reporting oil and gas, discuss the present status of the industry and laud the industry for its accomplishments.

Kay Faught, with Galloway Casing Pulling Co., is president of the Abilene D & D, co-chairmen of the Region V Meeting are Janie Heatly and Linda Schulle, both associated with Sandefer & Andress, Inc.



Dear Abby

Woman says step-son should marry her

DEAR ABBY: I know I've done wrong, but please help me because I'm in such a mess I don't know what to do. I was 15 when my mother died, so my father and I "batched it" for nearly two years. My father finally decided to marry Neva who was 37 and fairly nice-looking. Dad was 57.

Everything would have been fine if I had had any sense, but I started fooling around with Neva when my father was at work. Neva got pregnant. I was scared out of my wits, but Neva said she could make my father think the baby was his, so I shouldn't worry.

Neva had twin boys, and my father was the happiest man on earth. Everything was working out fine until the twins were 8-months-old. Then, with no warning, my father had a heart attack and died. Neva and I were in a state of shock for several days and didn't know what to do.

My father left enough insurance, cash and property for Neva and the twins to live comfortably and for me to go to college. Now Neva doesn't want me to go to college. She wants me to marry her—and help her raise the twins! She says they are as much mine as hers. I want to do what's right, but I don't want to live with Neva the rest of my life. Please help me.

TRAPPED

DEAR TRAPPED: The twins could be your father's—and legally they are his sons, so don't feel duty-bound to marry Neva and sacrifice your college education to stay home and help raise the boys. Keep a respectable distance from Neva, and with a little luck she'll find another man.

DEAR ABBY: Whenever I attend a double-ring ceremony, I wonder if the bride and groom realize that there is no justification whatsoever for a man's wearing a wedding ring.

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Secretaries honored for contributions

Secretaries all over America were lauded today for the vital role they play in business, industry, education, government and the professions to mark Secretaries Day.

Area secretaries participated in a come-and-go luncheon today at the Texas Electric Reddy Room. The luncheon was sponsored by the local chapter of the National Secretaries Association.

During the luncheon women were able to preregister for the educational seminar to be held Saturday at the Big Spring Country Club from 9 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.

The seminar will feature three guest speakers commenting on the theme "The

Secretary—A Total Person." The speakers will be Bill Elkins, Bill Bain and Jack L. Thurman.

Every year since 1952, the last full week of April has been set aside for the observance of Secretaries Week. Wednesday of that week is highlighted as Secretaries Day.

The National Secretaries Association (International), in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Commerce, originated Secretaries Week to bring recognition to all secretaries and to inform the public of the secretary's contribution to the educational, professional and civic growth of the community.

Secretaries week also serves to remind secretaries of their responsibilities to their employers and to their profession.

Westbrook news

BSU youth will lead weekend revival

By MRS. ALTIS CLEMMER
The Baptist Student Union team from Western Texas College in Snyder will lead a revival at the First Baptist Church of Westbrook beginning Friday and continuing through Sunday.

Services will be held each evening at 7:30 with youth fellowships following the services.

Those attending Saturday are asked to bring a basket lunch to share during the noon meal in the fellowship hall after worship services.

Friends and relatives of Mrs. A. K. McCrady helped her celebrate her 82nd birthday on April 11 at the Brookshire Inn, Lubbock.

Attending from Lubbock were Mrs. Gerry Hoekort, David Hoekort, Mr. and Mrs. August Hoekort and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Chisum.

Others at the party were Mrs. Charles Walker, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bell, Westbrook; Mr. and Mrs. Kay McCrady Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crockett, Colorado City.

Mrs. McCrady returned to Westbrook with the Bells.

Mrs. A. C. Moody is home after spending 19 months at Claxton Lodge in Colorado City. She spent last week in Cisco with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moody.

Easter holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ranne were Mrs. G. C. Ranne of Midland, the Eddie Rannes of Lewisville and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Golden of Colorado City.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Clawson included Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clawson of Corpus Christi, Mrs. Alvie Board of Athens, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clawson of Coahoma and the D. L. Sullivan family of Odessa.

The Sullivans also visited with his father, Herman Sullivan, and her parents, the Don Hendersons.

Many friends and relatives celebrated the Easter

Mrs. C. E. Sullivan of Las Cruces, N.M. is a guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sullivan.

Mrs. Dora Fowler was admitted to Root Memorial Hospital on April 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shaw of Fort Stockton spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Lee Shaw.

The Rev. Robert Bracy of Colorado City will speak to the brotherhood of the First Baptist Church in Westbrook at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

All men and boys of the community are invited to attend.

The Gerald Rollins family of Westbrook, Mrs. Joel White of Colorado City and the Dale Gilberts of Abilene spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. Rollins and Mrs. Gilbert's mother, Mrs. C. C. Buchanan in Odessa.

Mrs. W. E. Smith Jr. recently attended the funeral services for her grandfather in Washington.

An Easter program on the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ was presented Sunday evening by the choir of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Johnny Shackelford directed the choir. She was assisted by Mrs. C. E. Ranne, pianist, and Mrs. W. D. Whitesides, organist.

Mrs. Maxey Ware was narrator for the program.

Mrs. W. D. Whitesides hosted a surprise "Come As You Are" brunch Saturday for members of the JOY Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church.

Attending were Mrs. Emory Sweatt, Mrs. Earl Doss, Mrs. C. E. Ranne, Mrs. Lee Shaw, Mrs. D. J. Barber, Mrs. Rex McKenney and Mrs. Bob Manning.

Many friends and relatives celebrated the Easter

holidays with the J. D. Igleharts. Visiting from out-of-town were the Bill Cockes of Allen, the James Quinney Jr. family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whirley of Big Spring, Mrs. Dave McInnis and David of Colorado City and Mrs. Erwin L. Jones of O'Donnell.

Westbrook visitors were Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Stokes, the Cleburn Rich family, Trey Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Rich.

Mrs. Curtis Clemmer was dismissed from Root Memorial Hospital in

Colorado City on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Anderson and family of Austin spent the Easter holiday with their mothers, Mrs. Edd Putman and Mrs. G. L. Anderson.

Other guests of Mrs. Putman were Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Short) Womack of Alaska and the J. D. Gentreys of Merkel.

Other guests of Mrs. Anderson were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson of Fort Worth.

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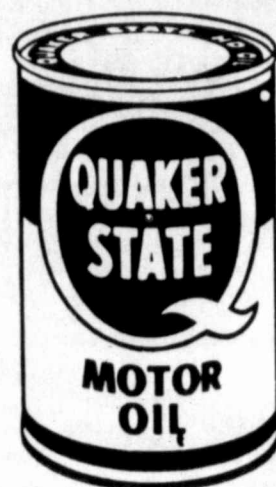
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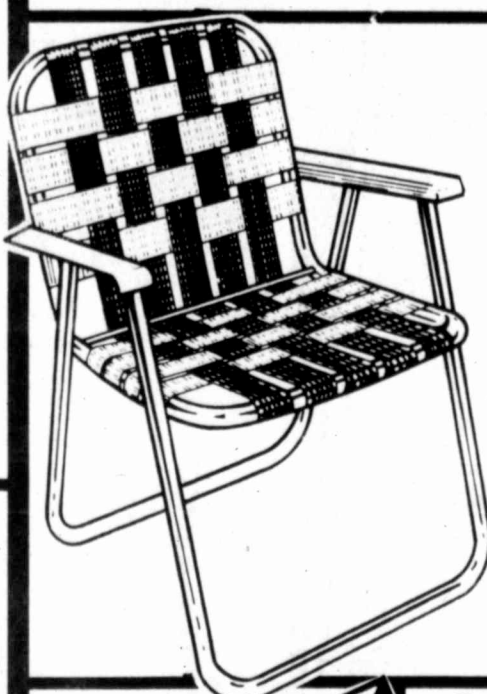
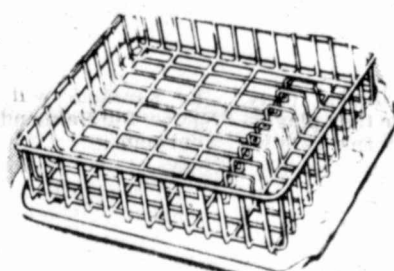
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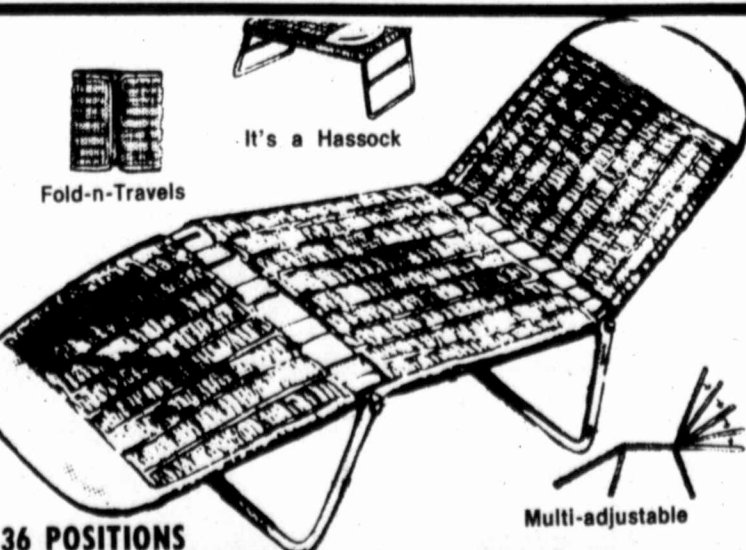
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Despite modest campaign effort in Pennsylvania

Wallace expects 'good showing'

By The Associated Press

Despite a modest campaign effort in Pennsylvania, presidential hopeful George C. Wallace says he expects a "good showing" in the state's Democratic primary election next week.

Wallace, campaigning in Pittsburgh Tuesday, conceded he has not been doing well in his bid for the Democratic nomination. But he said his campaign is viable and solvent.

Two other presidential candidates, Washington Sen. Henry Jackson and former Georgia Gov. Jimmy Carter, spoke to \$100-a-plate fund-raising dinners Tuesday evening. Jackson, in Philadelphia, and Carter, in Pittsburgh, each forecast victory in the state next Tuesday.

Wallace said he expects to spend two or three days campaigning in Pennsylvania before the primary.

All three candidates prepared for more work in Pennsylvania today.

Another of the leaders in the race for the Democratic nomination, Arizona Rep. Morris K. Udall, was in Colorado to lobby for support in the state's May 3 precinct caucuses. He made a series of appearances in Denver and at the University of Colorado in Boulder.

Ronald Reagan, who is challenging President Ford for the Republican nomination, was due in Georgia today. Voting there is May 4.

The former California governor scheduled a full day of campaigning, with rallies, news conferences and television appearances in Macon, Augusta and Savannah on his agenda.

Ford planned to speak by telephone today to a dinner in Milledgeville, Ga., honoring Secretary of Labor W.J. Usery, a native of nearby Hardwick. The President is scheduled to fly to Georgia Friday for some in-person campaigning.

Both Ford and Reagan have done a great deal of work in Texas in advance of the May 1 primary there, and Reagan spent Tuesday in New Mexico, where GOP convention delegates are picked in party caucuses.

Wallace spent part of Tuesday taping radio and television shows and planned campaign stops today in Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Scranton and Erie.

"I'm not doing as well as in 1972, that's academic," Wallace told a news conference. "But I'm not doing as bad as you newsmen imply. Some of you tend to write me off. I hope the voters will show you're wrong."

Wallace has cut back his campaign because of money problems, but he told reporters Tuesday, "We are solvent. We're not going into

debt. I believe in paying off what you owe. Some of the other candidates are in debt."

A committee of more than 50 labor leaders who claim to represent 1.5 million union workers in Pennsylvania announced support of Jackson.

Carter, meantime, called the April 27 Pennsylvania primary "the most important primary of the year."

"Public opinion polls show I'm ahead in every part of the state, but we have a problem getting people who support me to go to the polls."

At a meeting of Denver's Democratic Central Committee, Udall said the public should demand specific answers from the candidates.

"Make sure we're talking issues," Udall said. "The function of these middle primaries is to test us out. Don't pick a candidate idly. Let's insist on the details — the specifics."

Reagan, in Albuquerque, warned that the Social Security program is a fiscal calamity and could collapse in 30 years unless it's completely overhauled.

He told more than 2,000 supporters at a rally that revamping the system would be a top priority if he wins the election.

"That program is \$2.5-trillion out of balance," he said. "About three decades or so down the road the young people of today are going to find the roof falls in if our generation doesn't do something about this program."

According to Social Security analysts, Reagan's estimate of imbalances in the system is unrealistically high, and is predicated on the continuation of obligations without including projected revenues from people who will be joining the work force.

In other developments on the political front Tuesday:

Own tailor

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Dan Hunt is a tailor. His own, to be precise.

Hunt, a 31-year-old high school English teacher, started sewing several years ago to widen the variety of clothes in his closet. He took tailoring classes at a fabric shop and at one time had a full wardrobe of self-made clothes.

He will have to start all over again, however. He has lost 98 pounds, ending up a trim of 172-pounder.

Seaport show

MYSTIC, Conn. (AP) — An exhibit of art, folk art and artifacts acquired by Mystic Seaport during the past six years is being shown through June 1 at the seaport's R. J. Schaefer Building.

The Federal Election Commission said candidates turned in another \$1 million in campaign money requests this week, even though there is no guarantee when, or if, they will get the matching funds.

The new submissions pushed to \$2.37 million the total requests submitted since the funding was cut off by the Supreme Court. Congress is working to restart the flow of money.

—First Lady Betty Ford

campaign for her husband in San Antonio, Tex., through the Rio Grande Valley and into Corpus Christi. She planned to head into southeast Texas today.

Nancy Reagan, meanwhile, spoke on her

husband's behalf in Denton, Tex., greeted campaign workers in Waco and moved on to Odessa. Her schedule for today includes more work in Odessa and then Kerrville before going to San Antonio in the afternoon.

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At least 179 persons killed

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Lebanon's feuding politicians argued today over Christian President Suleiman Franjeh's departure from office and Palestinian participation in ceasefire enforcement while the fighting continued at war level.

Police reported 179 persons killed and 302 wounded Tuesday and today. There was heavy fighting during the night in the Christian-held port area and in Beirut's eastern suburbs and adjacent mountain towns.

Leftist Moslem leader Kamal Jumblatt threatened to establish a Moslem-ruled, Socialist state in which the Christians would be reduced to a powerless minority unless Franjeh delivered his signature on a constitutional amendment authorizing early election of his replacement.

Premier Rashid Karami, a moderate Moslem leader, announced last Saturday that Franjeh had finally signed the amendment, but parliament cannot meet to elect his successor until he delivers it to the speaker of the legislature, Kamel Assaad.

Jumblatt said more delay by Franjeh would allow "the national and progressive forces to announce a national rule and change the political, economic and social regime."

Jumblatt's military forces were on their way to establishing such a regime in early April, but Syrian President Hafez Assad

forced him to halt the advance.

Franjeh, the symbol to the Moslems of the Christians' unwillingness to relinquish their dominant political and economic position in Lebanon, sent a special envoy to Damascus. His mission was to get Assad to remove the Palestinian guerrillas from the machinery Syria is trying to set up to enforce the war's 35th cease-fire, which was supposed to take effect this week.

Franjeh's chief allies, former President Camille Chamoun and Phalange party leader Pierre Gemayel, who control the two largest Christian militias fighting the Moslems, charged that the planned Palestinian participation was an "infringement of Lebanon's freedom."

Palestinian leaders Zohair Mohsen and Abu Ayad sought to reassure the Christians, saying they will not interfere in election of a new president or the changing of the constitution.

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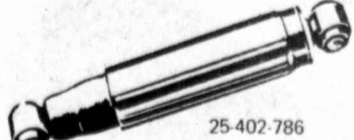
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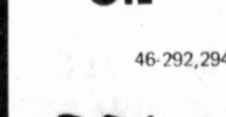
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Ford welcomes debate on America's military strength

'Complete and utter nonsense'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Promising to "not mince words," President Ford said today his political critics who question the nation's military superiority are dealing in "complete and utter nonsense."

In a speech prepared for the annual Continental Congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Ford did not mention his Republican challenger, Ronald Reagan, by name. Reagan has been a chief critic of the administration's national security policy.

"As the 1976 political campaigns have begun to heat up, more and more attention has focused on the issue of America's military strength," Ford declared. While maintaining he welcomes debate on the subject, the President said:

"Unfortunately, too much of the debate so far has been cast in exaggerated rhetoric that tends to mislead and confuse, not to enlighten and clarify."

The importance of the subject "demands that it be addressed honestly, factually and fairly," Ford said.

The President unmistakably referred to Reagan's campaign statements as he asserted: "Recent charges that the United States is in a position of military inferiority and that we have accepted Soviet world domination are complete and utter nonsense."

While defending his own plans for increasing defense outlays to make certain "the United States will remain unsurpassed for years to come," the President said: "We shall also be determined in our efforts to reduce the potential for nuclear holocaust."

Defending negotiations with the Soviet Union to limit strategic arms, Ford said: "Those who argue that the SALT talks jeopardize the security of the United States

are mistaken. In Vladivostok, we began negotiating an agreement which if successfully completed will place equal ceilings on missiles, heavy bombers and multi-warhead missiles."

Acknowledging that important negotiating issues remain unresolved and that there is no guarantee of eventual success, Ford went on: "But under no circumstances will we be stampeded by arbitrary deadlines or demagogic political charges. We will be guided solely by the national interests of the United States."

Asserting that the election year "is still young," Ford said: "There is still time to restore reason and perspective to our debates over national security. Those who seek our nation's highest office have an obligation, I believe, to spell out the alternative directions they propose in our foreign policy and our defense policy. It is not good enough to criticize current policies while refusing to propose specific alternatives. Those who seek the presidency must be equal to its burdens."

Early voting said heavy

Absentee voting for the runoff between city council candidates Jack Watkins and Ralph McLaughlin has been "most heavy," a city spokesman said.

No new ballots arrived by mail today before the 10 a.m. deadline, Maxine Shaffer, assistant finance director, said. The total remains 82, with 11 ballots mailed but not returned in time to be counted.

Of the 3,316 ballots cast in the April 3 city council election, 107 were absentee, Mrs. Shaffer said.

In absentee voting for May 1 primaries, County Clerk Margaret Ray counted 69 Democratic ballots cast and 45 Republican. Yet to be returned today were 33 GOP ballots and 58 Democratic.

New symphony

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — A new symphonic work — commissioned specially for the American Bicentennial celebration — will be given its premier performance here May 16 by the Youth Symphony of Kansas City.

"Overture Mid-America" by Robert Washburn will be introduced at Kansas City's Capri Theater. It will also be performed June 12 and 13 in Philadelphia, when the orchestra of more than 100 young people represents Kansas and Missouri at Bicentennial festivities.

Film leads policemen to suspect in rob job

NEW YORK (AP) — Police say a small roll of undeveloped film found in the New Amsterdam Theater where two armored car guards were shot to death in a holdup attempt helped track down a key suspect in the case.

Four gunmen seized 19 employees of the theater last week, bound them in a women's lounge and waited 90 minutes for the armored car to arrive. Gunfire erupted, and the four fled without any money.

Police said here the developed film contained frames of a police scuba diving operation in the East River and of a fire in the South Bronx. Another showed the interior of an automobile dealership showroom.

Police divers and firemen were questioned, officers said, and they reported seeing a black man taking pictures. Officers then visited nearly every Oldsmobile dealer in the city

and finally located a salesman who said he accepted a purchase application from a man who had taken pictures of the showroom's interior.

The application listed the name of Ralph Scott, 32, of the Bronx. Further checks led to the names of three other men, and police began a search for all four.

Two of them—Antonio Stranza, 38, and Louie Roman, 26—surrendered over the weekend and were charged in the slayings.

Scott and Lawrence Oscar White, 42, sought for questioning, remain at large. Asst. Dist. Atty. Hugh Levine said the film is "exceptionally strong circumstantial evidence."

"Scott knows we have it (the film) and that's why he and White immediately went into hiding."

"We have an exceptionally strong case against them. Now all we have to do is find them and confront them with the evidence."



NEW INSTANT CAMERA SHOWN — Walter A. Fallon, president and chief executive officer of Eastman Kodak, displays the new Kodak RKG instant camera in New York Tuesday. The RKG, listing for \$69.50, features self-developing prints that are ejected automatically from the camera by a motorized film advance. Another instant camera model, the EK4, also was unveiled in New York Tuesday by Eastman Kodak.



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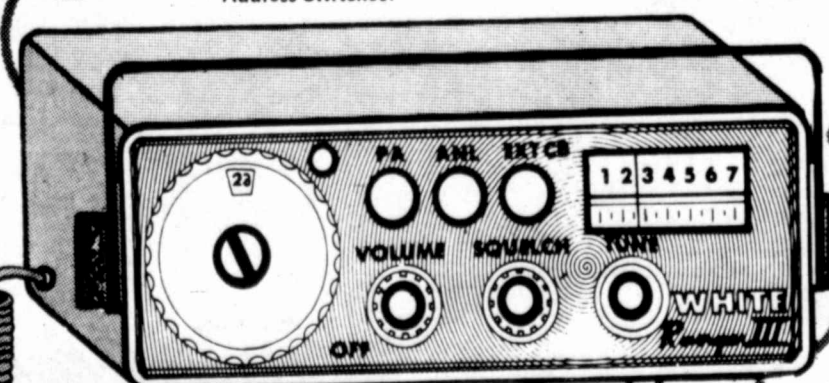
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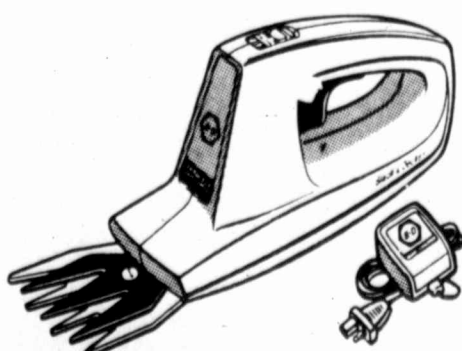
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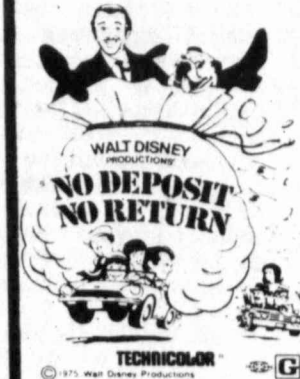
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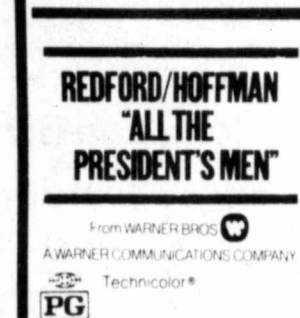
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Mendoza is sentenced

District Judge Ralph W. Caton today set punishment for Andres A. (Andy) Mendoza, 22, at two, concurrent six-year terms in prison.

Judge Caton was revoking probation he granted Mendoza Feb. 23 for burglary of a house and motor vehicle.

District Attorney Robert H. (Bob) Moore III presented evidence Mendoza took a tire from Montgomery Ward & Co., March 23.

"The evidence shows the tire was voluntarily returned by the accused immediately," Lanny Hamby, defense attorney, concluded in asking for lenient sentences.

This morning, Robert D. Miller testified he represented Mendoza at the Feb. 23 trial. Moore showed Miller a photo and asked if it was Mendoza. It appeared to be, Miller said.

Judge Caton sustained Hamby's objection to introducing the photo as evidence. There was no testimony that the photo shows Mendoza when he had longer hair, Hamby said.

Don Snelson, an employee of Montgomery Ward, told 118th District Court that the stolen tire had a "fair market value" of \$81.15.

Mendoza, 1508 Robin St., waived his right to a new trial and to appeal. Members of his family watched the hearing, which started Monday and was reconvened today.

Martha Mitchell is admitted to hospital after breaking arm

NEW YORK (AP) — Martha Mitchell has been admitted to the Hospital for special surgery after breaking an arm.

Dr. Klaus Mayer, her physician, declined on Tuesday to say when she entered the hospital or to give any information about her condition.

Mrs. Mitchell, 57, had been in Sloan-Kettering Memorial Cancer Center from November until her release several weeks ago for treatment of a painful bone cancer.

She and her husband, former Atty. Gen. John N. Mitchell, have been separated since 1973. A report in the May issue of McCall's magazine said she has had no visits from



REGISTERING — Neil Fryar, official Farm Bureau delegate from Big Spring, is shown receiving his registration name tag at the state convention in Waco.

Local delegate back from farm conference

Howard County Farm Bureau President Neil Fryar of Big Spring attended a statewide conference of county Farm Bureau presidents April 14-16 in Waco.

Conference highlights were an address by Allan Grant of Visalia, Calif., the new president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, a measure-the-candidate session involving candidates for U.S. Senator in the May 1 primaries, and a speech by Carrol Chaloupka

of Dalhart, TFB president.

Grant opened the three-day conference with a speech on "Issues Confronting Agricultural Leaders." Candidates who agreed to appear on the Farm Bureau program were Senator Lloyd Bentsen, Democrat of Houston; Phillip Gramm, Democrat of College Station; Louis Leman, Republican of Crosby; and Congressman Alan Steelman, Republican of Dallas. All U.S. Senate candidates in the May 1 primaries were invited to appear.

County Farm Bureau presidents took part in discussion on state issues, councils of government, and proposed expanded programs in the Texas Farm Bureau. Leading the discussions were Texas Farm Bureau staff and board members. Warren Newberry of Waco, TFB executive director, closed the conference with a speech on "Prepare 1976 for the History Books."

Exchange gallery

NEW YORK (AP) — Over half a million people visit the New York Stock Exchange Gallery each year, making it one of the more popular tourist attractions in New York City.

Utility costs issue

Candidates plug away

By The Associated Press

Texas Railroad Commission candidate Jon Newton says federal control of natural gas sold within Texas would be disastrous to the state's economy.

Newton, a Democratic hopeful, said such intrastate federal regulation would cause a loss of \$7 billion in personal income and 36,000 jobs over the next decade.

"Texas families, farms and businesses are suffering greatly from rising utility costs," Newton said Tuesday in Austin, "but we are only fooling ourselves if we think that the federal government will give us any kind of lasting relief by imposing new controls."

Newton said nationwide deregulation of natural gas is "our only real hope of fairness for the people of Texas."

Lane Denton, another Democratic candidate for the commission, said

Tuesday in the Dallas-Fort Worth area that he had been endorsed by the Texas Association of Community Organization for Reform Now. He told the political action committee of ACORN that he supports the lifeline utility rate structure and believes that "lifeline rates would be ordered for utilities by the Railroad Commission."

Denton said he opposed large user discounts for big corporations, banks and industries.

In campaigning for the U.S. Senate, U.S. Rep. Alan Steelman, a Republican candidate, told a Pampa audience Tuesday that he will continue to fight efforts to repeal the Hatch Act, concerning political activity of federal employees.

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LA end losing streak

HOUSTON (AP) — Los Angeles ended its losing streak of 11 games by beating the Houston Astros 6-2 Tuesday night.

"Something like (losing five in a row) happens to every team several times during a season," Garvey said Tuesday night after he collected three hits and helped the Dodgers win the first game of a three-game series.

"It was just unfortunate for us that it happened at the start of the season," Garvey said. "It could have shaken the confidence of a team. But we know everybody is going to do a 162-game season."

The Dodgers looked to win their second game of the season in a 162-game season.

John Hale started it with a two-run triple Houston starter and 1 Joe Nickro in the second inning. LA added and run in the third on D Baker's double and fourth run came in the fifth on pinch hitter Ed Goodson's pinch single.

That gave LA's starter Rick Rhoden shutout through five innings. LA added and run in the third on D Baker's double and fourth run came in the fifth on pinch hitter Ed Goodson's pinch single.

"I didn't expect to go more than six innings anyway," said Rhoden, who made his first start of the season after a bout with flu. "My only concern was control. I didn't want to be like the last year."

Mike Marshall, Rhoden's sixth inning relief, had control problems, but he bases his first inning a single by Cesar Ceden walks to Bob Watson Cliff Johnson.

"Two Houston runs in that inning on a grounder by Jose Cruz and Gross' single. Gross singled in the ninth and scored from third base on a pinch hit."

Los Angeles scored more runs in the ninth than in any other inning. Houston reliever 1 Hardy on a single by 1 and double by Garvey.

"We looked a little better with the bat tonight," said. "We haven't getting much of any hitting or pitching. We great spring training best ever, but we hadn't able to put it together regular season."

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SPORTS BRIEF

CURTIS CUP
United States and golfers will play the Curtis Cup team match at the Royal Lytham & Annes Golf Club in St. on Sea in Lancashire, England, June 11-12.



TENACE INJURED
Tenace lies in pair sixth inning Tuesday.

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Wolf packs must be thinned

JUNEAU, Alaska (AP) — For the past year, the State of Alaska has had a standing offer: take a wolf off our hands. Notakers.

So in a move that has outraged people living in states where the wolf is virtually extinct, government biologists are shooting the animals from airplanes and helicopters.

The wolf body count since mid-February: about 85. Each one has cost about \$1,000 to track down and kill.

The state hopes to kill 200 or about 2 per cent of the state's wolf population.

"This offer still stands," says Gov. Jay Hammond, himself a retired wolf hunter. "We would rather export wolves than kill them."

However, this takes money and willing recipients. Both, to date, have been in short supply.

Hammond says the wolf packs must be thinned. Biologists say the animals are gobbling up too many moose and caribou and have

developed a taste for pet dogs.

Environmentalists who tried to stop the killing say wolves are getting a bum rap.

Alaskan officials were serious when they asked if other people would like to have a wolf.

The University of Nevada at Las Vegas — whose sports teams are "The Wolfpack" — asked for one as a mascot. They were turned down because the animals must go to a wilderness or semiwilderness area.

Another stipulation: all costs of catching and transplanting the wolf must be borne by the out-of-stater. This could easily reach several thousand dollars.

Folks in the 49 other states, most of which haven't had a wild wolf in 70 years, have been "noticeably uninterested" in the transplant offer, says Ed Huizer, deputy commissioner of fish and game.

Says a veteran Washington state backpacker: "Seeding

the forest with wolf cubs might seem like a nice idea to an armchair conservationist."

"But I'd like to see his face when he peaks his head out of a tent one morning in the Cascades and finds a hungry wolf prowling around outside."

Alaska is the last bastion for the wolf. There are estimated to be 8,000 to 12,000, about the same number of a half century ago.

Wolves have been hunted as a predator and game animal for decades in Alaska.

The federal government first placed a bounty on the Alaska wolf's head in 1915, then launched a statewide 10-year predator control effort against the wolf in 1948. Traps, poison and aerial shooters — one of who was Hammond — were used.

The governor figures he took about 250 wolves in eight years. He flew a single-engine plane with one hand and shot with the other.



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'First Mama' reports smokies at front door

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — First Mama, running with the hammer down on Interstate 35, spread the word—she had old Smokey Bear at her front door.

Translated from the slang of citizen band radio operators, First Lady Betty Ford was using her new radio as she motorcaded from a downtown hotel to the International Airport.

Marked police cars—called "smokies" by CBers—led the way, red lights revolving brightly.

"I told them there were a lot of smokies at my front door," said Mrs. Ford after she arrived at the airport and displayed for newsmen her new CB radio, a gift from daughter Susan.

It was the First Lady's first chance to use the new radio and she chatted enthusiastically with anyone willing to talk to her.

"We thank you," she said after being complimented on the sound of her radio by a CBer with the handle Starship Enterprise. "This is KUY9532. First Mama. Down and out."

Then she struck up a conversation with another citizens band radio enthusiast called Peg Leg Charlie.

"What be your 20 (location)?" asked Mrs. Ford.

"Yeah, First Mama. I'm over at this North Star Mall. Are you going out to the airport?" came back Peg Leg Charlie.

"10-4, good buddy. I'm going to the airport," said First Mama.

Mrs. Ford adopted her

handle at the suggestion of comedian Flip Wilson and after an informal poll indicated it would be a good identification sign, she said.

"It's neat. It's really fun," Mrs. Ford, 58, told after posing for pictures with the radio mounted in her car.

As the motorcade roared into the airport and toward her waiting airplane, Mrs. Ford's voice again commanded the air.

"This is First Mama. KUY9532. Catch ya on the flip," she said.

Translated, it meant the First Lady would talk on her CB again the next time she came to San Antonio.

Monkey business

KINGS MILLS, Ohio (AP) — Officials at Kings Island Amusement Park aren't making any more predictions about when they will have 50 baboons back in their compound.

The baboons have been free since last Wednesday when they fled from a supposedly escape-proof compound in the "Lion Country Safari" section of the park.

Since then, the keepers have tried unsuccessfully to get the animals back using tranquilized fruit and also by activating an electrically wired fence around the compound.

Neither tactic worked, but park officials say they plan to try the fruit again, this time with a stronger dose of tranquilizing drug.

The animals spent Tuesday in the same area to which they moved after fleeing the compound. Park officials said they were still getting reports about one baboon who is outside the park but apparently trying to rejoin the group.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS Buy—Sell Check listings in Big Spring Herald Classified Ads 263-7331.

'Inhibition' talk topic

Dr. Charles D. Barnes, professor and chairman of the Department of Physiology, Texas Tech University School of Medicine, Lubbock, will speak on "Pain, Acupuncture, and Presynaptic Inhibition" at the VA Hospital on Thursday at 11:00 a.m. in Room 219. All area physicians and medical personnel are welcome to attend.

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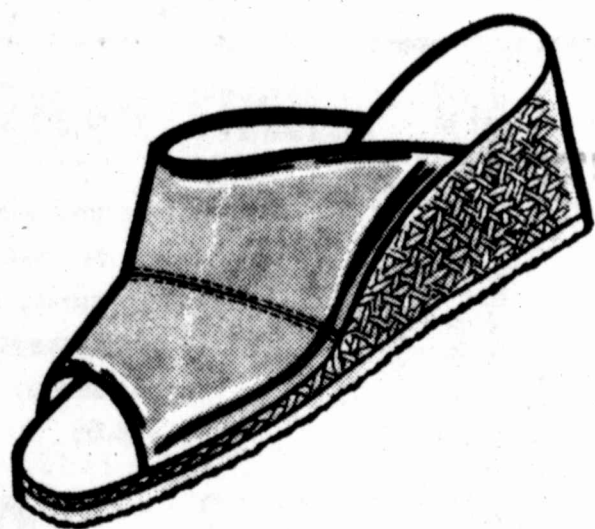
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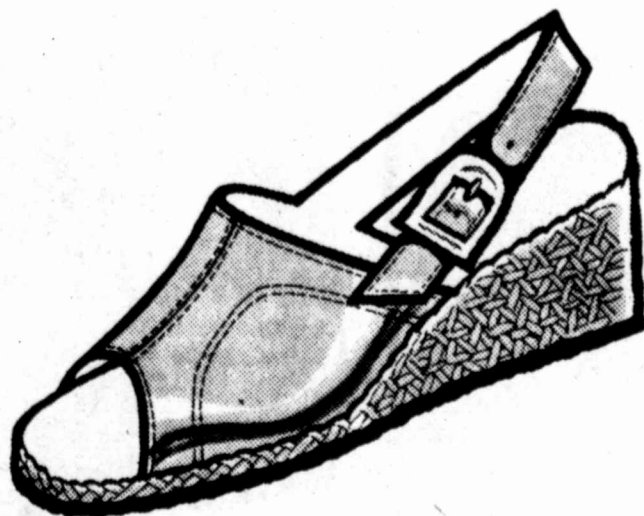
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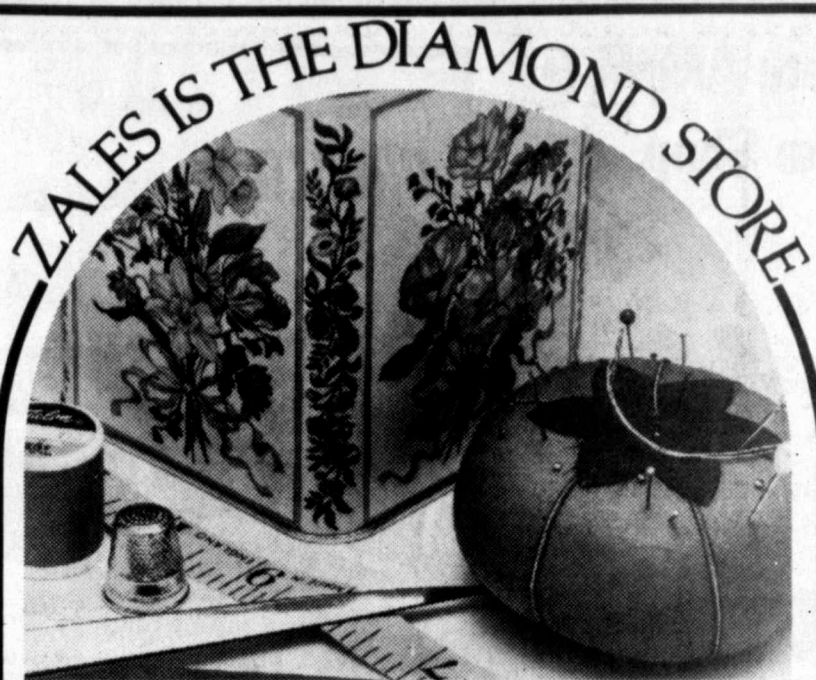
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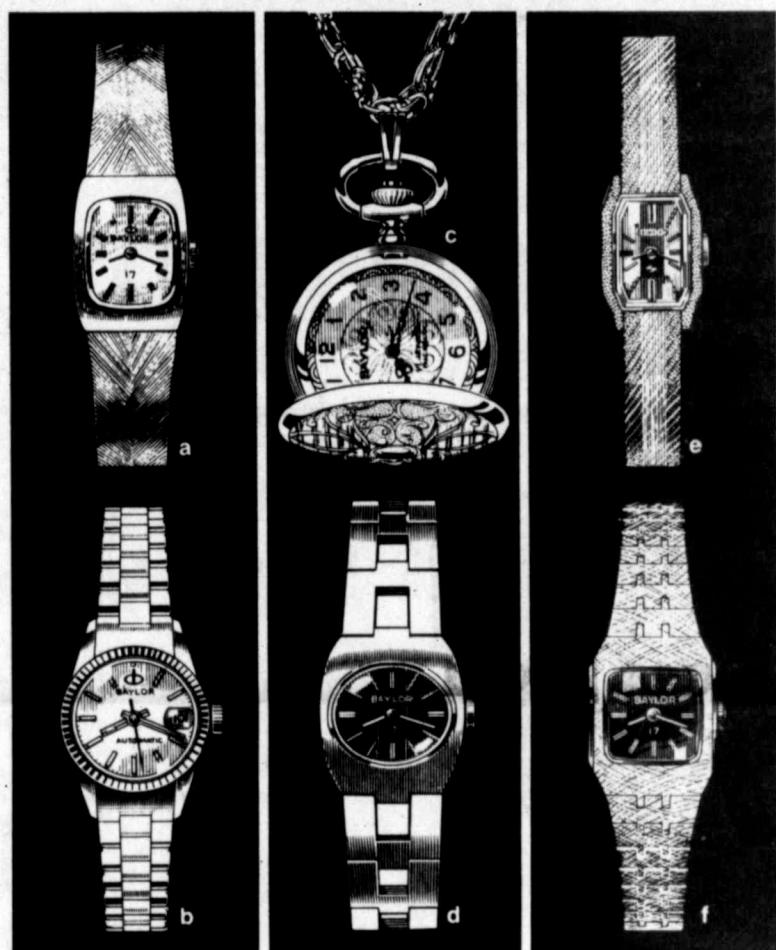
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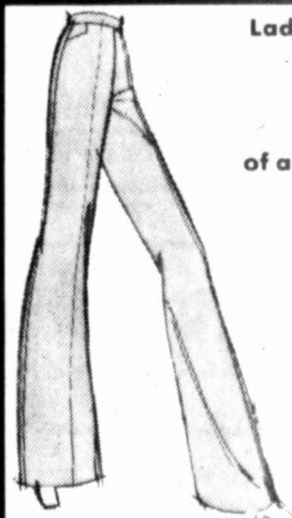
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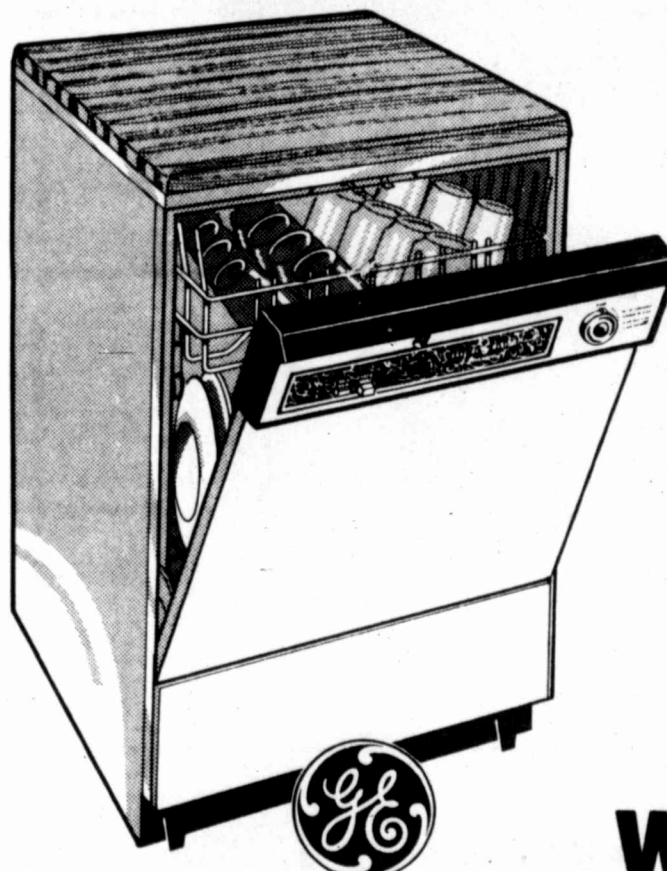
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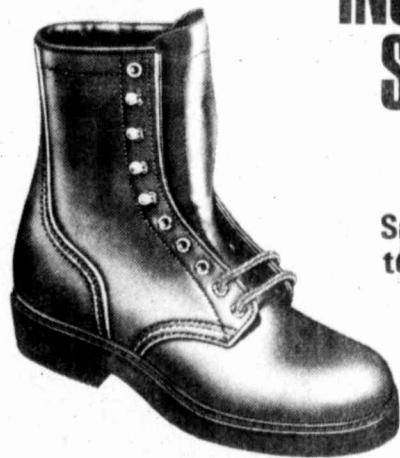


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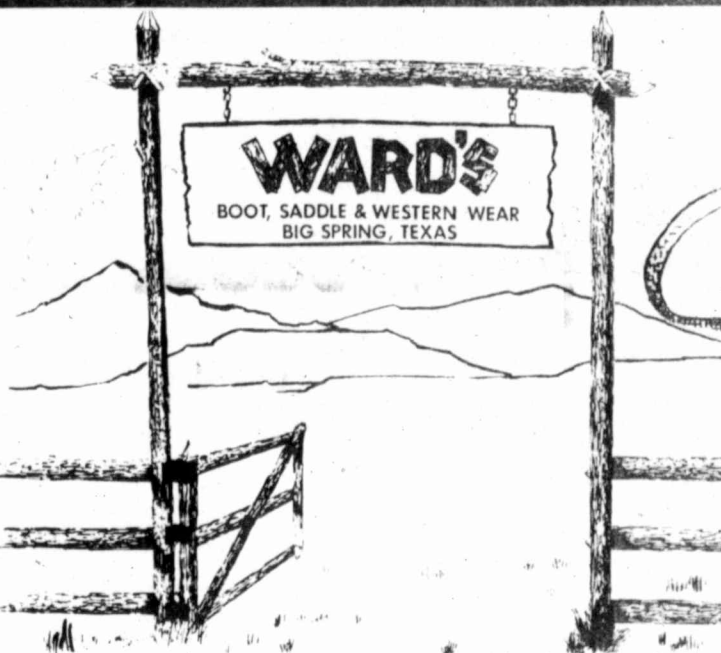
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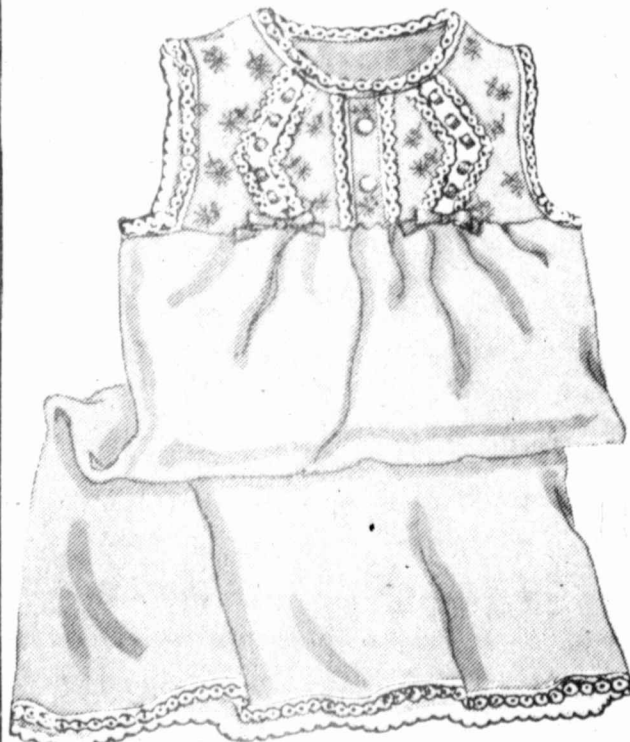
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HAMBURGER STEAK 2.25

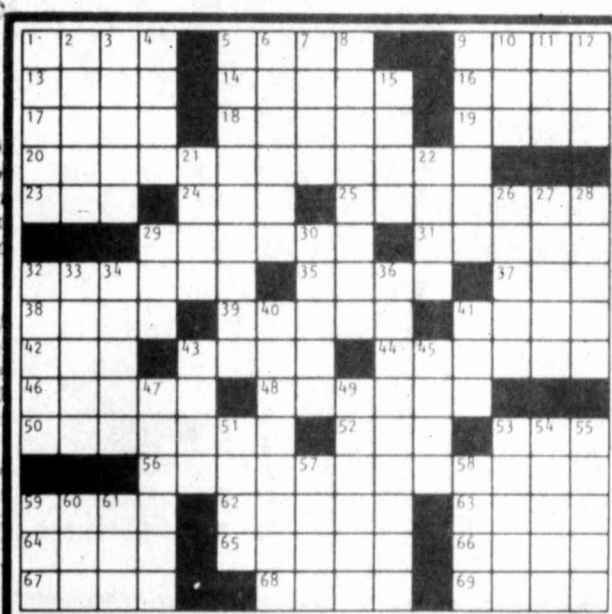
STEAK FINGERS 1.75

WITH: SALAD, FRIES, GRAVY, VEGETABLE, & TOAST.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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- 1 Loose garment
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 - 9 Milk part
 - 13 Hammer part
 - 14 Jungle creature
 - 16 Vatican site
 - 17 Portman or Seavard
 - 18 African
 - 19 Touch
 - 20 Florence and others
 - 23 Joint
 - 24 Univ. subj.
 - 25 Sight aids
 - 29 Do a cob-
 - 31 Orchestra member
 - 32 "Twelfth Night" duke
 - 35 - bird
 - 36 (nightjar)
 - 37 Nabokov heroine
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 - 39 - two
 - 41 State with conviction
 - 42 Elephant's trademark
 - 43 Gouda's
 - 44 Requests for mer-
 - 46 Piano or Canyon
 - 48 Sighted
- DOWN
- 1 Use money
 - 2 Eldritch
 - 3 Dynasty
 - 4 Move slowly
 - 5 Forest hero
 - 6 Naval or Jaffe
 - 7 Sharp taste
 - 8 Stone en-
 - 9 Cousin of the parrot
 - 10 Cutting tool
 - 11 Large bird
 - 12 On the other hand
 - 15 Sea bird
 - 19 Adolescent suffix
 - 22 Per
 - 26 Thrall
 - 27 Church official
 - 28 Reaches heights
 - 29 Free
 - 30 Lacquer ingredient
 - 32 Zed's re-
 - 33 Zoo noises
 - 34 Marsh birds
 - 36 Ship's lookout area
 - 40 Avoid shoals
 - 41 Affix
 - 43 Sidel
 - 45 Breathing abbr.
 - 47 Relative
 - 48 Namesakes of Zola
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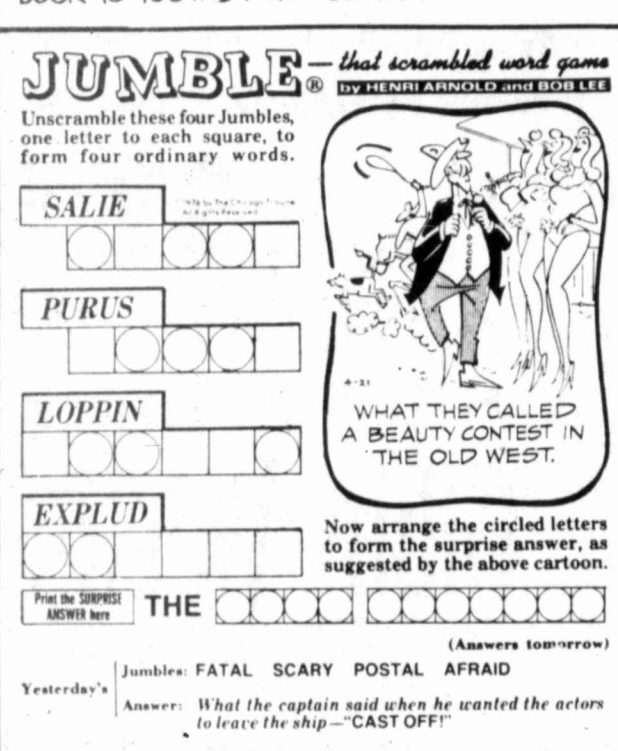
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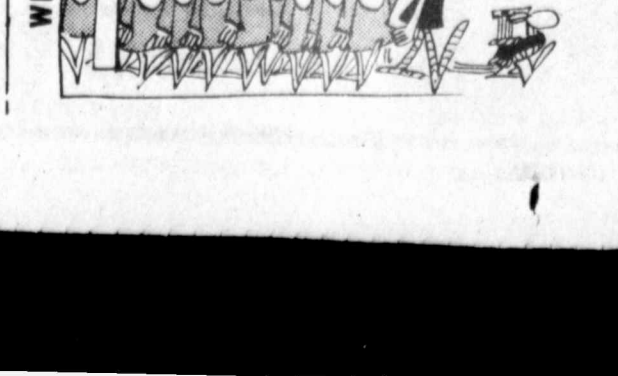
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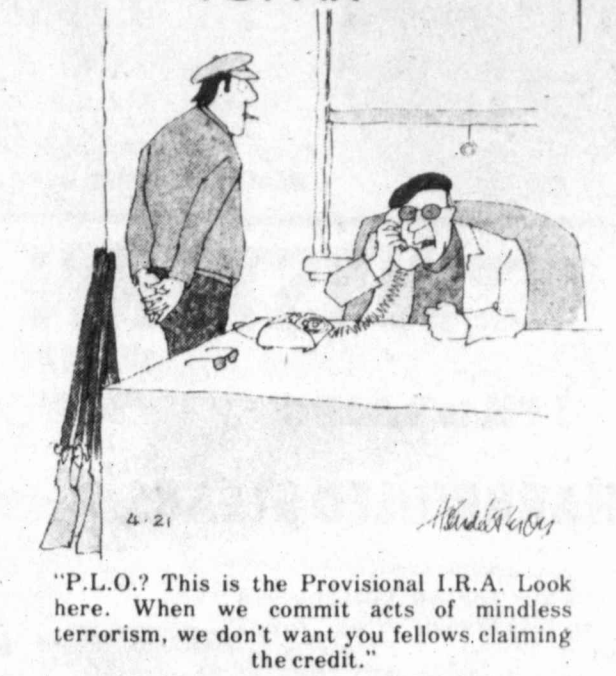
"TELL ME 'BOUT THE GIRL WHO USED TO LIVE NEXT DOOR TO YOU... I WON'T GET MAD."



NANCY

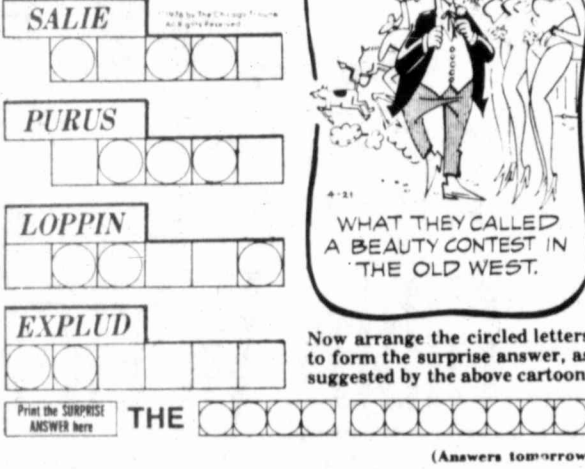


TOPPIX



JUMBLE

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.



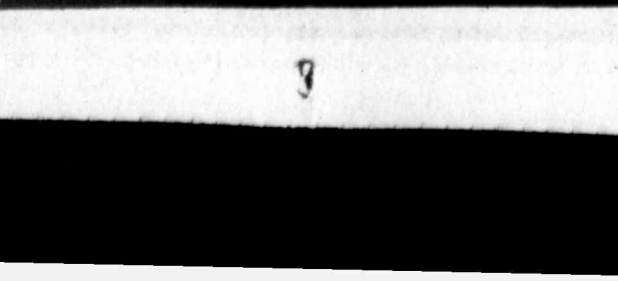
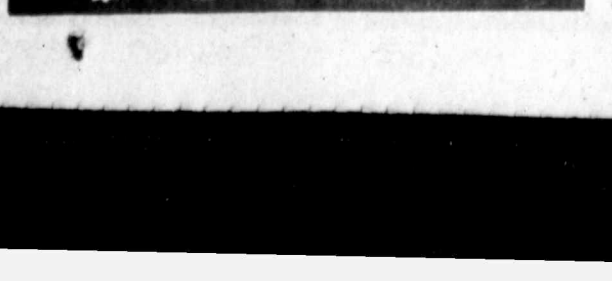
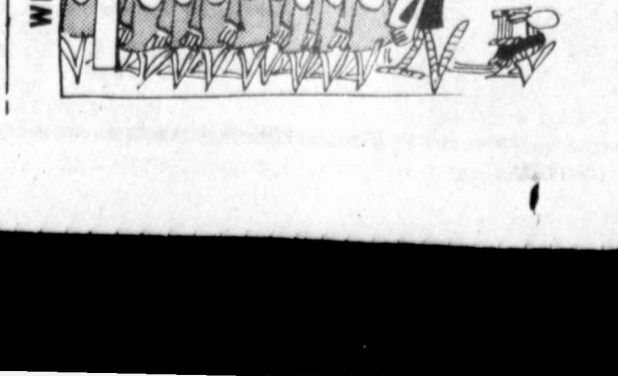
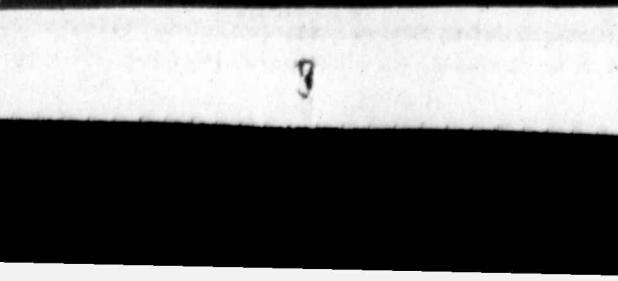
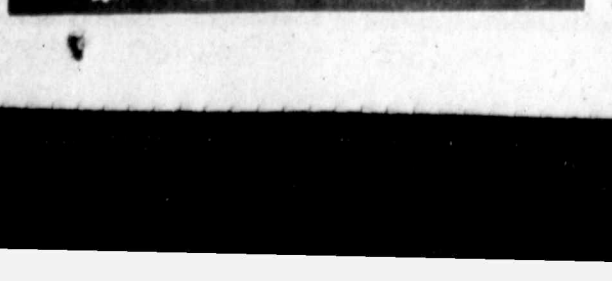
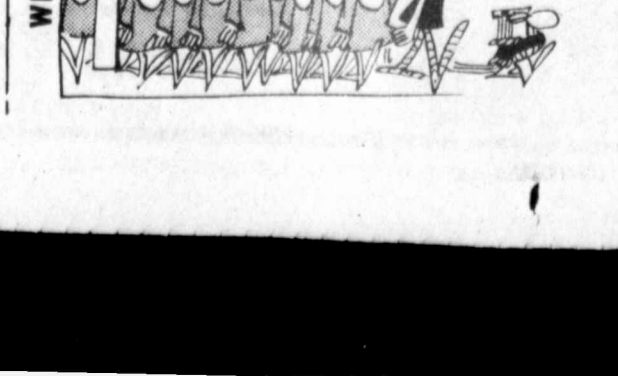
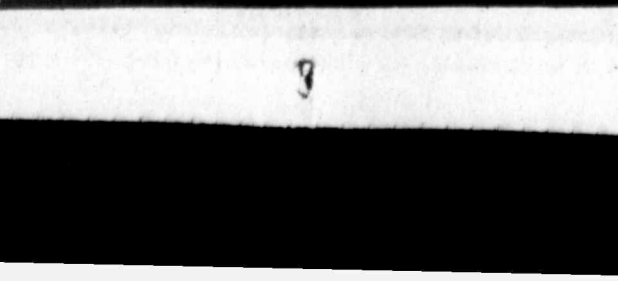
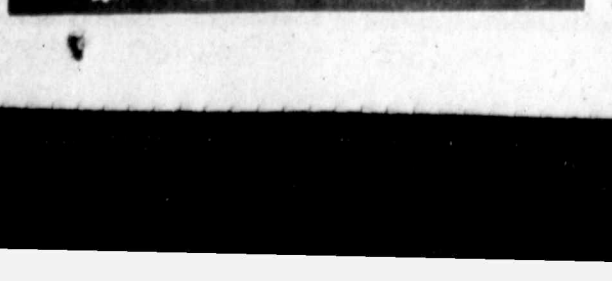
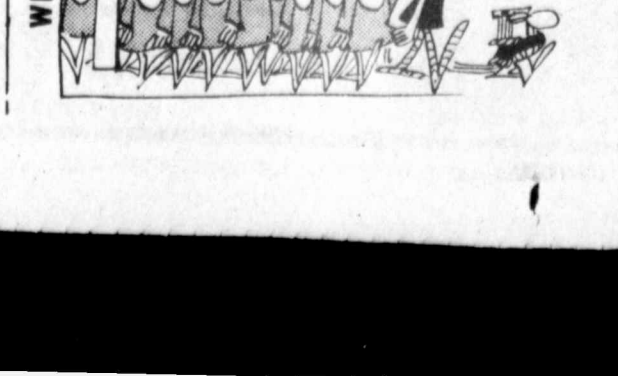
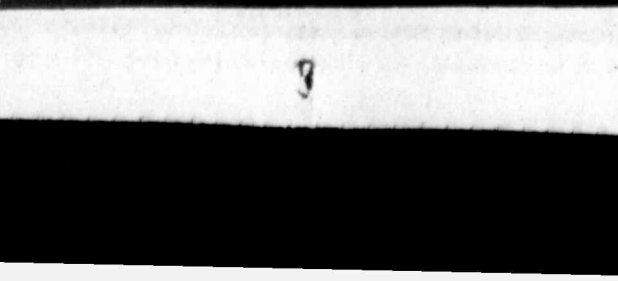
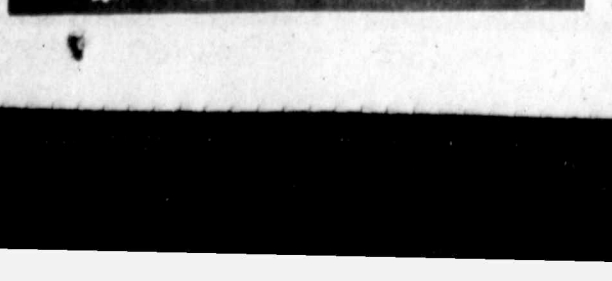
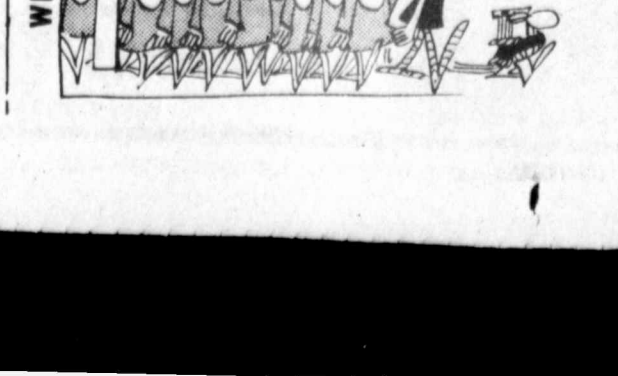
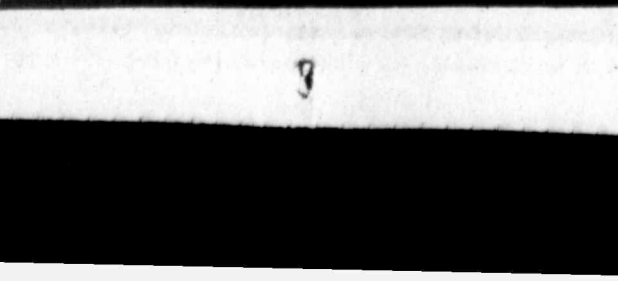
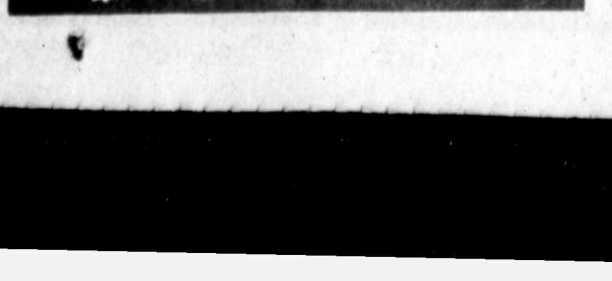
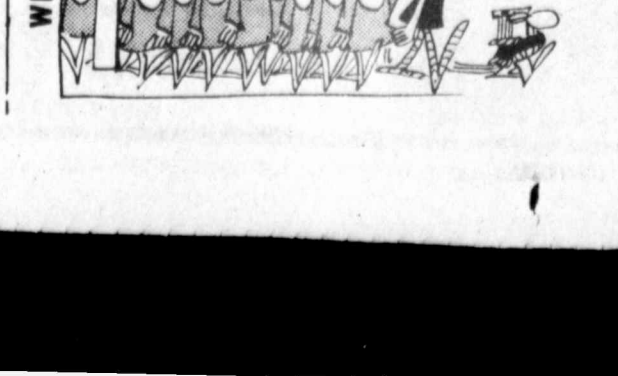
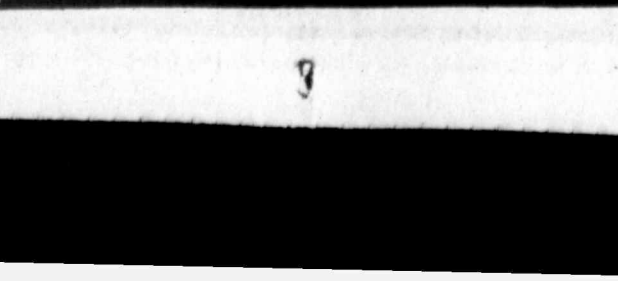
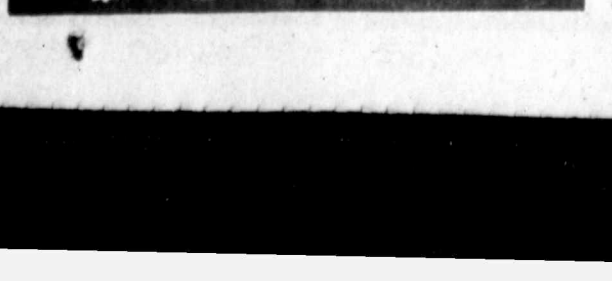
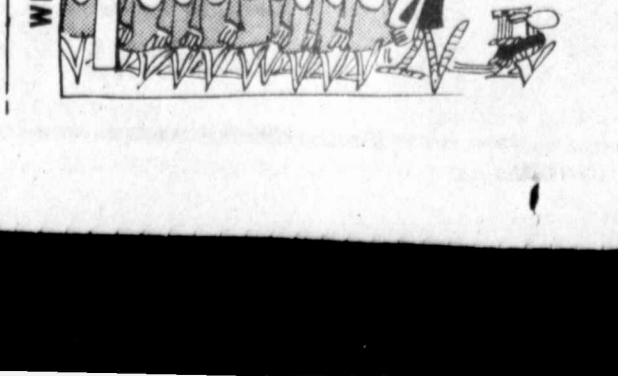
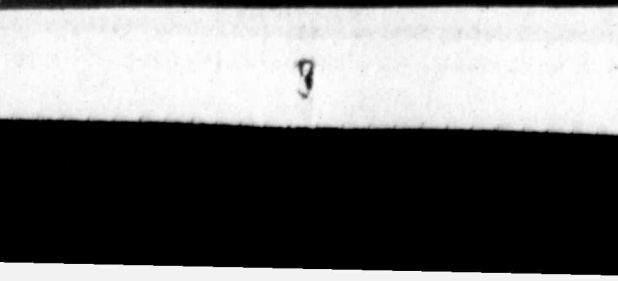
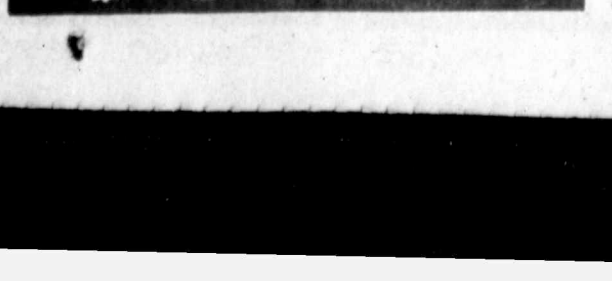
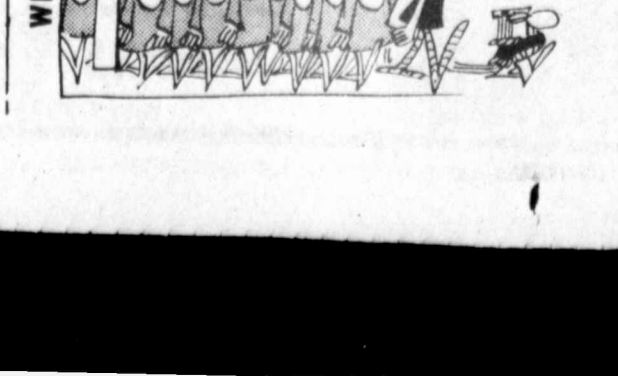
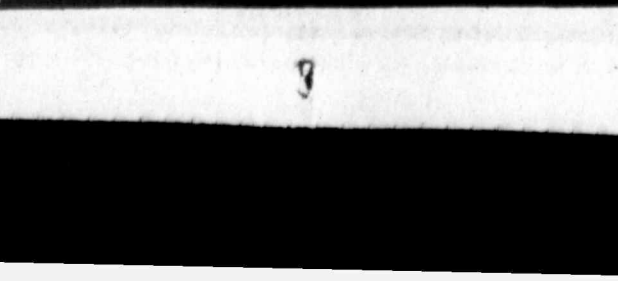
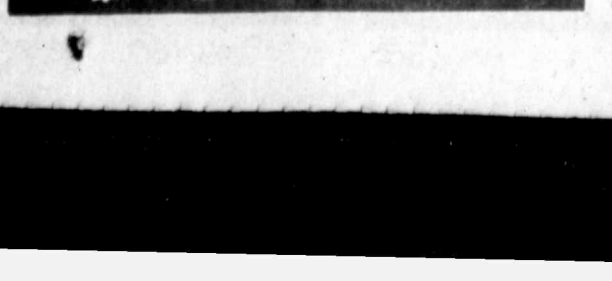
Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

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Answers tomorrow

Yesterday's Jumbles: FATAL SCARY POSTAL AFRAID

Answer: What the captain said when he wanted the actors to leave the ship - "CAST OFF!"



Gramm deplores nation's deficit spending habits

Phil Gramm, Texas A&M economist, continued his campaign for nomination in the May primaries as the Democratic candidate for the U.S. Senate, with his plea for "common sense and a balanced budget."

Gramm spoke briefly here to a group of supporters at a coffee held Tuesday afternoon at First Federal Savings, sponsored by local supporters. He was introduced by John A. Coffey, his local chairman.

When asked about Webb Air Force Base, Gramm said, "I would be a political opportunist if I would simply say 'I am against Webb closing' because I have not even reviewed the facts in connection with the base. I would strongly emphasize that if it closes, the property should be given immediately to the city or county so that it can be utilized for industrial development."

"LIKE EVERYONE"—Gramm maintains that the budget of the federal government should be operated just like everyone else operates their budget and that the same basic laws of economics be applied. "I would not be for programs that were not valuable enough to deserve a tax that would pay for them," Gramm stated.

He deplored the inflation and the "money run off the press by the government which has caused more inflation." He pointed out that the people hardest hit were the elderly, the poor, and those who try to save for the future.

When discussing welfare, he suggested merging welfare and unemployment services where a person could not obtain welfare if he was physically able to work and there was work available.

Gramm told the group that he has been gaining strength throughout the state except in the Houston area where Lloyd Bentsen was pouring so much money into the campaign.

Gramm also stated that last week, Lloyd Bentsen charged that he has been engaged in a dirty campaign against him and has misrepresented his record. Gramm said, "I have simply pointed out inconsistencies between what Mr. Bentsen says in Texas and does in Washington."

CAMPAIGN RHETORIC
"Mr. Bentsen says that I am unfair in calling him fiscally irresponsible; in San Antonio two weeks ago, he called for a balanced budget and fiscal responsibility. In the League of Women Voters' questionnaire, Mr. Bentsen also called for a balanced budget and claimed to have been an active supporter of fiscal responsibility."

"That's the campaign rhetoric but the facts are that the National Taxpayer's Union has rated Lloyd Bentsen in 1975 as being more fiscally irresponsible than George McGovern. It is very interesting that Lloyd Bentsen makes broad assertions about my being unfair to his record rather than talking about his record. He keeps throwing out rhetoric which is in startling contrast to what that record actually is."

"Against the advice of Governor Briscoe, the Secretary of State, and Congressman Gonzales, Lloyd Bentsen actively supported the extension of the Voting Rights Act to Texas. He gave federal bureaucrats control over our elections."

"The Governor called the Bill a fraud; Congressman

Gonzales said it had as much to do with extending voting rights as it did with extending the Ten Commandments. But Lloyd Bentsen voted for it because he thought it would help him become President."

"Now the chickens have come home to roost. Elections of city and county officials, bond elections and even annexations have been thrown out by the Federal Election Commission all over the State of Texas, creating a situation of chaos. This has happened because Lloyd Bentsen worked to pass legislation which took the control of the election process out of the hands of locally elected officials to give it to bureaucrats in Washington."

"Now Lloyd Bentsen has the gall to come back to San Antonio and say he will work to undo the harm he has done. He is like a man who sets fire to your house and then thinks he deserves thanks for offering to call the fire department."

Gramm added, "I may be losing to Ronald Reagan in West Texas. So many people who support me will vote instead in the Republican primary. I think that who we have as Senator for the next six years is more important than what delegates are going to go from Texas to the nomination convention."

Playing tennis

NEW YORK (AP) — Sanford University tennis coach Dick Gould has written a book that provides the "guidelines in both the technique for every stroke and the uses of those strokes in actual singles and doubles play."

The handbook, "Tennis, Anyone?" Signet, contains photos and diagrams.



(AP WIREPHOTO)
SPRING HAS SPRUNG—Casey Hayly, 9, Watervliet, N. Y., celebrates the arrival of warm weather in mid-air. Her friends gave her the old heave-ho using a quilt. Temperatures in upstate New York the past several days have been in the 80s and 90s although milder weather has finally set in.

'You could hear those trailers folding up'

NATCHITOCHE, La. (AP) — "You could hear those trailers folding up," said Jessie Marsh, who lived in one of two trailer parks devastated by a tornado which killed one and injured 29.

The twister rampaged along a 100-yard-long path through the parks Tuesday night, destroying or heavily damaging at least 20 house

Ray recovering

Edgar Ray is recovering from an appendectomy at Hall-Bennett Memorial Hospital.

trailers and smashing a number of cars.

"It came out of nowhere," said Marsh. "After it happened, there wasn't a lot of panic. Everyone was running to help."

The sheriff's office said Mrs. Glenn Randall, 35, was killed when her trailer was blown into an open sewage pond.

Twenty of the injured were treated at a hospital and released, officials said.

Authorities set up temporary housing for the homeless in a dormitory on the campus of Northwestern State University here.

Carter calls Texas law 'abominable'

HOUSTON (AP) — Democratic candidate Jimmy Carter says the Texas presidential primary statute is a "disgrace."

"You have an abominable primary law," Carter said Tuesday.

"The biggest challenge we had all year was getting a slate of delegates on the ballots in Texas. It required a major campaign, a lot of money, a lot of work."

Carter told a news conference the statute is "an exclusionary law" designed somewhat to keep people off the ballots.

"It obviously was designed to enhance the candidacy of Senator Bentsen when he was a viable candidate," he said.

Senator Lloyd Bentsen, D-Tex., now is running as a favorite son candidate in the May 1 presidential primary but has withdrawn as a candidate in other states.

"A presidential primary statute should be designed to encourage full participation by all candidates," Carter said. "Fortunately, the Texas Legislature had the good judgment to put a 'self-destruct' clause in the statute after this one primary."

Carter also said voters should be permitted to vote

for a candidate by name instead of for a slate of convention delegates committed to his candidacy.

"It is a very difficult procedure for voting," he said. "It has been explained to me but I still don't understand it."

Carter left the Pennsylvania campaign to make the one-stop Texas trip. After a fund-raising breakfast, he returned to Pennsylvania for Tuesday's election.

He was asked if he had minimized his Texas campaign for fear of making Bentsen-backers mad.

"That's not true," he said. "I wish I could spend the next seven days here. I don't care if people get mad because I'm running for president."

He also rejected a suggestion Senator Hubert Humphrey, D-Minn., has tried to "manipulate" a slate of delegates whose names will be on the Texas ballots although committed to no candidate.

"I haven't seen any evidence of that in Texas, but some politicians in Pennsylvania are trying to block me," he said.

He added that he has had no contact with the uncommitted Texas delegates.

"We will try to get them for the convention but no effort will be made until after we see how many delegates we win or lose on May 1," he said.

Carter said Texas is a sensitive state for his campaign.

"What happens in Texas is going to be crucial to the momentum of our campaign," he said.

He added, however, that he does not have sufficient funds to cover \$104,000 earmarked for advertising in Texas.

Officials said Tuesday's \$100-a-plate fund-raising breakfast grossed about \$30,000 but that the proceeds would be used in the Pennsylvania campaign.

Carter is to return to Texas next week for a fund-raising luncheon in Dallas.

Aged man says he shotgunned his neighbor

BARTOW, Fla. (AP) — Charlie Little, reported to be 100 years old, has been sentenced to five years' probation for the shotgun slaying of a 26-year-old neighbor in the tiny town of Waverly.

Polk Circuit Court Judge Thomas Langston passed sentence Monday on Little's guilty plea to manslaughter after the charge was reduced from first-degree murder.

Police said that Little's neighbor, Jonny Hawthorne, was killed by a shotgun blast last fall. The shooting came during an argument over a loud radio.

Tax appraisal board to meet

The tax appraisal board apparently faces only routine business at its meeting 10 a.m. Thursday.

Approval of minutes, old business and, under new business, finance and progress reports and miscellaneous, are the only

topics on the agenda. The board will meet in the county courtroom.

The board has representatives from all local governments, except the Howard County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1.



57th Anniversary Sale

CORONADO PLAZA PHONE 267-1621

Compare \$22.00- \$30.00 Ladies DRESSES 14.99 Two piece and jacket dresses in polyester knits. Assorted colors and patterns. Sizes 12-20 and 14-22.	Ladies SHORTS 3.99 Jamaicas or short shorts in 100% polyester knits. Assorted colors. Sizes 8-18.	Compare \$16.00 Ladies SKIRTS 6.99 An assortment of colors, solids and checks. Six piece skirts with elastic in waist band. Sizes 8-18.	Ladies PANTS 6.99 100% polyester pull on pants. In pastel colors, black, navy and red. In sizes 8-18.	Compare \$22.00- \$26.00 Ladies BLOUSE SETS 15.99 Short sleeve blouse with matching skirt by famous maker. Pretty colors and patterns. Sizes 8-18.	Compare \$24.00 Ladies PANT SUITS 17.99 Two piece polyester pant suits in many styles and in the latest colors. Short sleeves. Sizes 8-20.	\$16.00 Values Ladies BLOUSES KNIT TOPS 7.99 Choose short or long sleeves styles. By a famous maker. Beautiful colors. Sizes 22-28.	Ladies KNIT TOPS 3.99-4.99 Sleeveless and short sleeve styles. Easy care fabrics. In sizes S.M.L. and 22-28.
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Regular \$3.00 Girl's SHORTS 1.99 Easy care polyester pull on shorts in an array of colors. In sizes 4-14.	Regular \$6.00 Girl's TOPS 3.99 Knit tops in an assortment of colors and styles. Great with shorts or jeans. In girls' sizes 7-14.	Regular \$1.25 Girl's PANTIES 89¢ Choose from an assortment of styles in nylon. Briefs or bikini styles. Also some in 100% cotton.	Regular \$11.99 Men's Leisure SHIRTS 9.99 Select from long or short sleeves. Handsome colors in solids and patterns. "Silk look" polyester and rayon. S.M.L.XL.	Vinyl TOTE BAGS 12.99 Soft vinyl shoulder tote and gadget bag. Choose from tan, gold, blue or black.	Special Purchase Men's BILLFOLDS 2.99 Choose for yourself or for graduation or Father's Day gifts. Assorted colors in two or three fold styles.	Values to \$18.00 Men's SLACKS 8.99-10.99 Choose from two groups of dress slacks. Select from solid colors and handsome patterns. Excellent size range.	Men's SOCKS 99¢ pr. 3 Pr. For 2.85 Your choice of orlon crew socks in an assortment of colors or the popular tube sock. One size fits all.
Boy's POLO SHIRTS 2.99 By famous maker. Short sleeve styles in an assortment of fashion right colors. Sizes 8-20.	Vinyl PLACEMATS 39¢ each Solid color vinyl placemats in an array of decorator colors to enhance any table setting. Reversible.	TOWELS Washcloth 69¢ Hand Towel 1.39 Bath Towel 1.69 Colorful poppies on white.	Vinyl TRAVEL BAGS Men's Suit Size 12.50 Ladies Dress Size 13.50 By K.C. Your choice of blue, brown or green.	COMFORTERS Regular \$49.99 Full Size 39.99 Regular \$64.99 King Size 54.99 By Fieldcrest. Reversible. Washable.	Custom BEDSPREADS DRAPES 25% Off By American Home. An assortment of decorator colors to make your selection from.	Ladies PANTY HOSE 69¢ pr. 4 Pr. For 2.00 Two sizes fit all. Neutral or mellow beige to compliment your spring wardrobe. Perfect with sports or dress wear.	Support PANTY HOSE 1.19 pr. 2 Pr. For 2.00 These come in four sizes. Medium beige, beige tones and coffee bean. A must for the working girl. No K&S.
Famous Brand WATCHES 27.99 Select from dressy or sporty styles. White or yellow gold. For Men or Ladies. 17-21 and 25 jewels. Gift boxed.	Beautymist KNEE HIGH HOSE 85¢ pr. Choose from blonde, mist, soft illusion. Perfect to wear with pants and pant suits. Save 15¢ a pair.	Bangle WATCHES 12.99 Choose from an assortment of designs in gold or silver. These would make excellent graduation gifts for the girls.	Riviera SUNGLASSES 3.99 Polarized sunglasses in all the latest styles for men and women. Protect your eyes from the summer sun.	Cord SHAVER 24.99 By Remington. Deluxe Mark III. Provides close comfortable shaves. Replaceable blades. Has a side burn trimmer.	Ladies GRASSHOPPER SHOES 5.90 Perfect for beach wear, boating and all sports activities. Choose from an array of fashion colors. Sizes 5-10.	Wrapped Wedge SANDAL 10.90 A higher heeled wedge. In a bright pretty red. Sizes 6 1/2-10 N and 5-10 M.	TEMPER-WARE 1/3 Off The Regular Price Save 1/3 on 16 piece sets and 45 piece sets. This dinnerware has a written two year guarantee.
Northland STAINLESS 29.99 Two pretty patterns to make your selections from. Sixty two piece set. Service for eight along with serving pieces.	Pro-Art STATIONERY 59¢ Select from a colorful selection of boxed stationery. Florals, dots, stripes and solid colors. Small notes and thank you notes.	Travel ALARMS Prices Start At 7.50 Select from an assortment of styles, shapes and sizes. These make perfect gifts for the man who travels or the college student.	Trasistor ALARM CLOCK 26.00 Miniature precision "Tiny Time" alarm. Has its own carrying case. Choose white or black with luminous dial.	Presto Burger HAMBURGER COOKER 12.95 Broils juicy hamburgers in one to three minutes. No splatters, no stick, no scour surface.	Regular \$34.95 MR. COFFEE I 27.95 Deluxe automatic brewing system. Brews one to ten cups of perfect coffee in just minutes.	Regular \$9.99 Munsey TOASTER BROILER 7.95 It toasts, broils, grills and warms. Large 4 slice size.	Cordless GRASS SHEARS 11.95 Black and Decker. Model 8280. Safety switch. Tough plastic housing.
Compare \$219.95 Mustang RIDING MOWER 189.95 7 H.P. Briggs and Stratton motor. 24" cut steel base. Wind tunnel. Chain drive. Safety clutch. Pedal operated.	Self Propelled GAS MOWER 94.95 3 1/2 H.P. Briggs and Stratton engine. 8" mag type tires. Fold away handle.	WE ARE CELEBRATING OUR 57th ANNIVERSARY OF SERVING ABILENE AND THE BIG COUNTRY AND WE WANT OUR NEWEST FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS TO HAVE THE SAME OPPORTUNITY TO SHOP OUR TWO WEEK BARGAIN FILLED DAYS. PLUS ADDED SAVINGS OF KEY STAMPS. 9:30 — 6:00 MONDAY — SATURDAY 9:30 — 9:00 THURSDAY			Regular \$54.95 Black and Decker ELECTRIC EDGER 46.95 Two handles for better control. Trenches 3/4" wide on one pass. The easy way to keep a neat yard. Model 8220.	Regular \$74.95 Gasoline MOWER 64.65 3 1/2 H.P. Briggs and Stratton engine. Recoil starter. Safety standards. 7" rubber tires. Model V25SA.	

FORECAST FOR THURSDAY, APRIL 22, 1976

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NICE, THREE bedroom unfurnished mobile home. Fenced, carpet, storage, water and gas furnished, near Base. 263-3469.

THREE ROOM house, prefer middle age couple or one person. No children or pets, newly redecorated, deposit required. Phone 267-7364.

Wanted To Rent B-8

WANTED To rent: Middle age couple, no children, no pets. 5-6 large rooms. 267-5124.

Business Buildings B-9

OFFICE OR Retail rental: 500 square feet. 307 11th Place. Call 263-8300.

ANNOUNCEMENTS C

Lodges C-1

STATED MEETING Big Spring Lodge No. 1340 A.F. and A.M. 1st and 3rd Thurs. 7:30 p.m. Visitors welcome. 21st and Lan- C. T. Clay, W.M. T. R. Morris, Sec.

Special Notices C-2

CLEAN RUGS like new, so easy to do with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer, \$2.50. G. F. Wacker's Store.

TO BE sold at public auction the following items now in storage at Byron's Storage and Transfer, Inc. Will be sold at Byron's Storage, 106 East 1st Street, Big Spring, Texas on May 1st, 1976 at 10:00 a.m. Mrs. Walter Thomas, owner, Mrs. V. E. Laffron, owner, household furniture and effects.

'For help with an unwed pregnancy call Edna Gladney Home, Fort Worth, Texas. 1-800-792-1104.'

Personal C-5

If you drink it's your business. If you wish to stop, it's Alcoholics Anonymous' business. Call 267-9144, 263-4021.

Personal C-5

KNOW YOUR blood pressure Day or Night. Anywhere! Accu-Rx checks "warning sign" instantly right on the spot. \$29.95. Gibson Pharmacy.

LOSE WEIGHT safely & fast with X-11 Diet Plan \$3.00. REDUCE Excess Fatness with X-Pel \$3.00. Gibson Pharmacy.

NEW GOSPEL Grapefruit Diet Pill. Eat satisfying meals and lose weight. Mort Denton Pharmacy.

LOSE WEIGHT with New Shape Capsules and Hydrex Water Pills at Knight's Pharmacy.

Political Announcement C-7

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for public office, subject to the Democratic Primary of May 1, 1976.

Democrat

County Commissioner — Pct. 1 O. L. LOUIS BROWN
County Tax Assessor-Collector ZIRAH BENAR
HELEN EGLESTON
District Attorney
RICK HAMBRY
JAMES W. (JIM) GREGG
State Representative — 43 Legislative District
MIKE EZZELL
BILL ATWOOD, JR.
Constable — Pct. 1
ROBERT C. (BOB) SMITH
County Commissioner — Pct. 3
AUBREY'S GOODWIN

Republican

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for public office subject to the Republican Primary of May 1, 1976.

Private Detective C-8

BOB SMITH ENTERPRISES
State License No. C-1329
Commercial — Criminal — Domestic
"STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL"
3911 West Hwy 60, 267-5340

BUSINESS OP. D

Wanted Immediately Morgan Drive-Away, Inc. needs owner-operator who own or can purchase a late model 3/4 ton pickup truck to transport travel trailers. If you act now you can get in on the ground floor of a GREAT OPPORTUNITY. Find out how easy you can purchase a suitable truck and be in business for yourself. You owe it to yourself to get all the facts and file your application now!

CONTACT: LEASING Morgan Drive-Away, Inc. 4504 E. Belknap Ft. Worth, TX 76117 Phone: 817-834-8188 or 219-293-7595

THREE LOUNGES for rent, fully furnished. Call 267-5271

FOR SALE: Peanut, Candy & Gum vending business in Big Spring. Requires \$1,238.00 cash & few hours weekly. TEXAS KANDY COMPANY, 5327 Basse Rd. San Antonio, Tex. 78212. Include phone No.

APPLICATIONS

Now Being Accepted

Morgan Drive Away, Inc. the world's leading transporter of mobile homes and recreational vehicles, is accepting applications for owner-operators. If you act now, you can get in on the ground floor of a GREAT OPPORTUNITY with high earnings potential. Find out how easy you can purchase a suitable truck and be in business for yourself. You owe it to yourself to get all the facts and file your application now!

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Help Wanted F-1

SALES MANAGER WITH CAR

Unusual 2-fold opportunity, for 6 months of the year. Absolutely no investment. 1. Hire and train Toy Party Plan personnel. (All Sample Kits on Loan.) 2. Manage gift and toy retail store, Nov. and Dec. Phone Sharon Remer for an appointment, after 12:30 p.m. Sat. April 24 only, 263-7621. House Of Lloyd, Inc.

TRUCK DRIVERS WANTED

Tractor trailer experience required. 22 years age minimum, steady non-seasonal \$900 month guaranteed. Opportunity for advancement. Call T. E. MERCER TRUCKING CO. 315-364-8875.

NEED DAY grill cook. Closed on Sundays. Apply to Circle J Drive Inn, 1200 East 4th, 267-2770.

NEED: NEAT, clean, mature babysitter for 2 year old boy. From 2:00-11:00. Call 263-6136.

NIGHT HELP wanted at the Fine Truck Stop Restaurant. Apply in person, please.

Day & Night help wanted Part or full time. Apply in person only. SONIC DRIVE-IN 1200 GREGG

SEMI-RETIRED couple experienced in Mobile Home repairs, park management and rentals. Fort Stockton, 336-9172.

WANTED L.V.N.'s, 3:11, 11:7 shifts, top salary. Contact Mrs. Booher R. N. Big Spring Nursing Home, 901 Goliad. Equal Opportunity Employer.

WANTED EXPERIENCED aids, all shifts. Contact Big Spring Nursing Home, 901 Goliad. Equal Opportunity Employer.

WANTED: NIGHT desk clerk — auditor, 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. shift. Apply at Setters Hotel.

WE NEED: Mature, clean, capable persons to fill part and full time positions. Apply in person at Gill's Fried Chicken, 11th and Gregg. No phone calls, please.

WOMAN'S COLUMN J

Child Care J-3

TWO LADIES want sewing and babysitting. Also, some house cleaning. Southland Apartments 307 or 263-4574.

Laundry Service J-5

WILL DO ironing pickup and delivery. \$1.75 a dozen. Also will do experienced sewing. 263-0805.

FARMER'S COLUMN K

AMOS WATER WELL SERVICE

JOHN PAUL AMOS
Sell Myers, Flint — Walling. Service windmills, irrigation, home water wells, Well cleanouts and casing. PHONE 263-6383

ATTENTION IRRIGATION farmers and ranchers:

New water well acid stick, proven in oil fields, improves your irrigation wells. Rex McFadden and Company, 806-792-4446 or call Morris Crittenden, 398-5588.

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FOR SALE: 560 International tractor, 4 row equipment, Western and 44 cotton seed. Nearly new window cooler. 263-3007.

GRAY STOCK

good condition, 1500, 263-6988. Can be seen at 2816 Coronado.

Livestock K-3

MIDLAND HOG Company buying all classes of hogs every Monday. Call 582-1546.

FOR SALE: Two horses, one registered to year old Gelding, one 8 year old Sorrel mare. Both playday trained. After 6:00, 263-3551 from 8:00-6:00.

NINE YEARS, 15 hands, gentle for anyone, hauled nine months. Placed consistently in barrels and flags, 3800, also good saddle, \$75. 915-267-6868.

HORSE AUCTION

Big Spring Livestock Auction Horse Sale, 2nd and 4th Saturdays 12:30. Lubbock Horse Auction every Monday 7:00 p.m. Hwy. 87 South Lubbock, Jack Auliff 806-745-1435. The largest horse and Tack Auction in West Texas.

MISCELLANEOUS L

Dogs, Pets, Etc. L-3

PUREBRED RAT Terrier and Fox Terrier pups. J. H. Shook, Rt. one, Box 22, San Angelo, Texas 76901, 453-2884.

SWEET, LOVEABLE and cuddly, mixed breed puppies, to give away. Seven weeks old. Call 263-3932.

FREE PUPPIES: Small mixed breed, cuddly and loveable. 6 weeks old. Call 263-1434.

AKC REGISTERED Collie: One year old male, has had on-leash basic obedience training. Call 267-1275.

TWO AKC Registered Toy Poodle puppies for sale. Can be seen at 503 Nolan, 263-0400.

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We groom all breeds. Poodles our specialty. Call 263-0971 for Appointment.

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COMPLETE POODLE grooming,

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FREE ESTIMATES
1501 Rannels 267-4545

Household Goods L-4

FOR SALE: 1. Serta mattress box set. 2. Serta mattress. 3. Danish modern chairs. Call 263-6252 after 5:00.

NURSERY Special, Chest & Crib

3-SWIVEL counter bar stools, all wood. \$150.00
NEW E.A. Queen size velvet sleepers. \$399.95
USED 2 pc EA living room suite. \$69.95
USED 3 pc sectional living room suite. \$79.95
USED 5 pc Oak dinette. \$99.95
3 PIECE bedroom suite with mattress & box springs. \$269.95
USED Hide-A-Bed with chair. \$129.95
SEVERAL used recliners. \$49.95 & up
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Window units, side drafts or down drafts. Motors, pumps & other accessories.

2500 CFM \$75.77
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Round pedestal table with 4 swivel chairs. \$189.95
Used Whirlpool washer. \$119.95
Used Queen size hide-a-bed. \$149.95
Used Maple desk. \$49.95
Avocado foot free refrig. 7 mos. old. \$349.95
Avocado 30" range, 7 mos. old. \$198.95
Baby bed with mattress. \$54.95

HUGHES TRADING POST 2000 W. 3rd 267-5661

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Trucks For Sale M-9

JOHNSTON TRUCK & Supply has 60 trucks and 62 trailers for sale. 817-725-6181. Cross Plains, Texas.

FOR SALE: 1974 Ford pickup, 6 standard shift, 4 wheel drive, real clean. Call 394-4444. 263-7300.

Autos M-10

1974 FORD LTD four door. Dark green with vinyl top. Brougham luxury group, cruise control, electric seats, air conditioner, good tires, low mileage. \$3,500. 267-5054; after 6:00, 267-5971.

1971 MERCURY STATION Wagon. Low mileage, power and air. \$1,495. Call 293-5719 for more information.

1970 CATALINA PONTIAC: Two door, clean, good condition. \$1,195. Call 267-2800.

1974 CHRYSLER TOWN & Country 3 seat wagon. Cruise control, power windows, door locks, 4-way seat, heavy duty low package, Security alarm, luggage rack, stereo AM-FM 8 track. Low mileage. \$3,800. 267-7798 after 5:00.

2602 DATSUN 27,000 miles, chrome wire wheels. Call 263-1688; after 6:00, 267-8753.

1975 VEGA HATCHBACK Deluxe. Automatic, factory air, 3,000 miles. Take up payments. 263-0382 after 5:00.

1973 SUBARU. RED with vinyl top, two door, mag wheels, air conditioned, 14,500 miles. Call 263-8981 or 263-1133 after 4:00.

Planning a spring vacation?

Check these late model used cars!

1971 BUICK SKYLARK, 2-door, hardtop, auto, power and air, vinyl roof. \$1950.

1974 DATSUN B-210, hatch back, 4-cylinder, 4-speed, radio and heater. \$2950.

1974 DATSUN PICKUP, 4-cylinder, 4-speed, radio and heater. \$2950.

1974 BUICK REGAL 2-door hardtop, fully equipped, nice. \$3650.

1974 GRAND PRIX beautiful car, fully loaded, only. \$3950.

1972 DATSUN 1200 coupe, 4-speed, radio, air, vinyl top. \$1950.

1973 VW 411 2-door sedan, 4-speed. \$2150.

1973 DATSUN Station Wagon. \$2350.

1973 AMC GREMLIN, a real gas saver. \$1950.

Many other nice clean cars to choose from.</

