

American ancestry: Melting pot or salad bowl?

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States looks more like a salad bowl of nationalities than the traditional melting pot, judging by a new Census Bureau report issued Tuesday on the ancestry of Americans.

Equal parts of English and Germans have been tossed in with significant numbers of Irish, Africans, French and Italians and a hearty sprinkling of other nationalities.

Of more than 226 million people counted in the 1980 census, more than 118 million traced their origins back to one foreign nation, while nearly 70 million listed multiple ancestry.

America's mother country of England predominated, with 49,598,035 people listing it as their ethnic homeland. That's 26.34 percent of all Americans.

But Germany was a close second, boasting 26.14 percent of U.S. residents, or 49,224,146

preliminary 1979 study had shown persons of German ancestry as outnumbering the English, but the final 1980 statistics reversed the standings.

Census director Bruce L. Chapman noted that the 50 million Americans who trace their ancestry to England is more than the current population of that country.

England, including Wales, currently contains just under 49 million people, according to the British Embassy in Washington. If Americans of English and Welsh ancestry are added together the total is 51,262,633.

And Chapman suggested that the figure for English-Americans may be low.

"The English, having been assimilated in this country before the word assimilated was even thought about, sometimes tend to be regarded like an undercoat of paint on a house, which is

there but simply not remarked upon or particularly noticed," Chapman said in a telephone interview.

The total of all ancestral groups in the study tops the nation's population because many people listed more than one ancestry and thus were counted in more than one category.

Chapman noted that the Irish, this nation's third largest ethnic group at 40,165,702, outnumber the population of Ireland by a dozen times.

Afro-Americans were the nation's fourth largest group with 20,964,729 people listing themselves in this category. That's 11.13 percent of Americans. Following them were the French at 12,892,246, or 6.85 percent.

The study showed that for the most part the largest nationality groups were spread fairly evenly over the country. The Italians,

however, No. 6 on the list at 12,163,692, were concentrated in the Northeast.

Russians were also concentrated in that region, and Norwegians and Czechs gravitated to the North Central states.

California, being most populous of states, maintained the nation's largest concentrations of English, Germans, Irish, French, Scots, Dutch, Swedish, Danish and Portuguese.

New York had the largest group of Italians, Poles, Russians and Hungarians. Pennsylvania was tops for the Welsh, Ukrainians and Slovaks. Minnesota ranked first in Norwegians and Illinois in Czechs.

Just over 38 million Americans either listed "American" under ancestry or chose not to answer the question, the bureau reported.



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Call of spring

Wrapped in a winter jacket and balancing an umbrella, Richard Ortega, 13, weathers unseasonably cool temperatures and drizzle Tuesday to make an outdoors telephone call from the Furr's

Supermarket at Scharbauer Drive. Today's overnight low of 49 degrees broke a 38-year-old record of 50 set in 1945. Richard is the son of Mary Ortega.

Syria tolling death of withdrawal pact

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Syrian President Hafez Assad said the Lebanese-Israeli troop withdrawal agreement "is in its death stage" and predicted a new war with the Jewish state, Syria state radio reported today.

"We shall continuously struggle against and undermine this agreement of submission that was imposed on Lebanon by the United States and Israel," the radio quoted Assad as saying Tuesday during a surprise visit to his ally Libya.

He and Libyan leader Col. Moammar Khadafi held two rounds of talks on ways to derail the withdrawal accord, which Assad said was "in its death stage, in its collapsing stage."

"We shall cooperate in this respect

with all nationalists in the Arab world," the Syrian broadcast quoted Assad as saying.

Assad also claimed Israel's buildup in Lebanon was a prelude for war because "Israel wants eventually to create a state stretching from (Iraq's) Euphrates River to (Egypt's) Nile," the radio said.

Israel invaded Lebanon last June 6, forced Palestine Liberation Organization guerrillas to evacuate Beirut by late summer, and signed the U.S.-sponsored troop-withdrawal agreement with Lebanon in May. Under the pact, Israel will withdraw its troops when Syria and the PLO pull out their forces.

"There was an identity of Syrian and Libyan views about the dangers of the agreement and the need to

coordinate all Arab efforts to confront this agreement and collapse it," the radio said.

It said the talks also covered cooperation between the two Soviet-backed nations to face the Israeli military buildup along the 50-mile cease-fire line with Syria in east Lebanon's Bekaa Valley. The broadcast gave no details, but PLO sources have said a Libyan battalion is stationed in Syria.

In Lebanon, an Israeli army spokesman said "terrorist" gunmen attacked an Israeli convoy with small arms fire south of Beirut today. He said one assailant was wounded and captured after a shootout, but not disclose the name of nationality of the captive.

Poland admits martial law failure, steps up struggle

WARSAW, Poland (AP) — The Communist Party Central Committee has endorsed a militant new policy of intensified struggle to silence dissidents, while also admitting martial law has failed to achieve all its desired goals.

"Our enemies, though weakened, on the defensive and ever more isolated, are not giving up," said a statement at the end of Tuesday's one-day session, the first meeting of the Central Committee in more than seven months.

"We do not want to multiply enemies," the statement said, "but we shall not be found lacking in determination and perseverance in fighting them."

It said the party "will struggle

against that which is pulling us backward, against those who disturb social calm and are still trying to incite action against socialist Poland."

The statement, a report from the ruling Politburo, was read to the 200-member Central Committee by senior party official Jozef Czyrek, a close ally of Gen. Wojciech Jaruzelski, the premier and party chief. Jaruzelski made only a brief appearance to open the session at party headquarters in downtown Warsaw.

Urging Poles to "take up the common effort of shaping the present day and a happy future for the Polish People's Republic," the Politburo acknowledged the party has "not attained the desired results in all

fields" since Jaruzelski decreed martial law Dec. 13, 1981.

Under military rule the government suspended and later outlawed the independent union Solidarity, but the banned organization and its leader Lech Walesa still enjoy a wide following among workers, farmers, and intellectuals.

The Solidarity underground succeeded in organizing mass anti-government demonstrations in 20 Polish cities on May Day despite government attempts to intimidate the protesters.

One Western diplomat with long experience in Eastern Europe said the Politburo report was worded more militantly than previous speeches by senior party leaders.

East Germany ousts activists

BERLIN (AP) — East Germany's Communist rulers are trying to quash a budding peace movement at home by expelling its youthful members to the West.

So far, 18 men and women involved in an unauthorized peace organization in the small East German town of Jena have been forced to leave the country.

All were expelled to West Berlin or Bavaria during a 10-day period last month. But members of the group, in recent interviews with West German television, said the movement is strong and would continue despite harassment from authorities.

Diplomatic sources in East Berlin

said several thousand people may belong to the unauthorized movement, although its members are scattered, lack unified leadership and seem to have little communication with each other.

"The peace movement is not limited to Jena. It is in other towns as well, including (East) Berlin, Dresden, Cottbus, Schwerin, Weimar and Suhl," Manfred Hildebrandt, a member of the Jena group, told an interviewer in West Berlin.

Several of those expelled said they were told their activities "do not correspond to the interests of the East German Democratic Republic."

East German authorities began having trouble with pacifists two

years ago after the government started praising Western peace movements for agitating against the placement of new American nuclear missiles in Europe.

The East German pacifists launched their own movement, symbolized by a badge bearing the slogan "Swords Into Plowshares."

The independent movement and slogan outraged Communist party officials, who were pushing the official line that peace should be achieved by limiting NATO armament.

They contended a well-armed East bloc was needed to counter "war preparations by the most aggressive circles of NATO."

Stone begins Central American mission

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former Sen. Richard Stone begins his new job as special envoy to Central America today and plans to leave Thursday on a peacemaking mission to El Salvador, U.S. officials say.

Stone was being sworn in at ceremonies presided over by Secretary of State George P. Shultz. His trip to El Salvador the next day will be to help the Salvadoran government encourage moderate leftists to participate in the fall presidential elections.

President Reagan, meanwhile, said Tuesday the ouster of the State Department's chief officer on Latin American affairs and the reported replacement of the American ambassador in El Salvador do not reflect a change in U.S. policy.

Stone, a Florida Democrat, is undertaking his mission at a time when State Department officials believe Salvadoran rebels may be shifting from their policy of humane treatment of captured soldiers.

An American Embassy cable

declassified by the State Department Tuesday reported that the guerrillas summarily executed 42 Salvadoran soldiers a week ago after the troops had surrendered. Previously, the rebels routinely released POW's after brief periods of detention.

The incident reportedly followed a nine-hour battle in northeastern El Salvador in which the 82-man government force laid down their arms after running out of ammunition.

Most of the 42 dead soldiers were found with mutilated bodies, including severed arms and ears, the cable said. The bodies were recovered and "stacked up" at 5th brigade headquarters, it said.

At Cinquera, a week earlier, an insurgent force reportedly executed 10 soldiers and eight civilian sympathizers during a two-day occupation of the town.

The State Department cable said of the two incidents, "It is too early to tell if a trend has been established but it appears that the guerrillas

have decided to up the ante.

"Why remains a mystery for the moment as their tactic of capturing, stripping and quickly releasing soldiers unarmed had been so successful."

U.S. officials say the shift in guerrilla strategy could be related to U.S. plans to increase training of Salvadoran soldiers. It was disclosed last week that the administration will send 100 U.S. military trainers to Honduras to train 2,400 troops from El Salvador.

Reminded that the Cinquera incident occurred well before last Friday's announcement, the officials said the insurgents have known for weeks about the plan to increase training from high military officials in San Salvador.

They added that the murder last week of Navy Cmdr. Albert A. Schaufelberger, an American military trainer in El Salvador, may also have been related to the shift in guerrilla tactics.

Schaufelberger is the only Ameri-

can trainer to be killed in El Salvador since U.S. personnel first were sent there two years ago.

Reagan discussed U.S. policy on El Salvador with reporters Tuesday after returning to the White House from the economic summit conference in Williamsburg, Va.

"These have been played, very frankly, out of all proportion," Reagan said, alluding to reports that the administration wanted "team players" who would take a harder line against the leftist guerrillas in Central America.

"These are changes that don't have anything to do with policy changes or anything else," Reagan said.

Reagan removed Thomas O. Enders as the assistant secretary of state for inter-American affairs last Friday. Enders, who will be nominated as U.S. ambassador to Spain, will be succeeded by Langhorne A. Motley, the U.S. ambassador to Brazil.

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Smocking sampler

Smocking, a craft which dates to the 17th century, can be used on anything from raincoats to Christmas tree ornaments.

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National Weather Service 70 NOAA, U.S. Dept. of Commerce

Warmer weather for the South, cool temperatures in the northeast and showers from the eastern Plains to the lower Midwest...

Temperatures reach record low

Tuesday's unseasonable weather blew in a new record low for Permian Basin temperatures. With a high of only 49, the old record low of 50, set in 1945, vanished with the end of May.

Midland statistics

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Weather elsewhere

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Texas temperatures

Table listing high, low, and precipitation for various Texas cities like Abilene, Alice, Amarillo, Austin, etc.

Texas area forecast

West Texas: Partly cloudy to fair with a warming trend through Thursday. Highs 75 Panhandle to near 90 Lower Pecos Valley...

Extended forecast

Friday through Sunday: West Texas: Partly cloudy, chance of showers or thunderstorms. Little change in temperatures.

Border states forecasts

Oklahoma: Partly cloudy through Thursday. Scattered thunderstorms mainly west tonight and across the state Thursday.



Part of a chimney marks the site of a Farmington, Utah, home swept away by a massive mudslide Tuesday. Several homes were destroyed in the community, 15 miles north of Salt Lake City, and mud continues to flow.

Utah residents still fighting mud

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Utah residents spent another day Tuesday fighting to hold back the record flooding and mudslides that have forced evacuation of 1,800 people, damaged dozens of homes and severed highways.

Miles said the Farmington slide stabilized during the night, but began moving again at seven to 10 mph at about 4:30 a.m. Tuesday, breaking through a sandbag barrier and smashing into a home.



Dung Nguyen Vietnamese valedictorian congratulated

PENSACOLA, Fla. (AP) — President Reagan told a Vietnamese refugee who finished at the top of her high school class that she is "good for the country" and to have fun at her graduation.

Southeast Asia's 'yellow rain' has bee droppings, study says

DETROIT (AP) — Researchers who tested "yellow rain" from Southeast Asia discovered the substance contains bee droppings, but say that doesn't rule out the possibility of what the U.S. government claims is chemical warfare in the region.

In a pair of reports last year, the State Department detailed evidence which it said proved that the Soviet Union and its allies were waging biological warfare in Afghanistan, Laos and Cambodia.

been studied and rejected by responsible scientists who have seriously studied the question. It should be noted that sample evidence from attack sites and victims is just part of the total evidence available that toxins are being used as weapons.

Comrades crack down on drunk drivers

WESTMINSTER, Calif. (AP) — Some California Highway Patrol officers reacting to the traffic death of a fellow patrolman staged a spontaneous Memorial Day weekend crackdown against drunken drivers, nearly doubling last year's arrest total for the period.

There was nothing organized, nothing planned," Giardina said Tuesday. "The fellows all just returned from the funeral and they had this idea that a drunk driver had done this. They all just worked a little harder."

Statewide, 1,878 people were arrested for drunken driving during the holiday, compared with 1,840 last year, according to CHP figures.

Memorial Day death toll higher

CHICAGO (AP) — Traffic-related accidents across the nation during the Memorial Day weekend took 437 lives, the largest toll for the three-day period in four years.

Peruvian leader finds emergency declaration unpopular

The guerrillas had sought to start what they called a Cuban-style revolution near Cuzco, still one of the nation's most depressed regions despite the tourist business generated by the Inca ruins at nearby Machu Picchu.

Peruvian leader finds emergency declaration unpopular

By FENTON WHEELER Associated Press Writer LIMA, Peru — President Fernando Belaunde Terry's government, including the armed forces, appears to have badly misread the political and military strength of Peru's leftist guerrilla movement.

An Analysis tions about Belaunde's assertion that his government was defeating the movement, which is based in the Andes Mountains and has a following among poor peasants. It has been fighting Belaunde's government since his five-year term began.

There are no signs at the moment that the president, in the midst of his worst crisis midway through his current term, will be deposed by the military again.

But non-Peruvian military analysts say the newly imposed emergency measures provide no assurance that the government will fare better in fighting the guerrillas than it has in the last three years.

Earlier this year government estimates put the number of guerrillas at 500 to 700. Since then the government has claimed the arrest of more than 400 and the death of 600 others, most of them in the guerrilla stronghold of Ayacucho province.

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Alcohol market gets a hangover: Sales drop

By DONALD C. BAUDER
Copley News Service

The diagnosis is in. American society is not suffering from acute dipsomania.

It seems incredible, but we're not a nation of toppers — or, at least, our wine-bibbing proclivities are not intensifying every year.

Alas, there has to be another explanation for the phenomenon of a society that is perpetually vertiginous, forever fuzzy. We can no longer explain that it's drunk outside.

The statistics indicate otherwise. Last year, for example, the distilled spirits market plunged by 4.5 percent in the United States. Shipments of bourbon dropped 6.1 percent, blends 8.6, Scotch 6, Canadian 5.5, gin 5.5, vodka 3.8, brandy 7.3. Only Irish whiskey and rum enjoyed consumption increases last year, and they weren't very large, according to Marvin R. Shanken of New York's Impact newsletter.

"The American distilled spirits market had its worst year on record in 1982. Shipments declined to pre-1975 levels. The question distilled spirits marketers must now reckon with is what proportion of the losses were due to a poor economy, and what were due to fundamental changes in the American lifestyle?" said Shanken.

But hard liquor wasn't the only category to suffer. According to Florida-based researcher Ben Corrado, consumption of U.S.-made wine dropped by 0.2 percent last year, after rising at 5 percent a year for a long time. And consumption of U.S.-brewed beer also dropped. It was only the gain in imports (up 6.4 percent in wine and 10.2 percent in beer) that pulled total consumption of wine and beer up — but it was only a very slight increase.

Has the nation gone soft? That is, have soft drinks picked up where hard drinks left off? The answer is no. U.S. soft drink consumption rose only 2 percent last year, despite a proliferation of new products, very heavy advertising and plenty of competitive price-cutting.

Of course, Americans have consumed so much soft drinks that we have reached saturation: Incremental gains are very difficult. In 1946, per capita consumption of a standard 12-ounce bottle of pop was 88.6 bottles a year. By 1981 it had gone up to a belching 412.3 bottles a year, up 365 percent.

"To match that record over the next 35 years would mean that the 21st century consumer would polish off more than 1,900 bottles a year, or at a rate of more than five a day," said Value Line's William A. Wise.

Economically, the problem for hard liquor, wine, beer and soft drinks is quite similar: The producers are coming out with all kinds of new products at the time that consumption is going nowhere. Brother, that's a bottleneck — and a pain-in-the-neck to the corporate treasurer. And that's why margins are under siege: There's a very expensive competitive scramble for a shrinking market.

Fuel economy ratings to be driven down

WASHINGTON (AP) — Those fantastic fuel economy ratings that automakers have been touting in recent years may not look so fantastic in the future. The Environmental Protection Agency is considering slashing the numbers.

The highest figures, for highway driving, would be cut by 22 percent while the city mileage figures would be trimmed by 10 percent under a proposal the agency unveiled Tuesday.

It's all part of truth-in-advertising push by the EPA, which has long been criticized for publishing highly inflated numbers that bear no relationship to what a motorist can expect to get in everyday driving.

The EPA at first tried to combat the problem by stressing that the numbers should only be used to compare one car against another.

But faced with evidence that this advice was being roundly ignored, the agency began looking for ways to convert its ratings into a better predictor of what motorists could expect to achieve on the highway.

After reviewing survey data on actual mileage results obtained from motorist surveys in the past three years, the agency is proposing a simple across-the-board reduction for all cars.

Highway mileage figures will be cut by 22 percent, because EPA found they were more inflated than the city figures. EPA officials say the figures became inflated primarily because the highway test is conducted at an average speed of 48 miles an hour, far below the speed most motorists drive on the open road.

In 1979, the EPA stopped publishing the highway figures because of concern that they were so

misleading, but manufacturers have been free to continue citing the numbers in their advertising.

Under the proposal, the EPA would go back to publishing both the highway and city figures, but only after applying the fixed-percentage cuts.

If these cuts had been applied to the top-rated 1983 Volkswagen, its city rating would have dropped from 50 miles per gallon to 45 and its highway average would have declined from 67 mpg to 52.

John Hartnett, a spokesman for General Motors Corp., said the giant automaker has seen the gap narrow between the mileage ratings and actual performance as measured by GM surveys in recent years. For this reason, he said, GM is not sure the EPA proposal "is needed anymore."

Phil Hutchison, a vice president for Volkswagen, said his company was opposed to applying fixed reductions to all automakers.

EXPLORATORY WELLS

ANDREWS COUNTY
Wildcat (plugback from Fasken Penn)
David & Inez Fasken No. 12 Fee "ZA", 1,800 fml, 1,040 fml sec 25, blk 42, T-1-N, GAMBIA, 13 s Andrews, PD 10,800.

BORDEN COUNTY
Wildcat
The State Petroleum Corp. No. 1-16 Coleman Farms: 660 fml, 1,980 fml sec 16, blk 32, T-5-N, T&P, 10 nw Galt, PD 10,000.

PECOS COUNTY
Costa Resources Inc. No. 2 Hart "A": 9,519 fml, 467 fml sec 18, blk 9, H&G, 2 n Imperial, PD 4,300.

TXO Prod. Corp. No. 1 Wimberly: 660 fml, 660 fml sec 4, blk 100, EL & RR, 11 SW of Bakerfield, PD 15,600.

Costa Resources Inc. No. 2 Hart "A": 9,519 fml, 467 fml sec 18, blk 9, H&G, 2 n Imperial, PD 4,300.

DEVELOPMENT WELLS

ANDREWS COUNTY
Triple N — Grayburg
Gulf Oil Corp. No. 3 State AR: 1,980 fml, 1,980 fml sec 21, blk 9, U.S., 12 sw Andrews, PD 9,500.

ECTOR COUNTY
Cowden, S. Canyon
Jack L. Kirby No. 1 Cowden B: 1,980 fml, 1,980 fml sec 41, blk 43, T-2-S, T&P, 1 w Odessa, PD 8,700.

Goldsmith
Atlantic Richfield Co. No. 232 Goldsmith-Cummins (SA) Unit: 430

fml, 1,400 fml sec 25, blk 45, T-1-N, T&P, 430 fml, 1,400 fml sec 25, blk 45, T-1-N, T&P, 7 nw Goldsmith, PD 4,516.

MIDLAND COUNTY
Spraberry (Trend Area)
Gulf Oil Co. No. 1 Scharbauer Cattle Co., et al "L": 660 fml, 1,980 fml sec 3, blk 39, T-1-S, T&P, 6 Midland, PD 13,098.

REEVES COUNTY
Jess Burner (Delaware 3,800)
Orla Parco No. 1 Wyche: 467 fml, 2,173 fml sec 40, blk 57, T-1, T&P, 4 n Orta, PD 4,200.

PLUGGED WELLS

CRANE COUNTY
University Waddell (Devonian)
Gulf Oil Corp. No. 752 WN Waddell: 7,260 fml, 1,980 fml of lease, sec 24, blk 8-25, PSL, 13 nw Crane, TD 9,130, PB 3,538, perforations 8,537-9,086, 3,207-3,450. Completed 11/18/82, plugged 4/25/83.

ELTUVU COUNTY
Foster
Sun Exploration Co. No. 1406W Foster Johnson Unit: 990 fml, 2,310 fml of lease, sec 18, blk 42, T&P, 2 nw Odessa, TD 4,284, perforations 4,100-4,280H.

HOWARD COUNTY
Howard-Glasscock
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 213YW Roberts, Dora: 1,070 fml, 900 fml of

lease, sec 137, blk 29, W&NW, 2 e Foran, TD 1,450, perforations 1,378-1,410.

Oil well — completed 4/20/83, plugged 5/15/83.

Moore
Trey Exploration Inc. No. 1 Eunice Homan et al: 990 fml & fml of lease, sec 12, blk 34, T-1-S, T&P, 4 sw Big Spring, TD 3,350, perforations 3,157-3,187.

Oil well — completed 7/20/78, plugged 4/27/83.

Trey Exploration Inc. No. 22 Waldron et al "U": 1,650 fml, 990 fml of lease, sec 13, blk 34, T-1-S, T&P, 5 sw Big Spring, TD 3,345, perforations 3,224-3,271.

Oil well — completed 4/10/80, plugged 4/26/83.

DRILLING REPORT

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ANDREWS COUNTY
ARCO Oil & Gas No. 1-8 University: 11 sec 12 PD 7,200. Total depth 7,112 feet. PBD 7,063 feet. Shut in well, waiting on line heater.

Callaway Production Co. No. 1 Cowden "A" PD 11,800. Total depth 9,454 feet, drilling.

William E. Hendon No. 3 University: 42 re-entry shut in.

Wyoming Resources Corp. No. 1 McNeil PD 7,600, moving in rig.

BORDEN COUNTY
Delta Drilling Co. No. 2-466 Don A Jones PD 8,500 no activity.

Dunham Inc. No. 1 Jones Ranch PD 8,600, drilling 6,547 feet, shale.

Exxon Corp. No. 1-D Coleman Farms PD 9,900. Total depth 9,818 feet, waiting on completion unit.

Exxon Corp. No. 1-F Coleman Farms PD 9,650. Total depth 9,868 feet, waiting on completion unit.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY
Beach Exploration No. 1 Houston Estate PD 11,300, waiting on orders.

Exxon Corp. No. 1 W H Schwartz PD 11,200, drilling 5,278 feet.

William E. Hendon No. 1 Powell 32-A, waiting on tank battery.

Texaco Inc. No. 1 Glasscock "L": Fee PD 11,500. Total depth 8,262 feet. PBD 8,212 feet, ran 5 inch liner from 7,926-8,262 feet, pumped 51 barrels oil, 181 barrels load water in 24 hours.

Texaco Inc. No. 2 Glasscock "K": Fee PD 11,350, drilling 9,571 feet, shale, ran 7 inch at 8,410 feet.

LEA COUNTY
C & K Petroleum No. 1 Ship "27-B" PD 11,800, shut in.

Great Western Drilling Co. No. 1 State 60 PD 11,000, testing.

Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1 Lea "AO": State PD 10,900, finished trip in hole w DST no. 1, AT 5,635-5,714 open tool at 8 a.m., 151 F w weak blow 60 minutes ISI, 90 minutes FF on 1" choke w weak blow 180 minutes PSI, reversed out 12 barrels oil, 7 barrels water, 25,000 sample plus 75 pounds 600 cc oil, 600 cc form water, oil gravity 35 at 60 degrees, Hyd 2,533 temp 104 degrees, 5,711, trip in hole, now drilling 6,385, lime, shale, deviation 1.2 degree at 6,197.

HNG Oil Co. No. 1 Madera "28": Federal PD 13,500, shut in.

HNG Oil Co. No. 1 Pitchfork Federal Com 34 PD 15,600, shut in.

Santa Fe Exploration Co. No. 1 Amoco State PD 10,400, drilling 70 feet, shale tool.

MARTIN COUNTY
Parker & Parsley No. 1 Caprock PD 11,500, shut in, waiting on evaluation.

DMR Petroleum Co. No. 1 J. S. Bohlander new location 5-24.

MIDLAND COUNTY
OGE Drilling Inc. No. 1 Lindsey PD 11,200, drilling 5,820 feet.

Wilson Energy Inc. No. 1 Brooks PD 10,900, waiting on completion unit.

MITCHELL COUNTY
HMH Operators No. 1 Nora Smith total depth 4,400 feet, ran Gamma Ray correlation log, total depth inside pipe 4,335 feet, perforated 8 holes select fire in Wichita Albany as follows 3,849, 3,866, 3,867, 3,911, 3,912, 3,921, 3,922, 3,923, prep to test, run tubing.

PECOS COUNTY
Conoco Inc. No. 1 Elsinore "73": PD 16,600, drilling tight.

Exxon Oil Corp. No. 1 Pryor Estate flow testing, opened well FTP 200 pounds, 48-64" choke, recovered 37 MCF gas, 14 barrels water.

Exxon Oil Corp. No. 1 M. McComb Gas Unit "B": waiting on completion unit.

Exxon Oil Corp. No. 1 State University "EU": waiting on completion unit.

Exxon Oil Corp. No. 6 Longfellow Corp. abandoned location.

HNG Oil Co. No. 1 Hayler State 28 PD 16,500, drilling 14,538 feet shale.

C.F. Lawrence No. 1 McComb "B": PD 3,200, waiting on pulling unit.

A. N. Norwood No. 1 McIntyre PD 5,500, testing.

Westland Oil Development No. 1 Sams-State-A PD 21,700, swabbing.

ROOSEVELT COUNTY
Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1 Davis B PD 2,265, total depth 7,567 feet, ran 8 5/8" casing at 3,862 feet, 182 feet at 1900 hours.

STERLING COUNTY
OGE Drilling Inc. No. 1 Sellers 66 PD 9,000, swabbing Ellenburger peris.

InterNorth No. 4, Chappell 62: waiting on completion unit.

TOM GREEN
Bruce A. Wilbanks No. 4 Llano County School Lands PD 1,000, drilling 2,300 feet.

UPTON COUNTY
TXO Production Corp. No. 3 Lane PD 9,300, total depth 9,299 feet, testing.

WINKLER COUNTY
Exxon Oil Corp. No. 1 Waddell Brothers et al shut in.

Magnatex Petroleum Co. No. 1 Wheeler PD 11,500, location 5-21.

YOAKUM COUNTY
North American Royalties Inc. No. 1 Hicks PD 12,500, total depth 12,227 feet, evaluating logs.

DAWSON COUNTY
Newport Petroleum Inc. No. 1 Hester PD 12,000, drilling 11,647 feet.

Omar Operating Co. No. 1 Wristen PD 7,800, swabbing back load.

EDDY COUNTY
HNG Oil Co. No. 1 McKittrick 30 Federal location.

W.A. Moncrief Jr. No. 1 Guada-

HOWARD COUNTY
Exxon Corp. No. 2 Aurilia swabbed abandoned location.

KENT COUNTY
TXO Production Corp. No. 1

LOVING COUNTY
Exxon Oil Corp. No. 1 C.G. Lude-man "E" PD 20,500 abandoned location.

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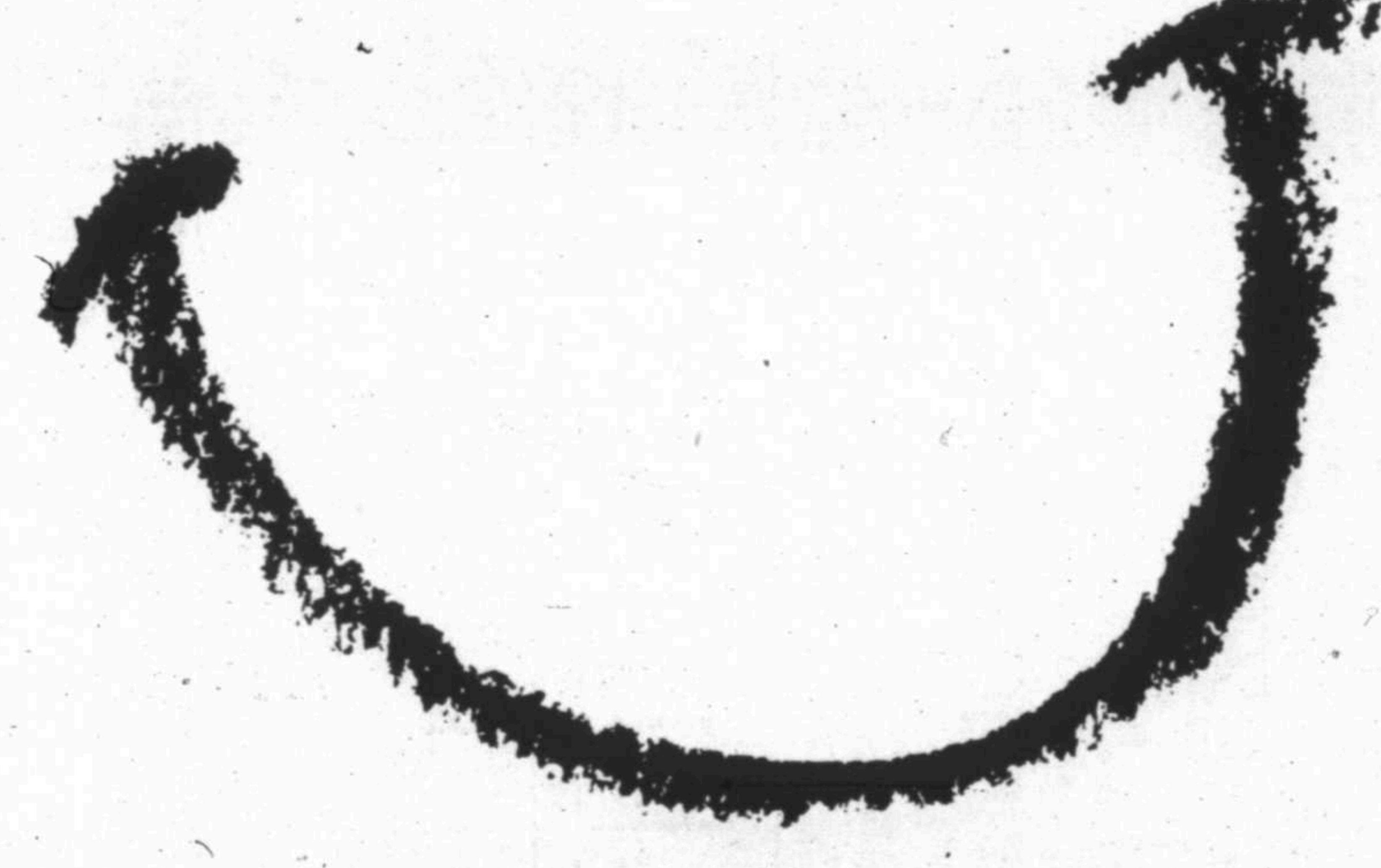
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Loss of TEC may cause 'chaos,' employee says

By VINCE GIORGI
Staff Writer

Without a special legislative session to salvage the Texas Employment Commission, about 3,000 employees — including about 80 in Midland and Odessa — will lose their jobs and the state may witness "economic chaos," according to the TEC's Midland area manager.

Ed Miller, a TEC employee for 25 years, said legislation which would have continued TEC operations snarled near the end of the past legislative session, which adjourned Monday at midnight.

Miller said following a mandatory study of the TEC by Texas' Sunshine Commission, which gave the TEC a favorable review, a bill which authorized continuation of the TEC breezed through the House.

A similar bill stalled in the Senate after Sen. Lloyd Doggett, D-Austin, attached a rider to the bill, according to Miller. The rider would have established a Texas office of the federal government's Equal Employment Opportunity Commission within the TEC.

When it was later learned that the federal government would not appropriate the funds necessary to administer the proposed Texas EEOC, Miller said, the Senate failed to pass the TEC continuing legislation.

"It's a legislative oversight, and I don't know if it's deliberate or not," said Miller, who noted that although Texas doesn't have an agency analogous with the EEOC, all agencies are subject to anti-discrimination laws as provided by the Civil Rights Act.

He said Doggett, by attaching the rider, may have been attempting to impress on his constituents his support for equal opportunity employment practices.

If the TEC is allowed to expire, "Believe me, the economic ramifications around the state would be tremendous," Miller said. "It's going to be economic chaos."

He said the TEC, which offers employment services and administers unemployment benefits, distributed about \$1.7 million in benefits

to Midland County residents in 1982 and about the same amount during the first quarter of 1983. Unemployment benefits reached about \$4.7 million in Ector County during 1982 and have climbed to about the same level this year, Miller said.

Miller said because the TEC is the only agency authorized by the state constitution to distribute unemployment compensation from its trust fund, some legislative action is required or the flow of unemployment benefits will cease.

"Without anything coming in at all, it's going to cause some economic hardships for everyone," he said, noting that about 655,000 people — including about 1,200 in Midland County — are currently drawing unemployment benefits in Texas.

Miller said that under the Wagner-Peyser Act of 1933, which mandates employment services in each state, the federal government could take over the TEC if the legislature fails to pass continuing legislation.

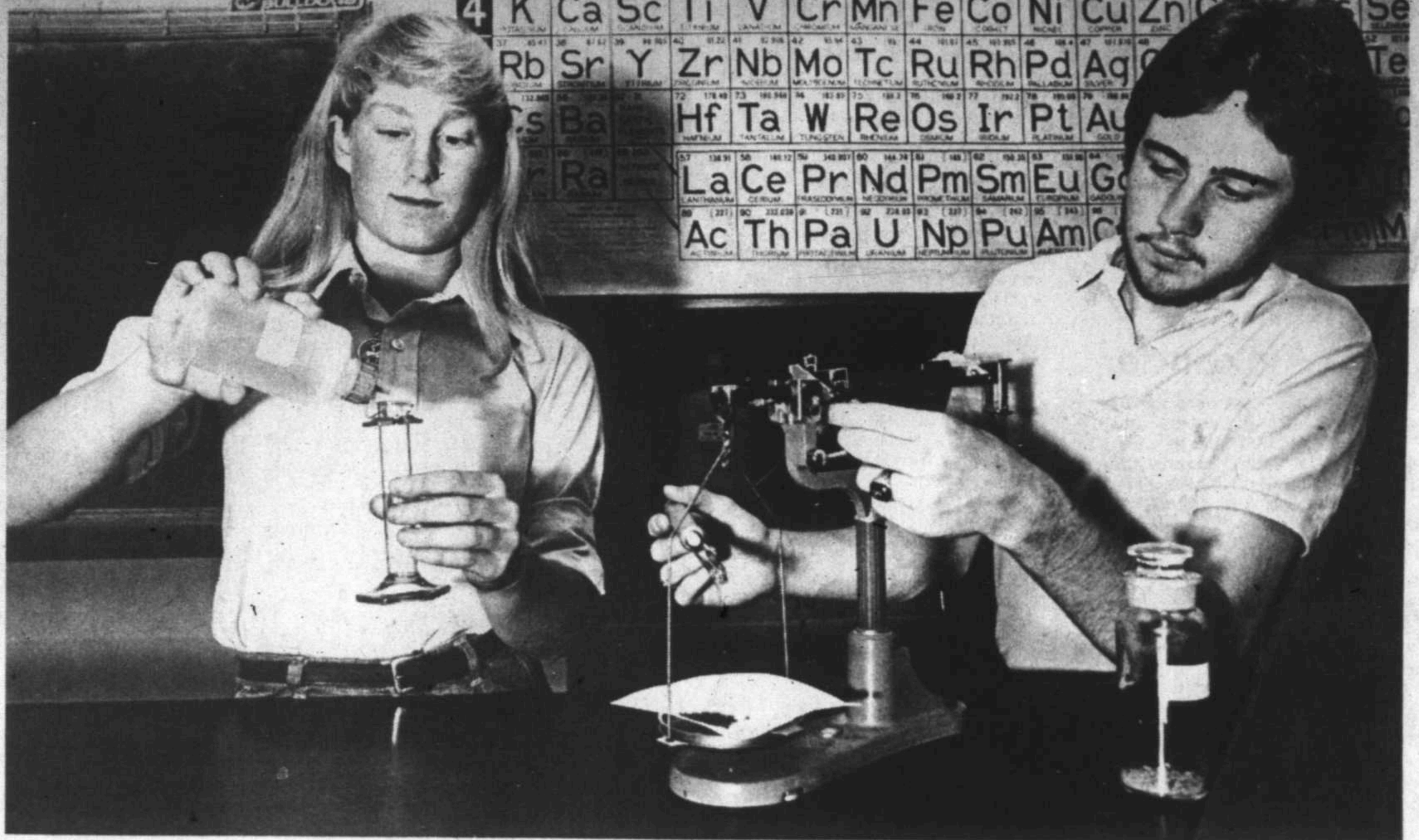
But because the federal government is prohibited from tapping the state's unemployment trust fund, Miller said the government would likely raise the unemployment taxes it charges Texas employers to generate funds.

Miller said dissolving the TEC also would add about 3,000 people to the state's unemployment total. Midland's office has 24 full-time and eight part-time workers and an annual payroll of about \$400,000. The Odessa office has about 48 employees.

Miller said he's confident some legislative action will be taken to sustain the TEC. "I think something will happen," he said.

News accounts Tuesday quoted Sen. Carl Parker, D-Port Arthur, as saying Gov. Mark White told him there will be a special session called this summer.

White, however, was reported to have said he has yet to decide whether to call a special session.



Chemists at work

Staff Photo by Cody Bell

Juniors Karen Eggleston of Midland High School and William Lewis of Lee High measured up to standards set by the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, N.Y. The two were awarded Rensselaer Medals, presented annually to a junior at each high school who is outstanding in mathematics and science.

Commissioners out to save money

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Midland County commissioners have embarked on an apparent austerity approach to the county's 1984 budget.

"It's obvious we've got to shoot for holding our own," said Commissioner C. Wallace "Wally" Craig during a break Tuesday in the Commissioners' Court initial two-day review

of departmental money needs in the upcoming fiscal year.

Craig noted the court was in a "very very basic, very very preliminary listening" point in the beginning stages of drafting the 1984 budget.

To operate the current \$8.5 million budget, the court last year voted 4-1 to increase the tax rate by 4 percent to 18.03 cents per \$100 valuation. The budget was approved by a similar

vote. The dissenting vote in both cases was cast by Charlie Welch "because it raises taxes."

Since then, Welch, Precinct 2 commissioner since 1969, was voted out of office in the November general election and was succeeded by Craig.

On Tuesday, the commissioners interviewed 11 department heads and directors, including Sheriff Dal-

las Smith, who, with an estimated \$1.8 million budget in 1983, is the county's top spender. His 50 deputies account for about a sixth of the county's 300 employees. Today, the commissioners were to interview 16 additional department heads. Later in June, July and August, commissioners will review proposed expenditures item-by-item before settling on a budget and proposing a new tax rate.

Prayer, meditation workshop slated

Well-known theologian to speak

John Bradshaw will be the guest speaker Friday and Saturday at a prayer and meditation workshop sponsored by the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity and the Palmer Drug Abuse Program.

Friday's session will be held from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. and Saturday's from 10 a.m. to noon and 1:30 to 4 p.m. All sessions will be held at Holy Trinity, 1412 W. Illinois Ave.

Bradshaw, a well-known theologian, educator, philosopher and lecturer from Houston, holds bachelor degrees in philosophy and psychology and a masters' degree in philosophy from the University of Toronto. He also has a degree in theology from the University of Toronto.

While attending the University of Toronto, Bradshaw was the recipient

of the following awards: Trustees' Scholarship, John MacDonald Scholarship in Philosophy, Cardinal Mercier Gold Medal in Philosophy and Trustees' Gold Medal for Academic Excellence. He graduated magna cum laude, was the class valedictorian and editor of the scholastic magazine, "The Basilian Teacher."

He has an individual counseling practice and serves as a consultant to the national PDAP organization.

"John had problems with alcohol and drugs in his own life," said Bob Savage, executive director of Midland's PDAP. "He became involved in PDAP at its inception in early 1971."

Bradshaw has been active in the PDAP program in Houston since it began and with the program here

since it was started in 1980.

This makes his fourth annual workshop in Midland. The workshop is open to persons of all ages.

In the past, he has served on the faculties of Saint Thomas University and Saint Thomas High School, was chairman of the religious department at Strake Jesuit College Preparatory, taught courses at Sacred Heart Dominican College and was a teaching fellow at Rice University.

Bradshaw has worked in the area of management training consultation since 1964 for such groups as Exxon, Phillips Petroleum, American Medical Institute and American Association of General Contractors, and, since 1964, has conducted workshops for educational, professional and social organizations including

the Houston Independent School District, Junior League in Dallas and Houston, the Congressional Wives' Prayer Group and the Congress of Neurological Surgeons.

Since 1968, he has conducted individual lecture series at more than 100 churches throughout the United States.

Bradshaw developed the Human Resources Program for Texas General Resources Inc., and serves as a member of the corporation's board of directors.

Those presenting the local workshop are asking for a \$10 donation per individual and \$15 per couple to help cover expenses. For more information contact PDAP or the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity.

Lawmaker ends session by kissing ladies

By KEN HERMAN

AUSTIN (AP) — Some of the lighter moments of daily life in the House, which is billed as a cross-section of Texas and Texans:

— Lantern-jawed freshman Ed Kuempel, R-Seguin, cruising the floor every day to shake hands with every member he could corner. In addition to those 149 greetings, he stopped to kiss the hard-working women who toiled at the clerk's desk.

In the closing moments of the session late Monday night, Richardson Rep. Bill Ceverha asked for approval of a motion instructing all females in the packed gallery to remain seated after adjournment "until (Kuempel) has a chance to kiss every one of them."

— Rep. Froy Salinas of Lubbock, a jovial watermelon of a man, had his own ritual. Repeatedly, redundantly and again, Salinas walked by the press table and, unprovoked, said, "The power of the mighty press."

— Out on the floor, Rep. Jim Parker, D-Comanche, consistently broke the House rules — but salted away friends for life — by keeping a bottomless box of peanuts on his desk.

— Rep. Frank Eikenburg, R-Plano, caught on camera casting votes for another member in violation of House rules, stared silently and blankly into a television camera for 79 seconds when a reporter challenged him about the votes.

— A clergyman forged ahead with his prayer despite the piercing blare of fire alarm buzzers — a few months after a Capitol fire killed one man. The House was cleared after the prayer, but the alarm turned out to be false.

— Godley dairyman and Rep. Bruce Gibson battled with reporters to milk the most puns and one-liners out of his unsuccessful attempt to make milk the official state beverage. At various times, the bill was skimmed by lawmakers, bottled up in committee,

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going sour or utterly ridiculous. Gibson called off the war of words when a reporter asked him if the bill had "passed your eyes."

— There were those who drew attention with how they said what they said. The three House voices least likely to make six o'clock news anchor are Orange Rep. Wayne Peveo's nasal, country twang; Waco Rep. Betty Denton's blackboard-scratch sound; and Kingsville Rep. Irma Rangef's unintended impression of Truman Capote.

And perhaps the best continuing show in the House was Speaker Gib Lewis' ongoing battle with the English language. The first hint of a problem in the speaker's chair came shortly after Lewis was elected to the post.

Rep. Senfronia Thompson, D-Houston, hailed Lewis as the first big-city speaker in decades. "Urban Speaker" then took the gavel and microphone and thanked everyone in his at times difficult-to-decipher rural Texas drawl.

Lewis' personal war against words ended on the final night when he introduced a woman he called "one of the finest ladies" in the House. The speaker promptly identified San Antonio Rep. Lou Nelle Sutton as Mrs. Thompson.

Mrs. Sutton fired back by thanking Speaker (Billy) Clayton. The session's over, but you catch part of the show at a district office near you.

Odessa's use of draw to be discussed

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

While Monahans Draw flows unobstructed, Midland city and county officials at 1:30 p.m. Thursday may discuss ways to block the flow of Odessa's waste water which comes down the drainage channel south of Midland.

Midland contends the flow is a nuisance and a health hazard. Odessa says it finds Midland's stance on Odessa's use of the draw "very disappointing" and as creating another barrier to harmony and cooperation between the neighboring cities.

In Thursday's city-county meeting, in the Board Room of First City National Bank, the county commissioners and city councilmen apparently will discuss tactics to be used in the Texas Department of Water Resources hearing July 7 on Odessa's permits. Odessa is asking to increase the amount of its twice-

treated effluent dumped from two treatment plants into the draw.

Midland County contends that the waste water filters into the subsurface soil, saturates the earth and ultimately pollutes the underground fresh water zones. County officials say the effluent creates health and sanitation problems by, for example, providing an active culture for mosquito larvae.

The city of Midland claims interest in what's dumped into the draw, since the channel cuts through the city's extra-territorial jurisdiction (ETJ) in Midland County. The city maintains concern for the health and welfare of the citizenry in the five-mile-wide ETJ, which has a potential of being annexed by the city. In addition, interpretations of state laws give municipalities police powers with the ETJ, which, in Midland County's case, is a buffer between the city and unincorporated rural areas.

Midland is proposing that Odessa seek alternate means to dispose of or to reclaim its waste water.

Midland, which is in a similar situation on Midland Draw, has bowed to Texas Water Commission orders to develop a system to dispose of its waste water, which occasionally flows down Midland Draw east of town and past the Greenwood community.

Midland's effluent has polluted fresh water zones along that draw; studies have indicated. Meanwhile, Midland is building a pipeline to route its effluent southeast of Midland for use on agricultural land near the Midland-Glasscock County line.

The thrust of Odessa's permit request is two-fold: To increase the flow of effluent from its older South Dixie Water Reclamation Plant from 11.8 million gallons per day to 14.7 million gallons per day and to boost the effluent volume from its 1982 East Water Reclamation Plant from

6.26 million gallons per day to 7.8 million gallon per day. The latter plant is in Midland County.

Odessa's previous discharge permits expired Aug. 31, though the city legally is discharging effluent until the Commission rules otherwise.

Persons, including those living along the draw, and representatives of the governing bodies who wish to protest the permits may file a written report with the Austin-based commission at least eight days prior to the July 7 hearing, which begins at 9 a.m. in Odessa City Hall Council Chambers.

Conducting the hearing will be Kaylene Ray, hearing examiner, who will forward her findings from the written and oral testimony to the commission for that governing body's consideration. Serving on the Commission are Felix McDonald, chairman, and Lee Biggart and John Stover.

Inmate convicted third time for capital murder

HOUSTON (AP) — A defense attorney says he is not surprised that a Texas prison inmate who survived a 1974 escape attempt was convicted a third time of capital murder, but says a Supreme Court ruling may result in a reversal.

Ignacio Cuevas was convicted anew Tuesday in the slaying of librarian Julia Standley, one of 13 hostages held 11 days in a prison unit library.

Testimony in the punishment phase of the trial begins today in

state District Judge Miron Love's court. Jurors deliberated two hours and 40 minutes before returning with the guilty verdict.

Defense attorney Will Gray said the verdict was "about what I expected, but this isn't the end."

Gray contends that the conviction is unconstitutional under a 1982 U.S. Supreme Court decision. He said the "law of parties" was outlawed in a Florida capital murder case.

"A man who does not kill and has no intention to kill cannot be con-

vinced of capital murder under that decision," Gray said.

The state produced no evidence to show Cuevas fired any fatal shots Aug. 3, 1974, when the siege ended in torrents of high-pressure water and a hail of gunfire.

Gray said Love failed to instruct the jury to consider as key evidence testimony that Cuevas had threatened repeatedly to kill hostages during the siege.

Assistant District Attorney Bert Graham replied that "jurors have to

proceed as the law is written at this time." He said the jury was instructed properly under current state law.

Cuevas has twice been convicted and sentenced to death, but appeals courts ordered new trials due to technical flaws in the jury selection.

According to evidence in the trial, Cuevas and two other inmates, Fred Gomez Carrasco and Rudolfo Dominguez, used smuggled guns to seize control of the prison library on July 24, 1974.

DEATHS



Bishop J.E. Alexander

J.E. Alexander

LUBBOCK — Services for Bishop J.E. Alexander of Lubbock and formerly of Midland will be at 7 p.m. today at the Calvary Baptist Church here. Services will be officiated by state officials and the Bishop J. Neaul Haynes of Dallas will give the eulogy.

National services will be on Thursday at 1 p.m. at the Calvary Baptist Church and will be officiated by the national presiding officer of the Churches of God in Christ, Bishop J.O. Patterson.

Alexander, the presiding bishop of Northwest Texas Jurisdiction of the Churches of God in Christ, was a longtime resident of Midland and pastor of the Alexander Temple Church in Midland for 31 years.

He is survived by his wife, Argretha.

Henry Manasco

TEXARKANA — Services for Henry Burl Manasco, 72, of Texarkana and formerly of Midland, were Saturday in East Memorial Chapel here with Charles Hillis officiating.

Burial was in Chapelwood Mausoleum, directed by East Funeral Home.

He died suddenly May 25 in his home.

Manasco was born March 7, 1911, in DeWitt, Ark. His wife, Gladys, died in 1981.

Survivors include a son, Ray McGee of Escondido, Calif.; four daughters, Shirley Young of Texarkana, Nancy Parvin of Anaheim, Calif., Roberta Carlson of Coalinga, Calif., and Gerladine Tatum of Midland; two sisters, Mrs. Verne Walker and Patricia Blome, both of Wapato, Wash.; 11 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Charles W. Dye

Services for Charles Wayne Dye, 33, of 125 Thornridge Drive, will be at 10 a.m. Thursday in Midland Lutheran Church with Pastors Charles Meyer and Gary Haaland and the Rev. Kenneth Hall officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park here, directed by Cooper Funeral Chapels of Kermit.

Dye died Tuesday morning in an Odessa hospital following injuries suffered in an automobile accident in Brewster County May 20.

He was born Oct. 14, 1949, in Ranger. He married Vicky Layne Odum Oct. 12, 1974, in Midland. He was a printer for Starline Creative

Printing and a veteran of the U.S. Navy. He had lived in Midland for 27 years, moving here from Eastland. He was a member of the Midland Lutheran Church.

Survivors include his wife of Midland; a son, Jamie Dye of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Dye of Midland; two brothers, Lynn Dye and Gene Dye, both of Midland; and a sister, Mary Webber of Waskom.

E.V. 'Eddie' Hirt

Services for E.V. "Eddie" Hirt, 63, of 1406 S. Atlanta St., will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday in Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home with the Rev. David Baker, pastor of Hope Lutheran Church, officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Hirt died Monday in a Big Spring hospital.

He was born Oct. 16, 1919, in Rockdale. He grew up in San Angelo. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He received an EAME Campaign Medal with two bronze stars. He also was awarded the Purple Heart and World War II Victory Medal. After discharge he worked as an oil field truck driver. He moved to Midland in 1948. He retired six years ago. He was a member of Hope Lutheran Church and VFW Post 7208 in Midland.

Survivors include his wife, Irene Hirt of Midland; three daughters, Jo Ann Epperson and Irene Kind of Hobbs, N.M., and Glenda Duginski of Midland; four brothers, Al Hirt of Midland, Alvin Hirt of Hobbs, E.M. Hirt of Odessa and Milton B. Hirt of Bridgeton, N.C.; a sister, Edna Hood of San Angelo; seven grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Fanny Glennan

Services for Fanny A. Glennan, 83, of Midland were Tuesday at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church with Father Jim Foelker officiating. Local services were handled by Ellis Funeral Home and burial was to be today at 10 a.m. Wednesday in Lawton, Okla.

Mrs. Glennan died Saturday at a Midland nursing home.

Pallbearers were to be John Glennan Jr., James Hardy, Matthew Wilson, Gary Wilson, C.A. Threet and Russell Freeman.

Annie M. Gray

DURHAM, N.C. — Annie Midgett Gray, 75, of Durham, sister of Mrs. Jerry Walker of Midland died Monday in a nursing home here. She had been in declining health for several years.

Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday in Woodlawn Memorial Park in Durham with Clements Funeral Service in charge.

She was born Feb. 20, 1908, in Elizabeth City, N.C., and was reared there. She taught school in Piedmont, N.C. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and was educated at North Carolina College for Women and East Carolina Teachers College.

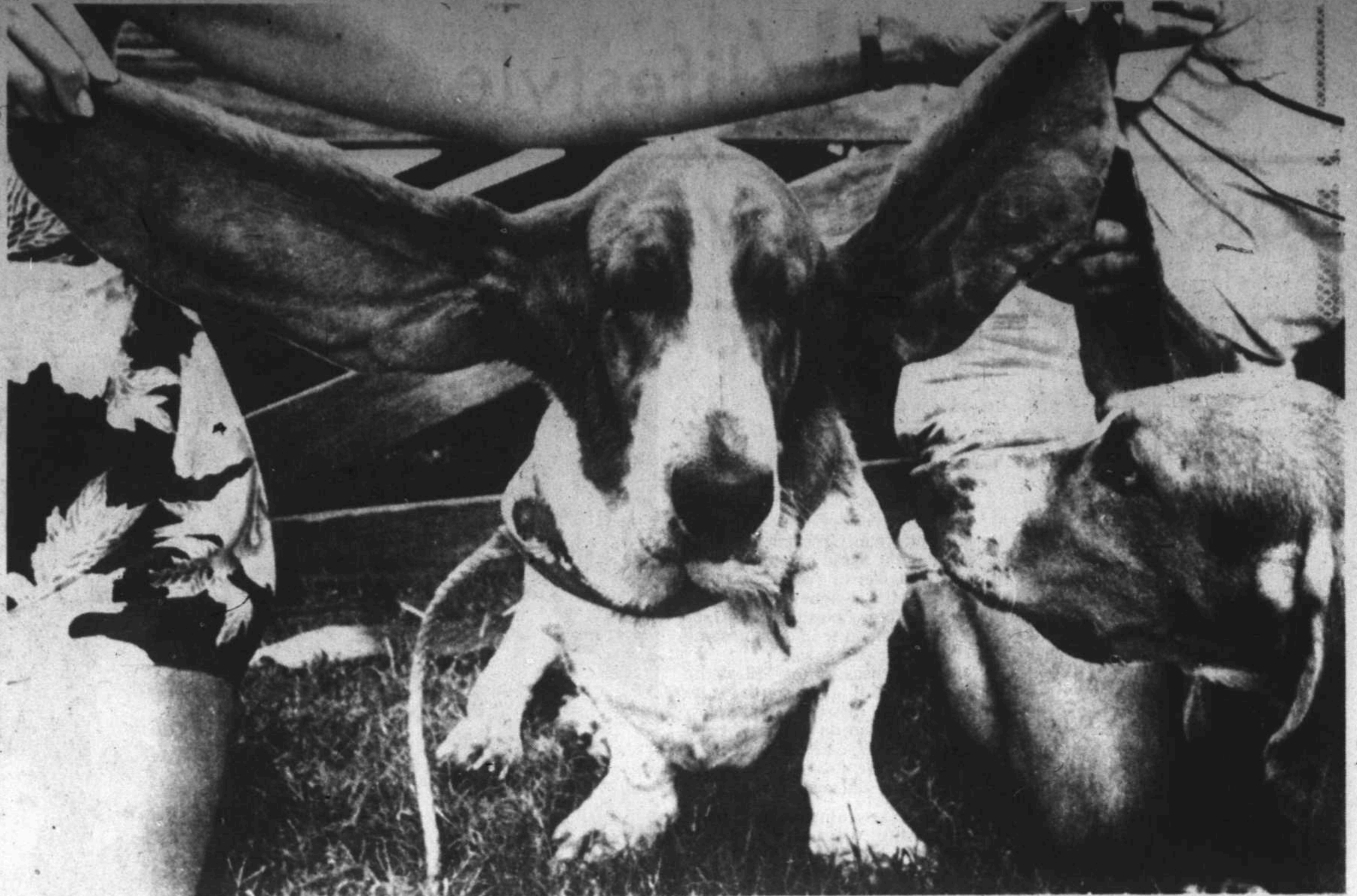
Other survivors include a daughter, a son, three sisters, a brother and seven grandchildren.

Mrs. Leo Myrick

Services for Mrs. Leo Myrick, 88, of Midland, were to be at 3:30 p.m. today in the Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home chapel with burial to follow in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Mrs. Myrick died Monday afternoon in a Midland hospital.

She was a member of Bellview Baptist Church.



Freddie, owned by Cindy McAllister, displays his ear span during a birthday party at an Austin park. The party was in honor of four basset hounds who are celebrities around the University of Texas.

Freddie was one of many basset hounds that took part in the festivities, which included a master and dog look-alike contest.

BIRTHS

MIDLAND MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
May 25, 1983

Mr. and Mrs. William Terry Cope-land, 4728 Laura, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Alan Abbott, 3329 W. Wadley No. 48, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Jose Magallanes, 1010 S. Terrell, a girl.

May 26, 1983
Sonia Bennett Nanez, Route 3 Box 700 Space 83, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Carl Drescher, 2412 Wydeewood, a boy.
Tina Renee May, Route 4 Box 8-E, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Rogers, 3601 Andrews Highway No. 803, a boy.

May 27, 1983
Mr. and Mrs. Tristan Grant Timinkas, 4315 Neely Apt. 925, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lee Thompson, 402 Woodcrest, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eugene Forster III, 1507 W. Ohio, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin LaRay Blake, 3615 Sinclair, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anthony

McCrakin, Route 2 Box 115 Lot 42, a girl.
Aurelia Villalobos, 1301 E. Cuthbert, a boy.

Diana L. Allen, 5215 W. Storey, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Rios, 1000 s. Webster, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Servet Ahmet Haktanir, 4404 Crenshaw, a boy.

May 28, 1983
Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Ellis Gray Jr., 4502 Storey, a girl.
Cheryl Lea Wadley, 4201 N. Garfield Apt. 162, a boy.

LaTissue Lanette Williams, Route 8 Box 115 Space 45, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Terry Joseph Fokett, Route 3 Box 700 Space 81, a boy.

Rozanne Watley Matheson, Route 4 Box 2-D, twin boys.

May 29, 1983
Mr. and Mrs. Jose Herculano Cruz, 2601 N. A St. No. 169, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Branecky, 4323 Winchester, Odessa, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lynn Absher, 1616 Ventura, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Miguel Angel Carrasco, 1300 Cottonflat Road Space 27, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Edward Bonin, 1813 E. Hemlock, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dee Ivy, Route 2 Box 208 No. 4, a boy.

Gail Renee Hemphill, 310 S. Lincoln, a boy.

May 30, 1983
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mathias

Decker Jr., Route 8 Box 112-J, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Richard Hillman, Route 5 108 Fern, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Leonard Bowden, Route 3 Box 480 Space 43, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Howard Shipman, P.O. Box 10382, a girl.

May 31, 1983
Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Martin Porter, Route 6 Box 803-D, a girl.

Programs offered for elderly

ALPINE — The Elderhostel program is continuing to offer special programs at more than 600 colleges and universities around the world designated to fit the needs of older citizens for intellectual stimulation and physical adventure, and this summer Sul Ross State University will offer two separate Elderhostel programs.

The SRSU Elderhostel program will be Sunday through June 11. It includes introduction to field studies in geology and biology and incidentals and updates in astronomy.

The second session is set for July 3-9. It includes heritage, arts and crafts a la carte and Spanish for beginners.

The fee is \$180 per week and includes meals, lodging, tuition and materials. In addition, there will be six slots for area people for a \$75 fee. The reduced fee covers all meals, tuition and materials.

To register or for more information call the SRSU Adult Division at 1-915-837-8077.

MMH will offer class

Midland Memorial Hospital will sponsor a free breast self-examination class at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

The class, which will be held in MMH's medical conference room, is designed to teach women the technique of self examination. Carmen Edwards, a registered nurse and member of the Midland chapter of the American Cancer Society, along with Ann Parsons, registered nurse and staff member of the Allison Permian Basin Cancer Therapy Center, will conduct the class.

A film will be shown at the 1½-hour long class and a discussion of current treatments for breast cancer, along with a question/answer session is planned.

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Government files forfeiture

The U.S. government has filed in federal court in Midland a forfeiture proceeding against a 1979 Jeep CJ-5 and two .38-caliber pistols which were used in the attempted sale of an illegal machine gun to an undercover agent of the U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms Aug. 26 in Odessa.

Federal agents last August in an Odessa motel arrested John J. Donnelly, 36, and his girl friend, Judy Ann Grimmert, after Donnelly had offered to sell the undercover agent an AR-15 223-caliber semi-automatic rifle, which had been converted to fire automatically, and a silencer, and a .22-caliber Ruger Mark I pistol and silencer for \$1,950.

Donnelly, a gunsmith, operated a business in Odessa under the name "Ballistik."

Subsequently, Donnelly pleaded guilty to possession of the illegal rifle and was sentenced to five years in prison. Ms. Grimmert, who pleaded guilty to failure to pay a tax on making a firearm, was sentenced to one year in prison. However, her sentence was suspended, and she was placed on probation for five years.

The government maintained that Donnelly was carrying a .38-caliber Colt Combat Commander pistol at the time of the attempted firearm sale and that Ms. Grimmert possessed a .38-caliber back-up model pistol.

Evidence indicated that the Jeep was used to transport the illegal rifle from the Donnelly-Grimmert residence to the motel.

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