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The SDN Column

The question has been raised as to what the referendum Saturday in Scurry County is all about.

It is simply a vote to determine the wishes of the county's citizens concerning two proposals. One proposal is to build a livestock exhibition facility adjacent to the Scurry County Coliseum to accommodate county fair requirements, livestock shows and similar activities. The other is to replace the county jail.

The county commissioners court is not seeking authority to levy any taxes for this purpose. It proposes to use its federal revenue-sharing funds for the projects, that is if the people want them built. The vote is simply to let it know whether the people want the projects.

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Are you tired of all the chaos and complex problems of today? Would you like to go back about a century and experience some of the real "good old days"

If it were possible, here's some of the things you might expect to encounter around 1870, according to Smithsonian Magazine from the Smithsonian Institution:

"The United States of the 1870s had a crime rate perhaps twice that of today. There was rioting among the Irish in New York, the blacks in Savannah, the Chinese in San Francisco, the political clubs in Pittsburgh and the coal miners in Scranton. Indians scalped the wagon-master of a government mule train in the Colorado Territory. Corruption in high places? Well. . .New Yorkers were discovering that Boss Tweed had mulcted them of millions. Legislators were being bought and sold by powerful capitalists. Graft reached into the White House itself.

"About a sixth of the population was foreign-born, largely unassimilated and incomprehensible. Thousands of children, aged eight, were recruited to the 10-hour work day of factories, mines and sweatshops."

Then, it went on to tell of plagues of tuberculosis, typhoid, diphtheria, scarlet fever and sometimes cholera and small pox.

There have been a lot of improvements over the years, but man himself apparently hasn't changed much. In some cases, he has switched directions, but only to perpetuate extremes. Back in the seventies of last century it is reported that young men went clean-shaven in contemptuous disdain for their elders' hilarious muttonchop whiskers, straggly handlebar moustaches, imperial goatees and shoulder-length hair. There were even some youths who were asking questions and not getting satisfactory answers. Can you imagine that!

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The University of Arkansas thinks it may have recruited the only high school football star to earn all-state honors in two states. At least Gerald Skinner would be one of very few. He is a 6-5, 250-pounder who made the all-state team in Texas at Silsbee High School his junior year and then won similar honors his senior year at Malvern, Ark.—WACIL McNAIR.

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Today In History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Wednesday, July 18, the 199th day of 1973. There are 166 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in the year 64 A.D. the great fire of Rome began. The legend is that Emperor Nero set the fire and fiddled as the city burned.

On this date—

In 1776, New Jersey declared itself independent of British authority.

In 1792, the American naval hero, John Paul Jones, died in poverty in Paris.

In 1914, the U.S. Army created an aviation section within the Signal Corps, and six planes were made available for air training.

In 1932, the United States and Canada signed a treaty to develop the St. Lawrence Seaway.

In 1940, the Democratic National Convention in Chicago nominated President Franklin D. Roosevelt for a third term.

In 1964, thousands of blacks rioted in Harlem after the shooting of a young black by a white policeman.

Ten years ago: President John F. Kennedy asked Congress to impose a tax on Americans buying long-term securities of foreign countries or foreign corporations.

Five years ago: North Vietnam released three captured American airmen, for what Hanoi called "humanitarian" reasons.

One year ago: The Egyptian government ordered the Soviet Union to withdraw military advisers stationed in Egypt.

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The Weather

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Tuesday, 89 degrees; low, 66 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 66 degrees.

North Central and Northeast Texas: Partly cloudy and warm tonight and Thursday. Widely scattered afternoon and evening thunderstorms extreme west portion. High Thursday 88 to 96.

Northwest and Southwest Texas: Considerable cloudiness tonight and Thursday. Mild tonight. Not quite as warm north portion Thursday. Scattered, mainly afternoon and night showers and thunderstorms through Thursday. Low tonight 60s and 70s. Highs Thursday mostly 80s.

South Central and Southeast Texas: Partly cloudy and warm tonight and Thursday. Chance of a few scattered late afternoon and evening thundershowers extreme northwest portion. Low tonight 68 to 80. High Thursday 88 to 100.

Oklahoma: Fair to partly cloudy and warm and humid through Thursday with widely scattered mainly afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Low tonight upper 60s northwest to 70s elsewhere. High Thursday mostly 90s.



FEATURED AT RODEO—Lenore Rowe, who will present specialty acts at the 38th annual Scurry County Rodeo, is shown on El Capitan as they appeared at the American Horse Pageant at Operyland U.S.A. in 1972. She will perform each night during the four-night Scurry Rodeo.

38th Annual Rodeo To Open At 8:30 Tonight

The Scurry County Rodeo begins its 38th annual performance this evening in the arena west of town, with the traditional grand entry set for 8:30 p.m. Performances will continue each night through Saturday.

Festivities were to begin at 5 p.m. with the annual Rodeo Parade.

This will be the second year for the Scurry County Rodeo Association's big event to be sanctioned by the International Rodeo Association. The first show last year under the professional organization was acclaimed as one of the finest rodeos ever held in Snyder.

Although it is now a professional rodeo, all local non-member contestants are allowed to enter if they live within a 125-mile radius of Snyder. Consequently, the audience is permitted to see their local contestants as well as the professionals apply their skills in the arena.

The top 15 IRA contestants in each event meet at the end of the rodeo season for the International Finals to compete for World Championships. So, rodeo audiences at any IRA event, including that in Snyder, may be seeing world champions perform.

The events for the Snyder Rodeo this year include bareback bronc riding, calf roping, saddle bronc riding, girls barrel race, steer wrestling, bull riding and the popular children's event, goat sacking.

The annual Stockholders Roping contest is set for 9 a.m. Saturday. A saddle will be presented to the champion roper among the stockholders, and a buckle will be presented to the runner-up. The presentations will be made at the Saturday night performance.

Smokey Davis of Houston is the stock producer for this year's Snyder Rodeo. The Rodeo clown is Lecille Harris, president of the IRA, who lives in Collierville, Tenn. He has made several appearances on the popular television show, Hee Haw.

Lenore Rowe will be featured in specialty acts. She has earned a reputation in recent years as one of the top specialty performers in professional rodeo arenas.

The rodeo dance will be held each night following the arena performance, with Hoyle Nix and his band providing the music.

History of the Scurry County Rodeo Association is featured in the souvenir programs this year. They will be sold each night by the Jaycees.

The first rodeos were called "wild west shows." Later, there were "picnics" which featured goat roping and during which several beefs would be barbecued, with people coming from miles around. In 1934-35 the first "rodeo" was held in Wolf Park and in 1936 the Scurry County Rodeo Association was founded.

Senate Rejects GOP Wage Bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rejecting talk of a presidential veto, the Senate today refused to junk a $2.20-an-hour minimum-wage bill in favor of a scaled-down Republican substitute.

The Senate voted 57 to 40 to reject the GOP bill.

Today's vote increased prospects that the wage bill written by the Labor and Public Welfare Committee will be approved in some form Thursday. A similar measure has passed the House.

The committee bill, sponsored by Chairman Harrison A. Williams Jr., D-N.J., and Sen. Jacob K. Javits, R-N.Y., would raise the $1.60 basic minimum wage to $2.20 an hour within 14 months.

The $1.30 minimum for farmworkers would be increased to $2.20 over three years.

Sen. Peter Dominick, R-Colo., chief sponsor of the Republican substitute, said the committee's "excessive increases" would damage the economy by aggravating inflation and raising unemployment of marginal workers.

Williams argued that inflation has resulted in net pay reductions for minimum-wage workers.

Dominick's substitute would reach a top ceiling of $2.30 an hour for nonfarm workers, but over four years. For farm workers, the pay would be increased to $2 over three years.

Sen. Robert Taft Jr., R-Ohio, a sponsor of the substitute, said the committee bill "is about as certain to be vetoed as any I've seen here."

The Senate Tuesday rejected 78 to 19 a substitute, offered by Sens. John Tower, R-Tex., and Paul J. Fannin, R-Ariz., that would have raised the basic minimum to $2.05 over a four-year period.

Nixon Going Home Friday

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon gave approval for Phase 4 economic controls from his hospital suite Tuesday, and got word from his doctors that he can go home Friday.

The chief executive had his busiest day at the hospital since he became ill with viral pneumonia last Thursday.

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Thursday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Self-pity	31 Promote	61 But	
2 Old	32 Your	62 Complete	
3 Social	33 Attract	63 Some	
4 Have	34 New	64 Difficult	
5 Doesn't	35 Make	65 Don't	
6 Grudges	36 You	66 Special	
7 Your	37 May	67 Hurt	
8 Make	38 Opportunity	68 Only	
9 Should	39 Have	69 Unfinished	
10 Expanded	40 On	70 Reading	
11 Catch	41 Moving!	71 Hide	
12 Outlook	42 Changes	72 Them	
13 Up	43 Good	73 Wish	
14 A	44 Events	74 Business	
15 Could	45 People	75 A	
16 Master	46 Or	76 Musicales	
17 No	47 Don't	77 Problem	
18 Day	48 May	78 And	
19 To	49 Dilly-dally	79 And	
20 Smiles	50 Reason	80 Anyones'	
21 A	51 Have	81 Irritable	
22 Plan	52 Concentrate	82 Feelings	
23 Keep	53 Your	83 Act	
24 Then	54 On	84 Movies	
25 Not	55 To	85 Or	
26 Will	56 Your	86 Reopened	
27 Martyr	57 Fulfill	87 Promises	
28 Be	58 Way	88 Bore	
29 Rehashed	59 Be	89 Today	
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Good Adverse Neutral

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Food Industry Relief From Freeze Is Due

By BILL NEIKIRK
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The food industry will be given an early release from the 60-day price freeze, perhaps beginning today, administration sources say.

But the industry will be put under tight controls that will allow only a limited amount of increased costs from wholesalers to retailers to be passed on to consumers, the sources said.

That appeared to be the reading as President Nixon's chief economic adviser, Treasury Secretary George P. Shultz, readied an announcement on Phase 4 wage-price controls to follow the freeze.

President Nixon remained in Bethesda Naval Medical Center recovering from viral pneumonia. The White House said Nixon planned to take no part in the announcement.

"Food will be center stage," one source said of the Phase 4 unveiling. The food industry says it has been hurt by the freeze. Processors have complained of a profit squeeze, some farmers are withholding supplies from the market and the industry has predicted some spot shortages.

Meanwhile, a former governor of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange said higher food prices were largely caused by insiders who are manipulating the commodity futures market.

Harry H. Fortes told a House Judiciary subcommittee studying food prices that a recent jump in soybean prices from $3.31 a bushel to $12.90 could not have happened without manipulation.

Fortes, a Chicago lawyer who left the exchange in 1970, recommended that the Justice Department investigate the futures market for possible anti-trust violations.

The administration has hinted broadly that the freeze, due to expire Aug. 12, will be lifted in stages, remaining the full 60 days in some industries and coming off early in others.

John T. Dunlop, director of the Cost of Living Council, told newsmen that the new controls program will be "fairly tough."

A congressional source said it would allow processors and middlemen to raise their prices, on a dollar-to-dollar basis, to recover such costs as wage increases and higher prices for raw materials.

But wages were to be subject to roughly the same rules on the books now. Generally, this means that pay boosts are to be held to 5.5 per cent a year.

L. D. Franks Dies Tuesday

L.D. (Doc) Franks, 62, of 3602 Kerrville, died at 7:16 p.m. Tuesday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital. Mr. Franks was born Oct. 5, 1911 in Wheeler County. He moved from Bonham to Snyder two months ago.

Funeral service is set for 3 p.m. Thursday at the Thirty-seventh St. Church of Christ. Pat Abbanato will officiate. Burial will be in Hillside Memorial Gardens, under direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

He married Iva Mae Hailey in 1931 in Colorado City. She survives.

Other survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Tommy Dorman of Roscoe and Mrs. Rosa Nell Richburg of Burkburnett; a son, Kenneth Lee Franks of Tampa, Fla.; his mother, Mrs. C.D. Franks of Snyder; three sisters, Mrs. Geneva Brice, Mrs. Rozell Martin and Mrs. Cumi Handback, all of Snyder; three brothers, Howard, Truman L. and O.B., all of Snyder; and 10 grandchildren.

Kelly-Snyder Oil Flow Upped

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — The Texas Railroad Commission ordered wide-open oil production today for August—the 17th consecutive month for full production across the state.

The requests from crude oil buyers for 3,782,877 barrels a day next month was 29,998 short of the record, set this month.

Exceptions to the 100 per cent allowable will be the East Texas field, which was restricted to 86 per cent production; the Kelly-Snyder, 84 per cent; and the Tom O'Connor field, 70 per cent.

It was an increase for the Kelly-Snyder field in West Texas, which has operated under a 76 per cent allowable for year or so. Commission Chairman Jim Langdon said the increase should result in 20,000 more barrels of oil a day.

Ten of the 14 major crude oil buyers asked for the same amount of oil in August as this month and four sought less. But those offering lower nominations said these were mere "adjustments" to get in line with what they are actually able to buy.

"It is not a desired level," said an Exxon spokesman, but "what we are able to purchase."

Langdon spoke of peering over the edge of the "old magic oil barrel that we have depended on for so long ... and seeing the bottom of that barrel."

He added that the oil at the bottom is different than the oil at the top—"it's not as clean and it's more expensive. We'll have to drill a lot more oil wells to get the barrel full again."

He said the commission is collecting figures to "point out the serious nature of the 'so-called' energy crisis as it is referred to by the news media. It is not 'so-called'—we are confronted with an energy crisis."

Langdon said Texas' crude oil reserves have declined by 13.1 million barrels since last year at this time.

Nominations by major crude oil buyers, in barrels per day, with changes from July nominations in parentheses:

Amoco 320,000
Atlantic Richfield 170,000
Chevron 75,300
Cities Service 118,000
Continental 38,000
Diamond Shamrock 36,000
Exxon 643,000 (minus 7,000)
Gulf 196,000 (minus 2,500)
Mobil 345,000
Phillips 115,000
Shell 330,300
Sun 194,000 (minus 1,250)
Texaco 223,000
Union of California 99,000 (minus 3,500)

Joe Robinson Rites Today

Funeral service was set for 2 p.m. today at Bell-Seale Funeral Home Chapel for Joe V. Robinson, 68, who died Tuesday morning in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Pat Abbanato, minister of the Thirty-seventh Street Church of Christ, was to officiate. Burial was to be in the Snyder Cemetery, under direction of Bell-Seale.

A native of Hill County, Mr. Robinson had lived here since 1937. He was married in 1902 at Sweetwater to Miss Opal Irene Cox. She preceded him in death in 1968.

Surviving are two sons, Joe of Austin and William of San Angelo; a sister, Mrs. Virginia Schiebel of Snyder; a brother, James Robinson of Dallas, and one grandchild.

8 OIL MAJORS NAMED

Lengthy Antitrust Battle Expected

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Trade Commission has accused the Big Eight oil companies of anticompetitive practices, claiming the firms have earned bigger profits as a result and that consumers have had to pay higher gasoline prices.

The FTC said it expected the antitrust battle to be a long one.

The government suit also said that independent fuel marketers have suffered because of the actions by the eight.

The corporations named in the FTC action were, in decreasing order of size, Exxon, Texaco, Gulf, Mobil, Standard of California, Standard of Indiana, Shell and Atlantic Richfield.

Seven of them are among the 20 biggest corporations in the United States. The FTC estimated the eight accounted for $44 billion in sales in 1972.

The commission proposed no remedy for the alleged monopoly, but pointed out that all of the companies are what economists call vertically integrated, or involved in every level of the industry from drilling for crude oil to pumping gasoline at service stations.

Industry sources said the FTC staff, in recommendations submitted to the commission July 2, had urged dismantling of the vertical integration.

If challenged as expected, the FTC complaint would go directly to an FTC administrative judge. His decision could be appealed to the full commission and that could be appealed through the courts.

"There's no way these guys are going to roll over and play dead," said one FTC official who predicted the action would involve "years and years of work."

The FTC moved as the American Automobile Association and a government fuel expert said the nation's fuel shortages seem to be easing.

"We're optimistic the worst is over," said James West, a staff assistant in the Interior Department's office of energy.

The AAA reported that a "significant number of service stations feel very confident they have enough for the summer."

Several of the oil companies, which have 30 days to reply to the FTC complaint, issued statements denying the allegations.

M. A. Wright, board chairman and chief executive officer of Exxon, said: "Any charges against Exxon involving competitive practices such as those we understand to be in the FTC complaint have no basis in fact. Exxon will vigorously defend itself in this action."

The FTC staff's analysis of the oil shortage estimated that the eight companies control 64 per cent of the nation's known crude oil reserves, 58 per cent of its refining capacity and 89 per cent of its gasoline sales.



Mother and daughter were both adopted

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I am a 22-year-old woman. I am working part-time, doing graduate work in college, and also taking care of a terminally ill mother at night.

Two months ago I gave up my newborn illegitimate daughter for adoption. Her father was my one and only relationship, and he doesn't know about the birth.

I wanted more than anything in the world to keep my baby, but felt that since I had given her life, I had an obligation to give her a decent future. Abby, there was no way I could have done it at that time.

While I carried her, I would stroke my stomach hoping she would somehow be aware of it, as it was the only physical affection I would ever be able to give her. I might add that I, too, am adopted. Maybe that's why I made the decision in favor of adoption. My parents were absolutely wonderful.

The people who adopted my baby were childless. I heard they both wept when she was handed over to them.

My question: How can I learn to live with the thought that I have a child somewhere in the world, without yearning to see her, and without wondering what she is like? Do mothers ever get over a thing like this? EMPTY ARMS

DEAR EMPTY: Don't dwell on your loss—dwell on your child's gain. As an adopted child, with happy memories of your own childhood, you have answered your own questions.

Now you can put yourself in the place of your natural mother who loved you so much she gave you up for your sake.

Have patience. Your day will come, and you will be rewarded for your unselfish decision.

DEAR ABBY: I have a 5-year-old nephew who really worries me. He is exceptionally bright, but I don't know where he got this thing about money. He is absolutely fascinated with it.

He has a "piggy" bank which he can open himself, and he makes a game out of counting his money. He has no interest in toys, he just plays with his money.

I say it's unhealthy. His parents think it's cute. He gets a wild look in his eye when he handles money. It's really frightening.

Neither of his parents is money mad. Would I be out of line if I told his parents they should try to encourage him to find another hobby? Or am I concerned over nothing?

CONCERNED

DEAR CONCERNED: A preoccupation with anything can be unhealthy. Tell his parents of your concern. But it's even money they won't do anything about it.

DEAR ABBY: My husband is a hair stylist, and he works long hours six days a week. He is 26, born and raised in Oklahoma.

There is no water shortage here so there's no reason for him to go 3, 4 and 5 days without a bath, but he does. I have tried being subtle about it, like running his bath water for him, but it doesn't work. He just lets the water get cold.

He has oily skin and all the problems that go with it: blackheads and pimples. I have changed the sheets and bathed myself, and still he wants to climb into bed with me night after night without having bathed.

I have told him I think he needs a bath but he says he is comfortable and doesn't want to change his body chemistry. It's just about ruined our sex life. And then he has the nerve to say I am not as "sexy" as I was when he married me. Any suggestions? TURNED OFF

DEAR TURNED: Tell him that if he doesn't want to change his body chemistry he will have to change his address. [Or you'll change your name.]

Problems? You'll feel better if you get it off your chest. For a personal reply, write to ABBY: Box No. 69700, L. A., Calif. 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope, please.

For Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding," send $1 to Abby, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Cal. 90069.

Prelims Begin Tonight

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) — Three nights of preliminary swim suit and talent competition begin at the Fort Worth convention center this evening in advance of Saturday's choosing of the 1973 Miss Texas.

The 35th annual pageant has 62 Texas beauties vying for the title that is a ticket to the Miss America competition in Atlantic City. The winner here also wins a large share of $9,000 in cash prizes.

Texas girls twice won Miss America titles, most recently when Denton's Phyllis George captured the crown in 1971.

Guests for the musically-oriented show include, besides the contestants, the 1970 Miss Florida and Miss America talent winner, Lisa Donovan, and Kevin Reynolds, lead vocalist with the New Virginians.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

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DISMISSALS: Buster Dickey, Veola Norris, Johnny Hazelwood, Freddie Edwards, Jodie Hall, Nettie Gardner, Clarence Cagle.

Police Chief Is Guest Speaker

The Sunrisers Kiwanis Club met at 6:30 a.m. today at the American Restaurant for their weekly meeting. Bill Stone, new chief of police of Snyder, was the guest speaker. He gave a rundown on himself and his experience as a law officer. He discussed local problems and outlined his goals for the force.

He set one goal as continuing education for the force and a close relationship with each man. Guests at the meeting included Jimmy Cole and Tiny Payne. Payne is lieutenant governor of Kiwanis from Colorado City.

Mao Meets With Dr. Yang

TOKYO (AP) — Chairman Mao Tse-tung has met with Dr. Yang Chen-ning, China-born American cowinner of the 1957 Nobel Prize for physics.

Dr. Yang is in China to see relatives. Yang's cowinner of the Nobel Prize was China-born American physicist Dr. Lee Tsung-dao.

President 'Tapes' Not New

By DON McLEOD
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — It now seems that even former presidents Dwight D. Eisenhower and John F. Kennedy had recordings made of their conversations.

The disclosure, confirmed by the General Services Administration, follows testimony to the Senate Watergate committee earlier this week that President Nixon has been systematically recording telephone conversations and meetings in his presidential offices since early 1971.

A GSA spokesman said Tuesday that both the Eisenhower Library at Abilene, Kan., and the Kennedy library at Boston contained transcripts or tapes of such conversations.

The spokesman said the Eisenhower library contained records, apparently made by stenographers, of conversations of Eisenhower and various people. But he said at least some of the second parties involved, and possibly all of them, were aware that their words were being recorded for posterity.

The GSA spokesman also said the Kennedy Library contained 68 Dictabelt tapes and 125 magnetic tapes of Kennedy's telephone and office conversations beginning in July 1962.

This was confirmed in Boston by Dan H. Fenn Jr., director of the Kennedy Library.

Earlier the GSA had acknowledged that the Lyndon B. Johnson Library at Austin, Tex., contained records of selected telephone conversations, including some manual dictation and some by Dictaphone plus records of some meetings in the White House Cabinet Room.

However, the Secret Service and old White House friends of Johnson immediately protested that such recordings were made infrequently and, when they were, the other party was informed about it.

The Nixon tapes, the existence of which was not known of until Tuesday, have suddenly become a major issue in the Watergate drama.

The tape recordings of conversations relating to the Watergate matter might clarify Nixon's role in the affair.

Thus far, however, the White House has refused to turn the tapes over to the committee.

Two Mishaps Investigated

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated two traffic accidents in the Snyder area Tuesday. One involved three vehicles, while the other was a one-car accident.

The three-car mishap occurred about 12 noon at Thirty-seventh Street and Avenue L. Involved were a 1969 Chevrolet driven by William Joel Loper of 2111 Avenue Z, a 1967 Chevrolet driven by Kenneth McClain of 602 Thirty-third Street, and a 1968 Pontiac driven by Johnny Elledge, 1808 Thirty-ninth Street.

The two Chevrolets were traveling east on Thirty-seventh Street, while the Pontiac was going west. Although there was extensive damage to all three automobiles, there were no apparent injuries.

The Highway Patrol had earlier investigated a mishap that occurred about five and a half miles north of Snyder on Highway 84. A 1968 Datsun, driven by Wayne Nelson of Hawley, hit a culvert and overturned. Nelson was thrown from the vehicle onto the ground. He was taken to Cogdell Memorial Hospital by private automobile and entered as a medical patient. He was not believed to have serious injuries.

Goodyear Plant Blast Kills Two

HOUSTON (AP) — An explosion and fire ripped through a production unit at the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. plant Tuesday, killing two persons.

The cause of the flash fire and explosion, which shot a column of black smoke about 150 feet high and a huge fireball about a third of that distance, was unknown, a company spokesman said.

Steven Sesher Jr., 30, and Michael Ray Dixon, 32, both of Pasadena, Tex., died in the blast.

One other man suffered minor injuries, the spokesman said.

After the blast, sickening fumes spread throughout the plant, the largest synthetic rubber plant in the world, but caused no injuries, the spokesman said.

He described damage to the unit as moderate. A witness said the fire lasted only about 10 minutes.

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ALERT BIRD—This owl with the traditionally big eyes was found near Lake J.B. Thomas by M.B. Ortiz, who lives in Green Hill Addition. Ortiz calls if a "monkey owl."

TGRA Attacks 'Lane' Proposals

By LEE JONES
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP)—The Texas Good Roads Association today attacked federal anti-air pollution proposals for special traffic lanes for buses and car pools as a "dubious concept" that might cause greater pollution.

Glenn Green, a TGRA executive assistant, testified at a hearing on the Environmental Protection Agency's proposed rules to cut down air pollution in Texas by motor vehicles.

Green addressed himself to EPA proposals for the entire state, although the Austin hearing was called primarily for proposed rules for the Austin-Waco area. Unlike EPA plans for Houston and San Antonio areas, the Austin-Waco plan does not include special bus and carpool lanes or other restrictions designed to reduce private automobile use. The Austin-Waco proposal calls mainly for reduction of fumes from gasoline, such as that stored in tanks at service stations.

Green estimated this would cost service station operators $3,000 per tank, and transport trucks about $5,000 each.

"I would not like to be a service station operator or a tank truck operator and be faced with this cost," Green said.

Green said the proposed special lanes for buses and car pools would be a "pretty sure way to set new records for traffic pileups." And these, he said, would add to the pollution problem because of vehicles idling when they are brought to a virtual standstill in the other lanes.

As for proposed cutbacks in downtown parking spaces, Green said that motorists would continue to drive downtown and the "drive-until-you-find-one (parking space) syndrome might create more pollution than we have now."

The TGRA urged the federal agency not to issue its proposed motor vehicle rules Aug. 15 but to first try out the Texas Air Control Board's recommendations that hydro-carbon pollution be controlled only at such stationary sources as gasoline tanks. Then if this does not work, the association said, stricter measures should be tried and probably would be more acceptable to Texans.

At the Austin hearing the EPA issued a statement revising estimates of the cost of the proposed regulations in Texas.

The combined initial cost would be $142.5 million instead of the previous estimate of $94.1 million. The annual cost thereafter was revised upward from $2.1 million to $31.4 million.

The estimated cost of making repairs or other changes to reduce pollution from individual cars and trucks was revised downward, from $136.8 million to $48.4 million initially. The annual cost for such maintenance was estimated at $30.9 million instead of the previous $119.4 million.

"The erroneous calculations failed to recognize our estimate that only 20 per cent of the vehicle of Texas will require maintenance," the EPA statement said.

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By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Sears	97⅞	off	⅝
Sony	46⅜	off	⅜
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Xerox	153¼	off	¾

Exxon Suspends Allocations

HOUSTON (AP) — Exxon Co. USA, which has been limiting gasoline dealers to about what they bought last year, said Tuesday it is temporarily suspending the allocation system in most areas east of the Rocky Mountains.

The suspension is expected to last at least 30 days, a spokesman said.

He said its length will be determined by the company's product supply capability, including access to domestic and foreign crude and foreign refined products, as well as operations of refineries here and governmental actions.

The announcement said the suspension applies to all groups of customers.

"Recent operations have been characterized as exceptionally high refinery runs," the company said.

"These record-breaking run levels were made possible by unusually trouble-free equipment performance and higher than anticipated imports of foreign crude. In addition, substantial volumes of foreign products have been imported and operations of the company's over-all supply system have been particularly smooth."

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Cop, Agent Tell Bizarre Story Of Money Drops

By BROOKS JACKSON
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A retired New York cop and political secret agent told Senate investigators a bizarre and sometimes comical story today of "drops," code names and complications in relaying money to the original Watergate defendants.

Anthony T. Ulasewicz provided logistic details of a scheme to get money to the defendants and their lawyers which had been outlined the past two days by the raiser of the funds, Herbert W. Kalbach, then President Nixon's personal lawyer.

In a rich New York accent, the burly Ulasewicz told how he stuffed money in a laundry bag, taped keys under phone booth coin slots, made scores of furtive phone calls and peered from around corners or behind cigarette machines as the money was picked up.

Ulasewicz said most of the money drops were made to Mrs. E. Howard Hunt, wife of a convicted Watergate conspirator. She later was killed in a plane crash.

Ulasewicz told of passing her payments that totaled $154,500. He said she was seeking between $400,000 and $450,000.

He said he also was the middle man in slipping $25,000 to Hunt's lawyer, William O. Bittman; $8,000 to another convicted conspirator, G. Gordon Liddy; and $29,900 to Frederick C. LaRue, a former campaign aide who since has pleaded guilty to a count of conspiracy to obstruct justice in the Watergate cover-up.

Ulasewicz said Kalmbach first recruited him to relay the money on June 29, 1972, 12 days after the break-in at Democratic Party headquarters in the Watergate office building.

"He seemed nervous and ill at ease," Ulasewicz said of their conversation in Kalmbach's room at the Statler Hilton hotel.

Ulasewicz, who had been performing investigative jobs for the White House for several years, said Kalmbach telephoned to recruit him for the money-passing operation.

At their first meeting, Kalmbach gave himself the code name Novak and Ulasewicz the name Rivers.

"At a point in the conversation he said he had the money with him and it was $75,100 which he gave me in $100 bills. I went to the closet of the room, took a laundry bag and put the money in."

But getting rid of the money turned out to be more of a problem.

Several calls to an early attorney for the Watergate defendants, Douglas Caddy, didn't produce agreement on relaying the money.

"I am now picturing I am going to deliver this $75,100 which I have under my arm and he isn't going to take it," Ulasewicz said. "I carried it in a little brown bag with a string around it," drawing one of the periodic bursts of laughter that rocked the hearing room.

Calls to another attorney and to Mrs. Hunt produced no agreements either, said Ulasewicz.

He was calling Kalmbach so often from coin-gobbling phone booths that "when I finished up I had one of those bus guy's deals, with quarters, dimes and nickels," he said.

"At this time I still wanted to get rid of all those cookies, $75,100," said Ulasewicz. Finally a drop to Bittman was arranged in early July.

Ulasewicz said he bought a brown clasp envelope, counted out $25,000 and taped the envelope.

"I contacted Bittman from the lobby of his office building.

I called from his telephone booth, said I had the delivery, would he come right down, it would be on the ledge at the telephone booth."

While Ulasewicz watched from a half-closed booth, Bittman picked up the money.

Subpanel To Probe Wiretaps

WASHINGTON (AP) — A Senate subcommittee was directed today to launch a preliminary investigation of wiretapping practices that invade the individual's right to privacy.

It comes in the wake of Senate Watergate testimony that President Nixon recorded all conversations in his office and his telephone conversations.

Announcing the probe by the permanent subcommittee on investigations, Sen. Henry M. Jackson, D-Wash., said, "Recent revelations on the bugging going on in the office of the President come as a shock to people who are told that it is perfectly legal.

"On traveling to Iron Curtain countries," Jackson said, "I was always admonished that I could expect to be bugged, but it is astonishing that the White House is doing this without the knowledge of people who are visiting with or talking to the President.

"This obviously inhibits the kind of frank and honest advice a President must have."

Jackson said his subcommittee staff will look into the wide range of wiretapping, including that conducted by government agencies and private industry, with the possibility of introducing new legislation.

"The civil liberties of all of our citizens are at stake," he said.

"The fact that certain people in high government positions do this does not make it right or wise," Jackson added.

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Farmers Union To Get Charter

Scurry County farmers and ranchers will hear important developments in state and national agricultural issues when they attend the charter meeting of the Scurry County Farmers Union scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Monday at the County Barn in Towle Park.

Jay Naman of Waco, president of the statewide general farm organization since 1961, will attend the meeting at Snyder to make the principal address and present the newly elected president of Scurry County Farmers Union with the official charter as an affiliate of Texas Farmers Union. Naman will bring to the group the latest word on farm program developments in Washington, explain the role which Farmers Union has been playing in the farm fuel crisis, and the objectives of farm organization participation.

As an affiliate of the state Farmers Union, Scurry County Farmers Union will also be a part of the National Farmers Union headquartered in Denver, Colo. National Farmers Union was organized in Texas in 1902 and continues to be a dominant force on the Washington scene as one of the largest general farm organizations. Both the state and national organizations have played an important role in the development and passage of the new farm program through the United States Senate and is a traditional supporter of federal farm programs. The organization has provided the opportunity for thousands of farmers to participate in a unique, grass-roots lobbying program that was developed by Farmers Union.

County farmers who have been active in organizing the Scurry County Farmers Union and compose the arrangements committee include Tom Henry, Rex Glass and Glenn Tate, all of Hermleigh. According to local members, all farmers and interested non-farmers in the county are urged to attend the charter meeting of the Scurry County Farmers Union, and all new members are urged to take an active part in the establishment of the new unit.

There will be an opportunity for questioning out-of-county speakers, and refreshments will be served after the meeting.

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REUNION HELD—The 1958 graduating class of Snyder High School met for a fifteen year reunion July 6 and 7 at the Christian Student Center and Coliseum with fifty classmates in attendance and some one hundred people to enjoy reminiscing earlier school days. Pictured, left to right, bottom row, Deanna Devers Sims, and Lawanna Rowe Vincent. Second row, Dean Staton, Steve Nail, Ozella Wright Griffith, Beth Wiman Minor, Connie Connell Springer, Sandra Feather Jones, Doris Lewis Blackard, Barbara Taylor McCormick, Sara Dennis McCormick, Mary Deffebach Williams, Bud Morgan and Jerry Springer. Third row, Belinda Bell Foster, Mary Greene Eady, Pauline Grantham Wimmer, Janelle Moore Pollard, Darla Gilbert Smith, Dana Scarborough Whitson, Jo Ann Miller Ham, Joyce Watson Tolbert, Sharon Babcock Bruns and Wanda Dorman Keen. Fourth row, Arnold Dorman, James Minor, Neil Boyd, Larry Page, Gary Lane, Jim Hardy, Ronney Pitner, Bill Crowell, Jerry Hatfield, Ed McDaniel, Gary Vice, Richard Newman, John Ward and Dickey Martin. Back row, Billy Bob Keen, William Mobley, Skipper Moore, Morris Head, Bob Pollard, James Vincent, Jim Crowder, James Patterson, and Jerry Davis.

He Knew The Men In Blue

TARGET BLUE. By Robert Daley. Delacorte. 562 Pages. $8.95.

Robert Daley served as a New York City deputy police commissioner for a year and a week. Not a very long time but long enough for Daley to wonder as he left, "Who would have thought I could learn to care so much about cops?"

The "care" Daley so deeply has abounds in this hefty volume which details not just Daley's experiences during his time in the police department but also those of the cop in the street — the man in blue who stands between the ordinary citizen and the criminal violence lurking just around the corner.

Although there has been a rash of books — both fiction and nonfiction — about cops recently, Daley's stands out in the crowd partially because it was written by an experienced reporter who held high position in the police department and partially because Daley respects the men he is writing about and does all in his writing power to get this respect across to the reader. And, overall, he does very well.

There are gripping scenes in which he details the hunt for the men who kill cops wantonly "because of their color, which was neither black nor white, but blue"; of the Joe Colombo assassination attempt; the capture of Rap Brown, and the never-ending hunt for drugs and their sellers.

There also are many scenes which take the reader away from the cop on the street into the highest echelons of the police department and dramatically detail the power struggles that go on there.

This book isn't just for the cop buffs but for anyone who would like a guided tour through the world of crime and the men who stand against it.

Phil Thomas
AP Books Editor

Hermleigh 4-H Meets July 5

The Hermleigh 4-H had a meeting July 5 at the Hermleigh High School. Those present were Lori Fuqua, Lori Hess, Cathy Hess, Barbara Leatherwood, Becky Flecher, Ann Flecher, Terrie Feaster, Tracy Warren and leader, Mrs. Stirl. Refreshments served by Mrs. Stirl. The next meeting will be August 2.

Women's Calendar

THURSDAY

Newcomers Club will meet at the Snyder Savings and Loan Building at 10 a.m. to tour the Diamond M Museum.

FRIDAY

Family Night — The Newcomers Club will have an ice cream social in Towle Park, beginning at 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

People Without Partners meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Inadale Community Center.



NEWOFFICERS—Mrs. W.B. McSpadden, (center) president of the Martha Ann Woman's Club is informing the newly elected Board of Directors of the Club on the events for the coming year. Pictured with her, left to right, are Mmes. Barbara Bills, Velma Lunsford, Wilma Knutson and Martha Webb.

Coproductions Expected Soon

MOSCOW (AP) — Jack Valenti, president of the U.S. Motion Picture Association, says the "political climate is salubrious enough" to promote joint U.S.-Soviet movie productions.

"Within two or three years, I expect coproductions will be made here or partially here with Russian people and Russian money," Valenti said Tuesday.

Valenti is the head of the American delegation to the Moscow Film Festival.

He said the Soviets are pushing for coproductions.

The Federal Securities Act, requiring registration and approval of stock and bond issues, was enacted May 27, 1933.

Board Of Directors Meet At Woman's Club

The Martha Ann Woman's Club Board of Directors met July 9 in its second meeting of the current board year to continue to formulate plans of projects and activities for the coming year. The board of directors is made up of elected representative of all member organizations and each serves for a period of three years. It is under their guidance that all affairs of the Club are conducted whether it be maintenance of the grounds or building, special fund raising activities to benefit the club or the Silver Tea to honor the founders.

The officers of the board of directors for the present year are president, Mrs. W.B. McSpadden; vice president, Mrs. H.W. Ward; second vice president, Mrs. Max Von Roeder; recording secretary, Mrs. Amon Weaver; corresponding secretary, Mrs. John Reed; and treasurers, Mrs. Lonnie Knutson and Mrs. Virginia Bethel.

Standing committee chairman appointed for the year by Mrs. McSpadden which are not chairmanned by officers are Architecture and Furnishings Committee, Mrs. Sally O'Rear; Christmas Decoration, Mrs. Glenna Jones; Kitchen, Mrs. Mary Ellen Headstream; Supervision of Grounds, Essie Mae Davis; Historian, Mrs. Bess Johnston; Calendar, Mrs. Velma Lunsford; Memorials, Mrs. Mary Davenport; Publicity, Mrs. Mona Bryan; Repairs and Maintenance, Mrs. Dave Harlin; Yearbook, Mrs. Frank LeFeuvre.

Other board members who take an active part in the special activities of the Woman's Club are Mrs. Jerry Webb, Mrs. Pat Falls, Mrs. Larry Bills and Mrs. Pat Dennis.

Individual membership in the club is through a participating club or through an annual individual membership. Any prospective member should contact a board member for any information she might desire about membership.

Division of responsibilities within a family helps children understand and identify with adult roles they later play in life, notes Dorthy Taylor, specialist in family life education, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

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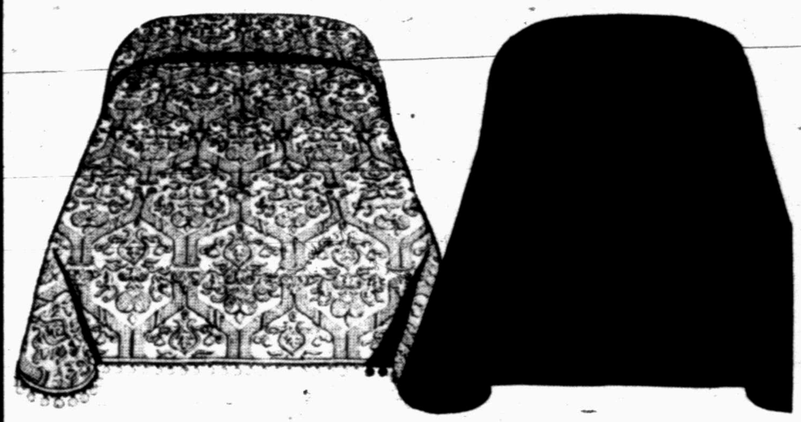
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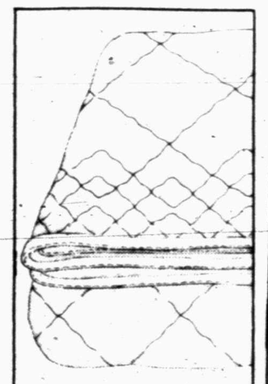
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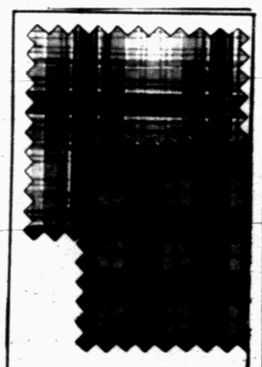


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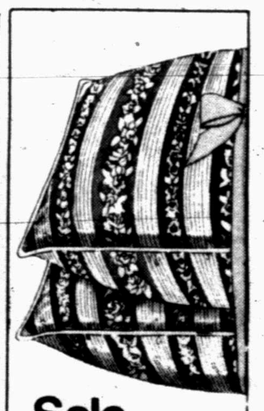
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NYSE Chairman Asks Higher Commissions

By JOHN CUNNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — The inability of the brokerage community to break with the past, despite assurances from members that the easy, mutually beneficial old club atmosphere has been eliminated, is demonstrated in current hearings.

Clearly agitated by the flood of red ink once again flowing through the nation's financial districts, James Needham, New York Stock Exchange chairman, pleaded before the Securities and Exchange Commission for higher commissions.

A fixed rate increase for all amounting to 10 per cent on orders up to $5,000 and 15 per cent on orders above that amount would be needed, he said, or else the small investor would be denied services.

This request is odder than it might seem, akin to General Motors and Chrysler and Ford seeking permission to raise car prices by the same amount to save their industry, or to keep one of them from faltering.

The car makers don't do that, of course, because one and all would accuse them of mutual handholding, of collusion for their own special reasons. And why, asked the SEC, should the securities industry attempt that route?

In theory, at least, the American system, which Wall Street claims to sell, is continually renewed by the success of the most productive and the removal of the least competitive. But not on The Street.

Based on SEC testimony, it is evident that, in the securities industry, the survival of the fittest has been subordinated by the concept of class survival. At the moment, Needham suggested, competition would be deadly.

Even without it, there is a haunting fear of death on Wall Street and its counterparts. Many firms are in a precarious position, and some deaths and a few mergers seem imminent.

Sixty-eight New York Stock Exchange firms are under surveillance because of finances. The Securities Investor Protection Corp. is liquidating 87 other firms, although only one is a member of the Big Board.

Even some of the larger houses that are well capitalized and not in any fear of extinction are bleeding badly. Paine, Webber, Jackson & Curtis this week reported a one-quarter loss of $1.25 million. Shearson, Hamill and others are laying off help.

If there is a scapegoat, it is the investor. If only those investors who stormed brokers a few years ago would return to the market there would be enough commissions for both the weak and the strong.

And so the solution is to raise commissions in an attempt to save both the weak and strong.

This technique, free enterprises believe, is what drives buyers away.

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Select words meaning the opposite of the words above the squares, arranging the letters in the two words to form a new word which means:

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Answer to Previous Puzzle
Opposite words: REEL and SAP.
MIXER word: RELAPSE.

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Junior Editors' Quiz on THE CHAMOIS



QUESTION: *What is a chamois?*

ANSWER: The chamois is a shy, horned animal classed among the goat-antelopes. It lives in the high mountains of Europe and western Asia and is noted for its keen sense of smell and its swiftness.

The chamois is about 30 inches high at the shoulder and weighs about 65 pounds. It is about the size of a goat, but looks more like an antelope. It is reddish brown with black horns and tail. The horns are about 6 or 7 inches long, grow straight upward and curve backward with a hook at the tip. Chamois travel in herds of about 10 to 15 animals.

This animal is hunted for its flesh and for its skin which is a valuable, soft leather. The chamois skins or shammies are used in cleaning glass, and have other commercial uses. Chamois are hard to capture because they are sure-footed rock climbers and can easily leap across a wide ravine. Most shammies sold now are really sheep skin. Chamois do not thrive in captivity and are rarely seen in zoos.

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

Time To Check Sanity Level

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) — Did it ever occur to you that you may not be neurotic after all?

Have you ever had the sturdiness of mind to think that the rest of the world may be mad — but that you aren't?

Well, in the distraught and fouled-up world we live in, it is important now and then for everyone to check his relative sanity level and to compare it with his peers.

Here is a simple way for you to find out. Simply answer the following questions:

Are you storing away an unnecessary amount of things to meet a possible shortage? For example do you have 15 rolls of toilet paper or 25 shopping bags taking up space in your closet, when you couldn't possibly need more than a third that many at any one time?

Now that Communists are acceptable socially, at least internationally, do you look under your bed at night for something else to be afraid of like, say, muggers?

Can you remember the exact year and place that you last saw a live bluebird?

If you had an apartment overlooking the patio of a friend and peeked down one afternoon and saw your friend's wife welcoming erotic advances from a strange man, would you (1) spray the couple below with a kettle of cold water; (2) phone your friend at his office; (3) call the police emergency and report a theft in progress, or (4) just keep right on peeking?

Suppose you had to borrow $250 in a hurry. Could you get it from a friend, or would you have to go to a loan company?

If the FBI or any other investigative agency checked three of your neighbors about your character, how many of those neighbors do you suppose would report the incident to you? All three? Two? One? None?

Do you know of more than two people on earth that you would willingly trade places with?

If you are a man, would you rather be a woman; or, if you're a woman, would you rather be a male chauvinst pig?

Are you tired of coping?

What does the sight of a rainbow do to you that the sound of a hit rock 'n' roll record doesn't?

Do you really feel that youth is wasted on the young?

Is there one thing in the world you don't have that would make you truly happy if you had it? Two things?

Has reading this article so far made you wonder about yourself?

Well, that's the quiz? Now let's check your box score.

Actually, the only important question was the last one. If you can still wonder about yourself, you're as normal as a man can expect to be.

But if you think you know the answer to everything, there's no doubt who's mad. It isn't the world. It's you.

Decree Issued

AMMAN, Jordan (AP) — King Hussein of Jordan has issued a decree regarding the sale of land to Israel under which the closing costs would include the life of the seller.

A palace announcement Monday said sale of land in the occupied west bank was "treason punishable by death."

A three-man court was set up by the decree. It would oversee a ban on such sales. The court could seize movable and immovable assets of violators.

Four Men Held

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Federal authorities in Del Rio held four Houston men a day after the First National Bank of Brackettville was robbed of an undetermined amount of cash.

The FBI here said Clarence Pinson, 36; Sandra Edwards Sneed, 22; James E. Fields, 46, and Willie Lee Adams appeared before U.S. Magistrate William P. Wallace in Del Rio.

According to the FBI, the Brackettville bank was robbed Tuesday by bandits who entered with pistols. Arrests were made in Uvalde, the FBI said.

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4. Poke
7. Nick Charles' dog
11. Rolled tea
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14. Chest sounds
16. Imitation
17. Fetish
18. Crested bird
19. Cleaning implement
20. Advantage
22. Gentlemen
23. Man's nickname
24. Energy
25. Adept
26. Gamble
27. Hawk parrot
28. Digraph
30. Biblical character
32. Wild horse
34. Alternatives
35. Kitty
36. Gigantic
37. Shooting star
39. Finch
40. Wedlock
42. Ampersand
43. Lily plant
44. Smoked salmon
45. Ocean

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1. Secretacy
2. Umbrageous
3. Beauty shop
4. Gravy in France
5. Wire service
6. Baa
7. Astern
8. Thwart
9. Warmth
10. Animal fat
13. Arctic
15. Football team
18. Conrad hero
21. Proper
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"That was a close call! If this rain hadn't come, I'd be cutting my lawn now!"

Cowboys Lose More Strays

By ANDY LIPPMAN
Associated Press Sports Writer

One thing the Dallas Cowboys are not at this stage of their pre-season is one happy family.

The latest person to stray out of the Cowboy family circle was center Dave Manders, who Tuesday announced his retirement after contract negotiations with Tex Schramm, Cowboys' general manager, fell through.

Manders had been one of three players absent from the Cowboy football training camp—quarterback Craig Morton and defensive tackle Bob Lilly were also missing and subject to fines.

According to his wife Ann, Lilly is planning a press conference for today to discuss his future with the Cowboys. He earlier flew back to Dallas from the Cowboy camp after deciding not to report until Cowboy management "gets things straightened out."

Dallas has been contacted by several clubs, including Green Bay, about Morton, who wants his contract renegotiated and who left camp Monday.

Defensive tackle Jethro Pugh and cornerback Charlie Waters remained the only unsigned members of the team.

While the players were unhappy in the Dallas camp, Washington Redskin Coach George Allen wasn't exactly ecstatic Tuesday about the absence of Larry Brown, his star running back from training camp.

Allen, who said he did not appreciate anyone not beginning preparation for the 1973 season, said Brown would be fined $300 a day for every day he misses practice.

Brown's attorney has issued a statement that Brown had some "important personal matters" and would join the team shortly.

Defending NFL champions, the Miami Dolphins announced the signing of wide receiver Ron Sellers, acquired during the off-season from the Dallas Cowboys. The Dolphins are preparing to meet the College All-Stars July 27 in Chicago.

The Houston Oilers held their first complete workout Tuesday, but Coach Bill Peterson noted that linebacker Bill Stincic, wide receiver Billy Parks, and defensive tackle Ed Lothamer had not reported and there was a good possibility they were retiring.

Offensive guard Willie Banks was sidelined at the New England training camp by a hairline fracture of a small bone in the right leg.

Club officials said Banks may be able to work out again by next week.

Fred Sturt, an offensive guard from Bowling Green State, signed his contract with St. Louis, which Tuesday opened its camp for rookies, newly-acquired veterans, quarterbacks and receivers.

Tight end Kent Kramer, offensive tackle Steve Smith and defensive tackle Gary Pettigrew signed their contracts with the Philadelphia Eagles, while Buffalo announced it had acquired veteran defensive tackle Walt Barnes. The six-year NFL veteran was signed as a free agent.



MAN IN THOUGHT—Hank Aaron, superstar of the Atlanta Braves, sits alone in thought in the Braves dugout before the start of Monday night's game with the New York Mets. Aaron, chasing after the career home run record of Babe Ruth, might well reach the 700 mark by the All Star break next week. Aaron presently has 697 career home runs. Ruth's record is 714. (AP Wirephoto)

Snyder All-Stars Defeat C-City 4-3

The Snyder Little League All-Stars exhibited poise and genuine quality here Tuesday night as they defeated Colorado City 4-3 in seven innings. Throughout the contest they made plays that would do credit to the major leagues.

The Snyder Stars will now advance another step in the playoffs. They will travel to Ballinger Friday, where they will take on the Ballinger All-Stars at 7:30. Ballinger defeated the Colorado River All-Stars 10-8 Tuesday night.

The game last night was between two evenly-matched, well-coached teams. The Colorado City team showed good pitching and potential power at the plate. Rubén Garcia, the pitcher gave up seven hits, but he struck out 12 batters. He was a strong pitcher and showed no real signs of tiring as the game went on.

However, it was the combination of timely hitting, good pitching and outstanding fielding that enabled the Snyder All-Stars to gain the victory. Zane Sterling went all the way on the mound, scattering five hits and walking only one, while striking out five. Mitch Mackey led the offense with two runs and three hits, including two doubles, Gerald Snyder had two hits: one of them a double.

The Snyderites started off as though they would make a rout of it, scoring three runs in the top of the first. They had become the "visiting" team on the flip of a coin. After one out, Mitch Mackey and Zane Sterling reached base on errors, and Richard Crayton walked to fill the sacks. Gerald Snyder then doubled to drive in all three runners. This was all of the scoring for the locals until the extra inning, although they threatened in the 3rd, 5th and 6th frames.

The C-City Stars tied it up with three runs in the 4th when they combined two hits, a walk and two errors. Sterling bore down, however, in the clutch, and prevented them from taking the lead.

In the extra frame, Sid Everton [illegible] reached third before being caught in a run-down between third and home. Mackey got on base on a single, and after working his way around to third he came home on a passed ball, scoring on a close play.

The game was a thriller all the way, and those who were unable to be there missed a real treat. Fans of both teams are able to be proud of their all-stars for the effort and ability shown during the contest.

SNYDER	AB	R	H
Everton, ss	4	0	1
Mackey, lf	4	2	3
Sterling, p	4	1	0
Crayton, c	3	1	1
Snyder, 1b	3	0	2
Hammond, 2b	3	0	0
M. Davis, 3b	3	0	0
Roemisch, rf	2	0	0
Sullenger, rf	1	0	0
Vincent, cf	1	0	0
Woolridge, lf	1	0	0
TOTALS	29	4	7

C-CITY	AB	R	H
Moore, lf	2	0	1
Russell, lf	1	0	0
Jordan, 3b	4	0	1
R. Garcia, p	4	0	1
J. Garcia, 1b	4	1	1
Parker, c	3	1	0
Shoemaker, rf	1	0	0
Clayton, rf	3	0	1
Stubblefield, cf	2	1	0
Carter, 2b	3	0	0
Proctor, ss	3	0	0
TOTALS	28	3	5
SNYDER	300	000	1-4
C-CITY	000	300	0-3

Fry Names Weaver Assistant Director

DENTON, Tex. (AP) — Dewitt T. Weaver, veteran coach and athletic administrator, has been named assistant director of athletics at North Texas State University.

Hayden Fry, athletic director and head football coach, said Monday that Weaver would begin his duties immediately.

Weaver, 61, formerly served as commissioner of the Missouri Valley Conference and as athletic director and head football coach at Texas Tech from 1951 to 1960. He then entered private business.

UCLA has won 75 straight college basketball games and seven straight NCAA titles.

Flames Lose To Lubbock

The Snyder Flames lost to the Lubbock Bandits 8-5 in a softball game played in Lubbock Tuesday night. After giving up six big runs in the 5th, Snyder came back in the 7th to put on a rally that fell short after 4 runs were scored.

[illegible] attack with 3 base hits. Jan Kruse, Sue Jane Sullivan and Janice Riley had two hits each, and Rhonda Teel had one.

The Flames will enter the State Softball Tournament in Stephenville Friday night. Their first contest will be against the Waco Texans at 8:30. The Texans placed second in the state last year. Mabel Powell will start on the mound for the Flames. Albert Lewis is the team manager.

Golf ball covers are made from Gutta-percha, tough latex substance of certain Malaysian trees.

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Oilers Exhibit Soccer Kicker

KERRVILLE, Tex. (AP) — The latest entry in the European soccer invasion into American football demonstrated for the first time here Tuesday and looked like a winner.

Finn Seeman, 28, the Norwegian import for the Houston Oilers, banged through nine out of ten efforts from inside midfield in his first turnout in a National Football League uniform.

Two 40-yarders, for example, were kicked not from the hashmarks but from the sidelines. And for a finale, the Oslo native teed up for a kickoff and sent the American football 86 yards in the air.

"My leg's a bit tired," apologized Seeman for his lone miss.

"The field goal," said Seeman, who stands one meter, 81 centimeters. "I find it easy. Only one thing I find hard—getting the helmet off my head."

Just five weeks ago Seeman had never kicked an American football. Oiler owner Bud Adams, on a European tour, signed the soccer professional.

It isn't all strange, though. He has played soccer in the Astrodome once before. "It not good place to play soccer," he said. "But kicking? It will be fine, like grass on field."

At practice Tuesday Seeman attempted to follow his new teammates in calisthenics, but gave up. He also didn't participate in weight lifting.

"I no do this," he said, lifting an imaginary barbell. "I kick with foot, not shoulders."

Just for fun during kicking practice, he smacked through a 20-yarder leftfooted.

But what about when he has 11 hefty players rushing at him when he kicks?

"I know pressure in professional soccer," he replied. "I just try my best. I kick the ball fast and accurate."

From 40 yards or less, Seeman needs to take only one step before connecting with the ball.

His coach, Bob Kap, predicted, "In three months, Finn will be kicking the ball 20 yards more than Toni Fritsch. By then, this country, this game, won't be strange to him."

Fritsch, an Austrian, led Dallas in scoring last season with 99 points which included all 36 extra points and 21 field goals—seven at least 40 yards long.

"Finn is a professional soccer player, not an amateur like some kickers," Kap said. "There is an enormous difference. Finn has played before 80,000 people. He's played in Barcelona, Madrid and Rio."

170 Stations To Air Cowboy Games

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — More than 170 radio stations in the Southwest will carry the 20 Dallas Cowboy football games, including six preseason contests this fall.

A spokesman for the Texas State Network, which will distribute the broadcasts, said all the major Texas cities will be covered. Also included will be stations in Tennessee, Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Arizona and Mississippi.

Manning the microphone for KRLD will be Frank Gleiber, Verne Lundquist and Al Wisk.

Marilynn Smith is the only member of the Ladies Professional Golf Association to have finished 72 holes in every USGA Women's Open for 20 consecutive years, 1953-1972.

Bullets Shut Out Oilers 1-0

The Bullets edged out the Oilers 1-0 in Junior Teenage action in Towle Park Tuesday night. It was a pitchers' battle all the way between Phil Robinson of the Oilers and Charles Hammond of the Bullets. Robinson, who was charged with the loss, scattered five hits and struck out seven batters, while Hammond gave up only two hits, both singles.

The first three innings were scoreless, although the Bullets threatened mildly in the second. After two outs, Dane Witherspoon singled, and Johnny Valesquez and Jeff Reed walked to fill the bases. However, the inning ended with no scoring allowed.

The lone run came in the 4th. Kyle Sikes doubled, and then scored on Hammond's single. The nearest threat by the Oilers was in the 6th when Robby Moore got on base on an error and reached third before the inning ended.

OILERS	AB	R	H
C. Cobb, ss	3	0	0
Gee, c	3	0	0
Robinson, p	3	0	0
Beard, 1b	2	0	1
Buchanan, 2b	3	0	0
Preston, cf	2	0	0
Reese, 3b	1	0	0
Moore, lf	2	0	1
Wolf, rf	2	0	0
T. Cobb, rf	0	0	0
Holliday	0	0	0
TOTALS	21	0	2

BULLETS	AB	R	H
Lewis, lf	3	0	1
D. Sikes, 3b	3	0	0
Crow, ss	3	0	0
K. Sikes, 2b	3	1	1
Witherspoon, c	2	0	0
Hammond, p	3	0	2
D. Witherspoon, 1b	3	0	1
Valesquez, cf	1	0	0
Reed, rf	1	0	0
Franks, rf	1	0	0
TOTALS	23	1	5

Lee And Gary Head Golfers

By BOB GREEN
Associated Press Golf Writer

ST. LOUIS (AP) — South African Gary Player begins his second assault on America's bulging golf purses and Lee Trevino is on hand to defend his title in the rich St. Louis Children's Hospital Golf Classic.

The 72-hole event, with a purse increased from $150,000 to a whopping $210,000, begins Thursday on the 6,544-yard, par 70 Norwood Hills Country Club course.

Some of the game's outstanding stars are taking a week off following the British Open championship, but the big purse has lured a strong field, topped by Player and Trevino.

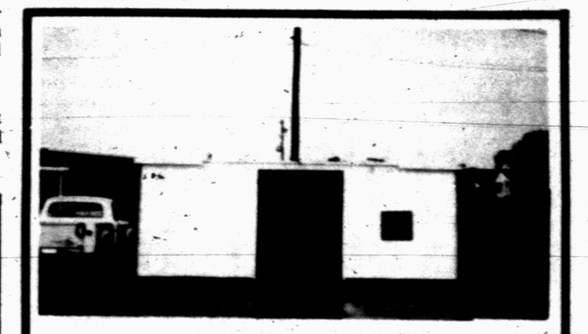
Both had disappointing performances in the British Open but both still rank among the game's greatest gate attractions.

Although Player and Trevino rank among the top choices for the $42,000 first prize, there is plenty of strong opposition in the field of 147.

Among their chief opponents are Australian Bruce Crampton, the season's leading money winner with more than $200,000, and little Deane Beman.

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Disclosure Of Secret Sorties Brings Charges

WASHINGTON (AP) — Pentagon disclosure of more than 4,000 secret bombing sorties in Cambodia in 1969 and early 1970 has provoked charges that administration officials "deliberately lied" to the Senate Armed Service Committee.

Sen. Harold E. Hughes, D-Iowa, said Tuesday that still classified reports of Indochina air operations furnished for the committee in 1971 and early 1973 show "a long list of zeroes" for B52 bombing in Cambodia for every month up to May 1970.

"They deliberately lied to the Committee," Hughes told newsmen after the "very major campaign" was disclosed by Pentagon spokesman Jerry W. Friedheim.

Hughes said Sen. Stuart Symington, D-Mo., acting chairman of the committee, has agreed to call administration officials under oath "to tell us precisely what happened in these bombing operations and falsification of reports, who ordered them and how they were conducted."

"This revelation of deliberate deception in official information requested for the Armed Services Committee brings to a head the most fundamental issue of all-civilian control of the government as provided for by the Constitution," Hughes said.

The Pentagon admitted the secret bombing for the first time Monday, after former Air Force Major Hal M. Knight told the committee that he helped carry out secret raids against North Vietnamese sanctuaries in Cambodia in March and April 1970. He said that he obeyed orders to burn documentary evidence and falsify reports.

Secretary of Defense James R. Schlesinger told the committee in a letter that the bombing missions in Cambodia were "fully authorized" and that special security precautions surrounded them because of a sensitive operational and diplomatic situation.

The United States at the time of the raids was professing publicly to be observing the neutrality of the Cambodian government under Prince Norodom Sihanouk, who was deposed early in 1970.

After the Lon Nol group took over the Cambodian government, U.S. and South Vietnamese ground troops were sent into Cambodia to clean out North Vietnamese sanctuaries.

Friedheim said Tuesday that U.S. B52s ran "hundreds of sorties" into Cambodia during the 14 months from March 1969 through April 1970. He acknowledged that this information was omitted from a statistical report to Congress.

Pentagon sources said later that the number of B52 sorties were up to 4,000.

Quiz On Exotic Jobs

Career Corner

by Joyce Lain Kennedy

what job would you like to see explored in this column?



Dear Joyce: I was wondering if you could give a list of jobs that are unusual, not run of the mill. -- T.J., Fullerton, Calif.

Dora Evers and Dr. S. Norman Feingold have written a book for people who don't want to feel locked into standard jobs but want to know more about careers that are not familiar in the popular sense. In "Your Future in Exotic Occupations," the authors say that offbeat jobs are estimated to account for about 4 percent of all jobs in the U.S.

There's an interesting quiz in the book, designed to test your knowledge of exotic jobs. Here's an edited version of that quiz -- why not see how well you can do?

1. Dance therapy is an ancient profession. True or False?

2. More than 100 pages are serving today in the U.S. Congress. T F

3. In Florida, treasure hunters have to be licensed. T F

4. An apiarist is not a beekeeper. T F

5. Sandhogs may earn from $75-100 or more per day. T F

6. The minimum appropriate educational requirement for the environmentalist technician is an associate degree in environmental health, radiologic technology, or related areas. T F

7. Approximately 3,000 persons are involved in the field of biomedical engineering. T F

8. Rodeo cowboys come from all walks of life, including those who are college graduates and successful businessmen. T F

9. An ichthyologist is a fish expert. T F

10. Walking 15 miles a day while training a guide dog (for the blind) is a usual routine for instructors who work for the Seeing Eye, Inc. T F

11. Career opportunities for Customs agents will probably decline in the decade ahead. T F

12. More than 25 universities offer training for mobility and orientation instructors (they teach the blind to move around). T F

13. As a field of scholarship, coin collecting offers a large number of jobs in museums and libraries. T F

14. An entomologist is not an expert on insects. T F

15. Most young magicians learn their art from older, established magicians. T F

16. More than 15 colleges and universities offer a course in music therapy. T F

17. The doll artist and doll repairperson are fast-disappearing specialists. T F

18. The U.S. Forest Service uses many college students as smokejumpers. T F

19. Nearly all department stores in the U.S. have personnel who work in the security department. T F

20. Kathy Kusner, champion rider, had to bring her case to court to obtain a license as a jockey. T F

21. There are increasing opportunities for a career in diamond cutting. T F

22. Most auctioneers are college trained. T F

23. A taxidermist works outdoors most of the time. T F

24. Only a very few programs train young men to become jockeys. T F

25. Workers in the field of prosthetics -- the art and science of making artificial limbs -- are highly skilled people. T F

ANSWERS: 1-F; 2-F; 3-T; 4-F; 5-T; 6-T; 7-T; 8-T; 9-T; 10-T; 11-F; 12-F; 13-F; 14-F; 15-T; 16-F; 17-F; 18-T; 19-T; 20-T; 21-F; 22-F; 23-F; 24-T; 25-T.

SCORING: 0-9 try harder; 10-14 average; 15-19 good; 20-25 excellent.

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Notice is hereby given that the final meeting for 1973 of the BOARD OF EQUALIZATION FOR THE CITY OF SNYDER, TEXAS will meet at the City Hall between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, August 1, 1973.

(s) L.E. Griffin
Secretary Board of Equalization of the City of Snyder.

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Coastal Agrees To State Takeover Of Subsidiary

HOUSTON (AP) — Coastal States Gas Corp., whose inability to deliver natural gas has brought power shortages to Austin add San Antonio and a suit by Pennzoil Pipeline Co., agreed Tuesday to a state takeover of its intrastate subsidiary, Lo-Vaca Gathering Co.

Lo-Vaca, Coastal State's natural gas gathering unit, was named in a suit filed Monday by the Texas Railroad Commission in 200th District Court at Austin.

Under the settlement, the existing board of directors of Lo-Vaca will resign, Coastal States said, and an independent board will be appointed by the court. All of Lo-Vaca's revenues, after deduction of debt service and expenses, will be used for the acquisition of additional gas supplies.

"Coastal has agreed with the commission on a plan for future operations of Lo-Vaca calling for maximum effort to increase its gas supply," the announcement said.

The Austin court will appoint an independent party to assist in selecting directors, the announcement said, and that person will then serve as liaison between the board, the court and the Railroad Commission.

"The plan gives Coastal States the right to appoint two non-voting representatives, one from its finance department and one from its operations department, who will be entitled to attend all meetings of the Lo-Vaca board," Coastal said.

"These representatives will serve to coordinate Lo-Vaca's activities with those of Coastal States and its other subsidiaries."

Texas Atty. Gen. John Hill filed the suit for the commission, which charged that Lo-Vaca is unable under present conditions to meet gas requirements of its customers and that the firm has been unable to apportion natural gas available fairly among its customers.

In a suit filed last month, Pennzoil Pipeline accused Coastal States and its subsidiary with failure to make its best effort to buy new sources of natural gas, while at the same time making spot sales to other gas users, even though a shortage existed.

The Monday suit also accused Lo-Vaca of discrimination in the allocation of gas supply and that Lo-Vaca's ability to function as a gas utility has been impaired.

Coastal States denied in Tuesday's announcement that Lo-Vaca has discriminated in its allocation of natural gas.

Insiders Blamed For Hikes

WASHINGTON (AP) — A former governor of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange said Tuesday that insiders manipulating the commodity futures market are a major cause of high food prices.

The recent surge in soybean prices from $3.31 a bushel to $12.90 could not have occurred without the operation of a handful of commercial houses, Harry H. Fortes told a House Judiciary subcommittee studying food prices. He suggested the Justice Department examine the futures market for possible antitrust violations.

"It is my opinion that the last $5 or $6 of the increase in the July soybeans was the result of the manipulative practices," said Fortes, who left the exchange in 1970 and is now a Chicago attorney specializing in the trading of agricultural products.

The Chicago Mercantile Exchange trades mainly in cattle, hogs, pork bellies and shell eggs. Grain futures are traded on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Fortes said the increases in grain prices following the Russian export deal also were made worse by manipulators. Antitrust action to halt grain trading at the time could have saved U.S. consumers hundreds of millions of dollars, he said.

Fortes described trading in futures, in which the actual commodities are rarely delivered, as "unique and esoteric," and only a few firms and individuals understand the operation.



CHECK PRESENTED—Paul Sizemore, left, secretary of the Snyder Shrine Club, presents a $500 check to Gene Williams, director of the summer recreation program for exceptional children. At right is Jim Simpson, director of the Shrine Circus, the club's major fund-raising attraction. The program for exceptional children concluded Friday for this season. The Shrine Club has been a leading supporter of the program.

Shriners Support Summer Program

The Snyder Shrine Club has contributed $500 to the summer recreation program for exceptional children.

The program, which ended Friday night, lasted six weeks. The funds contributed by the Shriners came from the Shrine Circus receipts. The local Shrine Club already has made arrangements for the circus to appear here again next Nov. 8, when two performances will be presented in the Scurry County Coliseum.

The summer recreation program was directed by Gene Williams and Greg Nelson, and assistant directors were Gelene Williams and Bubba Stephens. Members of the TARS organization served as counselors.

Some 25 persons were members of the program and they range in age from 5 to 35. They met at the Humble-Smith School and special activities included swimming, bowling, softball, arts and crafts, picnics and field trips. They made a trip to Albany and another to the Colorado City State Park.

The Shriners have been the leading supporting organization of the program.

"This is made possible through the people supporting the circus with advertisements," said Jim Simpson, director of the Shrine Circus, who, with Paul Sizemore, secretary of the Snyder Shrine Club, presented the $500 to Gene Williams.

Snyderites In Music Camp

AMARILLO—Three young musicians from Snyder are currently attending the 21st West Texas Instrumental Music camp being held on the West Texas State University campus.

They are Marissa Austin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garth Austin, Kathy English, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.B. English, and Jan McPherson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.M. McPherson.

"Interest and enthusiasm is really high this year since the ceiling for camp enrollment was reached May 1," said Dr. George Umberson, camp director. "This is the earliest date we have ever closed the camp."

Regarded as one of the largest camps of its kind in the nation, the camp features band, orchestra and baton instruction along with private lessons.

One Well Logged

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Only one wildcat gas well was drilled in Texas during the first half of July, the Texas Railroad Commission reported Tuesday.

The well was drilled in the San Antonio no. 2 district.

That raised the total of wildcat gas wells drilled this year to 185, or 41 more than at this time a year ago.

Eight wildcat oil wells were drilled from July 1 through July 15, the commission said, raising the total for the year to 112, or 10 fewer than a year ago.

The new oil wildcats included two in the Midland district and one in each of the Corpus Christi, Kilgore no. 6, Abilene, Lubbock, Wichita Falls and San Antonio no. 2 districts.

The commission reported 171 oil wells were completed July 1-15, raising the total for the year to 2,324, or 355 fewer than the same time a year ago. Fifty-four gas wells were completed for a yearly total of 1,232, or 238 more than a year ago.

A total of 356 wells were plugged, including 88 dry holes.

The commission also said Texas' average calendar day oil allowable as of July 15 was 4,027,058 barrels, an increase of 16,133 from July 1.

Fireman Back

HOUSTON (AP) — A city fireman suspended five days for refusing to get a hair cut was back on the job Monday, still unshorn.

Glenn Rossman, 21, refused to get the hair cut ordered by Fire Capt. G. E. Gaddis, Rossman's lawyer, Leon Hirsch, said Monday.

Acting Fire Chief J. M. Honea said at the time of the suspension he did not object to long hair, but that it interferes with the wearing of gas masks and other safety equipment.

Honea said Monday he had seen Rossman's hair and "it looked like he had trimmed it up a little bit and had something on it to hold it down."

Texans Win Powder Puff Derby

ELMIRA, N.Y. (AP) — Two Texans who beat the arrival deadline with scant minutes to spare are the apparent winners of the 27th Powder Puff Derby, a women's transcontinental air race.

Marian Burke of San Antonio, an airline transport-rated veteran of 15 previous derbies, and copilot Ruth Hildebrand of Houston topped the preliminary point list released Tuesday. The 2,542-mile race began Friday in Carlsbad, Calif., and carried a $5,000 first prize.

The Burke-Hildebrand team and pilots of 97 other light airplanes in the competition were given unofficial placings that were to be confirmed or changed after a debriefing session this morning. The entrants were given a chance to lodge protests and challenges.

Mrs. Burke's Cessna 182 passed the finish line at the Chemung County Airport moments before the 6 p.m. Monday arrival deadline and after three overnight stops en route.

By contrast, the second-place team of Helen Wilke of Dallas, Tex., and Kathy Long of Irving, Tex., was the first to finish, arriving in a Beechcraft Bonanza Saturday night.

Scoring was by a complicated formula in which each plane was handicapped according to engine size and its elapsed time in the air. Thus, the first and fastest airplanes were not guaranteed to win.

Tuesday's figures gave third to Virginia Wegener and Lynn Cary of Santa Rosa, Calif., who flew a twin-engine Cessna 337; fourth to Trina Jerish of Costa Mesa, Calif., solo in a Bonanza, and fifth to Mary Krautkramer of Bristol, Wis., and Patricia Friedman of Highland Park, Ill., in a Messerschmitt Monsum.

Texas Skies Are Cloudy

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Weather experts credited a ridge of high pressure from the Gulf of Mexico into West Texas and New Mexico for bringing more rain today in some often dry areas.

Occasionally heavy thunderstorms were mixed with scattered showers from the Panhandle-Plains sector southward through Southwest Texas and across the state line to the west.

Skies were cloudy over most other parts of Texas except for occasional clear areas along the coast and in the east and central sections.

Forecasts called for little change through Thursday.

Early morning temperatures ranged from 65 degrees at Midland in West Texas up to 81 at Galveston on the coast. Tuesday afternoon's top marks went as high as 96 at Mineral Wells and El Paso, thanks to showers, was the coolest spot with a maximum of 82.

El Salvador, smallest Central American Republic, is also one of the most prosperous and best developed.

Refugee Gypsies Not Gone Yet

By SUSAN EVERLY
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Four jet-age gypsies who flew the Atlantic five times in five days were ordered "excluded and deported from the United States" Tuesday — but they won't be leaving the country yet.

"We're not going to yo-yo them again," said District Director Sol Marks of the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service.

"They're excludable, but they're not going anywhere," said J. Michael Greenberg, attorney for the four, as he led them laughing and singing from the immigration hearing.

The case has attracted worldwide attention and, among others, Tampa, Fla., attorney Paul Kickliter has offered to help.

"The whole thing touched my heartstrings," he said, offering the family a home. "It just so happens that I have a home in nearby Land O'Lakes on a lake and a big orange grove."

Whether the gypsies, Jan and Helena Hornjak, daughter Agatha, 4, and brother-in-law Robert Kolompar, 20, will accept this offer was not known.

They have been living with cousins in Queens.

The four fled Communist-ruled Poland with stolen passports and have been refused entry to Italy and the United States.

Before any attempt to deport them, the immigration service said, they will be given a chance to apply for asylum as political refugees here on the grounds that they would be persecuted if returned to Poland.

Kolompar said they faced 10- to 15-year prison terms for leaving Poland illegally.

Marks said not until the refugee status had been determined would the department try to make arrangements, if their requests should fail, to settle them, first in Italy and then in Poland.



ENLISTS—Danny Joe Elder, son of Mr. and Mrs. L.F. Elder, 2801 Avenue M, enlisted recently in the U.S. Army and has gone to Fort Polk, La., for his basic training.

Mrs. Getty Awaits Ranson Instruction

ROME (AP) — The mother of J. Paul Getty III says she is waiting for ransom instructions from her son's kidnapers after receiving a letter from the 16-year-old saying he was in good condition and wanted the ransom paid.

Mrs. Getty, the divorced wife of a son of oil billionaire J. Paul Getty, said on Tuesday that she was now convinced her missing son had been kidnaped and that the kidnapers had been in touch with her.

"We have asked the police not to interfere, and we are now asking the press to help us," she said. "We want them to carry the message that the contact has been made and the family is ready."

In London, the boy's grandfather said he would not pay the ransom. Getty said he loved the boy but payment of ransom "only encourages kidnapers."

Mrs. Getty said the abductors did not specify a ransom figure in their contact Tuesday afternoon.

Later Tuesday, she received the letter from her son through Martine and Marie Zacher, German twins who are close friends of the youth. Police said the letter was mailed to the girls' home although it was intended for the boy's family.

Martine told police she was certain the handwriting was Paul's.

The postmark on the envelope was illegible, police said.

Known in the Italian press as the "golden hippie" because of the circles he frequented in Rome, young Getty was last seen on the night of July 9 leaving a Rome discotheque and then talking with a Belgian girl at the Piazza Navona.

His mother, the fomer actress Gail Harris, returned home two days later from her country home and was told by an anonymous telephone caller that Paul had been kidnaped and a ransom demand would be made later.

Police launched a nationwide hunt for the youth. But until Mrs. Getty's report Tuesday, there had been doubt that he had been kidnaped. He often had disappeared for several days at a time.

Letters To Editor

To The Daily News:

William E. Borah in a speech in the U.S. Senate said, "The marvel of history is the patience with which men and women submit to burdens unnecessarily laid upon them by their governments." Mohandas K. Gandhi said, "I can retain neither respect nor affection for a government which has been moving from wrong to wrong in order to defend its immorality." Isaiah said, "I have seen the wicked in great power and spreading himself like the green bay tree. Yet he passeth away and lo, he was not." And speaking of freedom, no man is wholly free. He is a slave to wealth or to fortune, or the laws or the people restrain him from acting according to his will alone.

We can all hear the chains of freedom rattling. This has ever been and always will be. The greatest lesson the people on this earth learn is from hunger. They want prosperity.

Go to the ant, you sluggard; consider her ways and be wise," say the Proverbs. Notice the quote "her ways." Every ant you see is a virgin female. Samuel says, "He that ruleth over men must be just." Confucius said, "Heaven gives a long life to the just and the intelligent." St. Augustine said, "The second a man dies he is set free from time." This being so, three seconds or three million years as we know time would be the same. If this is true, no man would be dead 30 seconds before the Resurrection as he is completely out of time. Fifty-six men signed the Declaration of Independence. The youngest was 26, the oldest 63. Thirty-nine men signed the Constitution of the U.S. The youngest was 26, the oldest 81. Man is the glory and the shame of the universe.

Conservative government is an organized hypocrisy. We have had 37 presidents since George Washington, not counting the seven who tried to be president before Washington. The first Democrat elected was Andrew Jackson. Three were Federalists, three Democrat Republicans one of which was Thomas Jefferson, one National Republican, 13 Democrats, four Whigs, 13 Republicans. It is estimated by the year 2000 the population of this earth will be 242,000,000,000 with 238 bilion dead and 14 billion living. All of these people could have been buried in one third of Texas. The average person lives approximately 25,000 days. He sleeps one third of these days, works less than one third and he has the rest of these days for his own leisure, barring sickness or accident. He goes to church a combined total of less than 350 days and no one is so old but what he thinks he can live one more year, and nothing astonishes men so much as common sense and plain dealing.

Bill Wright

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To The Daily News:

Here I go again. Why is everybody so unhappy and discontented? People have more and waste more in this country than anywhere in the world. Nobody is satisfied with his salary even though he gets two 1-hour coffee breaks a day.

No farmer is happy about the prices of what he sells, plus his farmers welfare check which in some cases is enormous. Money don't mean anything to him. Rather than wash his pickup, he will just go get him a new one.

I heard one welfare artist belly-aching because Mr. Nixon didn't raise his SS check more than he did, like Mr. Nixon passed that law.

But we just might as well waste whatever we got because when it gets to our Capitols and these give away boys get at it, it is gone away.

Our public debts now are so enormous that mathematicians don't have the answer. No wonder the American dollar falls in value every day. The way things are going in this country, it is just another Babylon.

Hub Cole

Apply For New Banks

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — The State Department of Banking said Tuesday that applications for charters of new state banks had been received from the following:

New Smiley State Bank, Smiley, proposed capital $50,000.

New Community State Bank, Runge, proposed capital $50,000.

New Farmers State Bank & Trust Co. Cuero, proposed capital $75,000.

South Capital Bank, Houston, proposed capital $300,000.

New Home State Bank, Westhoff, proposed capital $50,000.

New Victoria Bank and Trust Co., Victoria, proposed capital $200,000.

No hearing dates were set.

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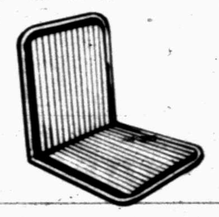
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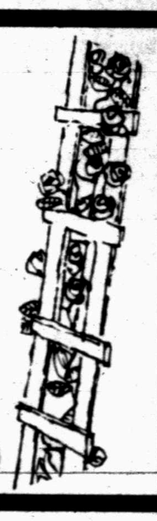
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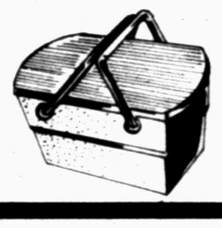
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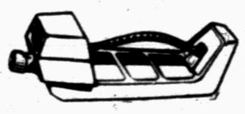
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