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Emergency Medical Technicians Russ Banks, left, and Marion Oliver transport injured firefighter Larry Green from the scene of the Wednesday afternoon accident involv-

ing a firetruck and three automobiles. Green and another fireman were treated and released, while the driver of one of the cars involved in the mishap is in satisfactory con-

dition this morning in Midland Memorial Hospital. The firetruck, with a value of at least \$75,000, was a total loss. See story, Page 2A.

Staff Photo by Brian Henderson

Jobless rate drops 0.3%

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's unemployment rate fell an unexpected 0.3 percentage point in June, breaking a pattern of rising joblessness that coincides with the end of the school year, the Labor Department reported today.

The department's Bureau of Labor Statistics said last month's unemployment rate was 7.3 percent of the national workforce, compared to May's 7.6 percent.

The decline returned unemployment to the range that had prevailed in February, March and April.

"Unemployment traditionally rises in June, coincident with the closing of schools and the entrance of many young people into the labor force in search of jobs," the department said.

"This June, the increase was less than usual and, as a result, unemployment increased on a seasonally adjusted basis to 7.8 million."

The department reported that unemployment among blacks rose by 0.6 percentage point, from 13.6 percent to 14.2 percent.

The department says the labor force overall grew by 1.3 million last month, but that the rise was only about half the amount expected "based on patterns which have occurred in recent years."

Total employment fell by 840,000 in June, however, as the government reported 98.4 million people holding jobs.

The department also reported an increase of 100,000 people in its "discouraged worker" category — people who have given up their search for jobs because they can't find one.

The department reported these

other changes in unemployment rates:

—Adult men declined from 6.3 percent to 6.1 percent.

—Adult women declined by 0.3 percentage point to 6.5 percent.

—Teenagers declined by 0.5 percentage point to 19 percent.

—White workers declined from 6.8 percent to 6.4 percent.

—Hispanics remained at 10.2 percent.

Due to the settlement of the coal miners' strike, mining jobs increased by 150,000, returning the total to just above the pre-strike level of March.

Construction employment, which had shown steady growth in the last half of 1980 and modest increases in the first four months of this year, declined by 60,000 in June to 4.3 million.

Manufacturing employment was unchanged over the month. The average workweek of production workers on non-farm payrolls edged down 0.1 hour to 35.3 hours in June.

The 7.6 percent unemployment rate in May returned to the peak level recorded in May, July, August and October of last year. The previous high monthly figure was 7.8 percent in December 1976.

Private analysts say the nation's unemployment rate is expected to remain relatively stable despite indications of an economic slowdown say.

Several forecasters agree with Treasury Secretary Donald Regan's assertion Wednesday that there is little likelihood the jobless rate will reach or top 8 percent as business activity weakens during the summer.

Way cleared for housing bond issue

By LANA CUNNINGHAM
Staff Writer

With the signature of Gov. Bill Clements on HB 2350, the way is cleared for the Midland County Housing Finance Corp. to proceed with another bond issue for single family housing.

Harry Clark, chairman of the Housing Authority, county finance corporation and Midland Housing Finance Corp., related progress on the single-family bond issue to the Housing Authority. The board met Wednesday in a regular session in City Hall Council Chambers.

It marked the last meeting for Clark, who has retired from The First National Bank of Midland and will be moving to San Angelo in August.

Guidelines for the new low-interest loan program will be more stringent than in the past because of federal regulations, Clark said. The new requirements say no one can apply for the money who has owned a house in the past three years, the mortgage

can't exceed 90 percent of the average mortgage for the prior year and assumptions won't be allowed.

The average mortgage in Midland for 1980, said Clark, was \$57,500.

Under the new guidelines, however, there would be no limit on a family's income. This had been one of the regulations imposed on previous Midland single family bond issues.

Before the county proceeds, a market study has been commissioned to determine the exact need for single family housing in Midland. That same group also will look at the need for additional apartments, according to Clark.

Ray Moody of Citizens Savings & Loan Association and also on the Texas Housing Agency board told the Housing Authority the state is preparing for another housing bond issue, possibly in the amount of \$500 million.

Last year when the state sponsored a bond issue, only one Midland lending group tried to obtain funds and

that was Citizens Savings & Loan, said Moody. But it was disqualified for conflict of interest.

The city is progressing with a multi-family bond program in which developers may obtain low-interest money to construct apartments, according to Clark. So far, applications have been approved for six developers and this would bring 1,664 units to Midland. Two more applications have been submitted — one from Dinerstein, Inc. of Houston for 276 units and another from a different Houston developer for 218 apartments.

The upper limit for apartments under this program was set at 1,600, said Clark, and the corporation is refraining from making a decision on the latter two applications. The market study will determine if there is a need for more apartments.

"I personally feel there's a need for 2,000 apartments here," Clark added.

Gene Abbott, who was absent for the first 10 minutes of the meeting,

was elected chairman to replace Clark.

"Is this what I get for being late?" he asked when told of his election.

Before adjourning the meeting, Abbott questioned the possibility of more public housing units coming under the Housing Authority's jurisdiction.

Fred Kester, authority secretary, said the City Council was considering a 50-unit complex for elderly one year and another the following year, in addition to some public housing for low-income families.

"You think of public housing as something that will deteriorate," noted Housing Commissioner Ruth Wenck. "But I saw some in El Paso that weren't that way."

"I don't think we'd have that kind of experience in Midland," remarked Kester, referring to public housing which has become dilapidated in a short period of time in some cities.

"I've come to the conclusion it depends upon the administration," Clark said.

Begin wants to form government

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — Prime Minister Menachem Begin claims he can patch together a new parliamentary majority next week even though it appears that the Labor Party will win one more seat in the Israeli Parliament than his Likud bloc.

"I hope by next week to form a government," Begin said Wednesday after meeting with Yosef Burg, whose orthodox National Religious Party is essential for a majority.

Projections based on still unofficial returns from Tuesday's election gave the socialist Labor Party, led by Shimon Peres, 49 seats in the 120-member Knesset, or Parliament, to 41 for Begin's conservative Likud, or Unity bloc.

Begin is wooing the National Religious Party and the ultra-orthodox Agudat Israel, who will control a total of 11 seats, according to initial returns from the slow count of paper ballots.

With those seats, Begin would then need the support of two independent legislators for a bare 61-seat majority, a brittle edge that could easily crumble.

The 67-year-old prime minister refused to discuss his coalition-building efforts, saying he was entering a "period of silence and contemplation." It was assumed the religious parties would demand new restrictions on the secular majority as their price for

supporting either party.

As members of Begin's government for the past four years, the religious bloc forced through tighter controls on abortion and autopsies and won an easing of the rules governing the release of religious women from military conscription.

Burg, the interior minister in the Begin's last Cabinet and the chief of the Palestinian autonomy negotiating team, signaled his party's willingness to join forces again with Begin. But he also did not rule out joining a Labor-led coalition.

Asked if he was forming a coalition with Likud, Burg replied, "Yes, that's true." How about a Labor government? "I don't rule it out I can't see

that now," he said.

Burg said the NRP favored a wall-to-wall coalition bringing together both major parties. Peres has flatly rejected that.

Agudat Israel has made no public comment.

Peres claimed victory after the first results were announced but retreated when it became clear that the pivotal NRP preferred an alliance with Likud. Speaking privately, Labor campaign officials said they had lost hope of building a majority, but the party refused to concede defeat.

"We don't have the final results yet," said spokesman Yossi Beilil. "We are not doing anything yet."

Carpenters continue strike for second day

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

The strike by union carpenters in Midland and Odessa for benefits and cost-of-living pay increases has entered its second day.

Building construction virtually was shut down on Wednesday by union carpenters who set up picket lines, which are being honored by other union craftsmen, including electricians, plumbers and iron workers.

However, work at construction sites today is being carried out by non-union craftsmen and laborers.

"There are some non-union men (on the job sites)," said Mike Dooley, president of the 350-member Carpenters Union 1428 in Midland. "We don't have any control over those men, and we don't want any."

Journeyman carpenters, whose pay is pegged to \$11.55 an hour, are seeking enough pay increase to afford a cost-of-living raise and to pay for benefits, such as health insurance

and pension plans.

Initially, the carpenters had sought a \$3.85 hourly pay increase, which J.W. Cooper, an Odessa contractor who is spokesman for the negotiating Associated General Contractors, has termed unrealistic.

The carpenters have dropped their pay-raise demand from \$3.85 to \$3.40 an hour, and AGC has upped its offer from \$2.40 to \$2.80 an hour.

Negotiations continued today. "It's not like the twain never shall meet," said Dooley. "We've got good relations with them (management). We're down to \$3.40, and they're up to 2.80."

Dooley said management has complained about lagging and ineffective work, "but we (union people) have always maintained that if you've got a man on the job" who's loafing or otherwise not doing the work, then he should either be fired or his work brought up to par. He said management's handling of workers has much to do with on-the-job efficiency.

Israel may get U.S. jet fighters

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration tentatively plans to resume shipments of sophisticated jet fighters to Israel later this month, White House officials say. In the process, it may release four warplanes held up after Israel's raid on an Iraqi nuclear reactor.

White House officials said Wednesday that unless the raid is found to have violated an agreement not to use American-made weapons for offensive purposes, six F-16 jets due for delivery July 17 will be shipped to Israel.

And although deputy White House press secretary Larry Speakes said the June suspension of four F-16s to Israel had no direct impact on the July shipment, other officials said it was unlikely the administration would go ahead with one and not the other.

In any case, said one official who requested anonymity, the review of the Iraqi raid "will be completed before a decision is required on any future F-16 shipments."

Another official, who also requested anonymity, pointed out that if the four planes scheduled for June delivery are released, "then the six are obviously going."

Likewise, he added, if the six are sent, there would be no point in holding up the first four warplanes any longer.

Speakes said Wednesday that no final decision has been made, but he gave every indication at the daily White House press briefing that the plan as of now is to proceed with the July shipment.

Asked whether the July shipment would not be affected by the June suspension, Speakes said: "You're right, they're not." Pressed about whether he was sure of his answer, he replied: "Yes."

"Any change in those plans would have to be a result of that review, but I would caution you not to interpret that as an indication other shipments are likely to be affected," he said.

Later, in a telephone call, Speakes hedged slightly.

"Once the review is completed on the four, it will affect the others," he said. "Everything is under review. All things are possible. No decisions have been made."

While Speakes said there was no timetable on the suspended F-16s, CBS, ABC and The Washington Post reported that the planes will be released soon.

At the State Department, where the question of the shipments also was raised Wednesday, spokesman Dean Fischer refused to discuss the logic of going ahead with the six while withholding the four.

Morning edition planned Friday

The Midland Reporter-Telegram will be published as a morning newspaper Friday in keeping with the general observance of the July 4th holiday on July 3.

The newspaper will be closed on Friday with the exception of the Circulation Department which may be reached for service calls at 682-5311. Hours are from 8 to 10 a.m.

The Classified Advertising Department will be closed Friday but will be open Saturday from 8 to 10 a.m. to receive cancellations and corrections. That number is 682-2222.

Midlander dies after being shot by Odessa policeman

ODESSA — Samuel Charles Brooks, 37, of Midland died after being shot once in the head by an Odessa police officer Wednesday afternoon at an Odessa food market.

According to Lt. K.R. Jones of the Odessa Police Department, the police were notified at 2:18 p.m. Wednesday of a suspicious person, possibly armed, at an Odessa food market.

When Officer John H. Ellen reached the scene, he noticed Brooks, a black male, outside the market. Brooks had a coat over his left arm with his right arm positioned under the coat.

According to police, after being ordered by the officer not to move, Brooks produced a pistol from under the coat.

Officer Ellen fired one shot, striking Brooks in the head. Brooks was transported to Medical Center Hospital where he was pronounced dead by Justice of the Peace Charles Gee. An autopsy was being performed this morning and the case will be submitted to the Ector County Grand Jury, a police spokesman said.

Brooks' body was taken to Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home in Odessa where services are pending.

INSIDE TODAY

The travails of traveling

Some air lines offer benefits to frequent travelers — unlisted reservation numbers, that sort of tidbit. These are deserved. Frequent travelers, these days, get few breaks.

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Tiny entertainment giant gets Hollywood star

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Actor Billy Barty, who stands 3 feet, 9 inches tall, had to stand on a box to say thanks for being chosen the first "little person" to get a star on Hollywood Boulevard.

"Being honored by a whole city is really a thrill," said the entertainer, who clambered on a box Wednesday to speak into a microphone perched on a podium near the star, located on the sidewalk across the street from Mann's Chinese Theater.

To the delight of several hundred passersby, Barty later got some helpful hoists actors Lou Ferigno and Pat McCormack, his two tall and hefty co-stars in the forthcoming film "Under the Rainbow."

"I just want to say he (Barty) has nothing to worry about because he's got a full-time life bodyguard," said Ferigno, who played television's well-muscled "Incredible Hulk" and had little trouble scooping up both Barty and a plaque from the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce.

"Despite his diminutive stature (he) is truly a giant in the entertainment world," said William F. Hertz, chairman of the Walk of Fame Committee, which was dedicating its 1,733rd star to Barty.

"I've been here in Los Angeles since I was ... well, I guess I haven't changed much in height," the 56-year-old Barty joked before posing for photographers with his parents, sister, wife and two children.

He later added: "Height does not mean anything. The only space barriers you may have to conquer is the one between your ears."

Guards overpowered; 12 escapees at large

EASTON, Pa. (AP) — Twelve of 14 prisoners who escaped from a county jail in eastern Pennsylvania after two inmates overpowered guards remained at large early today, authorities said.

One escapee turned himself in shortly after the jailbreak late Wednesday night at the Northampton County Prison, according to Easton police; another was recaptured early today in nearby Phillipsburg, N.J.

No hostages were taken, and the prison was secured about an hour after the disturbance began, he said.

The dozen men who were still on the loose had been taken for what police called "a wide assortment of crimes."

"I've been around here 26 years and something like this never happened, as far as I'm concerned," said Warden A.S. DiGiaccio.

The disturbance broke out at about 11:30 p.m. EDT Wednesday in the jail's maximum security section while prison guards were trying to secure the cells for the night, DiGiaccio said. The inmates took keys from two guards and released the others.

Two of the overpowered guards were locked in a cell while a guard supervisor, Phil Ruggiero, was locked in a supply closet, DiGiaccio said. Ruggiero was taken to Easton Hospital after suffering heart attack symptoms, but later was released, prison officials said.

The inmates broke into the prison's commissary and the infirmary before letting themselves out the front gate, DiGiaccio said, adding that both areas were damaged and some drugs were taken from the infirmary.

Several inmates were offered the chance to escape but declined, the warden said.

Most of the escapees were from the eastern Pennsylvania area, but DiGiaccio said Michael Lloyd, 32, of Staten Island, N.Y., may have been the instigator.

Lloyd, who was awaiting sentencing on an attempted bank robbery conviction, was believed to be armed with a revolver, police said.

A man claiming to be an inmate telephoned the Allentown Morning Call newspaper and said the disturbance was prompted by bad treatment, but the warden said escape was the only motive.

"I don't think the heat or the conditions had

Barty has been acting, singing and dancing for more than half a century in some 150 films and several hundred television shows. He appeared in the movie, "Day of the Locust" and in the more recent "Foul Play" and "Hardly Working," in addition to making television appearances.

In presenting him with the star and plaque, the Walk of Fame Committee also noted his work for the Little People of America foundation, which Barty helped establish in 1957.



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Artukovic loses 20-year fight, ordered deported

WASHINGTON (AP) — Andrija Artukovic, an 81-year-old California resident accused of overseeing the massacre of Serbs and Jews in Yugoslavia during World War II, has lost his 28-year fight against deportation.

The U.S. Board of Immigration Appeals ordered the expulsion Wednesday, reaffirming a ruling made April 3, 1953, that Artukovic be sent back to Yugoslavia, where he was the Nazi puppet government's interior minister in charge of public order and safety.

In a complex legal battle, the case was brought back to the Board of Immigration Appeals by the Justice Department's Office of Special Investigations, which hunts Nazi war criminals in this country.

The board said in 1953 that the Nazi puppet government enacted laws providing for imprisonment and summary executions of Jews and Communists and that Artukovic, as interior minister, decided who should be punished and what should be done with their family members and property.

Because of a legal battle over his return to Yugoslavia, he was not immediately deported. A regional immigration commissioner granted him a stay on May 22, 1959, on the basis that Artukovic would suffer persecution if deported.

In lifting that stay Wednesday, the board noted that the Refugee Act of 1980 forbids granting a stay of deportation to any alien who as a member of, or in conjunction with, the Nazi government of Germany ordered, assisted in or participated in the persecution of any person because of race, religion, national origin or political opinion.

The board denied Artukovic's request to reopen his hearing on the basis of new evidence. The board said the only new evidence involved the family ties he now has in this country, which the board said were not relevant to the case.

Artukovic entered the United States illegally in 1948 by means of a false passport.

The Justice Department's Office of Special

Investigation is preparing a letter to Artukovic giving him 72 hours from the time he receives it to report to the Los Angeles office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service for deportation.

Artukovic has the right to appeal to the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals. His lawyer was out of the office and could not be reached for comment and no one answered telephone calls to Artukovic.

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DEATHS

Myrtle Mayfield

Services for Myrtle Mayfield, 76, of 411 E. Florida Ave., were to be at 3 p.m. today in the Assembly of Christ Fellowship Church with the Rev. Glen McNeil officiating. Burial was to be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Newline W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Mayfield died Tuesday morning in a Big Spring hospital following a long illness.

She was born March 20, 1905, in Coryell County and grew up in Coleman County. She moved to Midland in 1936 from Rotan. She was a member of the Assembly in Christ Fellowship Church.

Survivors include a son, Michael W. Henley of Amarillo; a daughter, Patsy Webb of Leaky; two brothers, L.P. Henley and J.W. Henley, both of Midland; four sisters, Mrs. E.D. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Jack Boyce, Betty McNeil, and Margaret Deel, all from Midland; five grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Dollie Wilson

Services for Dollie Wilson, 73, of 2901 W. Ohio Ave., were to be at 11 a.m. today in the Newline W. Ellis Funeral Home chapel with Don Mitchell of the Church of Christ officiating. Assisting Mitchell will be Leon Odom of the Cuthbert & Austin Street Church of Christ. Burial was to be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wilson died early Tuesday morning in a Midland nursing home following a long illness.

Survivors include a son, Ivan L. Hall of Phoenix, Ariz.; a brother, J.O. Buffington of Clifton, Ark.; four sisters, Lillian Bell of Eunice, La., Eunice Reeves of Hope, Ark., Linda Robison and Pansy Weaver, both from Midland; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

P.D. Reno

GALENA PARK — P.D. Reno of Galena Park, brother of Earl Reno of Midland, died Sunday in a Galena Park hospital after a brief illness.

Services were Tuesday at the First Methodist Church of Galena Park. Burial was in a Jacinto City cemetery.

Other survivors include a son, a sister and two brothers.

Walter Linam

HOBBS — Services for Walter T. Linam, 81, of Hobbs, N.M., father of Wanda Rae Perry of Midland, will be at 10 a.m. Friday at the First United Methodist Church in Hobbs. Burial will be in the Prairie Haven Cemetery.

Linam died Tuesday in a Lubbock hospital.

He owned an electrical shop in Hobbs. He also served as mayor and city commissioner of that city. He was a member of the Rotary Club where he had perfect attendance for 35 years.

Other survivors include his wife, a son, and two other daughters.

Isabel Guzman

Rosary was recited Wednesday for Isabel Guzman, 92, of Midland, at Thomas Funeral Home chapel. Funeral mass was to be said at 10:30 a.m. today at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. Burial was to be at 3 p.m. today in the Lamesa Memorial Park in Lamesa.

Mrs. Guzman died Monday in a local hospital after a long illness.

She was born Nov. 17, 1888, in Brownsville. She moved to Midland in 1977. Mrs. Guzman was a member of the Catholic Church.

Survivors include three sons, Henry Guzman of Lamesa and Domingo

Guzman Sr. and Gonzala Guzman, both of Midland; five daughters, Elvira Santos of Nixon, Manuela Trevino of San Antonio, Anita Carillo of Midland, Francisca Hernandez and Elida Barela, both of Lamesa; one sister, Matilda Vallareal of Weslaco; 51 grandchildren, 75 great-grandchildren, and a great great-grandchild.

Tray Capps III

Tray Capps III, 16, of Garland died today in Midland at the home of his grandparents.

Services are pending at Newline W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Survivors include his parents, Susan Walker of Garland and Marvin L. Capps II of Tyler; a half-brother, Garrin Walker of Garland; a sister, Gina Walker of Garland; and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wells of Midland.

Connie Felts

BIG SPRING — Services for Mrs. Jimmie (Connie) Felts, 73, of Big Spring, mother of Mrs. Dave (Mary) Dorchester of Midland, were to be at 3:30 p.m. today at Nalley-Pickie Rosewood chapel with burial in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

She died Tuesday night in a Lubbock hospital after a short illness.

Mrs. Felts was born Jan. 5, 1908, in Askew, Miss. She was married to Jimmie Felts June 25, 1924, in Heber Springs, Ark. She had lived in Big Spring since 1945. She also had lived in Dallas and Abilene.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church, charter member of Laura B. Hart, Chapter 1019 OES, and member and past president of the Past Matron's Gavel Club.

Other survivors include her husband, a son, a sister, a brother, five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Oleta C. Frost

BRADY — Services for Oleta Catherine Frost, 55, of Bangs, sister of Wanda McAfee of Midland, were to be at 2 p.m. today in Colonial Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. C.G. Fuston of Breckenridge officiating. Burial was to be in Marion Cemetery.

Mrs. Frost died Tuesday evening from injuries suffered in an auto accident.

She was born Feb. 19, 1926, in Fife. She was married to Claude Lee Frost March 6, 1941, in East Sweden. Mrs. Frost had lived in McCulloch County since 1970. She was a housewife and a Presbyterian.

Survivors include her husband, two sons, a daughter, her father, three brothers, two other sisters and eight grandchildren.

Raymond Hunt

Graveside services for Raymond S. Hunt, 82, of 2800 W. Illinois Ave., were to be at 10 a.m. today in Resthaven Memorial Park with the Rev. Patrick Willson, pastor of Grace Presbyterian Church, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Newline W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Hunt died Tuesday in a Midland hospital.

He was born Dec. 29, 1898, in Carroll County, Ind. He was preceded in death by a son, a daughter and his wife. He was a member of Grace Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include a brother, Bob Hunt of Charleston, W.Va., and three sisters, Dorothy Inman of South Charleston, S.C., Madge Reed and Marie Hunt, both of Dunesden, Fla.

Dr. W.D. Horton

RUIDOSO, N.M. — Services for Dr. Wilford D. Horton, 64, of Ruidoso, father of Craig Horton of Midland, will be at 10 a.m. Friday in the First Christian Church of Ruidoso. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Cemetery in Ruidoso, under direction of Clarke's Chapel of Roses Mortuary.

Horton died at his home Wednesday morning following a lengthy illness. He was born Feb. 7, 1917, in Lawrence, Kan., and married the former Louise McClain March 17, 1945, in Midland.

He was a practicing physician for a number of years in Ruidoso and was a member of the Community Methodist Church of Ruidoso.

Other survivors include his wife of Ruidoso; another son, Carey Horton of Grand Junction, Colo.; a sister, Roberta Schumacher of Prairie Village, Kan.; a brother Derrel Horton of Des Moines, Iowa; and a granddaughter.

The family suggests memorial contributions to the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Hospital or the Horton Scholarship Fund, c/o the Ruidoso Alumni Assn., P.O. Drawer 369, Ruidoso, N.M. 88345.

Scoutmaster dead at 101

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Sidney Loman, the world's oldest active scoutmaster, has died at the age of 101.

Loman, who attended his last scout meeting three months ago at his neighborhood church shortly after celebrating his 101st birthday on February 28, died Tuesday in a local hospital. Services were pending.

Scout officials said Loman was the world's oldest active scoutmaster and had received the Boy Scouts' highest award, the Silver Beaver.

He once said gratitude was his reward for the 60 years he devoted to scouting.

Rolen Phillips on Newton's

Everybody knows Newton's Law of "what goes up, must come down."

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Santa Fe Opera opens 25th season

SANTA FE, N.M. — This week marks the opening of Santa Fe's 25th opera season and its first fully professional repertory theatre company's season.

Giacomo Puccini's "La Boheme," sung in Italian, will be the Santa Fe Opera's opening night production Friday. It will have eight more performances throughout the anniversary season, on July 11, 15, 24, Aug. 6, 11, 18, 26 and 29.

Soprano Faith Esham will sing Mimì and baritone Brent Ellis will sing Marcello. Both are former apprentice artists with the Santa Fe Company.

Ms. Esham has recently made her European debut in "Gianni

Schicci" and her Paris debut at the Theatre Musicale in the title role of Jules Massenet's "Cendrillon."

Ellis appeared in the Metropolitan Opera telecast of "L'Elisir D'Amore" with Luciano Pavarotti this past season and with the Opera Company of Boston in the title role of Rigoletto.

Also returning to Santa Fe will be soprano Mary Shearer, tenor Vinson Cole, bass-baritone Joseph McKee and baritone William Workman. John Crosby, general director, will conduct this revival and tenor Ragnar Ulfung will direct and appear in the cameo role of Benoit.

The theater's box office is open for in-person sales Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Phone orders, using VISA or Mastercard only, are accepted during those same hours by calling 1-505-982-3855.

The Santa Fe Festival Theatre, New Mexico's first fully professional repertory theater, opened this week and runs through Aug. 23, at the Armory for the Arts, 1050 Old Pecos Trail.

The season opens with "The Front Page," by Ben Hecht and Charles MacArthur. It is a classic 1920s American comedy about the shenanigans of an unscrupulous publisher and his ace reporter.

The role of Walter Burns will be played by John Randolph. Randolph co-starred in the movies "Serpico" and "Heaven Can Wait." He was in the original Broadway productions of "Paint Your Wagon," "The Sound of Music" and Arthur Miller's "The American Clock."

David Garrison, a Tony nominee for "A Day in Hollywood-A Night in the Ukraine," will appear as Hildy Johnson.

The second production, opening July 13, is a new play, "Terra Nova," by Yale playwright Ted Tally. It is the true story of five Englishmen who sought to conquer the last uncharted frontier on earth — Antarctica.

"Terra Nova" will feature Michael Tolaydo in the role of British explorer Capt. Robert Falcon Scott. Tolaydo recently toured the country with "The Gospel According to Saint Mark" and is presently playing Hamlet at the Folger Theatre in Washington.

Post office criticized

HOUSTON (AP) — That perennial butt of jokes and source of aggravation — the post office — was the target of Houston residents who got a chance to air their gripes at a public hearing.

Congressman Mickey Leland, chairman of a U.S. House of Representatives subcommittee on postal personnel, convened the half-day forum Wednesday to hear complaints about Houston postal service.

Saying he has lived in the same house for 40 years, Joe D. Thomas told the forum he discovered in the spring of 1979 that some of his mail, including dividend checks, was being returned to senders, stamped "undeliverable."

Though he has complained numerous times and been assured the problem is solved, Thomas said, he still can't depend on the mail.

Businessman Jim Reed said he sent his complaints about service and delivery to the postmaster, only to be told the postmaster receives so many complaints he can't answer them all.

"You can take the biggest company in Houston and I can write the chairman of the board and I'll get a reply," Reed said. "I can write my congressman and I get a reply. But I write the postmaster and my letter self-destructs."

Animals to be sold at auction

HOUSTON (AP) — A herd of horses and a goat found starving to death at a La Porte stables will be sold at auction, a Harris County justice of the Peace ordered Wednesday.

The 27 shetland ponies, four horses and a goat were confiscated from County Stables June 24 after patrons of the stables who keep their own horses there reported the animals were starving.

One of the ponies died. Evaristo Garcia, 26, was arrested and charged with cruelty to animals. Garcia is free on \$400 bond. He was scheduled to be arraigned Thursday. Garcia failed to appear at a Wednesday civil hearing.

Precinct 8 Justice of the Peace Larry Wilson set the auction for August 3rd at the Rodeo Stables in south Harris County, where the animals have been cared for since their removal.

"This case is important because it is the largest confiscation (of abused animals) in Harris County," said Precinct 6 Justice of the Peace George Huebner, who ordered the confiscation.

"It's also the first time in Harris County that we have won a confiscation," Huebner said. "There have only been four confiscation cases filed, although we have gotten some convictions for animal cruelty."

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Hana Mandlikova defeated Martina Navratilova to earn Wimbledon finals spot against Chris Evert Lloyd on Friday.

Shriver pulling for Chris Lloyd

By WINSOR DOBBIN
WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — Pam Shriver was outplayed by Chris Evert Lloyd in the Wimbledon women's singles semifinals Wednesday and then explained why she wants her conqueror to win the tournament.
"I think it means a lot to Chris to win this time," said Shriver, who was beaten 6-3, 6-1.
"She's 26, and it would be a great way for her to finish before fading out of tennis. Then maybe she could start a family, which I know she wants to do. I'm rooting for her."
Lloyd, who has played in seven Wimbledon singles finals and won only two of them, faces the remarkable Hana Mandlikova in Friday's final.
The 19-year-old Czechoslovakian won a bitterly contested baseline slugfest with Martina Navratilova to post a 7-5, 4-6, 6-1 victory in the other semifinal.

MANDLIKOVA, the reigning French and Australian champion, served brilliantly to outlast the 24-year-old Navratilova, winner here in

1978 and 1979.
"The final is all in Hana's hands," said Shriver, 18. "If she plays a good match, she will win because she has an advantage on grass. But if she plays only a fair match, and Chris plays it as smart as I know she will, then Chris will win it."
Shriver said that losing the last three Wimbledon finals will be a motivating factor for Lloyd.
"I think Chris really wants to win this final and go out in a blaze of glory," Shriver said. "It has to be a fairy tale end, and to come out a loser in four straight finals would be sad."
Lloyd watched some of the Mandlikova-Navratilova semifinal and was impressed with the way Mandlikova played.
"Hana certainly played well; she has all the shots," said the top seed. "She can be brilliant, but is a bit moody. On her off days she can lose to a number of players."
However, Lloyd refused to comment on Friday's match.
"I don't want to look ahead. It has hurt me too much in the past," she said.

IN CONTRAST, Mandlikova was looking forward to the arrival of her parents — former Olympic sprinter Villem Mandlik and his wife, Hana — from Czechoslovakia.
"They went to watch today's match on television near the German border," she said. "I had told them on the telephone that I wanted them to come over if I reached the final, and they will be here," said the delighted Czechoslovakian teen-ager.
Lloyd has a 5-2 head-to-head advantage over Mandlikova, but Hana has won two of their last three matches.
"It is easier to beat Chris on grass than clay, but I know she wants to win so badly," said Mandlikova.
Mandlikova's victory Wednesday again set the pundits talking about her chances of completing the Grand Slam, although there is debate as to what constitutes the Grand Slam: winning all four major championships — Wimbledon and the French, U.S. and Australian Opens — in the same year or consecutively. But that's something Mandlikova is not yet prepared to consider.
"It is important, of course, but at the moment it is not in my head," she said. "I am trying to take it one tournament at a time."

Cage touney may expand

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — The proposed expansion of the National Collegiate Athletic Association basketball tournament from 48 to 64 teams is gaining support, says an NCAA official.
"There is considerably more interest than a year ago, and there have been a lot of people who have flipped on the issue," Tom Jernestedt, assistant executive director of events, told The Kansas City Star in an interview published Wednesday.
The NCAA tournament was expanded from 40 teams to 48 teams two seasons ago, and the Division I basketball committee will discuss the proposed expansion to 64 teams at a meeting July 10-14 in Chatham, Mass. If the committee approves the expansion, the NCAA Executive Committee, which meets in August in Glendale Beach, Ore., would make the final decision.
The proposed expansion has been endorsed the last two years by the National Association of Basketball Coaches.



Chris Evert Lloyd puts her all in two-handed return.

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SPORTS

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Cook stews Cubs, 6-2

El Paso hurler 4-0 against Midland

BY TED BATTLES
Sports Editor

If the Midland Cubs were Wimbledon, then Tim Cook must be Bjorn Borg.

All the righthander from Charleston, S.C., has to do is throw his racket, err glove, on the pitcher's mound and he's got an automatic win.

Going into Wednesday's game at Cubs Stadium, Cook had beaten the Cubs in straight sets, 5-4, 5-2, 5-4. So he added another one for good measure, 6-2, which ought to give him permanent possession of the Cubs. It did give the Diablos a 3-1 lead in the Texas League series with games left tonight and Thursday.

Cook received relief help the final two innings from Larry Montgomery, but had long since established, by allowing one earned run in the first seven innings, that he still owned the Cubs. If Midland wants them back, they'll have to negotiate with Tim.

IT'S LITTLE wonder Cook loves Midland. He's 6-2 for the season, but might be back in Stockton if it weren't for Midland, against whom he is 4-0. If



Javier Fierro
...streak reaches 13

John Hanson grounded to short. Javier Fierro shoved the ball to second baseman Craig Kornfeld, who was put on crutches by Skorochocki's slide as Irvine moved to third. Base umpire Jerry Madsen called interference and ruled a double play.
Then big John Evans, who has hit 18 homers, nine against Midland, had the outfielders' backs rubbing against the fences and the infielders feeling with their back foot for grass as he approached the plate waving the stump of a tree. So what does John do, he dumps a bunt down the third base line to score Irvine.

THE CUBS got two back in the home first when Dave Owen reached on an error and Mel Hall, Javier Fierro and Jack Upton followed with

singles to produce two runs and the Cubs had visions of tying the series at 2-2. But, as it turned out, that was the offense for the night, although Fierro, hitting safely in 13 straight games, and Upton each had three hits.

Jerry Lane singled, stole second and scored on an error to tie it in the second and it remained that way until seventh when Nastu got one out and then suddenly lost it. Willie Lazodo singled, Al Manning walked and Bill Schroeder doubled into the left field corner for two runs. When Irvine followed with a single, lefty Norm Churchill replaced Nastu, who pitched well enough to win against anybody but Cook.

The Diablos added two more in the eighth as Evans singled, Jerry Lane doubled and the runs scored on Lazodo's loft to center and another error. Nastu gave up eight hits and three earned runs in his 6 1/3 innings and the way he has pitched in his last two outings makes one wonder why we haven't seen more of him this spring. Still, he suffered his second loss in five decisions.

Cub nemesis Cook was a No. 5 draft choice out of Newberry, S.C., College three years ago and spent a season and a half at Holyoke of the AA Eastern League where he compiled an overall 7-17 record. Last year he was 8-6 with a 3.14 ERA at Stockton in A ball.

BRUN BREWIN'S—Tom Candiotti, a 23-year-old righthander from Concord, Calif., will face Midland lefty Mike Thompson, 3-1, in tonight's game. Candiotti is 5-2 with a 1.76 ERA beat the Cubs 6-3 in the recent series at El Paso. Jon Perlman rejoined the Cubs from Iowa, American

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Cubs at home

THURSDAY—El Paso (Bob Candiotti 5-1) Cubs (Mike Thompson 3-1) 7:30 p.m.
FRIDAY—El Paso at Cubs Stadium, 6 p.m. Kivans fireworks after the game.

he'd go the Cubs would take up a collection to send him there.

El Paso scored a run in the first when the game's "one-for-the-book" play occurred. Eddie Irvine and John Skorochocki opened the game with singles. Then, the finally-arrived

Ron Davis serves celebs in posh restaurant during strike

By KEN RAPPOPORT
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Baseball strike or no, former Midland Cub Ron Davis still has his eye on the plate.

Instead of throwing for the New York Yankees, the right-handed reliever is doing his pitching these days at tables in a fashionable Upper East Side restaurant, where he is working as a waiter.

A waiter?
"Yes," says the affable Davis. "I always wanted to do interesting things, get a chance to do different jobs and meet different people. I've never been a waiter before — so I decided to come here while the strike was on."

Actually, Davis did have some restaurant experience some time ago in a "barbecue place" in Houston, his hometown, but "it was nowhere nearly as elegant as this place. We just carried the plates to tables and didn't serve any liquor."

The job at Oren and Aretsky, an establishment frequented by movie stars, models and athletes, pays pretty well in tips, according to Davis. And it was waiting for him anytime after the major league baseball players went on strike June 12.

The restaurant's owners, Oren Stevens and Ken Aretsky, have been close friends of Davis' ever since he started eating there with his Yankee pals a couple of years ago.

"They just asked me if I wanted to work here and I said, 'yes,'" says Davis, who started in his new occupation Tuesday night and seems to be adjusting to it quite well.

In this new white apron job, the 6-foot-4, 205-pounder certainly isn't asked to tax his physical strength more than he does on the mound for the Yankees. "I could do this all day and not get tired," he points out.

But there are little sophistications that Davis hasn't

picked up yet — like "remembering the kinds of glasses that go with different kinds of drinks and knowing where the tables are. There are 30 here and we sometimes have to help out other waiters."

As for Davis, who pitched in Midland before being traded to the Yankees for Ken Holtzman, his station consists of five tables, near the back, and he continues to see a lot of action. The reason is obvious.

"People saw me on the TV news shows after my first night and now when they come in, some ask for me," says Davis. "I'm kind of glad. I enjoy talking to people and like to sign autographs."

While Davis may be the object of people-gawking, the pitcher himself likes to rubberneck himself. As he explains, "New Yorkers may be used to it but back in Texas, we don't get to see too many movie stars up close. Another reason why I like working here is that I can see a lot of famous people. Farrah Fawcett has been in

here, Miss USA, as well as television soap opera stars and athletes from other sports. I'm a big soap opera fan; I watch them every chance I get."

Since the baseball strike started three weeks ago, Davis has been pretty active on the sidelines. Before he took the waiter's job, he went home to Houston to visit his wife and newborn son and talked at Little League gatherings.

He's also been throwing and running. "But there's just so much you can do. It isn't the same as game situations, of course. If the strike lasts much longer, I don't think any of us will be in shape to finish out the season."

"I thought perhaps it would last a week at worst," he says. "I really feel the owners are trying to break the players' union. But if the strike goes as far as the All-Star break (July 14), I don't see baseball coming back this season. There are too many factors involved."

No optimism for strike

By HAL BOCK

NEW YORK (AP) — The baseball strike marked its three-week anniversary today. And although stale-mated negotiations have resumed, both sides agreed there was no cause for optimism.

The casualty count added 10 more canceled games today, pushing the total to 261 since the strike began June 12. And from the tone of both sides' observations Wednesday, when talks resumed for the first time this week, the toll will go considerably higher.

"AM I optimistic?" management representative Ray Grebey asked — rhetorically — following the three-hour session. "No."

It was a position with which Marvin Miller, executive director of the striking Major League Players Associa-

tion, could not argue. "If Mr. Grebey said there was no progress," Miller began, "I find nothing to disagree with there."

Management used Wednesday's session to alter certain aspects of their last proposal on compensating teams who lose ranking free agents in the re-entry draft — the only issue in the strike.

The major revision involved the formula used for determining the number of Type B or second-level free agents who would require professional player compensation. Type B free agents are identified as those falling between the top 25 and 40 percent statistically of all available re-entry draft players. Type A players fall in the top 25 percent.

UNDER THE revised plan, a limit of eight Type B players would require

compensation in the form of a professional player and that number could be reduced based on the number of Type A players (all of whom would require compensation) available. The number of Type A players in the draft would be subtracted from 12 (reduced from last week's 14) to produce the number of Type B's requiring compensation. For example, if there are nine Type A's, then three Type B's would generate compensation. If there is one Type A, then eight Type B's would require compensation.

Miller was unimpressed.
"They revised their formula ever so slightly," he said. "The gap is so wide it defies my vocabulary to describe it."

Grebey agreed with the latter comment, too. "There are wide differences between us still," the management representative said.

Standings

Texas League

EAST	W	L	Pct.	GB
Shreveport	07	02	.777	—
Tulsa	05	06	.454	3
Arkansas	04	05	.444	3
Jackson	04	07	.363	4
WEST	W	L	Pct.	GB
El Paso	05	03	.625	—
San Antonio	05	03	.526	—
Midland	05	05	.500	1
Amarillo	03	06	.333	3

Wednesday's Results
Amarillo 4, San Antonio 3
El Paso 6, Midland 2
Shreveport 5, Arkansas 2
Tulsa 2, Jackson 1
Thursday's Games
San Antonio at Amarillo
El Paso at Midland
Arkansas at Shreveport
Jackson at Tulsa

Amarillo rallies for two in 9th to sink Dodgers

By The Associated Press

A single and a bases-loaded walk in the ninth inning gave the Amarillo Gold Sox two runs and a 4-3 comeback from behind Texas League baseball victory over the San Antonio Dodgers Wednesday night.

In other Texas League action, El Paso beat Midland, 6-2, and Shreveport defeated Arkansas 5-2, and Tulsa edged Jackson, 2-1.

WITH AMARILLO trailing 3-2 in the ninth inning, James Steele singled and moved to second on a grounder by Aaron Cain. Frank Castro singled, driving in Steele. The next two batters were walked, forcing in the winning run.
Dave Dravecky, 7-3, was the win-

ning pitcher. The loser was Tom Nienferfer, 8-1.

Jim Rothford had a two-run homer, a triple and a single in four plate appearances as the Shreveport Captains beat the Arkansas Travelers, 5-2.

PEACHY GUTIERREZ had a solo homer for Arkansas.

Greg Moyer, 4-3, was the winning pitcher. The loser was Ralph Citarella, 4-7.

Ron Carney gave up only one hit in eight innings as the Tulsa Drillers edged the Jackson Mets, 2-1. Carney tired and Jack Lazorko came on in the ninth inning to finish the game.

Bobby Ball scored both Tulsa runs.

Reggie wants out or be full-time player

Reggie Jackson, in the option year of his contract, says he doesn't want to remain with the New York Yankees if he can't be a full-time player...

The Houston Astros have signed Balar Moore, a 30-year-old left-handed veteran of three major league teams and tenth-round draft choice Geoffrey Meadows, a 20-year-old right-handed pitcher. Moore will be sent to Tucson in the Pacific Coast League while Meadows, from Slippery Rock College, will go to the Sarasota Blue club in the rookie Class A Gulf Coast League...

Kansas State University's basketball team, led by Dallas Mavericks first round draft choice Nolan Blackman, arrived Wednesday in Japan for a six-game series with Japan, Czechoslovakia and China July 4-12.

Former Kansas basketball star Jo Jo White was named assistant basketball coach for the Jayhawks. He replaces Lafayette Norwood, who resigned last month after serving four years as an assistant...

New Zealander John Walker beat American Tom Byers by nearly three seconds in the 1,500-meter run in the Lap-earranta International track and field. But the chilly and rainy weather forced the times to a dismal 3:38.2 for Walker and 3:41.0 for Byers...

The St. Louis Blues have signed Emilie Francis to a two-year contract as president and general manager of the team

through June, 1983...

Veteran National Hockey League scout A.E. "Jeep" George was named by the Hartford Whalers as the club's scout for the western parts of Canada and the United States...

Attorneys for the National Basketball Association have discovered a flaw in the five-year, multimillion dollar contract Gus Williams signed with the Seattle SuperSonics. Sam Schulman, Sonics principal owner, declined to say what wording was involved in the problem, but he called it "insignificant...relatively unimportant in the scheme of things."

All NBA contracts must be reviewed by the league's attorneys and then approved by the commissioner. Williams sat out all of last year because of contract difficulties...

Two-time champion Bernard Hinault of France won the seventh stage of the Tour de France cycling race Wednesday to take the overall lead in the 23-day, 3,740-kilometer event...

The St. Louis Cardinals have signed corner back Jeff Griffin, their third-round draft choice from Utah, to a series of one-year contracts...

Daniel M. Daniel, considered the dean of American baseball writers, died early Wednesday at Cypress Community Hospital at the age of 91...

Gregg Maycock of the Bahamas fired a par 70 Wednesday to lead his country to a slender one-stroke opening round lead in the Golf Tournament of the Americas at Doral Country Club...

Watson feels he can still win

OAK BROOK, Ill. (AP) — Tom Weiskopf admits his old competitive fire has dwindled, but still believes he can break a three-year victory drought in the Western Open.

Weiskopf, 38, has collected 13 titles in 18 professional golf seasons. Yet, he hasn't won since the Doral-Eastern in March 1978.

And he thinks he knows why. "I don't think my day-to-day, week-to-week intensity is as good as it was 10 years ago. It's probably a little lack of motivation," he said before teeing off today in the first round of this \$300,000 tournament. Weiskopf continued with his self-analysis.

"I don't think my short game is as good as it's been. I don't spend as much time at it as I used to," he said, lounging in the clubhouse of Butler National Golf Club. For example, Weiskopf did not touch a golf club for the last two weeks. Instead, the tall, erect Ohio native went fishing and horseback riding near his home in Paradise Valley, Ariz.

Since his last victory, Weiskopf's best finishes have been fourth in the U.S. Open in 1978, second in the Southern Open in 1979, fourth in last year's Memorial and two second places this season.

His 1981 financial figures, \$107,260 for 19th place, are not significant to Weiskopf. After all, he has won \$1.8 million playing this ancient sport.

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Family ties mean nothing at trial

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Charles Sullivan and Joseph Alioto may be family to each other, but they're on different sides of the fence in the antitrust trial between the Oakland Raiders and the National Football League.

Sullivan, executive vice president of the New England Patriots, testified Wednesday in U.S. District Court that Al Davis, managing general partner of the Raiders, warned him against standing in the way of the Raiders' proposed move to Los Angeles.

SULLIVAN SAID Davis approached him at an NFL meeting in March 1980 in Dallas and said both he (Davis) and Alioto, attorney for the Raiders and Sullivan's brother-in-law, were "concerned" at Sullivan's opposition to Davis' plans.

Sullivan testified he recalled Davis saying, "If you don't lay back, we're

going to have to go after you."

The Raiders and the Los Angeles Coliseum Commission have sued the NFL over the league's refusal to allow the team to move to Los Angeles. The trial is in its eighth week.

After the day's testimony, Davis refuted Sullivan's testimony, saying: "I've never thought of Mr. Sullivan as someone I'd go after. I don't give him that much credibility. Mr. Sullivan is very young; he's immature."

Sullivan insisted there were no bad feelings between himself and Davis. "I don't have any personal animosity toward him," he said. "I do feel that what he is doing here is wrong."

SULLIVAN SAID he opposed the move because Oakland fans were avid supporters of the Raiders. He also said Davis was attempting to move without the approval of the rest of the league, in violation of the NFL's constitution.

"If we have people who want to violate the rules, then the time will come when we won't have a league."

Sullivan said he wanted to file suit against Davis in March 1980 to prevent the Raiders from moving to Los Angeles. Sullivan said he was concerned that Davis was ruining his franchise and that there would be no fans to watch the Raiders in Los Angeles.

Sullivan also told the jury of seven women and three men that Davis "us in the lurch" in the Darryl Stingley case. Stingley suffered a broken neck in an August 1978 preseason game between the Raiders and Patriots after a tackle by then-Oakland defensive back Jack Tatum.

AM coach to be in Midland

Texas A&M University exes and friends of the school are invited to hear Aggie head football coach Tom Wilson discuss last season, recruiting, and the upcoming football season at the Midland A&M's "Coach's Night" Wednesday, July 8, at the Green Tree Country Club.

The social hours begins at 6:30 p.m. with dinner to follow at 7:30 p.m. For reservations or ticket information call David L. Bradshaw at 682-5201 or Pete Bauerlein at 682-5148.

Diablos lead series, 3-1

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Association, and didn't seem to have any regrets. "I've been on relief for the last four weeks and wasn't much more than a weekend pitcher. I'm glad to be back in Midland, Cubs Stadium and the Texas League. It looks like we have a contender and I want to make a contribution." Jon will give the Cubs a change of pace in the starting rotation which has a portside list with Thompson, Nastu, Mike King with Randy Clark the lone right-hander...The stands have been loaded with scouts during the series. The Yankees have both Jack Bloomfield and Harry Craft scribbling notes on Texas League talent...Pierro raised his average to .323 with his three hits. For the streak Harvey is 21 for 56 for .375...Carter showed pretty good foot in the fourth when he beat out an infield hit and then stole second on a pitch out...

El Paso	ab	r	h	bi	Midland	ab	r	h	bi
Irvine cf	5	12	0	0	Kornfeld 2b	0	0	0	0
Schroeder rf	5	0	1	0	Owen ss	5	1	0	0
					Hall cf	4	1	1	0
Hanson lf	5	0	1	0	Pierro ss 2b	4	0	1	0
Evans 1b	5	0	2	1	Upton 1b	4	0	1	0
Davis dh 1b	4	1	0	0	Connally 1b	4	0	0	0
Lane 2b	4	1	2	0	Carter rf	4	0	1	0
Lozano ss	3	1	0	0	Mitchell dh	4	0	1	0
Manning 2b	3	1	0	0	LaVigne lf	4	0	0	0
Schroeder c	4	1	1	2	Diaz c	4	0	1	0
Totals	38	6	11	4	Totals	37	2	10	2

Scores by Innings:
El Paso 110 000 220 — 6 11 4
Midland 000 000 — 2 10 3
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Cubs Averages

Batting	ab	r	h	bi	so	W-L	era
Joe Carter	30	10	18	2	2	0	2.90
Fritz Connally	153	26	54	10	6	28	3.53
Jack Upton	306	56	100	23	11	40	3.27
Javier Pierro	104	26	53	9	1	30	3.23
Mel Hall	306	56	95	21	14	46	3.10
Shepton	113	15	33	6	0	13	2.92
Mike Diaz	230	29	61	7	1	38	2.65
R.LaVigne	277	47	70	17	7	48	3.53
Kornfeld	210	37	51	4	1	19	3.243
C.Martinez	198	27	48	6	1	10	4.0
D. Owen	185	28	41	5	1	17	3.22
Mitchell	151	15	27	4	0	1	20

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Mike King 4 17.2 21 85 21 10 2-0 0.00
Complete games—Churchill 3, McClain 4, Lefferts 3, Clark 4, Thompson 1.
Stolen Bases—Kornfeld 4, Grant 4, Owen 6, Upton 2, Hall 9, Randy LaVigne 5, Martinez 4, Shepton 2, Carter 3, Pierro 1.
Shutout—Lefferts May 4 EP 10-0, 4 hits. Lefferts (8) Millner (2/3), Blyth (1/3) Tulsa, May 14, 7-0; Thompson June 12, Am 3-4.
Hitting streaks—Grant, 17 games, Mike Diaz, 10 games; Mike Upton 10; Mel Hall 11; Javier Pierro 12.

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A U.S. Marshal (left) escorts four men for sentencing in federal court in New Orleans Wednesday for plotting to overthrow the Caribbean island of Dominica. Wolfgang Walter Drooge of Toronto (front center), Christopher Anderson of Oklahoma City (background left) and leader

Michael Perdue (balding) of Houston were given the maximum three year jail sentence. Larry Lloyd Jacklin of Ontario (right) was given an indeterminate sentence at a facility for youthful offenders.

Doctor rescued from Mexican hospital

HOUSTON (AP) — Dr. Anthony Wheeler says his experience should serve as a lesson to other American tourists in Mexico — even poor medical care may not be available at some vacation spots.

Wheeler knows. He has massive chest injuries, four broken ribs, a mangled left arm and an assortment of lesser wounds from a motorcycle accident in Cozumel, Mexico. The hospital he was taken to had virtually nothing needed to diagnose and treat his multiple injuries.

"I'm just lucky to be alive," the 30-year-old neurologist said from his intensive care bed at The Methodist Hospital.

Wheeler says he owes his life to three vacationing Baylor College of Medicine residents who heard a rumor that he had been badly hurt and came to his rescue about five hours after the wreck.

The trio — Drs. Ken Gibbs, Tom Marinelli and Emelio Torres — arranged for Wheeler to be flown out of the country Friday aboard Hermann Hospital's Life Flight Lear jet.

Wheeler and his wife, Joyce, 29, were in the second day of their long-planned "first real vacation" Thursday when the motorcycle they were riding blew a tire, throwing both of them over the handlebars.

Mrs. Wheeler, an attorney, was only slightly injured, but

Wheeler was badly hurt.

Three Americans picked them up a few minutes after the wreck.

"They took us to one hospital, about 20 minutes away — Tony was bleeding a lot — but no one spoke English," Mrs. Wheeler said. "Finally, I talked to one man in French and he told us where to go."

Wheeler needed X-rays, intravenous solution, blood, drugs and surgery. None of these services could be provided at the hospital to which they were sent — although it had one X-ray machine, there was no technician to run it.

"One of the most incredible parts of the horror story," Wheeler noted, "was that no one ever tried to clean me up. There were flies and mosquitoes everywhere and I can remember trying to brush the bugs out of my wounds."

The three Baylor residents knew Wheeler had lost a lot of blood.

They eventually persuaded Mexican doctors to let them treat Wheeler as best they could. They devised a makeshift intravenous tube and inserted a "too-small" needle into his chest in an attempt to treat a collapsed lung.

Eventually, one of them reached one of Wheeler's friends in Houston who arranged for the Lear jet flight.

Credit card high-rollers jailed

RICHMOND, Texas (AP) — Three men and two women who lived lavishly in a rent house for nearly three months were held in custody in the Fort Bend County Jail today accused of financing their expensive tastes with 50 stolen credit cards.

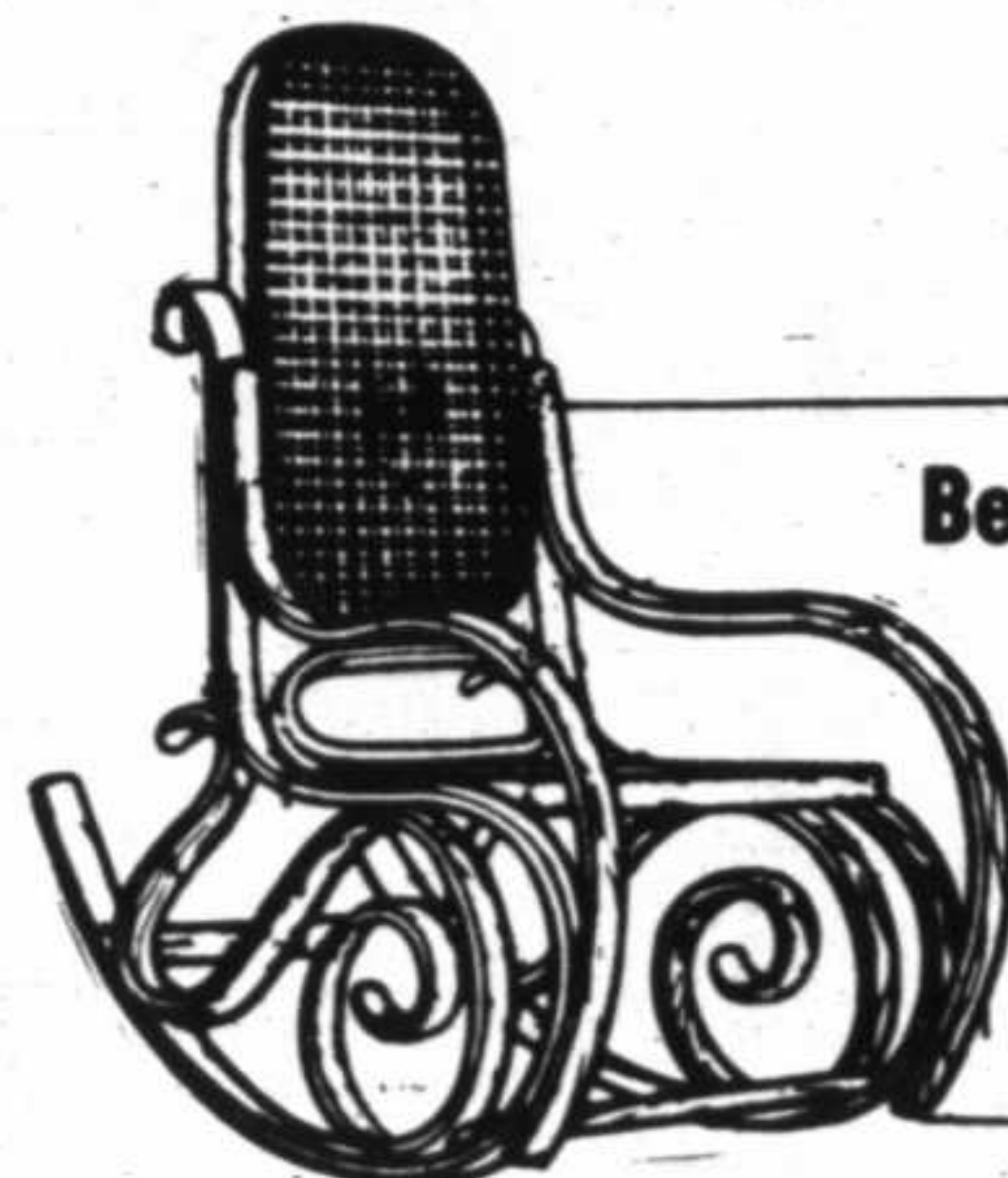
Detectives said they were so reckless with their credit card purchases that they never washed their clothes — they simply put on brand new garments

whenever the ones they were wearing got dirty.

Sheriff's Detective Jackie Wilke said Wednesday the five defendants in jail could be part of a much larger ring of credit card thieves reaching from California to Alabama.

"This is just the tip of the iceberg," she said. She theorized the suspects bought the credit cards from someone who stole them from a post office in Los Angeles.

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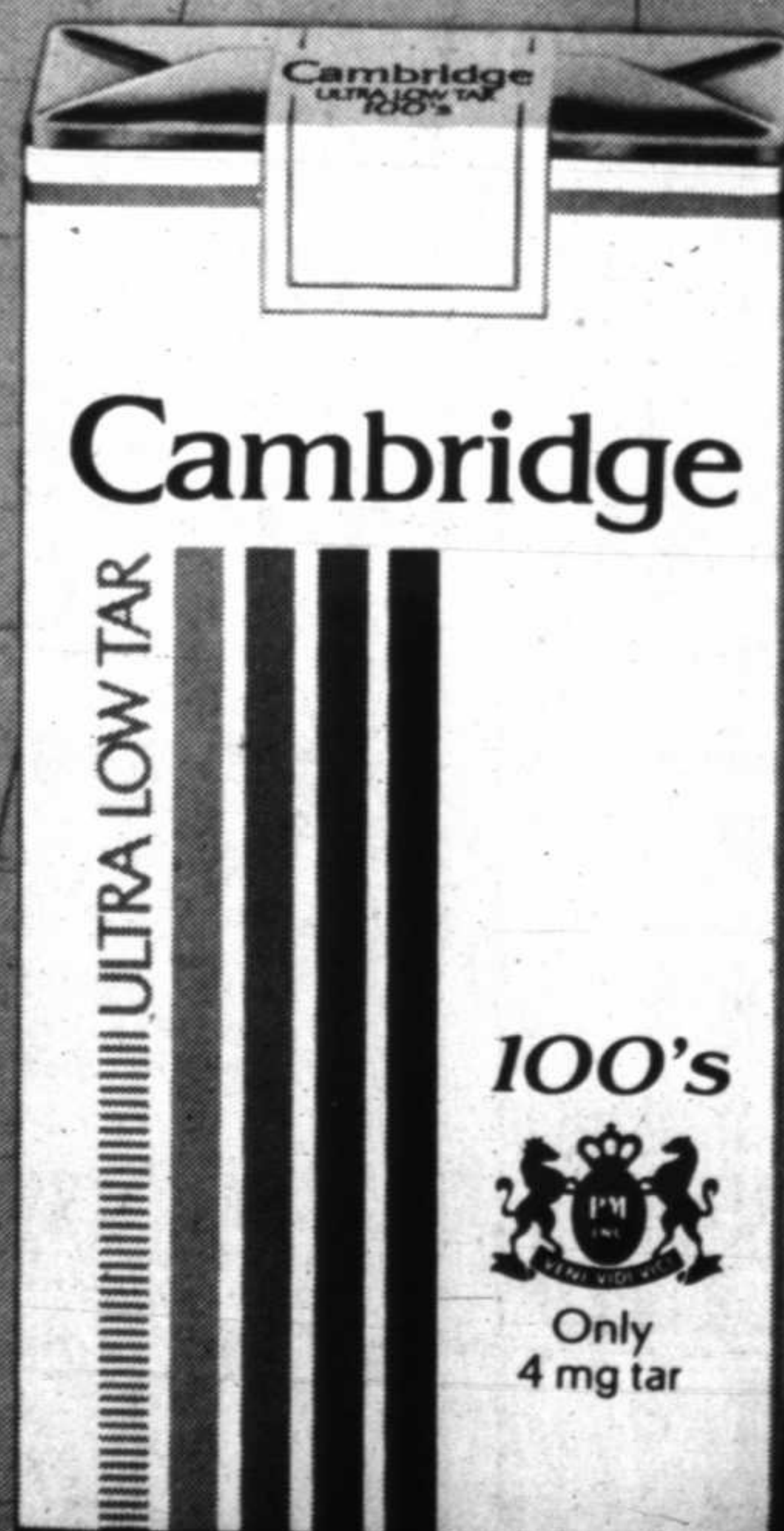
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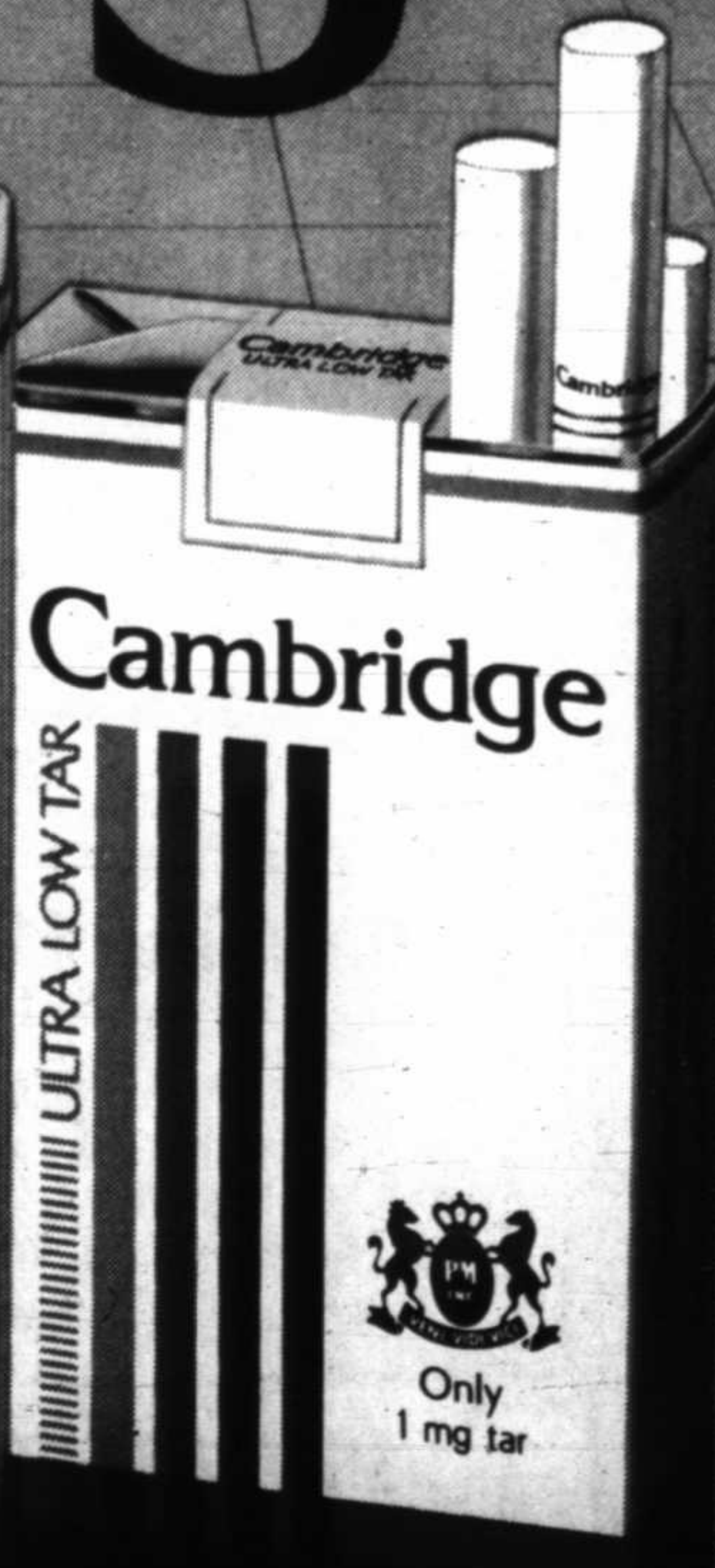
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Howard, Andrews file finals; wildcats scheduled in Dist. 8

Two discoveries and a gas confirmer in Andrews, Howard and Reeves counties of District 8. Also a wildcat has been scheduled in Mitchell County.

ANDREWS COUNTY

Exxon Corp. of Midland has announced completion of a Devonian oil discovery in Andrews County, six miles northeast of Andrews.

Designated the No. 1 State University "EH", it was potentialized to pump 58 barrels of 39.5 gravity oil plus a small amount of water from perforations at 12,220 to 14,005 feet which had been acidized with 6,000 gallons.

Drilled to 14,100 feet, 4 1/2 inch casing was set on bottom and plugged back to 13,930 feet.

Location is 660 feet from the south and east line of section 42, block 4 of the University Lands survey.

The wellsite is surrounded by production in the McFarland (Queen) field which produces from 4,790 feet.

HOWARD COUNTY

The McCann Corp. of Big Spring has announced completion of the No. 1 E. Slope "36" as a lower Clearfork discovery in Howard County, six miles northeast of Coahoma.

The well is potentialized to pump two barrels of oil, gravity not reported, plus two barrels of water with a gas to oil ratio of 30 to 1.

Production was gained from perforations at 3,548 to 3,560 feet which had been acidized with 15,000 gallons and fractured with 2,800 gallons and 4,000 sacks of cement.

Drilled to 8,660 feet, 4 1/2 inch casing was set at 5,328 feet and plugged back to 5,328 feet. Location is 660 feet from the north and east lines of section 36, block 30, township 1 north of the T&P survey.

REEVES COUNTY

American Quasar Petroleum Co. of Midland has announced completion of the No. 1-17 Worsham in the Worsham, North (Fusselman field of Reeves County, 13 miles southeast of Pecos.

Potentialized for a calculated absolute open flow of 3,200,000 cubic feet of gas per day, production was gained from Fusselman perforations at 17,247 to 17,307 feet which had been acidized with 5,000 gallons and fractured with 40,000 gallons plus 40,000 pounds.

Originally scheduled as a wildcat to 17,440 feet, 9 5/8 inch casing was set at 11,400 feet and plugged back to 17,362 feet.

Location is 1,000 feet from the west line and 8,000 feet from the south line of section 17, block 6 of the H&GN survey.

MITCHELL COUNTY

Mayco Exploration of Dallas will drill the No. 1 Barber, as a 7,630-foot wildcat in Mitchell County, six miles northwest of Colorado City.

The location is 1,200 feet from the north line and 660 feet from the east line of section 13, block 27, of the T&P RR survey.

Drillsite is 3,000 feet northwest of the 7,709-foot Banker, abandoned March 26, 1961.

District 7-C wildcat tests scheduled

Two wildcats have been scheduled in the District 7-C counties of Tom Green and McCulloch.

TOM GREEN COUNTY

Indian Wells Co. will drill the No. 1 Harris 88, an 8,750-foot wildcat in Tom Green County, 23.11 miles northwest of Mertzon.

Location is 467 feet from the south line and 467 feet from the west lines of section 88, block 6 of the H&TC survey.

The site is 3/4 mile northwest of Davis Bro. No. 1 Harris Estate, abandoned July 1, 1975 at 8,660 feet.

MCCULLOCH COUNTY

H.O.T. Exploration Co. of Colony, Tex. will drill the NO. 1 Bullin, an 1,100-foot wildcat in McCulloch County, 3 1/2 miles southwest of Placid.

The location is 330 feet from the north and 1,230 feet from the west lines of section 101 of the Rusk Transportation Co., abstract 1187.

Libya cuts crude oil price

By FLOYD NORRIS
AP Business Writer

Mexico imposed a \$2 oil price increase Tuesday and lost a major customer, while Libya cut its price by a relatively small \$1.10 a barrel and ran into protests from oil companies. Other OPEC members continued to resist pressure for large price cuts.

Mexico told oil companies its \$2-per-barrel increase would be effective Wednesday and Exxon Corp. said it will stop buying oil from Mexico.

"We think the price is too high," said Exxon spokesman James Morakis in New York. Exxon had a contract that allowed it to buy up to 175,000 barrels a day from Mexico.

The Libyan action also provoked buyer resistance. "It is nowhere near sufficient in relation to present market prices," said an official of one U.S. oil company, who asked not to be quoted by name. The reduction cut Libya's base price to \$39.90 a barrel from \$41.

The Libyan reduction, disclosed by oil industry sources, left its prices about even with those charged in Nigeria and Algeria, but as much as \$8 above prices in the spot market,

where oil not sold under long-term contract is traded. There was no indication that Nigeria and Algeria were yielding to pressures for price cuts.

Mexico cut its price by \$4 a barrel a month ago, but the move provoked a political storm that cost the country's top petroleum official his job. Effective Wednesday, it raised its oil price by \$2 a barrel, to a top price of \$36.50 a barrel.

Another major Mexican customer, Shell Oil Co., said it would continue

negotiations with the Mexicans and declined to say what it would do if the Mexicans refuse to rescind the increase. "Shell does not feel that the price increase is justified," said Shell spokesman Norm Altstetter.

With the third quarter beginning Wednesday, many oil companies are faced with the decision of whether to buy oil at prices they say are too high to allow a profit, or to walk away from suppliers whose oil they may need in the future.

Synfuel plants demand more in DOE services

WASHINGTON (AP) — Boom towns spawned by the construction of synthetic fuel plants may actually demand more in government services than they will provide in added tax revenue, according to a new study for the Energy Department.

The larger population would necessitate the hiring of more school teachers and policemen, the study said.

Two Wyoming cities, Casper and Rawlins, would spend \$654,000 and \$1.3 million more respectively for government services in the peak construction year than they would receive in added tax revenues, the study said.

The study, done by the consulting firm of Booz-Allen & Hamilton, estimated how the two cities would be affected by construction of a synthetic fuel plant equipped to produce daily 24,000 barrels of liquid methanol from coal.

Rawlins and Casper always would spend more to provide required new services than they would receive in increased tax revenue, the report said.

The methanol plant would cost \$261 million and take seven years to construct with a peak labor force of 1,142. When in operation, the plant would employ 87 workers.

The added city services would cost Casper \$1.7 million during the peak construction year and would bring in \$1.1 million in added tax revenue that year. When the plant began operating, Casper would spend \$176,000 providing additional services and would receive \$89,000 in added tax revenue. The revenue costs and tax benefits for Rawlins would be similar.

While opponents of synthetic fuel plants can be expected to use the new study to boost their case, one of the study's authors said it should not be taken as a broadside against the fledgling synthetic fuels industry.

"This isn't a gloomy assessment. We are saying that with adequate planning there are a lot of ways of meeting the costs," Stephen Hoffman said.

He said another study now underway is looking at various alternatives to having local taxpayers shoulder the full load from the new plants.

Casper and Rawlins were selected for the study because they are representative of a number of Western communities. Casper has a population of 51,016 and Rawlins' population is 11,547.

The study has not been released by the Energy Department yet. A draft version was obtained by The Associated Press.

Exxon drops Mexican oil purchases

NEW YORK (AP) — Oil companies, after months of saying they could not afford to buy high-priced foreign oil, are beginning to follow up on their threats.

Exxon Corp., the world's largest oil company, took the unusual step of announcing it is halting its purchases of Mexican oil, beginning today. "We think the price is too high," Exxon spokesman James Moraki said Tuesday.

Exxon, which had purchased up to 175,000 barrels of oil a day from Mexico, acted after the Mexicans went

ahead with plans for a \$2 per barrel increase, putting the top Mexican price at \$36.50 a barrel.

Libya, meanwhile, reduced its price by an average \$1.10 a barrel, oil industry sources said. That was a far smaller cut than the \$5 some oil companies said was a minimum, and left the Libyan price at about \$39.90 a barrel.

"It is nowhere near sufficient in relation to present market prices," said an official of one U.S. oil company, who asked not to be named. With neither Algeria nor Nigeria —

the other oil exporters charging about \$40 a barrel — indicating a willingness to cut prices for the quarter that began today, oil coes had to decide whether to carry out their threats to stop buying overpriced oil.

The high priced countries have already lost a lot of customers, and the ones that are still there have reasons to stay. Some have historic relationships they want to maintain and others have crews exploring for and producing oil in the countries.

Shell Oil Co., which has been a major Mexican customer, said it "does not feel that the price increase is justified," but did not say whether it will reduce its purchases. It said it will continue negotiations with the Mexicans.

Industry estimates put production in Libya at about 900,000 barrels a day, down from 1.6 million a few months back; Nigeria at 850,000, down from 1.6 million, and Algeria at 700,000, down from 900,000.

Countries that have made significant price reductions in recent weeks include Britain, Norway and the Soviet Union. With Saudi Arabia apparently keeping its production about 10 million barrels a day, an oversupply of oil in the world has enabled to spot prices to drop to just under the official Saudi price of \$32 a 42-gallon barrel.

Mexico has been exporting about 400,000 barrels a day to the United States, well below the Mexican ceiling, on such exports of more than 700,000 barrels a day. That figure is expected to decline following the latest increase.

British Petroleum cuts oil purchases

LONDON (AP) — British Petroleum Co. stopped buying oil from Libya on Wednesday, sayin' the price was too high.

The move came despite a minor price reduction by the Libyans on Tuesday, and was seen as evidence of a new determination by major oil companies to slash purchases of high-priced oil.

Libya reduced its oil price by an average of \$1.10 a barrel, to about \$39.90. But a British Petroleum spokesman, who asked not to be identified, said that was "out of line with our price ideas for this kind of

crude."

He said Libyan oil is trading at \$33 a barrel on the spot market and is similar in quality to North Sea oil, which is available on contract at \$35 a barrel from Britain and Norway. Saudi Arabia, the world's biggest oil exporter, sells its oil for \$32 a barrel.

British Petroleum's move came a day after Exxon Corp. announced it was suspending purchases of Mexican oil because it considered that country's price too high. Mexico had raised its price by \$2 a barrel to a maximum of \$36.50 a barrel.

Discoveries finaled in Chaves, Eddy

Two discoveries were finaled in Chaves and Eddy counties of New Mexico, along with six wildcats finaled in Eddy, Chaves and Lea counties.

EDDY COUNTY

Mesa Petroleum Co. of Midland has completed its No. 1 Siegrist State, as an Eddy County Wolfcamp gas discovery, 16 miles west of Lakewood.

Potentialized for a calculated absolute open flow of 1,200,000 cubic feet of gas per day, production was gained through perforations at 6,218 to 6,224 feet, which had been acidized with 5,900 gallons.

Drilled to 8,660 feet, 4 1/2 inch casing was set at 8,657 feet.

Location is 1,980 feet from the north line and 990 feet from the east line of section 25, township 19 south, range 23 east.

Gulf Oil Corp. will drill three 14,500-foot wildcats, approximately 25 miles southeast of Carlsbad.

The No. 1-A Sprinkle-Federal is located 1,980 feet from the south and west lines of section 21, township 22 south, range 31 east.

The No. 1-A Dachner Federal is located 1,980 feet from the south line and 660 feet from the east lines of section 27, township 22 south, range 31 east.

The No. 2-A Dachner-Federal is located 1,980 feet from the north and 660 feet from the west lines of section 33, township 22 south, range 31 east.

Yates Petroleum Corp. of Artesia will drill the No. 1 QB Allen-Federal

as an 11,650-foot wildcat, one mile east-southeast of Morrow gas production in the Turkey Track, North field, eight miles southwest of Loco Hills.

Location is 660 feet from the south line and 1,980 feet from the west line of section 26, township 18 south, range 29 east.

CHAVES COUNTY

Amoco Production Co. of Hobbs has completed the No. 1 O'Brien Ranch, a Chaves County Mississippian gas discovery, nine southeast of Elkins.

Potentialized for a calculated absolute open flow of 745,000 cubic feet of gas per day, production was gained through a 16/64 inch choke and perforations at 8,398 to 8,520 feet, which had been acidized with 2,500 gallons.

It was drilled to 9,174 feet with 5 1/2 inch casing set on bottom.

Location is 1,980 feet from the north

and east lines of section 26, township 8 south, range 29 east.

Western Oil Producers of Roswell, will drill the No. 1 McClellan-Federal, a 9,000-foot wildcat 1 3/8 miles northeast of an undesignated Atokagas discovery and 19 miles northeast of Hagerman.

Location is 660 feet from the south and east lines of section 27, township 13 south, range 29 east.

LEA COUNTY

Burnett Oil Co. Inc. of Fort Worth will drill the No. 1 Caroline Dewey, a 7,500-foot wildcat in Lea County, 11 miles southeast of Monument.

Location is 660 feet from the north and east lines of section 24, township 20 south, range 38 east.

DRILLING REPORT

WILDCATS

ANDREWS COUNTY
Cities Service Oil Co. No. 314-North Dollarhide Unit; moving in rig.

DAWSON COUNTY
Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1 South Welch Unit; total depth 4,960 feet complete, casing 4,834 feet, well complete.

Cities Service Oil Co. No. 2200-W South Welch Unit; total depth 5,815 feet dolomite, ran 5 1/2" casing 5,815 feet.

ECTOR COUNTY
Cities Service Oil Co. No. 7 Cummins S; total depth 4,800 feet, plugged back 4,538 feet, ran 5 1/2" casing 4,800 feet, rigging up to acidize.

Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1706 Johnson GBSA Unit; total depth 4,150 feet, plugged back 4,084 feet, ran 4 1/2" casing 4,150 feet, testing.

Cities Service Oil Co. No. 2000 Johnson GBSA Unit; total depth 4,150 feet dolomite, ran 4 1/2" casing 4,154 feet.

Cities Service Oil Co. No. 6 Cummins S; total depth 4,632 feet, plugged back 4,376 feet, ran 5 1/2" casing 4,632 feet, testing.

Cities Service Oil Co. No. 445-W Rhodes Cowden Unit; circle at 302 feet.

EDDY COUNTY
Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1 State DA; drilling 13,377 feet line, shale, ran 8 5/8" casing 3,020 feet.

Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1 Getty-Salt Draw II Federal; drilling w/cable tool at 227 feet.

GAINES COUNTY
Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1239 West Seminole SA; drilled 812 feet red beds.

Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1209 West Seminole SA Unit; total depth 5,203 feet line, ran 5 1/2" casing at 5,203 feet.

HARDING COUNTY
Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1 Smith A; rigging up to run liner, total depth 312 feet granite, ran 5 1/2" casing to 2,975 feet.

LEA COUNTY
Getty Oil Co. No. 1-15 Getty-Federal; drilling 13,380 feet.

Getty Oil Co. No. 1 North Billrey Federal; drilling 13,380 feet.

Getty Oil Co. No. 1-28 Getty-State; total depth 16,323 feet, swab & testing.

LOVING COUNTY
Getty Oil Co. No. 1 Ludeman "7-26"; drilling 12,728 feet.

Getty Oil Co. No. 2 Tom Lineberry Strip; drilling 14,288 feet.

PECOS COUNTY
Getty Oil Co. No. 1 P. T. Hudgins; drilling 11,877 feet, recovered all fish.

Getty Oil Co. No. 2 Mendel Estate; total depth 12,400 feet, circulating, build up, tripping.

Getty Oil Corp. No. 3 Ivy B. Wealth.

erby; total depth 13,378 feet, plugged back 13,311 feet, secure well, released crew.

REEVES COUNTY
Getty Oil Co. No. 1 Ava Farwell Trust; total depth 11,600 feet, pumping on beam.

SCURRY COUNTY
Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1 Sterling A; drilling 2,338 feet shale, anhydrite, ran 8 5/8" casing.

TERRY COUNTY
Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1 French A; moving in rig.

UPTON COUNTY
Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1 Clara Ndeal, et al; drilling 2,338 feet shale, 185 feet in 13 hours.

WARD COUNTY
Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1220-P G. W. O'Brien; total depth 3,300 feet line, circulating, testing.

Gulf Oil Co. No. 1218 G. W. O'Brien; total depth 13,850 feet, plugged back 8,380 feet.

Getty Oil Co. No. 1 University 43-20; drilling 14,300 feet.

Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1 Univ. 13-17; drilling 233 feet shale.

FIELD TESTS

BORDEN COUNTY
Undesignated; Gulf Oil Co. No. 1 Edna Miller; total depth 8,543, plug back depth 8,248 feet waiting on service unit to plug and abandon.

Undesignated; Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1 Katherine; drilling at 7,095 line.

CRANE COUNTY
University Waddell (Dev.); Gulf Oil Corp. of Midland No. 1123 W.N. Waddell "3"; drilling at 8,880 feet in chert and dolomite.

University Waddell (Devonian); Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1122 W.N. Waddell "3"; total depth 8,406 feet testing.

Sand Hills (Judkins); Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1178 W.N. Waddell et al; total depth 3,640 feet, released crew.

ROBERT COUNTY
Robt Caballo, South (Devonian); Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1 First National Bank of Midland; Drilling at 16,681 feet in line and shale.

REEVES COUNTY
Barstow, South (Delaware) Cities Service No. 1 Priest "E"; total depth 6,500 feet, testing.

DOE says Money wasted in building oil reserve

WASHINGTON (AP) — An Energy Department report said Wednesday that department officials wasted \$7.1 million on "inadequate, often defective, drill rigs" in haste to build the Strategic Petroleum Reserve.

The report quoted an unnamed drilling manager as saying most of the rigs looked as if they'd been "re-constructed from a scrap pile."

The department's acting inspector general, James K. Wright, said in issuing the report that the officials in the reserve's office in New Orleans "overreacted to the pressures inherent in the schedule and to the possibility of another oil embargo."

Alex G. Fremling, acting assistant secretary for emergency preparedness, noted in response that management in the drilling of storage facilities for the reserve has been significantly improved since the 1978-79 period covered by the report.

The reserve was authorized in 1975 to hold 1 billion barrels of oil as a guard against cut-offs of foreign oil such as the 1973 Arab embargo. By 1989, 750 million barrels are to be stored. So far, about 150 million barrels are in the reserve.

The report noted that the estimated cost of building the storage facilities has grown considerably. It laid part of the growth to inflation but said "poor estimates of project costs in the early years of construction" were also at fault.

"Costs were excessive because reserve officials neglected to adequately consider price, quality and less costly alternatives," the report said.

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