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Hotel fire kills one

DALLAS (AP) — One man died and two others were injured as a four-alarm fire raced through an aging Dallas hotel early today.

Firefighters were called to the two-story Bower Hotel just east of downtown about 1:30 a.m. Flames leaped 30 to 40 feet above the brick hotel until the blaze was extinguished shortly after 3 a.m. The fire, believed to have started in a resident's room, eluded firefighters by spreading through a false attic.

Dallas County Assistant Medical Examiner Lawrence McMurtry pronounced resident Charlie Joblonski, 60, dead at the scene.

McMurtry said Joblonski fell from a second-floor window from which he had been hanging. He said he believed the cause of death was smoke inhalation, but said Joblonski could have died from the fall.

Another resident, 62-year-old Billy Lacey, remained hospitalized in critical condition suffering from smoke inhalation.

A fireman, who was not identified, fell about 15 feet from a ladder. He was hospitalized in serious condition for treatment of smoke inhalation.

Police said a bystander was arrested for disorderly conduct during the blaze.

Louis "Skipper" Millius, a paramedic, was one of the first to arrive at the scene.

"There were two guys hanging out the window," one of which was Joblonski, Millius said.

Hotel residents said Joblonski, who was known as "Charlie Brown," was asleep in his room and could not be roused when the fire was first noticed.

"It smelled like a barbecue," said Russell Raynard Harper, 24, who had lived in the hotel since June. "I thought it was a space heater, but before I got to the fire exit I found out I had to kick out a window to get out."

"This is just an idea," he said, "but a couple of days ago I put out a cigarette out in a room above the entrance with two garbage cans in it. I'll bet the same thing happened tonight."

Don Whitten, a police tactical officer who was among the first on the scene, said he burned a hole through his shoes trying to get into the hotel.

"This one is pretty bad," he said.

Resident Louise Morgan said she was going to bed when she "looked up and saw smoke pouring in. I went to the window and screamed, but no one heard me. So I went down the fire escape."

"My cat's up there," she said. "I left the door open, but I guess he got burned up."

Ms. Morgan, who identified Joblonski's body, said he worked in a nearby clothing store.

Firemen said a bar on the first floor of the building caught fire in 1978, but that no one was hurt.



HOTEL FIRE KILLS ONE. Firemen working from a snorkel train their water into burning rooms of an aging Dallas hotel earlier this morning. The four-alarm blaze destroyed the hotel, killing one person and injuring three others.

(AP Photo)

OCAW may return to work

DENVER (AP) — Rank-and-file members of the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International Union

have begun voting on a tentative contract agreement which, if approved, could put refinery workers back on the

job this week and bring an end to the longest walkout in the union's history.

OCAW's National Oil Bargaining Policy Committee accepted Monday a two-year contract offer from Gulf Oil Corp. and a similar proposal from Cities Service Oil Co. Ratification votes by local union members subsequently were scheduled, and union officials were confident of approval.

OCAW president Robert F. Goss said the settlement "is expected to set a pattern for the rest of the industry to follow."

Union spokesman Jerry Archuleta said some ratification votes were set for Monday and Tuesday.

In Anacortes, Wash., union officials announced that Texaco Inc. has made a contract offer similar to Gulf's.

Jess Long, a spokesman for Texaco, said the offer was "very close in most respects" to the Gulf offer, with small variations in medical benefits.

Spokesmen for the OCAW local in Anacortes also said they planned to meet with Shell Oil Co. today to discuss an offer from that company.

Another offer from Cities Service in Lake Charles, La., has led to a return to work by 400 strikers there who have agreed to discuss the proposal.

And in Norco, La., spokesman Peter Fisher said the OCAW's tentative acceptance of

contract proposals by Cities Service and Gulf has sparked a new offer at the Shell Oil Co. refinery.

The agreement with Gulf, effective until Jan. 7, 1982, provides for wage increases of 52 cents an hour above the \$9.55 industry-wide average in the first year, in addition to a 5 percent wage increase that was previously negotiated. In the second year, workers would receive a 10.5 percent pay boost.

Gulf also offered increases in its health-care package, a dental plan and an extra week of vacation for longterm employees.

The tentative contract affects about 3,500 Gulf employees in Port Arthur, Texas; Santa Fe Springs, Calif.; and Toledo and Cleveland, Ohio, along with about 1,500 Cities Service workers in Lake Charles, La.

The Denver-based union previously had settled with 20 smaller companies — affecting about 3,000 workers — but there had been no agreement with the larger companies, which traditionally are trend-setters for the rest of the industry.

Goss admitted OCAW fell short of its goal of a fully paid health-care package.

"We did not get full hospitalization and medical coverage, and I'm very disappointed in that," he said.

"But I think you have to realize this was the longest strike in the

history of our union, and working people in our economic environment can only take so much. We thought we had to settle."

He said that because of "high productivity by refinery workers, this settlement will not have any inflationary impact on the economy and will not result in higher prices for the consumer."

About 55,000 workers still are idled by the strike which began Jan. 8 at the domestic refineries owned by more than 100 oil companies. The industry said when the strike began that it could run the highly automated refineries almost indefinitely with non-union workers, and there has been no significant drop in output.

The union negotiated a two-year contract with the industry in January 1979 that raised wages 8 percent. The second year of that pact called for a 5 percent wage increase along with a wage reopener clause. The strike came after six weeks of renewed talks.

DENVER (AP) — The first members of the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International Union have returned to work under a tentative contract agreement with two major oil companies that could serve as a model for other settlements in a two-month refinery strike, the longest in the union's history.

Pampa plumber downs one gallon of peppers

By DEBORAH BRIDGES
Of The Pampa News

Pampa's pepper-eating plumber has done it again!

He's broken his own world-record of eating the most jalapeno peppers in the shortest amount of time and has attracted national attention as a result.

This time, instead of a table of a local restaurant with 75 Pampanos watching, 29-year-old Ron Farmer ate 115 peppers in 16.8 seconds spurred by hundreds of cheering, clapping, shouting fans from all over the United States in the lounge of the Sam's Town Hotel Casino in Las Vegas, Saturday night.

Members of the media witnessing the event included the Pampa News, representatives of the Las Vegas Sun, the National Enquirer and the NBC affiliate in Vegas. His feat was spoken about on Paul Harvey's News and Comments and featured on Amarillo's KAMR newscast, Monday.

Backed by a local band, the Wells Fargo Express — playing the Orange Blossom Special — the tall, burly man sat down to the mound of the green jalapenos.

The table tipped to the right, spilling some of them, when he began his first assault. Valuable time was taken as he bent over to pick up the fallen peppers.

Stuffing the peppers in his mouth, he chewed and swallowed, chewed and swallowed.

With effort, he forced the fiery jalapenos from the dwindling pile into his mouth. Halfway through, he flashed a thumbs-up sign to a friend in the audience and continued the assault.

The audience was in a frenzy, clapping and yelling in an attempt to support the determined

man. The bartender was standing on the bar clapping and yelling for Farmer. Others were standing on the table in their enthusiasm.

Several times the bearded plumber stopped, swallowing to keep the peppers down. Concerned paramedics hovered behind the red-faced man.

Finally, with the band playing at break-neck speed, Farmer — nicknamed Pepper Belly by his friends — downed the last of the peppers. The crowd roared as he turned and fled down the back steps. The announcer told the crowd, he had broken his previous record of 100 in 14.19 seconds by eating 115 in 16.8 seconds — a new world's record.

Farmer's blood pressure was over 200 when the paramedics examined him afterwards. The plumber was given a medication to help him bring up the gallon of jalapenos he had just ingested.

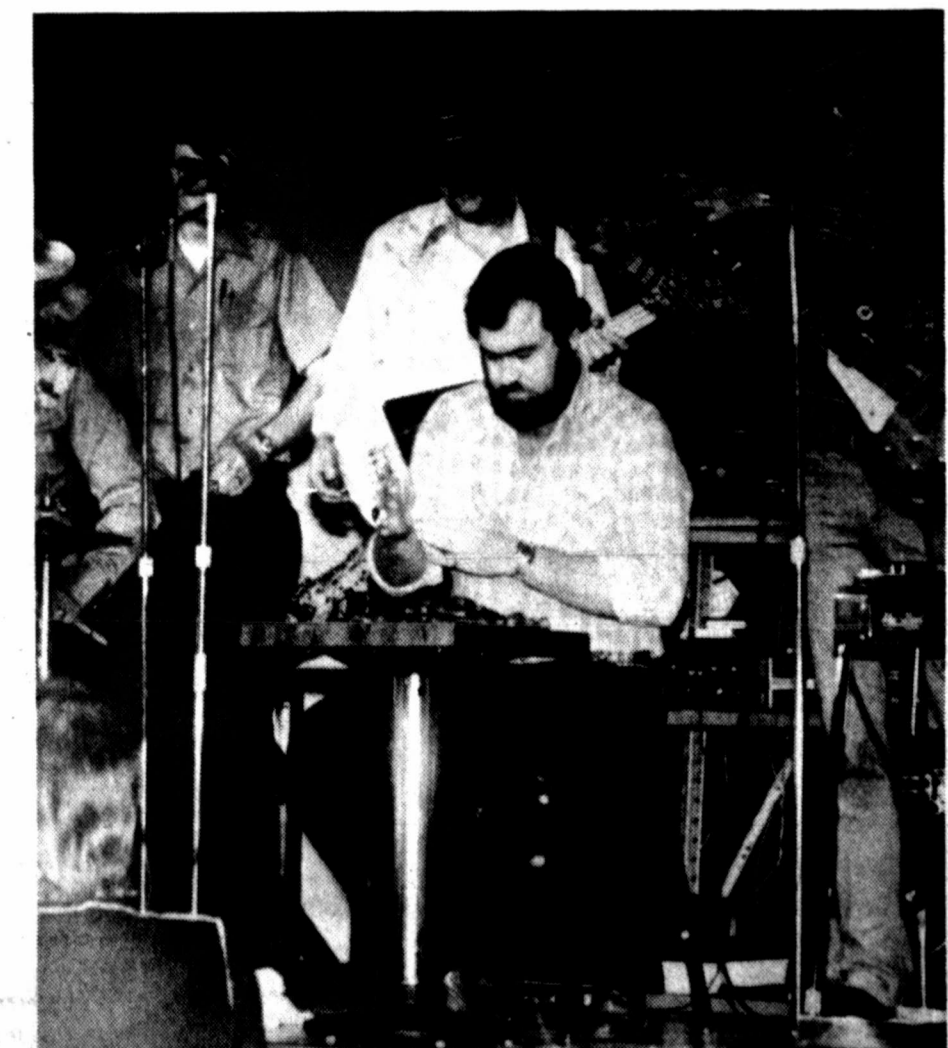
Later, weak and in pain, he returned to the stage to accept a trophy from Gary LaMasters of Sam's Town.

Commenting on how he felt, Farmer said, "I feel like I just gave birth to a 12-pound pepper." His throat is burning, he also said.

"I couldn't have done it without everybody yelling," he said. The country music spurred him on, he also commented.

His next — and possibly last — attempt to eat 110 (or he may try 115 again) in 10 minutes is scheduled for Ceaser's World in Atlantic City, New Jersey in the near future. The plumber may also eat the hot peppers for the muscular dystrophy telethon in Las Vegas, he said.

The latest record breaker will appear in the 1981 Guinness Book of World Records. His first accomplishment will be in the 1980 edition of the record book.



PAMPA'S PEPPER-POPPING PLUMBER. Ron Farmer wipes his hands as he prepares for his record-breaking assault on the pile of the hot jalapenos. Cheered on by hundreds in Las Vegas, he broke his first record by eating 115 jalapenos in 16.8 seconds. The Wells Fargo Express, a local band, provided more moral support by playing backup during the course of his feat.

(Photo by Deborah Bridges)

City slates emergency paving meet

A special called meeting of the city commission is scheduled for Thursday at 9:30 a.m. concerning a resolution calling for a bond election on proposed city road improvements.

City engineers have prepared a street improvement program for various segments of roads in the city. City Manager Mack Wofford said recently.

The capital improvement proposal deals with the elimination of rough intersections, drainage problems and the re-surfacing of streets, he said.

The large scale program, he said, "will be almost impossible for us to fund with our current financial structure."

Commissioners have been reviewing the suggestions of the engineers for several weeks, Wofford said.

"It is reasonably certain," he said, "that we're looking at several million dollars."

Full details of the program and the amount of money to be involved will be disclosed in Thursday's meeting.

Weather

It will be cloudy and warmer today, with increased cloudiness and warmer tonight, becoming mostly cloudy and warmer on Wednesday. There will be a 20 percent chance of rain today and a 30 percent chance of rain on Wednesday.

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OFF TO NATIONAL! Debi Wilkinson, left, Lisa Schaub, center, and Nickita Kadingo hold first place trophies they won at the DECA State Career Development Conference in Houston. The Pampa DECA chapter again took first in Chapter of the Year competition, Chapter Free Enterprise Project competition and Creative Marketing competition and won a \$100 prize from Phillips Petroleum. The three young ladies now will represent their chapter at national competition in Miami Beach, Fla., in June.

(Photo by Larry Cross)

Services tomorrow

WENDELL, Odessa Lee — 2 p.m., Carmichael Whatley Colonial Chapel.
HENDRICK, Percy N. — 11 a.m., Shamrock Cemetery.

deaths and funerals

PERCY N. HENDRICK

SHAMROCK — Services for Mr. Percy N. Hendrick, 46, of Houston, will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday in the Shamrock Cemetery with the Rev. Jim Scott, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements are by Richerson Funeral Home.

Mr. Hendrick was born in Shamrock, he had lived in Houston since 1939. He was in the U.S. Marine Corp., and was a heavy equipment operator for Sam Bond Construction Company. He married Rhonda J. Henderson in 1973 in Shamrock. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Rhonda Gail Hendrick and Mrs. Vickie Lynn Ferguson, both of Houston; his father R.E. Hendrick of Wheeler; one brother, Dink Hendrick of Houston; his grandmother, Mrs. W.H. Buice of Shamrock, and four grandchildren.

police report

Ray Dudley of Ray Dudley Motor Company, 123 S. Cuyler, reported an unknown subject shot the drivers window on a 1976 Ford pickup. Object used was possibly a BB gun.

The Western Motel of 821 E. Frederic reported someone left without paying for a room.

Marilyn Agan reported someone shot a hole in her picture window valued at \$200.

The Pampa Police Department responded to 21 calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

minor accidents

No minor accidents were reported to the Pampa Police Department during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

city briefs

LOST: FEMALE Irish Setter, Classes. For more information contact Mary Grange, 665-3257. (Adv.)

BEGINNERS SEWING Morning and evening classes. (Adv.)

fire report

8:25 p.m. — A smoke scare at 510 W. Francis was reported to firemen. Food left on the stove was the cause. No damages were reported.

stock market

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler Evans of Pampa:		
Wheat	3.58	17 1/2
Milo	3.85	42 1/2
Barley	3.85	84 1/2
Corn	4.45	26 1/2
Soybeans	5.07	75 1/2
The following quotations show the range within which these securities could have been traded at the time of compilation:		
Ky. Cent. Life	18 1/2 - 19	67 1/2
Southland Financial	12 1/2 - 13	22
So. West Life	35 1/2 - 36 1/2	43 1/2
The following 10-30 N.Y. stock market quotations are furnished by the Pampa office of Schneider Bernet Hickman, Inc.		
Western Union	48 1/2	50
N.Y. futures Silver	25.00	

RTA hears physician

In a fitting St. Patrick's Day meeting, the Retired Teachers Association of Pampa enjoyed a talk presented by Dr. Frank Kelly of Amarillo.

Dr. Kelly, a well known Amarillo figure, has 15 published medical papers to his credit and at present is a consultant to the Department of Energy on Industrial and Occupational Medical investigation, an Associate Clinical Professor at Texas Tech., and appears regularly on Amarillo television.

"If you're light goes out, strike another match," Dr. Kelly advised the group at the Pampa Senior Citizen's Center.

Dr. Kelly told the group, "age is just what you make of it, try to make it something." Dr. Kelly appeared wearing a green tie and talked to the stylish audience, several of whom were attired in green.

"There is no such thing as a disease of older people, age alone does not cause certain diseases," Dr. Kelly explained to the group. "You may only be more vulnerable."

"Cope and adjust to all the things that seem to change around you," he added.

"The change may be to the environment, to the housing situation, to family life, to the educational opportunities and to the recreational opportunities in one's life."

Stress, according to Dr. Kelly may be overstated. "Did the cavemen not have stress, the pioneers? Perhaps some stress is good for man. It may help to keep you alive, vibrant and curious."

"The key to living for tomorrow lies in the struggle, and not in the retreat," Dr. Kelly cautioned the group. His realism and optimism for the older age groups provided to the Retired Teachers Association an interesting and worthwhile hour.

daily report

Admissions

Mabel Emmert, 1300 Dalhart, Wellington
Timothy Keith Miller, 709 E. 14th

Rudolph C. Taylor, 621 N. Dwight

Janell Ann Dunnam, 2234 N. Nelson

Frankie Lee Lemons, 601 S. Gray

Laurence Frances Brown, 864 S. Faulkner

Lena Jean Miller, 609 Red Deer

Jeffery Don Tidwell, 404 N. Christy

James Briscoe, 109 Lowry

Mamie Stapleton, 211 E. Gillespie

Sandy Dawn Brister, 2600 Navajo

Bobbie Jean Floriada, 521 Montague, No. 2

Naomi Odom, 2119 Christine

Kenneth Jackson, 1040 Varnon Dr.

Wendell Honeycutt, 732 N. Dwight

Jimmie Davis, 717 Sloan

Glenda Turner, 1220 McCullough

John Walton, 405 N. Dwight

Leo D. Cotham, Box 214

Carmen Landry, 803A N. Nelson

Dismissals

J.L. Marcum, Box 2236

Clyde Durham, 1189 Prairie

Peggy Rodriguez, 403 N. Banks

Estell Everson, 624 Lowry

John T. Dawes, 513 Sloan

Mary Jane Baten, 2228 Dogwood

Brenda Glover, Box 405, Miami

Susan Graham, Rt. 1, Box 43, Miami

Madeline Dunn, 1817 Lynn

Dorothy Duniver, Rt. 1, Box 22, McLean

Brenda Kite, St. Rt. 4, Box 8

Jimmie Morse, 341 S. Finley

Josephine Willis, 1004 Neel Rd.

Sadie Maul, 705 N. Christy

Nancy Barbee, 512 Lefors

Births

A boy to Mr. and Mrs.

Arthur Ray Milton, 729 S. Ballard

A boy to Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Dunn, 2234 N. Nelson

NORTH PLAINS HOSPITAL

Admissions

Mildred Dempsey, Borger

Jimmy Kellogg, Borger

Steven Crawford, Borger

Steven Crawford Jr., Borger

Larry Mayberry, Borger

Frankie Bagsby, Pampa

Cecile Paulson, Borger

Brenda Bennett, Borger

Francis Bentley, Borger

Burna Hurby, Stinnett

Martin Gonzales, Borger

J. M. Cooper, Borger

Charles Williams, Borger

Cecil Chaney, Borger

James Landers, Quanah

Homero Malacara, Cactus

Sandra Hilton, Borger

Dismissals

Retta Stewart, Borger

Aline Huff, Fritch

Rose Ritchie, Borger

Shellie Stewart, Borger

James Burrus, Borger

Joshua Roby, Borger

Janet Moore, Fritch

Leonard Woodruff, Amarillo

Janet Bridges, Borger

Brandy Gattis, Borger

Robert Baldwin, Borger

Births

A girl to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bennett, Borger

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL

Admissions

Misty Clemmer, Shamrock

Peggy Neely, Wellington

D. C. Morgan, Shamrock

Martha Chandler, Wellington

Margaret Goodwin, Wheeler

Estelle Hill, Shamrock

Dismissals

Carl Phillips, Shamrock

Ruth Amerson, Shamrock

Zora Rust, Shamrock

Lola Sloth, Shamrock

GROOM HOSPITAL

Admissions

Wanda Anderson, Amarillo

Cheryl Roles, Amarillo

Debbie Reed, Amarillo

Dismissals

Cora Rogers, Panhandle

Ballot places drawn

The Gray County Republican Executive Committee met Tuesday to draw for candidate places on the ballot in contested races.

The candidate names on the Presidential ballot will be Reagan first, Bush second.

For the Railroad Commission, the name of E.W. (Billy) Kidd, will be placed first, John Thomas Henderson, second, and Henry C. (Hank) Grover, third.

There will be two items on the referendum:

1) Under the jurisdiction of a judge, the state police should be able to use electronic surveillance methods such as wire tapping in the case of suspected drug dealer investigations.

2) Texas should have initiative and referendum, a way for the public to vote directly on the issues and make laws in elections rather than depending on the State Legislature.

The county convention will be held Saturday, May 10, at Stephen F. Austin School.

The Pampa area precinct conventions will be held at 7:30 p.m., May 3, at the Stephen F. Austin School.

There will be a Lefors precinct convention for precincts 1-4-5 Lefors, McLean, and Allamreed, to be held May 3, at 7:30 in the N. Main Lefors Fire Station.

Complete count committee

A complete count committee for the 1980 census has been appointed by Mayor H.R. Thompson Jr. today.

Named to the committee were Art Aftergut, chairman; N. Dudley Steele, D.V. Biggers, Carl English, Glendene Shelton and Dona Cornutt.

Eminent psychologist dies

LOCARNO, Switzerland (AP) — Erich Fromm, the eminent German-born American authority on psychology, died today of heart failure, family sources said. He would have been 80 on Sunday.

Fromm felt Western man was a product of his culture and that he became estranged from himself in industrial society. His key concern was how man could come to terms with his isolation, insignificance and doubt about the meaning of life.

Fromm died at his home in suburban Muralto where he

had settled in the late 1960s. He is survived by his third wife, Annie Freeman Fromm.

Fromm was rated as one of the world's leading figures in the psychoanalytic movement, and was an often-cited proponent of "alternative" lifestyles.

Among his pioneering works were "Psychoanalysis and Religion," "Healthy Society" and "The Art of Loving."

A native of Frankfurt, Fromm emigrated to the United States when Adolf Hitler launched his

anti-Jewish campaign following the 1933 Nazi takeover in Germany.

He lectured at several American universities, including Columbia, Yale and New York University and for several years was professor at the National University of Mexico.

His other famous works included "The Forgotten Language," "The Sane Society," "Sigmund Freud's Mission," "The Dogma of Christ and Other Essays on Religion, Psychology and Culture," "The Heart of Man," "Revolution of Hope," "Social Character in a Mexican Village," "The Anatomy of Human Destructiveness," and "To Have or To Be."



Kidnap victim search includes East Texas

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — A local bank and two banking organizations have offered a reward of \$25,000 in an effort to gather information in the kidnapping of an 88-year-old woman.

An FBI spokesman said Monday there was no progress to report in the abduction of Ella Shelton of The Village, an Oklahoma City suburb. A search is being concentrated in the Denton, Texas, area, where the ransom money was dropped.

Fidelity Bank is offering \$10,000 and two banking organizations, the Oklahoma Banking Association and the Central Oklahoma Clearing House Association, put up an additional \$15,000 for information in the case.

"It's a good reward and we're hoping we get something out of it," said FBI spokesman John Warren. "I think we'll probably get more telephone calls and more people interested. If someone's involved in the fringe of the kidnapping, it might be an incentive for them to come forward with some information."

Edmond Pistey, special agent in charge of the FBI in Oklahoma, said the abductor had been last heard from Thursday evening when the victim's daughter, Jewell C. Shelton, a Fidelity Bank vice president, delivered \$25,000 near the North Texas State University golf course in Denton.

He said the man, who escaped before converging officers could close in, gave Miss Shelton no indication where her mother could be found.

"We had a number of leads both in Oklahoma and Texas," Pistey said, but added that none had developed sufficiently to lead investigators toward a solution. He said there was no evidence to indicate the kidnapper had left the two-state area.

Pistey said investigators are considering the idea that Mrs. Shelton had been abducted by someone who knew her and knew that her daughter was a bank vice president. At the same time, he said, agents have not rejected the possibility the kidnapping was not planned, but was the outgrowth of a burglary.

Miss Shelton received a telephone call sometime after 10 a.m. Thursday indicating her mother had been abducted. The caller demanded a ransom of \$25,000 for her mother's safe release.

Sources said the ransom money was delivered to a young man with bushy sideburns driving a Chevrolet sport pickup.

A composite drawing of a man who may have picked up the ransom was released by the FBI Saturday afternoon. The man is described as being white, 20-30 years of age, with a dark complexion and dark hair down to the middle of his neck.

Store conducts seminar

Over 200 Allsup's employees attended a shortage control seminar in Clovis, New Mexico recently, which dealt with merchandise shortage and effective methods to control it.

Jack Henry, nationally known expert in convenience store security, was the featured speaker.

Area store employees were Bill Adams, manager of Allsups, 140 S. Starkweather; Chris Constable, manager of Allsups, 309 Hobart; Gloria Rogers, manager of Allsups, 1900 Hobart; Marilyn Searl, manager of Allsups, 1025 W. Wilks; Patrick Wright, manager of Allsups, 201 E. Brown; Judy Cain, manager of Allsups, 859 E. Frederick; and Pampa supervisor, Ken Hankins.

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By The Associated Press

Clear skies and warmer temperatures dominated the Texas weather scene today.

Forecasts called for clear skies and warmer temperatures in northern and western sections of the state and for clear skies and cool temperatures in the southern half.

Highs were to be mostly in the 60s with readings in the Big Bend area of Southeast Texas expected to reach the 70s.

Some high clouds were reported from over the Lower Rio Grande Valley to the coastal plains early today, but the rest of the state had clear skies and cold temperatures.

Early morning temperatures were in the 20s and 30s in western and northern sections and in the 40s and 50s along the coast. Extremes ranged from 19 at Marfa and 24 at Junction to 59 at Brownsville.

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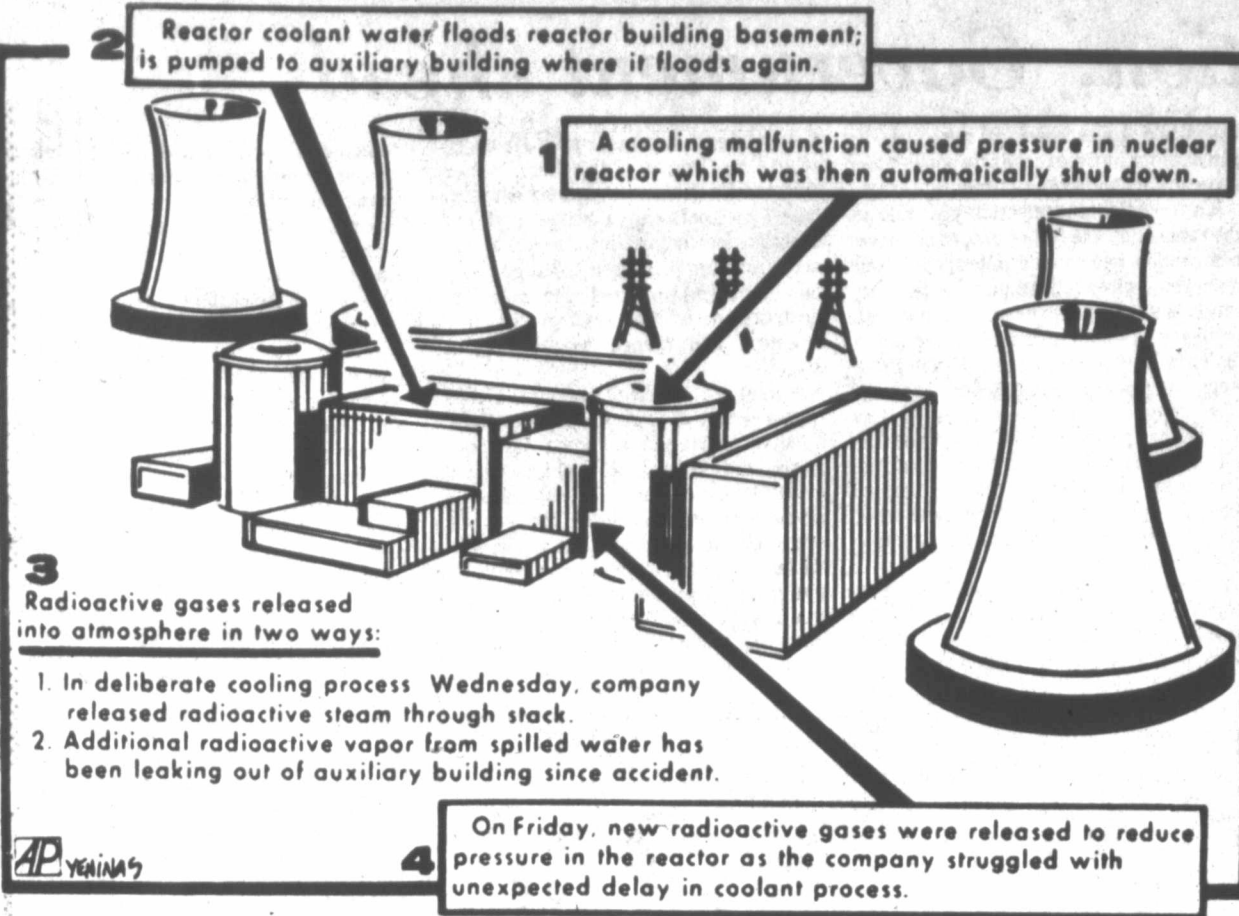
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Three Mile Island today

EDITOR'S NOTE — The giant nuclear reactor at Three Mile Island split atoms in seemingly perfect technological harmony in the early hours of March 28, 1979. Then something went wrong. This second of a four-part series — "TMI Plus One" — looks at what happened and what is happening today at Three Mile Island. By **RAUL CARPENTER Associated Press Writer**

MIDDLETOWN, Pa. (AP) — "On brother, it's a car with six steering wheels and seven sets of brakes," said Jack Herbin, Three Mile Island plant superintendent, in June 1975.

The plant had so many extra emergency cooling systems and controls the reactors could never overheat, Herbin told The Associated Press then. Not even sabotage, he said, could dent the plant's fail-safe invulnerability.

But a little less than four years later, Herbin found himself trying to explain to hundreds of reporters the worst accident in the history of U.S. civilian nuclear power.

Just after 4 a.m. on March 28, 1979, a chain of mechanical breakdowns and human errors began that quickly turned the engineering marvel and its 100 tons of uranium fuel into a chaotic and dangerous mess.

Three Mile Island's renegade reactor was one of two used to generate nearly 1.7 million kilowatts of electricity at the facility. It first sustained a nuclear reaction exactly one year to the hour before the accident.

On March 28, it had been in commercial operation for a scant three months. Its sister reactor had been shut down for refueling and was scheduled to restart that day. Both reactors remain shut down.

The accident began as workmen performed maintenance on something called an air fluffing line near the plant's turbine generator.

A mishap in the line caused the turbine to shut down, and that triggered a reactor scram, slamming 69 control rods into place to shut down the nuclear fission process.

At this point it was a minor incident. Then something went wrong. Reactor cooling water gushed through a stuck valve atop a 24-inch line, and the plant's Magnit Line of backup cooling systems was rendered nearly useless by control room mistakes.

The valve had opened to relieve a normal pressure increase. Operators were unaware for hours that it had failed to close, as it spilled tons of precious coolant. They turned off emergency pumps that were adding more water.

Without enough coolant, the reactor furiously overheated and its core began to crumble. The spilled water flooded the basements of the reactor building and an adjacent auxiliary building, resulting in radiation releases.

Alarms wailed. Computers printed question marks. A maze of instruments spouted misleading information. And the four operators in the control room were forced to deal with an accident they had not been trained for.

An NRC report said the reactor came within 30 to 60 minutes of a potentially catastrophic meltdown.

Despite the dangers, it was hours before anyone on the outside knew there had been an accident, and days before they began to know of the accident's seriousness.

Gov. Dick Thornburgh advised pregnant women and pre-school children within five miles of the plant to leave the area. It was 11 days before he suggested they come back.

Thousands of other jittery residents followed them. The NRC estimated 144,000 residents living within 15 miles temporarily fled.

While overwhelming concern focused on the radiation that leaked from the plant, state and federal experts and company officials agreed that the maximum accumulated offsite dose was equivalent to no more than a couple of chest x-rays.

They also agree that the real danger was — and still is — in the potential for a meltdown or in the large amounts of contaminated material still trapped in the plant.

The Kemeny Commission, a blue-ribbon panel appointed by President Carter, said the top health hazard was psychological — based on fears that the nuclear genie would burst from its concrete bottle.

At first, Metropolitan Edison, the plant's operator, had assured everyone there was no cause for alarm, an optimistic stance that cost the utility its credibility.

One year later, Met Ed is in deep financial trouble and is fighting for survival. The state Public Utility Commission has ordered the utility to show why it should continue to exist.

Met Ed has also embarked on a planned four-year, \$400 million cleanup project, \$300 million of which is covered by insurance.

The Kemeny Commission says the costs, including replacement of lost generating capacity, will be somewhere between \$1 billion and \$2 billion.

Deadly amounts of radiation remain trapped inside TMI's megalithic reactor containment building. Especially worrisome is the 600,000 gallons of water that spilled from the cooling systems.

And the mangled reactor represents a formidable radiation hazard. No one will know how much of a mess the ruined reactor core is until its steel container is opened years from now.

Lately, there have been indications of new dangers from the plant's owners and the NRC.

The reactor core is kept cool with water flowing through systems that have been exposed to dampness and corrosion for a year.

Some of the control rods in the reactor may be melted. It is possible that the only thing keeping the 100 tons of uranium fuel from self-sustaining fission is the boron added to the water.

Of immediate concern is the presence radioactive krypton gas in the air of the containment building. The NRC staff has agreed with a Met Ed proposal to vent it under controlled circumstances into the air. The NRC will make its final recommendation on April 8.

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Moral standard at Baylor in stand-off with Playboy

WACO, Texas (AP) — Playboy photographer David Chan brought an armed guard to town this week, along with an offer to help any Baylor University coed expelled for posing for the magazine.

Chan said he had been planning to bring the guard for several weeks, after Playboy's plans to photograph coeds — in the buff and otherwise — aroused a furor at the Southern Baptist university. The guard carries a .45-caliber pistol, and is "more than adequate at the moment to take care of anything that will happen," Playboy spokesman Dan Sheridan said Monday.

The only threat so far came early Monday in the form of a "welcome to Waco" telephone call, Sheridan said.

Sheridan said he offered to meet with Baylor President Abner McCall, who threatened to expel any student who posed for the Playboy pictorial essay, "Girls of the Southwest Conference."

"What I'm suggesting is that it's silly and unnecessary that students should get hurt by the university," Sheridan said. "I certainly respect Dr. McCall. I respect his religious convictions. And I think there ought to be a way for reasonable people to sit down and find some common sense solution so the kids won't get hurt."

Sheridan said McCall "is aware of my suggestion," but that he had not heard from him.

McCall said he had not heard from Playboy, and furthermore, he had "nothing to meet with them about."

Playboy also is offering to help any student who is kicked out. "We'd provide legal counsel and we'd try to assist them in getting to another university," Sheridan said.

Chan, who planned to stay in Waco through the week, said he photographed one of four applicants Monday and had received numerous calls for appointments. He said he expected a larger turnout later in the week.

Sheridan said he was turned down by two businesses before he found a site for the Monday afternoon press conference. He said the business owners felt they would be hurt because of Baylor's power in the local community.

"We did not come here to challenge anyone, to fight anyone or to antagonize anyone. David just wants to do his job," Sheridan said.

Baylor, the largest Southern Baptist university in the world, erupted in controversy when McCall issued his expulsion warning. The student newspaper published an editorial advocating free choice in the Playboy matter. McCall imposed editorial guidelines, and three editors of The Lariat were fired two weeks ago when they protested the guidelines.

Clayton refuses the Fifth

By **ROB WOOD Associated Press Writer**
HOUSTON (AP) — Texas House Speaker Bill Clayton, after more than six hours of testimony Monday before a federal grand jury investigating an alleged insurance kickback scheme, will be back today for more questioning.

Clayton, on the advice of his attorneys, dodged newsmen before his appearance Monday and then declined to answer any questions after he left the all-day session.

A central figure in the FBI Brilab operation, Clayton has acknowledged he accepted \$5,000 from labor leader L.G. Moore in the presence of FBI informant Joseph Hauser.

But, Clayton insisted he thought the money was a campaign contribution and planned to return it to Moore.

Roy Minton, one of Clayton's lawyers, said the stack of \$100 bills had been brought to Houston and would be given to the grand jury on its request.

The federal panel, along with Clayton, listened to at least three tapes of conversations involving the speaker, Moore and Hauser.

Minton said the tapes were played before the grand jury with the House speaker listening, then answering questions.

One tape involved a telephone conversation Jan. 15 of this year between Moore and Clayton.

Another was made during a Nov. 8 meeting in Austin when Clayton, Moore and Hauser discussed the state employees \$70 million insurance policy.

Minton said his client was answering all questions and had not at anytime taken the 5th Amendment.

"And the grand jury is asking him about everything," Minton answered. "Hell no."

Asked if there was a possible criminal case against Clayton, Minton answered, "Hell no."

Then asked why the speaker was spending so much time before the grand jury, Minton answered, "In 20 years I have never understood why a prosecutor fools around with something and tries to make it a criminal case when nobody else does."

Minton said Clayton may have a statement after his grand jury appearance, "but I think to say anything now would be in bad taste. We don't want a federal judge to say we are before a grand jury and playing up to the press."

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Tanker crewman changes story

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — A witness has changed his story and told investigators a pilot smelled of liquor hours before the oil tanker he was guiding into Tampa Bay collided with a Coast Guard cutter, killing 23 seamen.

Russell P. Snyder, former assistant station manager for the Tampa Bay Pilots Association, made a surprise appearance Monday before a marine board of inquiry investigating the Jan. 28 accident.

Snyder said he smelled alcohol during a conversation with pilot H. Eugene Knight that afternoon, but could not tell if Knight was intoxicated.

Without mentioning names, Snyder also criticized the pilots who guide ships in and out of Tampa Bay and the port.

TMI warning system updated

HARRISBURG, Pa. (AP) — Federal officials say they have plenty of equipment to warn of high radiation leaks from Three Mile Island, but they are now ready to install machines to check on extremely small releases as well.

The additional equipment will be used in case the damaged nuclear power plant's operators are allowed to go ahead with plans to vent small amounts of krypton 85 gas from their

reactor containment building.

Stephen Gage, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's research and development chief, told a press conference Monday that sensitive new monitors would be used largely to keep the public better informed about the venting.

"New additions to EPA's current monitoring plans will allow us to obtain a comprehensive picture of environmental levels of krypton 85 venting from

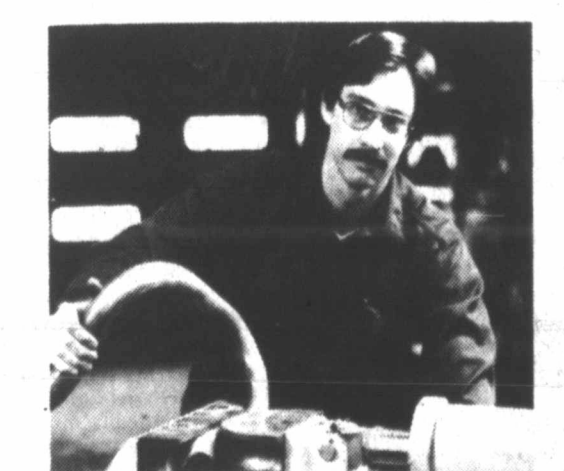
Three Mile Island," he said. "We'd be more than doubling the size of the staff here," Gage said, adding that the present four-member staff would be increased to perhaps 10.

The krypton releases would be too small to measure with ordinary monitors, plant officials have said. They say the radiation dose from the venting would be less than that involved in living in a brick house for three days.

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OPINION PAGE

Nicaragua: Throwing money at foes

Last week the House of Representatives decided to provide the leftist government of Nicaragua with a hefty dose of U.S. dollars. It didn't matter that the clique that runs the Latin American nation has constantly vilified the United States since assuming power last year. Nicaraguans, in fact, might have received less if they'd been more amiable toward the United States. The same bill that granted the anti-American Nicaraguan regime \$75 million gave friendly little Honduras only \$5 million.

This action demonstrates again the nonsensical approach of most members of Congress. Their notion is particularly to spend - and if that doesn't work, spend some more. In this particular case, the so-called Revolutionary Government of Nicaragua is nearly a Cuban puppet. Since it took power thousands of Cuban advisers, who can't even run their own economy, have been scurrying all over the country laying the groundwork for a Cuban-Nicaraguan alliance. The members of Congress voting for the aid package obviously believe friendship can be purchased.

If modern history proves anything it is that friendship between nations cannot be purchased with foreign aid. The Russians gave the Egyptians billions and today Egypt is one of Russia's greatest foes in the Middle East. The United States gave Castro everything he needed to take over Cuba; everybody knows how that's turned out.

Buying the friendship of enemies has been even a greater failure. Hostile regimes are not impressed with sincere offers to stuff their pockets with cash. Instead pompous anti-Americans are further convinced that the United States is weak and degenerate when government tries to buy them off. What such money usually does is bolster the power of the anti-American leftists in the government the United States is trying to influence. This is precisely the case in Nicaragua: the granting of \$75 million will be seen as a victory for the anti-Americans. Not only is it a waste of money, but it will actually damage the best interests of this country.

The Nicaraguan aid vote was close - 202 to 197. Secret testimony in the House convinced 37 Democrats to defy party discipline and vote against the administration-backed measure. Unfortunately, Orange County's Jerry Patterson was not among those who voted against this worse-than-wasteful giveaway. Patterson was the only local congressman to vote for the appropriation. It is hard to tell whose interest he was looking out for, but it certainly was not his constituents'. And in this vote, Patterson could have made the important difference.

The latest CETA folly

There are millions of people struggling to get by on salaries of under \$10,000 per year. They work hard and try to stay out of debt; they barely scrape by but manage to pay their bills. The Register revealed last week that taxes taken from such people, as well as everybody else, are being used to pay convicts up to \$13,000. Who says crime doesn't pay?

The Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA) was intended to provide jobs that would train disadvantaged people desiring to improve their station in life. Demonstrating an absurdity that can only survive in the bureaucracy, a Labor Department spokesman told The Register that many prisoners are disadvantaged and accordingly fall within the description of those eligible for CETA funds. This legalistic and detached analysis has been a windfall for the dregs of society. Murderers, rapists, robbers and every other kind of antisocial criminal once captured and convicted, are eligible for room and board at \$2 per day plus a \$10,000 per year salary.

CETA funds for convicts deserves special recognition. Among a host of addebrained and imbecilic federal programs this one really stands out. Last year the federal government spent over \$2 million paying convicts to do CETA jobs. And these jobs were once expected as a condition of imprisonment.

Ironically, the convicts, beyond receiving their CETA salaries, are in a far superior position to keep their money than honest citizens - whose taxes pay for the CETA program. If an inmate makes \$10,000 from CETA and has a family on welfare, no attempt is made to secure his support of that family. In fact, no effort is made to see if the prisoners are even paying taxes on their CETA salaries. And, worst of all, no attempt is made to use the money earned by convicts on the CETA program to provide restitution to the convict's victims.

Rep. John Cavanaugh, D-Neb., learned about the program in 1978 and complained about it. The Labor Department did nothing, and the number of known inmates receiving CETA money increased from 27 to more than 170 the following year. And now the Labor Department claims they do not even know how many convicts are receiving CETA funds.

Cavanaugh is doing everything he can to cut the program and for this he should be applauded. These payments suggest there is no limit to the bureaucracy's need to spend the tax money at their disposal. The real crime is that taxpayers, many of whom are just barely getting by on meager incomes, are providing tax dollars for such folly.

By Charles D. Van Eaton, Ph.D.

"You have a demon theory of government, don't you?" That was the question asked me by a radio talk show host. It was a perfectly fair question. After all, I spend a great deal of time talking and writing about those policies of the Federal government which have, in my judgment, done more harm than good for the economic health and liberty of all citizens.

Of course, I would deny that I have a demon theory of government. I am, in my personal political philosophy, a limited-government libertarian. While not yet ready to move to the limits of those of my fellow libertarians who advocate the complete abolition of all government, I respect their views and find their arguments compelling. At this point I believe I am at the position occupied by Nobel Prize economists F.A. Hayek and Milton Friedman - the view which says

that while government is necessary its potential for harm exceeds its potential for good so that caution at all times is in order.

It's a presidential election year and all the candidates are full of proposals; never has caution been more appropriate. One man who aspires to lead us all to the glory land where government solves all problems is building his economic policy platform against inflation on mandatory wage and price controls. Sounds exciting! One congressional supporter of this candidate praised his statement as evidence of courage and leadership. The libertarian response is quite different: instead of joy there is the furrowed brow, the jutting jaw and the question, "Will it work?"

Dr. George G. Reisman of Pepperdine University in Los Angeles provides the answer. No, it won't work. Indeed, it cannot work. In his recently published book, "The

Government Against the Economy" (Caroline House Publishers, Ottawa, Illinois), Dr. Reisman carefully details the case: not only have wage and price controls not stopped inflation, they have actually raised prices; made us prey to the oil embargo; initiated the systematic destruction of the energy producing industry; and turned neighbor against neighbor.

A great deal has been said already about the perversity of wage and price controls in creating shortages, reducing supplies of goods and labor and weakening vital industries. Dr. Reisman's book deals with all these in scholarly detail. What is often overlooked in most discussions, however, is the tendency of price and wage controls to turn peaceful economic cooperation in the free environment of voluntary exchange into its opposite - the dog-eat-dog environment of a life boat culture where

hoarding is the rule and neighbor turns against neighbor regarding who is consuming more than his "fair share". Reisman deals with this tragic and unnecessary consequence of controls in an excellent manner.

People forget things they ought to remember. During the past seven years we have seen reports of people building their own personal storage tanks for gasoline; we have seen gasoline lines where fights and even deaths have occurred and ordinary quiet people have acted like wild animals fighting over a sparse morsel of food; thefts from gas pumps have accelerated to the point that in many places one must pay in advance for the gas pumped while the attendant sits watching from a protected cage; drivers on the freeway during rush periods note open lanes reserved for car pools while they, (who must use their cars throughout the day and cannot therefore pool), sit in the anger of a "me or them" rage. None of these existed before price controls created the present oil shortage. None of these things are God-ordained but are rather the natural consequence of bad policies - government, not private policies.

I recommend Dr. Reisman's book. After reading it one becomes less confident of government power for good and more cautious. In this day, after nearly a decade of disaster, scholarly caution is needed.

Today in history

By The Associated Press
Today is Tuesday, March 18, the 78th day of 1980. There are 288 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:
On March 18, 1776, Gen. George Washington and his revolutionary army took control of Boston after forcing out the British.

On this date:
In 1837, more than 400 people, most of them children, died in a gas explosion in a New London, Texas, school.

In 1959, Hawaii became the 50th state.

In 1965, a Soviet air force officer became the first man to walk in space.

In 1974, the Mideastern oil-producing states, except Libya and Syria, ended their oil embargo against the United States.

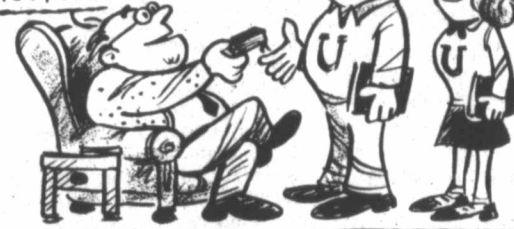
Ten years ago, Cambodia's Prince Norodom Sihanouk was deposed as chief of state while on a visit to Moscow.

Five years ago, the Supreme Court ruled that live stage shows are entitled to the same First Amendment protections as books and movies.

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Sunny California

by ART BUCHWALD

LOS ANGELES—I came to Los Angeles last week for rest and recreation, only to discover that it had become a rain forest.

I didn't realize how bad it was until I went to dinner at a friend's house. I had the right address, but when I arrived there was nothing there. I went to a neighboring house where I found a man bailing out his swimming pool.

"I beg your pardon," I said. "Could you tell me where the Cables live?"

"They used to live above us on the hill. Then about two years ago, their house slid down in the mud, and they lived next door to us. I think it was last Monday, during the storm, that their house slid again, and now they live two streets below us, down there. We were sorry to see them go - they were really nice neighbors."

I thanked him and slid straight down the hill to the new location of the Cable's house. Cable was clearing out the mud from his car. He apologized for not giving me the new address and explained, "Frankly, I

didn't know until this morning whether the house would stay here or continue sliding down a few more blocks."

"Cable," I said, "you and your wife are intelligent people, why do you build your house on the top of a canyon, when you know that during a rainstorm it has a good chance of sliding away?"

"We did it for the view. It really was fantastic on a clear night up there. We could sit in our Jacuzzi and see all of Los Angeles, except of course when there were brush fires."

"Even when our house slid down two years ago, we still had a great sight of the airport. Now I'm not too sure what kind of view we'll have because of the house in front of us, which slid down with ours at the same time."

"But why don't you move to safe ground so that you don't have to worry about rainstorms?"

"We've thought about it. But once you live high in a canyon, it's hard to move to the plains. Besides, this house is built solid

and has about three more good mud slides in it."

"Still, it must be kind of hairy to sit in your home during a deluge and wonder where you'll wind up next. Don't you ever have the desire to just settle down in one place?"

"It's hard for people who don't live in California to understand how we people out here think. Sure we have floods, and fire and drought, but that's the price you have to pay for living the good life. When Esther and I saw this house, we knew it was a dream come true. It was located right on the tippy top of the hill way up there. We would wake up in the morning and listen to the birds, and eat breakfast out on the patio and look down on all the smog."

"Then after the first mud slide, we found ourselves living next to people. It was an entirely different experience. But by that time we were ready for a change. Now we've slid again and we're in a whole new neighborhood. You can't do that if you live on solid ground. Once you move into a house below Sunset Boulevard, you're stuck there for the rest of your life."

"When you live on the side of a hill in Los Angeles, you at least know it's not going to last forever."

"Then in spite of what's happened, you don't plan to move out?"

"Are you crazy? You couldn't replace a house like this in L.A. for \$500,000."

"What happens if it keeps raining and you slide down the hill again?"

"It's no problem. Esther and I figure if we slide down too far, we'll just pick up and go back to the top of the hill, and start all over again; that is, if the hill is still there after the earthquake."

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Unfinished business

By Don Graft

It's a familiar enough story by now. Congress, with some reluctance, has agreed to prop up a shaky foreign government with an emergency package.

The pricetag is \$75 million and the recipient is Nicaragua, the Central American country that has still not found the answer to the question of what is to follow the Somoza dictatorship overthrown last year - a reasonable facsimile of democracy or radical chaos.

At a time when a figure of \$400 million is being discussed as a possible beginning of aid to a Pakistan that may or may not be threatened by the Soviet advance into Afghanistan, \$75 million is not exactly high stakes. Particularly not for a country virtually next door, rather than half a world away, and in an area in which the United States has long been deeply interested and intimately involved.

Why, then, the dragging of congressional feet? The decision was especially close in the House, a five-vote margin. There were and are, however, strong reservations as to the intentions of the new Nicaraguan regime.

With reason. The revolutionary junta is a mixed bag of Marxists and moderate elements. Communist influence is a potent fact of the new Nicaragua, manifested most visibly by a Cuban presence of more than a thousand teachers.

Nicaragua could become another Cuba. But it has not gone the route yet.

Should it eventually do so, Washington will have to write off the \$75 million as a bad investment, as it has had to do over the years with much larger sums.

But if the aid, designed primarily for recovery of private business and to restore public facilities destroyed in the civil war, encourages development of a democratic new Nicaragua, it could prove one of the most profitable U.S. investments of recent years.

...and some bad business

Elsewhere in Latin America, there are less encouraging prospects.

El Salvador appears to be sliding into a civil war, only without the broad opposition to an authoritarian regime that characterized the Nicaraguan revolution. It is shaping up as a standoff between rightist-military elements and left-wing groups, offering American policymakers much less room for maneuvering.

El Salvador might be characterized as more a crowd than a country - the smallest geographically in Central America and the most densely populated. With not enough land and wealth to go around, no matter how a reform pie is sliced, there are no easy answers to its problems. An explosion may be inevitable.

More distressing are developments farther south, in Colombia, where terrorists are at work in the by-now familiar fashion. For a change it was not the American embassy that was seized, but that is small consolation since the American ambassador was netted among the distinguished hostages.

Colombia is a major Latin nation that not so long ago emerged from a decades-long civil war. A sensible compromise between conservative and liberal political parties provided for sharing of power and alternating possession of the presidency.

Long known primarily as a source of superior coffee and currently notorious as a primary source of marijuana entering the United States, Colombia has considerable economic potential that has only begun to be developed in recent years of relative stability.

It is also one of the Andean Pact nations - along with Venezuela, Ecuador, Peru and Bolivia - that have concerted efforts in behalf of democratic trends throughout the region.

Should Colombia be dragged down into self-destructive ideological terrorism, the loss would be devastating (NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)



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Berry's World



By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY

DEAR ABBY: I'm desperate and need a quick answer. I was very much in love with a man about a year ago. We had a fight and broke up because we both had a lot of growing up to do.

About two weeks ago I ran into him, and the minute we saw each other we both knew we were still very much in love. We had a long talk, and he told me that he still loves me, but he has a problem. While we were split, he started seeing another girl, and now she's pregnant!

Abby, I feel very sorry for this other girl, but I'm still in love with this guy. I know he still loves me, and I don't want to give him up. I honestly feel that if he marries the girl he got pregnant, it wouldn't solve anything, and the marriage wouldn't last. Yet it seems the only decent thing to do.

My question: What should I do, if anything? The other girl doesn't even know I exist.

NO NAME, PLEASE

DEAR NO: You shouldn't do anything. Even though you still love him, stick to a hands-off policy until he is free of all obligations. It may be a long time. Or forever.

Decent people accept the consequences of their own actions.

DEAR ABBY: My daughter, a junior in college, and her boyfriend (same age) went on a skiing weekend with another couple—also college kids. My daughter told me that All four stayed at a motel in one large room that had two double beds in the room.

I was shocked! She said she and the other girl slept in one bed, and the two boys slept in the other bed.

Should I believe her?

YOUNG ONCE

DEAR YOUNG: Why not? If it had been her intention to deceive you, she would not have admitted to having been in the same room with the boys.

DEAR ABBY: A very dear man I knew had a stroke while walking down the street. He lay on the sidewalk near a bar for nearly an hour—and nobdy helped him. Most people thought he was just drunk, so they passed him by, not wanting to get involved. He died the following day.

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Why don't you see your physician and let him give you a good examination.



SUPER GRANNY Judith Bardwell, a 42-year-old London grandmother, leaps in the air with outstretched arms as she joins 71-year-old grandmothers Marjorie Styles of London, left, and Alice Matthews of Leeds. Fellow finalists in the Butlins Most Glamorous Grandmother of Great Britain contest, they and 17 others compete today in London for the title. The winner will receive approximately \$2,200, a silver trophy and a holiday for two in Rio de Janeiro. (AP photo)

DR. LAMB

By Lawrence Lamb

DEAR DR. LAMB — Could you please tell me what is the cause of a premature heartbeat? I have been getting them for quite some time. I was told that they're mostly caused by some form of tension. I get them mostly after eating or when I cross my legs. It seems that my stomach is being pushed up into my chest organs. Could that be the cause? Or could I possibly have a hernia in my diaphragm area?

DEAR READER — You seem to be a very observant fellow. There are many causes for premature heartbeats.

Remember that the heart is an automatic organ and beats automatically. Practically all of the tissue in the heart is capable of initiating a heartbeat.

Normally, there is an orderly sequence in which the various parts of the heart are electrically excited before they contract. If you have a little spot that is excessively irritable it may fire off prematurely and stimulate the heart to contract early, causing a premature beat.

These can occur if you have

chemical disturbances in the body. They occur if you have an overactive thyroid gland. They can occur from heart disease, including fatty-cholesterol deposits in the coronary arteries. They can occur from the build up of adrenaline in the heart muscle. And they can occur from tension. In short, they are a symptom and not a diagnosis.

The doctor has to examine the patient carefully and relate the presence of premature beats to the total situation before he knows what causes them and what should

By Louise Pierce

MENDING MATURE MARRIAGE

A harper usually becomes a harpy

• We older couples are often inclined to live too much in the past, to weep and wail over insults or injuries of yesterday or last week or ten years ago.

If we are guilty of this, we need to know that a harper usually becomes a harpy.

You're probably familiar with these terms. But if you're not, a harper is one who harks back, time after time, to grievances that should have been shelved long ago. And a harpy is an ill-tempered monster with the body of a bird and the face of a woman—or, I hasten to add, the face of a man.

That said, I'm sure few of us will admit to being harpies. But if we harp, we are.

One of my best received columns urged you readers to cry only once over hurts you suffer. This time I want to offer the same admonition about apologies. One statement of "I'm sorry-please-forgive-me" is enough when you have hurt somebody's feelings. In most cases it is too late to do more than that. If you can atone actively for what you did to a friend, by all means do so. But if the time for restitution is past, the one apology, sincerely given, is all that the wronged one should expect. The matter should never be mentioned by either of you again.

Of course, you remember the hurt when you meet the person who hurt you. But if you want to hold the friendship of that person—and you usually do because only good friends can hurt you deeply—then you stand to lose his regard forever if you rant and rave for untold eons about what he did to you.

This happens too many times between friends and neighbors and spouses. Many people get so historical

about wrongs done to them that they become hysterical. That can break a friendship in two, alienate acquaintances and, worst of all, cause a rift between long-married mates.

Once I was invited to a party and got so busy at my typewriter that I forgot all about the coffee. I called later and apologized profusely and at length. I even sent the lady a plate of my best cookies, which may not have been a great treat since my baking never won any prizes. But I did my best and expected the incident to be buried.

It was not to be. For years, whenever we met, that woman reminded me of my "insult" to her, always speaking loudly enough for bystanders to hear. Eventually I managed to avoid her whenever I saw her coming my way.

Otis sleeps when he's sleepy, no matter where he may be. If he's had a long, hard day, he snores in his chair immediately after supper. If we go visiting when he's worn out, he winks and blinks and finally drops into happy slumber because he can't help it. He continues to look interested because he smiles as he snores.

Hosts never mind, probably because they are prone to do the same thing.

But, as a rule, hostesses do not appreciate such inattention to their conversations or card games or chocolate cakes.

We both offer abject apologies for his nap whenever it occurs. And we always expect one apology to be enough. But we have sometimes encountered scolding after scolding for his sudden snores, so many that we

have vowed to go visiting only when he is wide awake and pepped up.

I believe the worst instances of harping occur between longtime mates.

If your husband broke one of your heirloom plates, do you remind him of it every time you have company and wish for that dish? If your wife lost the tickets to a concert, does every future concert find you recalling her willful waste and telling her about it? I'm sure most of us are guilty of beating that poor dead horse once in a while. But there are mates who never miss a chance to do it.

I hope I can erase that trait from my personality. I hope you can too. If we don't, we risk the weary annoyance of the one we love.

So let's give, and expect to get, only one apology for one offense. Then let's forget the whole thing.

DEAR LOUISE: My husband is always hurting my feelings by forgetting to tell me when he's coming home late or not telling me if he's accepted an invitation somewhere and I've only got 10 minutes to get ready. He always mumbles that he's sorry, but it happens again and again.

Would he treat me like this if he still loved me after our 35 years of marriage? S.U.

DEAR S.U.: Of course he would because he's obviously an absent-minded person. In addition, he is over-busy and over-devoted to the job that is making a living for both of you. If he apologizes once each time, you are lucky. Don't ever ask for a second one. You might miss the first one next time.

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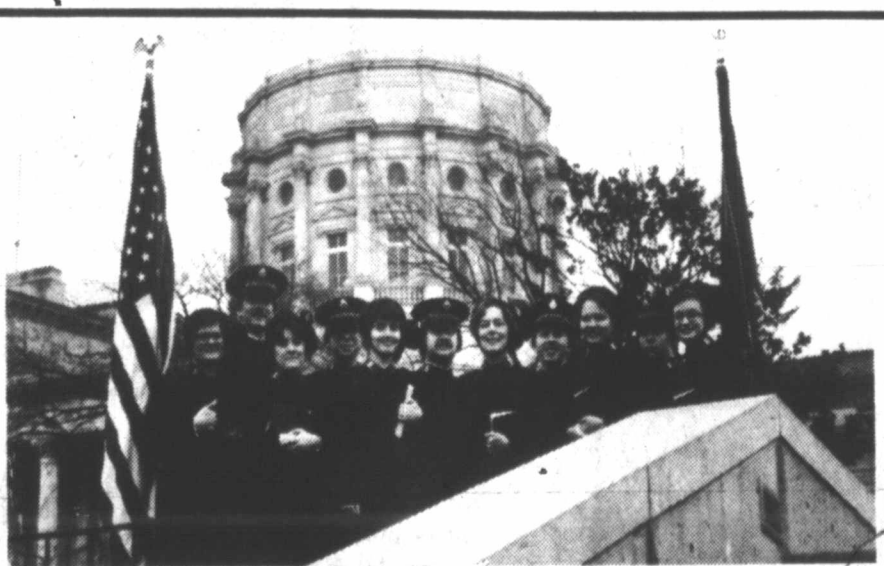
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This fine man had a stroke and a cerebral hemorrhage. Maybe he would have died even if he had been taken to a hospital immediately, but at least he wouldn't have died all alone on the cold sidewalk. And he possibly could have been saved if someone had helped him sooner.

A 14-YEAR-OLD WITH A HEART

DEAR 14: If your letter changes the thinking of only one person who would deny help to a stranger because he doesn't want to "get involved," it's well worth the space in my column. Thanks for writing.

CONFIDENTIAL TO "TROUBLES GALORE IN WATERLOO": I just read your 44-page letter and will send you a personal reply when you send me your address. In the meantime, if you want to cry over spilt milk, please condense it next time.

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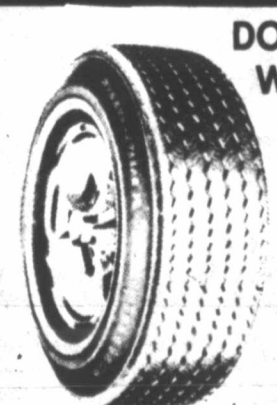
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Dollar up, gold down

LONDON (AP) — A warm reception for President Carter's new inflation-fighting program sharply boosted the dollar on foreign currency markets Monday, while gold prices plummeted below \$500 an ounce in Europe.

The dollar gained more than a cent against several major currencies and reached levels not seen in some cases for nearly two years.

Gold lost \$49 an ounce in London to close at \$477.50 and was down \$35 in Zurich, winding up \$489.00. The decline put the precious metal at its lowest price since just before last Christmas and erased the effect of January's gold rush, when the metal rose to a peak of \$875 an ounce on Jan. 21 in Geneva trading.

Bullion and currency dealers attributed the developments to the anti-inflation package introduced by President Carter and Federal Reserve Chairman Paul Volcker late Friday.

"The market tends to agree that it is a sound package and can effectively combat inflation in the U.S.," said a dealer at a major West German bank.

In Tokyo, where the business day ends before Europe's begins, the dollar closed at 248.425 yen, up from 248.750 yen Friday and close to its high in recent years.

The British pound, riding high for a year on the strength of North Sea oil, slipped in London to \$2.1870, down from Friday's \$2.2155.

Late dollar rates in other European centers, compared with Friday's late rates, and the last time the dollar was this high were:

Frankfurt — 1.8750 marks, up from 1.8530 (June 15, 1979)

Zurich — 1.78925 Swiss francs, up from 1.7620 (July 1978)

Paris — 4.37625 French francs, up from 4.27925 (June 18, 1979)

Amsterdam — 2.0595 Dutch guilders, up from 2.0165 (June 14, 1979)

Milan — 872.625 Italian lire, up from 854.85 (May 1978)

London silver prices, which peaked at \$49 an ounce on Jan. 18, fell to \$20 an ounce from \$24.25 Friday.

Barris has no news

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Something to cheer — the Circus of Humiliation is packing up and leaving town. For awhile, anyway.

Chuck Barris Productions, acknowledging interest in products Barris will not offer any shows, new or current, for the next fall season.

Stations such as Chicago's WMEQ, which already have deals with Barris, will air Barris shows. "But we will not offer any new shows or our current shows for the fall season... because the market has changed radically," says Buddy Granoff, Barris' executive vice president.

No "Newlywed Game," no "1980 Beauty Contest," no "Dating Game," no "Three's a Crowd," no "Gong Show." It will be safe to turn on the TV set again.

If right-living and good luck has allowed you to miss Barris' shows, they are a combination of Peeping Tomism and the morbid curiosity that prompts gawking at traffic accidents.

"1980 Beauty Contest," for example, features six ladies who subject themselves to the crudities of host Rip Taylor, and then parade in front of the camera in bathing suits as the announcer cracks cruel jokes about them.

At one point, Barris' idea of fun was the hottest thing on television. People flocked to the set to see "The Gong Show," which paraded fellow humans past a panel of celebrity judges who sounded a gong when they'd had enough.

"The stations are becoming more sophisticated in their buying habits," says an analyst for a New York firm that buys national advertising for independent stations. "They're asking for packages of 26 weeks and shorter, instead of 52 weeks. With 52 weeks, if the show doesn't work, you're stuck with 26 weeks of a show that's hurting you."

Granoff says that Barris Productions is by no means jumping off of the syndication wagon forever; in fact, Barris just happens to have a "revolutionary" talk show in the works that will be unleashed "when the time is right," Granoff says.

"It's called 'Leave it to the Girls,' and it's an issues-oriented talk show. We look at talk shows now, and they're all the same — a guy pushing his latest record or book from show to show."

"Leave it to the Girls" will be more meaningful, dealing with today's issues — there will be two regular hostesses and another girl who will put a man on the spot with questions like, "Who should have a vasectomy?" "Who should pay for the abortion?" All the issues of today.

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LORETTA LYNN, with SISSYSPACEK

Movie portrays Loretta Lynn's life

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Loretta and Money Lynn have gone through the uncommon experience of watching their lives pass before them — on the movie screen.

Their reactions?

"I felt very sad," admitted Loretta, the country music superstar. "I took me back to a lot of the sad things that happened to me, though they didn't show the things as sad as they really were. But I remembered."

"After I saw the picture the first time," said Mooney, who helped guide his wife's career out of the coal country and into the big time. "I couldn't remember what I'd seen. I was too busy watching myself. I went back a second time, and then I got a better view of the whole picture."

"I think they did a good job. What's on the screen is pretty much the way it happened. All I ever wanted was to make enough money with Loretta's singing to buy ourselves some land in the state of Washington."

The Lynns seemed a trifle incongruous in the penthouse at the Century Plaza Hotel. Mooney is ruddy-faced, pot-bellied and plain-spoken. For all her show-biz trappings, Loretta is as homesy as the songs she sings, and her talk has lost none of the flavor of Butcher Hollow, Ky.

That's where they met, when he was a soldier just home from the war and doing a little moonshining (hence his nickname). She was 13, one of seven children of coal-mining Ted Webb, and she was smitten with the wild young man. Four kids later, Mooney convinced his wife to try singing and playing her country songs in public.

The whole saga is told in "Coal Miner's Daughter," the Universal release directed by Michael Apted ("Agatha").

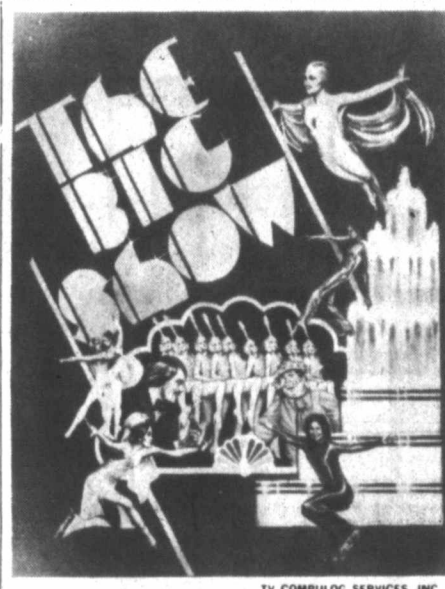
"After I saw the picture for the second time, I could look and smile at the funny things," said Loretta. "I could enjoy it much better then. And the third time, I really liked it."

"Some of the things are really amazing. Like Beverly D'Angelo, who plays Patsy Kline. That girl is really somethin'. After he saw the picture the second time, Mooney asked me, 'How did they dub

Patsy's voice.' I told him that wasn't Patsy's voice, that was Beverly."

Preview audiences also were amazed to learn that Sissy Spacek does her own singing in her role as Loretta (Tommy Lee Jones plays Mooney).

"I worked with Sissy a lot," said Loretta. "I was determined to make her sing my kind of music. Well, darned if she wasn't more determined than I was. She just about outworked me to death."



THE BIG SHOW

Aquatic ballet, roller disco, ice skating, ballet, comedy and song are just a few of the elements showcased each week by NBC-TV's new spectacular variety series, "The Big Show," to be seen in its 90-minute format on TUESDAY, MARCH 18.

"The Big Show" retains a comedy troupe on a weekly basis with Graham Chapman, a former Monty Python member, amongst this select group of comedians.

CHECK LISTINGS FOR EXACT TIME

WASHINGTON (AP) — Although President Carter says he has ruled out wage and price controls as the administration tries to curb inflation, the mere mention of the subject tends to send a shiver through the nation's meat industry.

The Agriculture Department says retail beef prices will go up another 10 percent to 12 percent this year but that additional pork and poultry will help keep a damper on huge surges in meat prices. Retail pork prices, for example, are expected to average about the same as in 1979.

But inflation overall is rocking along at an annual rate of 18 percent or so, and the meat industry is fearful that pressures will continue for some kind of controls on prices.

In a recent letter to Esther Peterson, Carter's special assistant for consumer affairs, the industry-supported American Meat Institute explained its opposition to price controls. The history of controls "has shown us time and time again that price controls, either voluntary or mandatory, are not the answer," AMI said.

"Actually, meat prices have served to hold down the current inflation rates from even higher levels," C. Manly Molpus, AMI president, told Mrs. Peterson. "If all prices had gone up only as much as meat prices, there would be no double-digit inflation."

In January, Molpus said, the overall Consumer Price Index was up 13.9 percent from a year earlier while meat averaged only 7.2 percent higher.

"Beef prices have increased because of an unprecedented decline in the nation's cattle herd partly due to the ill-advised 1973 price controls on meat," he said.

Molpus pledged in his letter to Mrs. Peterson that the meat

industry will maintain "our continuing effort to operate efficiently to conserve resources and keep costs" at a minimum.

"As to meat, it is important to understand that 80 percent of our sales dollar is represented by livestock," Molpus said. "The meat packer has absolutely no control over the price of the livestock (which) is determined by supplies. The best encouragement for the producer is to be assured that there will not be any disruptive government controls of the marketplace."

Molpus responded primarily to a request by Mrs. Peterson that the food industry exercise voluntary restraint — including consideration of voluntary price ceilings — as a weapon against inflation.

"The type of action you suggest raises false hopes with consumers in the serious business of combating inflation," Molpus said. "Price ceilings, whether voluntary or mandatory, are not based on economic reality."

WASHINGTON (AP) — The world's production of oilseeds will be even larger than experts had been predicting, according to the latest Agriculture Department forecast.

Based on new surveys, total output now is expected to be about 180.1 million metric tons in 1979-80, an increase of about 200,000 from estimates a month ago, officials said Monday.

Total production last year was a record then of about 158 million metric tons.

A metric ton is about 2,205 pounds and is equal, for example, to 36.7 bushels of soybeans.

Soybean production, led by the United States, was forecast at more than 96.5 million metric tons, a slight decrease from prospects a month ago but sharply above the output of 80.2 million in 1978-79.

The U.S. soybean production — from the 1979 harvest — accounted for more than 61.7 million metric tons of the world total.

Other major oilseeds, which accounted for the production estimate being boosted slightly from a month ago, included: cottonseed, 26 million metric tons; peanuts, 17.9 million; sunflowerseed, 15.5 million; rapeseed, 10.7 million; flaxseed, 3 million; and copra, 5.1 million.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The number of sheep and lambs being fed for the slaughter market as of March 1 in key producing areas totaled about 397,000 head, a 1 percent decline from a year ago, says the Agriculture Department.

But officials said Monday the early lamb crop in three major states is up from a year ago. Those new lambs totaled about 1.44 million head.

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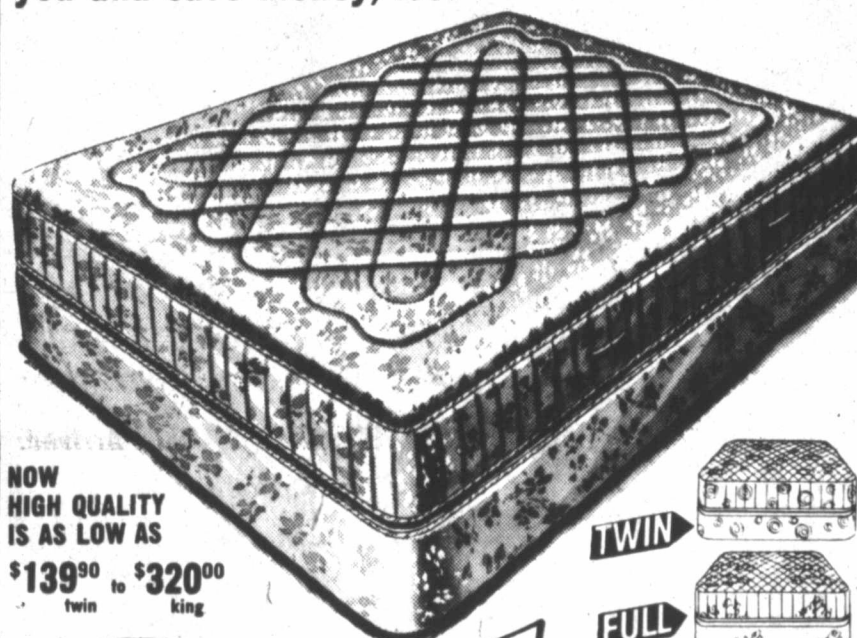
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9:30 **THE MISADVENTURES OF SHERIFF LOBO**
MOVIE (DRAMA) ***

10:00 **"Survive" 1976 Hugo Stiglitz, Norma Lazareno.** A chartered plane carrying 45 passengers crashes high in the Andes Mountains of South America. All but 16 were killed in the crash. This is the story of the ordeal of these survivors, who survived by eating the flesh of the dead for 72 days before rescue could reach them. (Rated R) (88 mins.)

10:30 **HAPPY DAYS** Fonzie gets unexpected help from a mysterious, exotic beauty named Kat Mandu when his archenemy, Rico, returns from sea duty to rumble with the Fonz.

11:00 **NEWSDAY**
THE WHITE SHADOW

11:30 **LAVARNE AND SHIRLEY** Laverne's handsome cousin, Dante, arrives from Italy and drives the girls crazy as he tries to adjust to the American way of life.

12:00 **700 CLUB**
THE BIG SHOW Dean Martin and Mariette Hartley welcome Joe Namath, Tanya Tucker, Sister Sledge, Jamie Farr, John Curry, and the Argentinian Guachos. (90 mins.)

12:30 **THREE'S COMPANY** Jack disguises himself as FBI agents on his trail and ends up in the clutches of the shapely blonde's blind date. (Repeat)

1:00 **NOVA** "Mediterranean Prospect" This program looks at the deteriorating condition of the Mediterranean Sea.

1:30 **TUESDAY NIGHT MOVIE** W.W. And The Dixie Dancekings 1978 Stars: Burt Reynolds, Art Carney. When a con-man-thief offers to manage an aspiring country and western band, they all find their troubles

only beginning. (2 hrs.)

8:30 **SOLID GOLD '79**
MOVIE (ROMANCE) ***

9:00 **"The Promise" 1979** Kathleen Quinlan, Stephen Collins. On their way to an altar, a couple are in a car crash. Her face is crushed beyond recognition. She ends their romance, but their love is still bound by the promise they made to each other. (Rated PG) (98 mins.)

9:30 **TAXI** Angie becomes infatuated with Louie, which appalls the taxi gang and leads to non-stop bragging by the dispatcher. (Repeat)

10:00 **HART TO HART** The Hart family travels to an exotic mystery involving a successful hairdresser who is blackmailing his wealthy female clients. (60 mins.)

10:30 **MYSTERY! Rebecca** Part II. The second Mrs. de Winter tries to live up to Rebecca's memory, but is continually shaken by Mrs. Danvers' cold criticism.

11:00 **ZOLA LEVITT LIVE**
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12:00 **CHAPLAIN HOURS**
MARK TWAIN Beneath The Laughter (60 mins.)

12:30 **TIME WAS: 1960's**
MOVIE (DRAMA) **

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MOVIE (COMEDY) **

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2:30 **NBC NEWS SPECIAL** A special report on the results of the Illinois Primary.

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5:00 **BARNABY JONES: Shadow Of Guilt** A young Chicano, already in trouble with the law, thinks he is responsible for the accidental death of a wealthy man.

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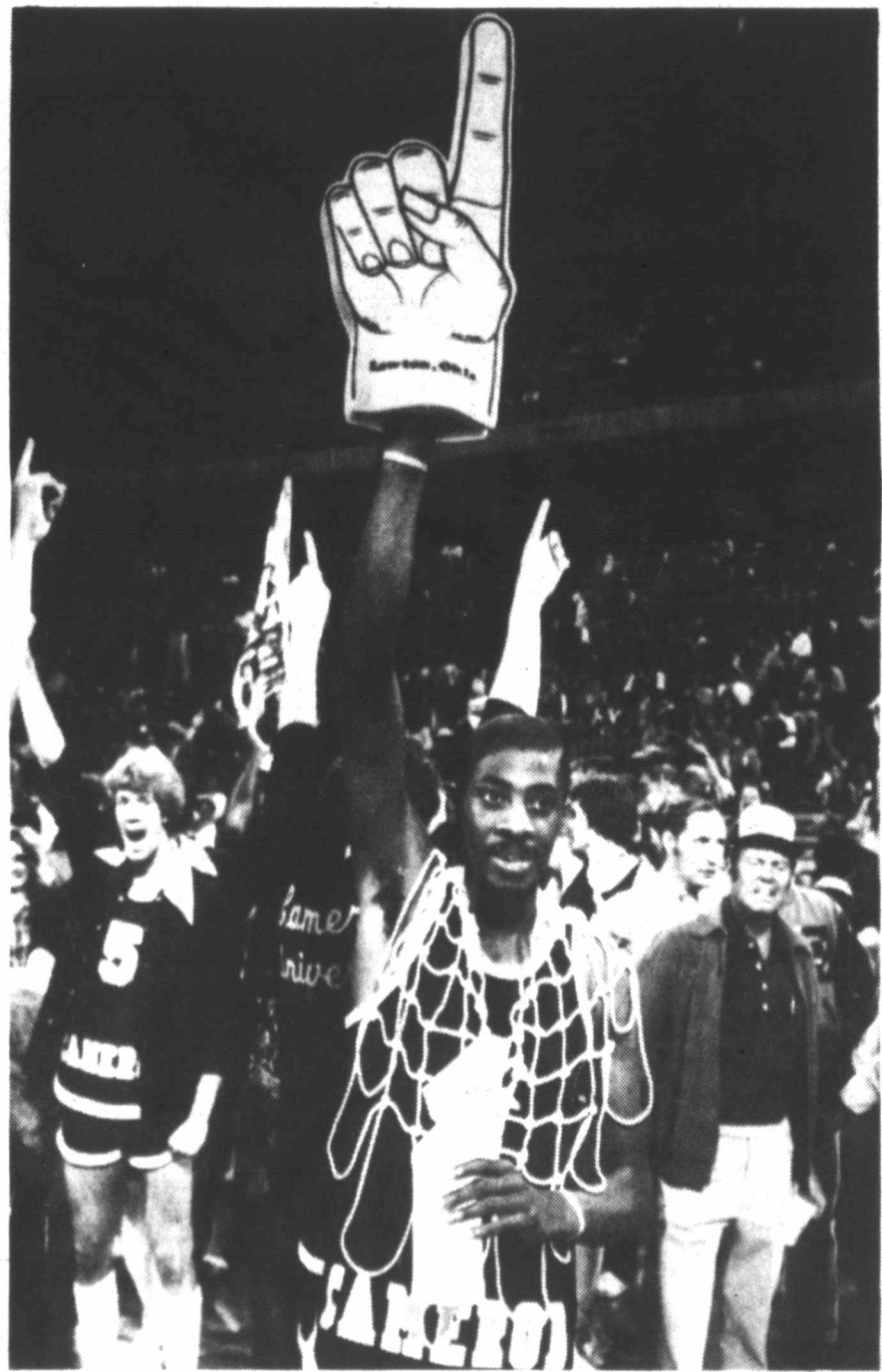
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THE MINNESOTA Gophers bench goes wild as the final buzzer sounds with Minnesota a 65-63 winner in the NIT semifinal over

Illinois at New York's Madison Square Garden Monday night. (AP Photo)



LEREO JACKSON of Cameron, Okla. University lets the people know who is number one in the NAIA after Cameron defeated Alabama State University, 84-77, Saturday for the NAIA National Basketball Championship. Cameron is coached by Lonnie Nichols, brother of Pampa High coach Garland Nichols. (AP Photo)

Oiler quarterback job up for grabs

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston-Oakland quarterback exchange projects former Raider quarterback Ken Stabler as the Oiler starter but Coach Bum Phillips says it's not automatic.

In the furor of the weekend trade that sent Oiler quarterback Dan Pastorini to Oakland for Stabler, Oiler backup quarterback Gifford Nielsen has remained quietly in the background.

He doesn't intend to stay there.

"I plan to compete for the No. 1 quarterback job just like I would have done if Dan had still been here," Nielsen said.

And Phillips said the quarterbacking job would be wide open when the Oilers report for pre-season drills.

"It would have been the same even if Dan had remained," Phillips said. "We've got two people who can compete for the starting job. Before last season, it was automatic that Dan was going to be the quarterback. But Gifford proved in the playoffs that he can play."

Nielsen helped the Oilers upset San Diego in the second round of the National Football League

playoffs last season while Pastorini was sidelined with a groin injury.

"Ken Stabler has been a great quarterback in the NFL and he still is," Nielsen said. "But I'd be cheating myself if I didn't go for No. 1. I'm not bragging, it's just in the spirit of competition."

"He is coming into a new situation and will have to learn our offense but I have been here and I'm already familiar with what we do."

Phillips confirmed the trade at a Saturday news conference after denying vehemently on Friday that no deal had been made. Phillips explained that if news of the trade leaked out, it could have ended the deal.

The departure of Pastorini from the Oilers ends a stormy nine-year era in which the blond Californian was either the toast of the town or the object of Oiler fan disdain.

Pastorini led the Oilers through some of their best and worst seasons, including a pair of 1-13 seasons in the early years and took the Oilers to the AFC championship game the past two seasons.

Church softball meeting slated

There will be an organizational meeting of the Pampa Church Softball League at 2 p.m. Sunday in the First Christian Church fellowship hall, 1633 North Nelson.

Any church interested in having a men's or women's team should have a representative at the meeting. Call 669-3506 for more information.

Sports

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Williams nabs first at Spearman meet

White Deer girls, led by Rose Williams, compiled 42 points in the Spearman track meet last weekend.

Williams won both the 100-yard dash (12.9) and 440 (1:04.9). She also placed second in the high jump.

Teammate Tammy McCown took third in the discus.

White Deer's freshmen-laden squad settled for 14 points in the boys division.

Joe Swaney was third in the pole vault, Jerold McCown, sixth in discus, and Jack Dupe was fourth in the 100 and fifth in the 220.

"We're running from 10 to 12 freshmen this year, so consequently it makes it pretty difficult to participate at the high school varsity level where there's more experience," Bucks coach James Gibson said.

White Deer hosts an invitational meet Saturday, starting at 9:15 a.m. with the field events.

Cage banquet Monday

Pampa High boys' and girls' basketball teams will be honored at 7 p.m. Monday at M.K. Brown Auditorium in the annual banquet and awards ceremony.

Cagers from the 1979-80 squads will receive individual honors like the Hustling Harvester Award for both male and female. Awards will also be given out for the most points scored, most rebounds, best field goal percentage, etc.

Tickets are five dollars apiece and are on sale at the high school business office.

Youth bowlers compete in tournament

Mike Butler and Pete Evans of Pampa participated in the Region One All-American Youth Bowling Congress Tournament last weekend in Lubbock.

Butler rolled a 1,087 total for six games to finish in sixth place while Evans had an 896 for 23rd place. Both are Pampa High School seniors.

Sports

Cavaliers, Minnesota meet in NIT cage final

NEW YORK (AP) — Ralph Sampson, probably the most sought-after high school basketball player since Wilt Chamberlain, says he is not ready to forego his final three years of college ball for the pros.

The 7-foot-4, 210-pound Sampson led the Virginia Cavaliers into the final of the National Invitation Tournament, scoring 26 points, grabbing 15 rebounds and blocking four shots Monday night in a 90-71 victory over Nevada-Las Vegas.

Sampson has averaged 14.6 points and 11 rebounds with the Cavaliers this season, and he has blocked 155 shots in 33 games. His statistics have stirred interest in the front office of the Boston Celtics, who would like him to go hardship and turn pro.

"I haven't established anything about turning pro yet," said the 19-year-old from Harrisonburg, Va. "I know I'm not physically ready, and I'm probably not all the way emotionally ready for the pros."

With Virginia tied 35-35 at the half with Nevada-Las Vegas in the NIT semifinals, Sampson led a surge that gave Virginia a 10-point lead. Sampson scored nine points as the Cavaliers outscored the Runnin' Rebels 20-10 and took a 55-45 lead with 13 minutes left in the game.

Jeff Lamp, a 6-6 swingman, had seven points in the surge, and wound up with game honors at 30 points. Michael Burns led Nevada-Las Vegas with 20 points.

"We work well together," Sampson said of he and Lamp. "We move well. He gets the ball to me when I need it, and I get it to him when he needs it."

"We had to get out and establish a lead in the second half," Sampson said.

With the victory, Virginia, 23-10, earned the right to face Minnesota, 21-10, in the NIT final Wednesday night. Minnesota edged Illinois 65-63 in the first game of the semis. Illinois, 21-13, and Nevada-Las Vegas, 23-8, will meet in the consolation game preceding Wednesday night's final.

Another big freshman, 7-2 reserve center Randy Breuer, was the key to Minnesota's victory. Breuer scored 24 points and grabbed nine rebounds as the Gophers held on to beat Illinois. Darryl Mitchell hit two free throws with 14 seconds remaining to provide Minnesota with its final margin.

"We watched the Minnesota game real close," Cavaliers Coach Terry Holland said. "I marked down the score when Breuer came into the game. I think it was 14-8 (in favor of Illinois). Even when he didn't get the rebound, he had a hand on it."

When Breuer came off the bench, Gophers Coach Jim Dutcher was able to move his top scorer, 6-11 Kevin McHale, to forward. That gave Minnesota plenty of height on the front line with the other forward, Gary Holmes, going 6-10.

"Their height will present some problems for us," Holland said. Asked if he would compare Minnesota with big and burly Atlantic Coast Conference foe Clemson, Holland said: "Minnesota looked more like the Russians tonight."

Breuer scored 13 consecutive points for Minnesota over a span of six minutes in the second half, all from the inside and the foul line, as the Gophers battled to take a four-point lead, 48-44, with nearly 13 minutes left.

Minnesota never led by more than three after that, and even trailed 51-50 once on a bucket by Illinois' Reno Gray with 9:20 left.

"I think some of our big people got tired toward the end," Dutcher said. "Breuer and McHale weren't moving as well."

Cruz sets record

Pampa middle school trackster Tony Santa Cruz set a school record in the 330-yard intermediate hurdles as the local eight graders came in fourth in the Plainview Junior High Track Meet last weekend.

Cruz breezed to a 45.29 clocking while teammate Coyle Winborn was right behind at 45.29. Stevens finished sixth.

Pampa swept the discus event with Koenig winning it with a 126-6 toss. Garland Allen and Parr were second and third respectively.

L.J. Brown and Roberts were third and fourth respectively in the 100-yard dash. The 440-relay team of Roberts Bromlow, Kelly and L.J. Brown came in third with a 48.69.

Winborn was third in the high jump. Del Bosque was fourth in the pole vault, and the 1600-meter relay team of Delfino, Ricky Stout, and Stevens took fifth to complete the scoring.

"We'll be idle for two weeks now, which should allow for more developing in events we haven't scored in," Pampa coach Al Clark said.

The middle schoolers next meet will be at Dumas, Saturday, March 29.

In the girls division, Pampa finished third with 89 points behind the first-place performances of Tina Greenway, Amy Richmond, and Tina Burton.

Greenway soared 14-0 to win the long jump. Raymond crossed the tape in 6:40.75 in the 1600-meter run. Burton ran a 27.26 in the 200-meter dash.

Pampa's 440-relay team of Ashlie Darby, Dona Darby, Tina Greenway, and Tina Burton finished fourth with a time of 58.66.

Also placing were Andrea Elliott, third, 800-meter dash, 2:50.09; Hendricks, fourth, 400-meter dash, 1:07.04; Rebekkah Gunther, 400-meter dash, fifth, 1:07.08; Tina Greenway, third, 200-meter dash, 28.56; Rodgers, fifth, 200-meter dash, 29.28; 1600-meter relay, (Tina Greenway, Rebekkah Gunther, Ashlie Darby, and Andrea Elliott), second, 4:40.78; Tina Greenway, triple jump, fourth, 27.4; Treicia George, triple jump, sixth, 26.7.

Gattis of Clovis, New Mexico won the team title. Eight teams were entered in the meet.



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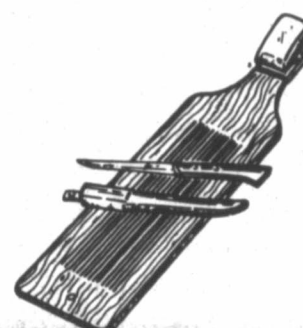


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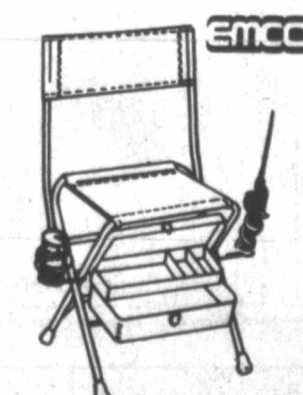
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31 Musical instrument
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39 Record for TV
40 Hill dweller
41 Blackthorn fruit

DOWN

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2 Expel
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Astro-Graph by bernice bede osol

March 18, 1980

Your imagination and creativity will be channeled into more constructive areas this coming year. Your ideas will be visionary, yet they'll have practical applications.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) There is something commanding about your attitude that will be obvious to all with whom you deal today. You're aggressive, but pleasant. Romance, travel, luck, resources, possible pitfalls and career for the coming months are all discussed in your Astro-Graph Letter, which begins with your birthday. Mail \$1 for each to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth date.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Today your prime concern is likely to be doing something nice for one you love. This person will be thinking of ways to brighten your life, too.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) If your ears are buzzing today it will be because others are talking about you. You'd feel very flattered if you could hear what they're saying.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Someone you may be surprised to learn is in your corner will try to do something to boost your career. Your benefactor may never even mention it.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) It will help you get your thoughts in order if you are able to discuss your ideas with one who operates on your wave length. Select a positive thinker.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) In competitive situations today the odds are apt to be slightly tilted in your favor. However, you won't make those who surpass feel like losers.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Good things will happen to you in partnership arrangements. This will be especially true if someone you love is involved.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You have a flair today for improving or renovating your surroundings.

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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) It's a good day to put the finishing touches on some small chores you've temporarily shelved. You're not likely to leave any loose threads hanging at this time.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Things should go rather smoothly today. You're not apt to let petty annoyances ruffle your feathers. This will have a calming effect on those with whom you associate.

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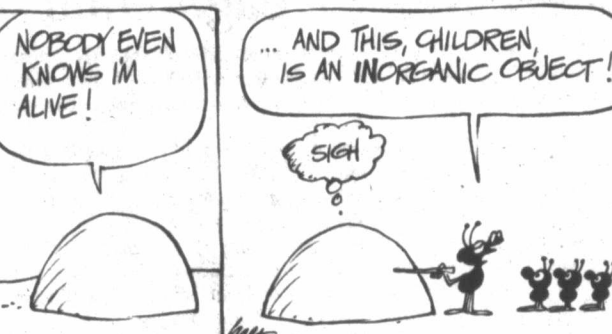


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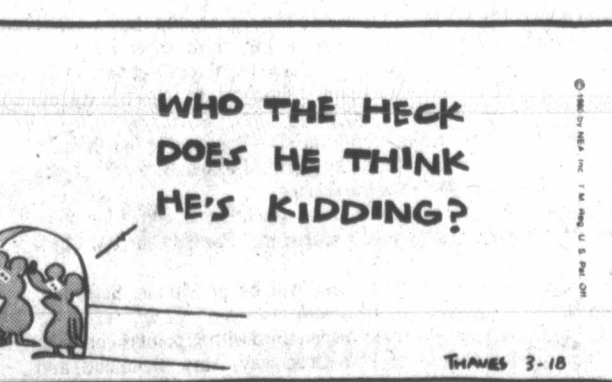
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How to rate your heart

By Theodore Berland
(Second of 14 parts)

Many people take up sports or exercise with enthusiasm, smashing the ball or pounding the pavement. But it soon catches up with them.

At best, they suffer some sore muscles and tendons. At worst, they die of a heart attack.

Chances are you feel good now. One of the reasons you want to start exercising may be to maintain that feeling of well-being.

But don't let your apparent good health mislead you, especially if you are over 35 and have been sedentary for 20 years or so.

You may have a silent heart disease. This condition stays quiet as long as you don't impose any stress on your heart.

But stress is exactly what exercise is. Here's a way to get a pretty good idea of the stress your heart can take:

Sit relaxed and count the beats at your pulse for 15 seconds. Multiply by four. That's your resting pulse rate.

Then climb a flight of stairs. Take your pulse again when you reach the top. It should be faster, but no more than 20 beats a minute faster and certainly no faster than 115.

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All of this discussion about heart and stress is by way of introducing the cardiac-stress test. Taking this test is your best possible 45- to 90-minute preparation for your new fitness program.

Most people take the test as part of a general physical exam at a hospital or private cardiac laboratory to which they were referred by their doctors.

The preliminaries to the test itself include taking of your medical history (with particular emphasis on rela-

tives with heart disease), urine analysis and measurements of blood pressure, blood cholesterol and lipids, blood sugar, weight and body fat.

Your doctor will also want an X-ray film of your chest to help assess the health of your lungs and the size of your heart. He or she will listen to your heart with a stethoscope and look into your eyes with a tiny bright light to see the bare blood vessels inside at the retina.

The stress test is essentially an electrocardiogram (EKG) of your heart taken as you rest, then at specific stresses and finally at rest again.

Metal electrodes are attached by small suction cups to your chest. Then you pedal a stationary bicycle or walk a treadmill. The work gets harder as the tester increases the tension on the wheel or the incline of the tread.

You reach your maximum amount of work when you can no longer move your legs. That happens because the large muscles in your legs are not getting enough oxygen.

While your heart beat is monitored, your blood pressure and oxygen consumption are also measured. You are asked how you feel. You are closely observed for signs of stress, such as breathlessness and chest or leg pain.

These observations are intended to keep the test from becoming dangerous.

The result of the stress test and the other tests performed earlier is your personal exercise prescription. It tells you the maximum safe rate at which your heart should beat.

Face the possibility that you may flunk any of these tests. You may then have to accept that you should not exercise strenuously on any basis. If you do exercise, you may become a candidate for a heart attack.

Heed your doctor if he or she warns you against strenuous exercise. Take up any mild exercise your doctor might recommend, such as golf or walking.

(NEXT: Exercise goals)
(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

NEW YORK (AP) — It was a capital idea for the World Wildlife Fund. An auction for the benefit of the Bengal tiger, the elephant, the panda, the tropical rain forest. Not to mention the resplendent quetzal, the reticulated velvet gecko and the ever popular snail darter.

Not surprisingly, befitting the Fund's blueblood image, it was all very... well, just very.

It was held at Christie's, a posh New York auction gallery. George Plimpton was master of ceremonies; Walter Cronkite, Jane Pauley and political offspring Jack Ford and Kerry Kennedy among the auctioneers.

Donors included Gerald Ford, Elliot Richardson, John Lindsay and Mrs. Constance Mellon; the benefit committee included W. Averell Harriman, Sen.

and Mrs. Claiborne Pell, Mrs. William Randolph Hearst, and the Duke and Duchess de La Rochefoucauld, the Baroness Gabrielle Bentinck Van Schoonhoven and the Prince and Princess Sadruddin Aga Khan.

A round of golf with Ford went for \$2,000; a balloon trip with Malcolm Forbes for \$75 and a raft trip with an assortment of Kennedys for \$600. The proceeds were \$64,000, not including the \$50 most of the 350 bidders paid to get in. Anything spent was, of course, tax deductible.

The World Wildlife Fund is the Rolls Royce of environmental groups, repository for old money from Park Avenue and Newport and the crowned heads of Europe: from Exxon and Texaco and Citibank and IBM and Ford and Time Inc. A cause, but a

refined cause, unlikely to involve one in confrontations; unlikely to require a participant to sail into the midst of a whaling fleet.

Its worldwide chairman is Sir Peter Scott, the British sailor, diver, artist and waterfowl expert. He succeeded Prince Bernhard of The Netherlands. The prince was forced to resign after allegations he took \$1 million from the Lockheed Corp., but he still heads the Dutch branch. S. Dillon Ripley, secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, is U.S. chairman; Prince Philip heads the British branch. The Fund was started in 1961 as a fund-raising arm of the International Union for the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources. Its founders were upper crust, many of them hunters with the time and money to safari

to the world's least developed regions.

Bankrolled by private donations — there are no members as such — it has independent chapters in 27 nations and a world headquarters in Switzerland. Former Environmental Protection Administrator Russell Train is president and chief executive officer of the U.S. branch, which parcels out \$1 million a year to protect plant and animal life on every continent.

The establishment aura enables the Fund to work at the highest levels: to cut through red tape with a discreet, well-placed word.

Thus, in 1966, Lindbergh personally convinced the president of Peru to stop the slaughter of blue whales off his country's coast; thus, Prince Bernhard, knowing Ethiopia had no national parks, told officials there he wanted to visit one. When he

arrived, Ethiopia had a national park.

And thus, last year, the Fund reached agreement where others had failed — convincing China to join in a project to preserve animals such as the giant panda and the snow leopard and monitor the sale of pelts and other souvenirs through Hong Kong.

"The China agreement was a real breakthrough," says Lewis Regenstein of the Fund for Animals, a frequent critic of the Wildlife Fund. "They're probably the only ones who could have done it. They're a very influential and powerful group and when they try to make their views known, they're very effective."

Fund officials emphasize that their most effective projects are scientific rather than emotional. One fund, for example, bankrolled Joy Adamson's lion project in

Kenya and another was set up after her death to keep it going.

There's a successful program at Cornell University, where more than 150 peregrine falcons have been nurtured and released in the eastern United States, where they were extinct. There's the Bengal tiger project begun in 1967 when the population had dwindled from 50,000 to 2,000.

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Attend first to anyone who is not breathing. Severe bleeding is also a priority.

Get help, ask the next person who stops to phone for police and ambulance. Ask others to warn approaching traffic.

To reduce fire hazard, turn

off the ignition of wrecked autos. Keep smokers away.

Don't move the injured! Unless they are in a burning car or other immediate danger. Unnecessary moving often complicates injuries. Search the area for victims thrown from the vehicle, and hidden in the underbrush.

Remember, you always have your most valuable equipment with you — your hands and the breath of life in your lungs.

Are you ready for an emergency... or not?

If you have never had first aid training, or if you're due for a "refresher" call your Red Cross Chapter, Fire or Police Department to find out where and when the next course is scheduled for your community.

To help a person start breathing...

1) Remove anything in the

person's mouth that might block air. Tilt head back, pull chin upward so tongue doesn't fall back to block airway.

2) Pinch nose shut. Seal mouth with yours. Blow into mouth.

Blow hard for adult; Gently for infant.

Remove mouth, blow air in again — every 5 seconds for an adult, every 3 seconds for an infant.

If chest fails to rise and you hear no exhalation, recheck mouth for possible blockage, again tilt head back, pull chin up, and start the technique again.

If you can't get a tight seal over the person's mouth close his mouth and breathe into his nose. For an infant, breathe into both mouth and nose. Continue effort until professional help is on hand, or until the injured person is breathing on his own.

simple remedies such as avoiding the thing that caused it will help in many cases. Usually resting, taking pain relievers available without prescription and applying heat will help many back pains.

If pain does not go away after a few days or if it is severe, see a physician. The doctor can diagnose the exact cause of the problem and recommend treatment that might include prescription drugs, special exercise or other remedies, depending on what the cause of the pain is.

Backache remains plague of many

Backache has haunted humanity ever since the first caveman picked up a big rock the wrong way.

Modern society has not made many advances in avoiding backache. In fact, there probably are more things to cause it now than there were in ancient times.

Some shoes, tension, overly soft beds and chairs, lack of exercise and bad posture are some major causes of back pain that people can do something

about, the Texas Medical Association (TMA) said.

Currently fashionable high heel shoes can be one hazard to backs. The high heels change the way the foot strikes the ground and can cause muscle pain from the legs on up. The possibility of twisted ankles and other assorted tendon, ligament and muscle injuries adds to the excitement of wearing these shoes.

Lack of exercise can help cause backache when people try to pick up loads that are too heavy. People who are not used

to picking up heavy loads also often make a mistake by lifting with their backs bent. Bending from the knees to pick something up and then lifting with the back straight can help avoid back pain.

Not only will lack of exercise rob the body of muscles for lifting, back muscles that are out of shape can ache just from carrying the body around.

Lack of exercise also can contribute to poor posture. It takes muscles and remembering to sit and stand straight to correct sloppy

posture, but the effort will pay off in appearance and avoiding pain, the TMA said.

Overly soft beds and chairs often do not encourage good posture. Even chairs meant for relaxing will not always be good for posture, or at least not hurt it. Any chair someone spends a lot of time in, especially one for work or watching a lot of television at home, needs to be firm enough to provide some support and the right height to avoid putting the neck or body at odd angles.

Once back pain strikes,

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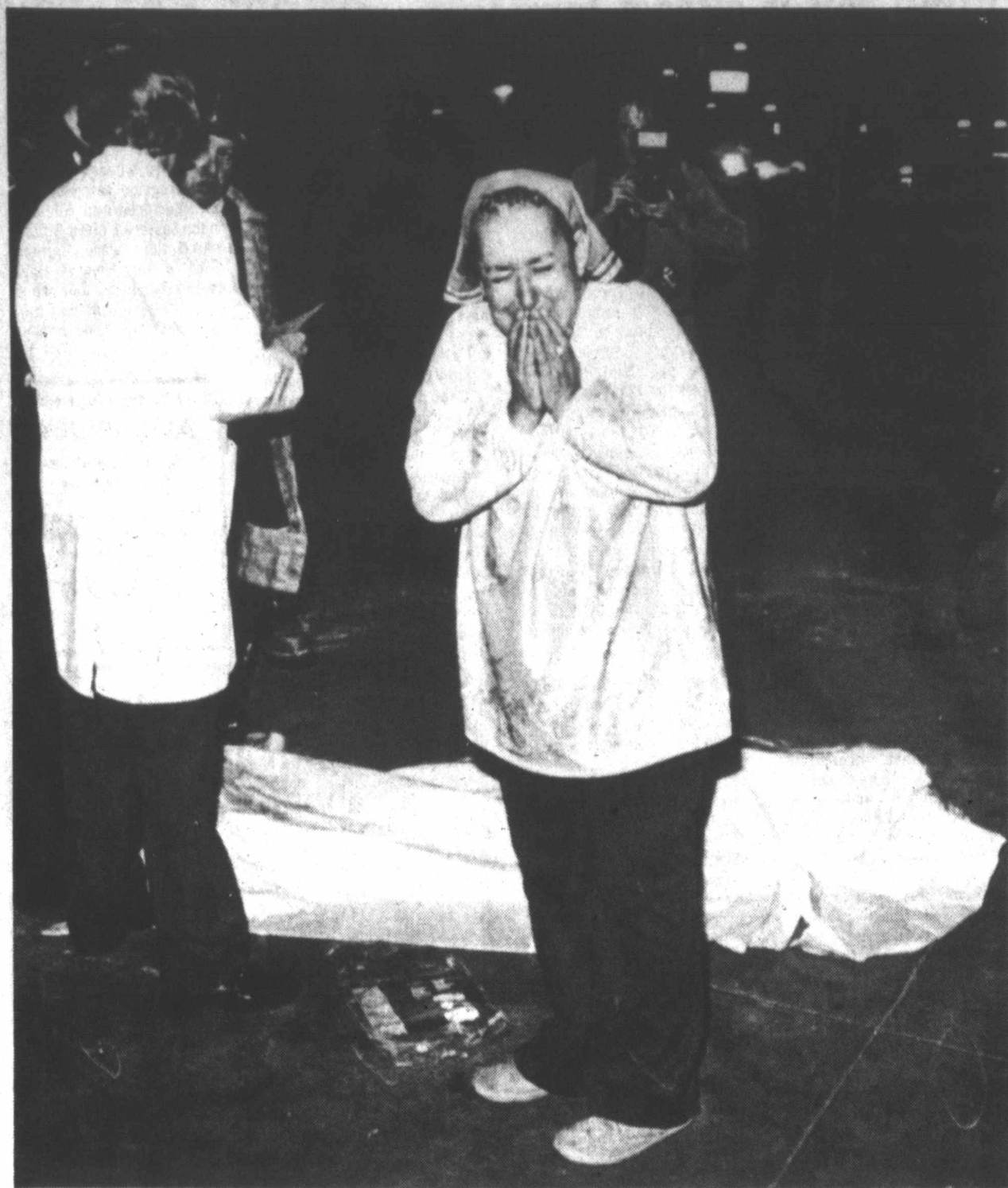
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CHARLIE'S DEAD. Louise Morgan of Dallas cries in grief after identifying the body of her friend, Charlie Joblonski, 60, who died in a four-alarm hotel fire earlier this morning. Both were residents of the aging Dallas hotel, which was destroyed by the fire. One person died in the fire and three others were injured. (AP Photo)

Mexican oil production shows increase despite nationalization

By VICENTE MORALES
Associated Press Writer
MEXICO CITY (AP) — When President Lazaro Cardenas nationalized foreign oil holdings in Mexico 42 years ago today, many predicted that the Mexican oil industry would collapse in chaos.

Today Petroleos Mexicanos, the government monopoly known as Pemex, is one of the world's biggest oil companies, employing more than 100,000 workers, producing 2 million barrels of crude oil daily and with a yearly income of \$10 billion.

Pemex's exploration programs have located proven reserves of more than 30 billion barrels of crude oil with potential reserves estimated at more than 130 billion barrels, plus half as much natural gas.

Pemex's chairman, engineer Jorge Diaz Serrano, estimates that more than two-thirds of Mexico and the 200-mile offshore belt it claims off both coasts is potential oil-bearing territory. He says only 10 percent has been explored.

"It took a lot of work and sacrifice but we have demonstrated we can administer and develop the oil industry," said Gabriel Lezama, a retired Pemex worker.

Oil and tar were oozing out of Mexican soil before the Spaniards landed in the 16th century. The Aztecs, the Teotihuacanos and other native tribes used it to fuel their pyres and torches.

The Spaniards collected tar balls from the Gulf of Mexico beaches to caulk their ships and weatherproof their roofs.

Dictator Porfirio Diaz granted the first oil concessions in 1901 to Edward L. Doheny, an American, and Weetman Pearson, a Briton.

By the early 1920s, 15 American, British and Dutch oil companies were operating in the country. They included the Sinclair-Pierce Oil Co., the Richmond Petroleum Co., Standard Oil of California and the Penn-Mex Fuel Co.

The oil fields stretched along the upper coast of the Gulf of Mexico. A study by Jose Lopez Portillo y Weber, President Jose Lopez Portillo's father, estimated that by 1921 the companies averaged 4,000 per cent profit on a daily crude production of 500,000 barrels, then the world's second largest.

Portillo estimated the companies left only 7 percent of their net income in Mexico, mostly in the form of a one-cent-a-ton production tax that outraged the foreign financial world when President Francisco I. Madero decreed it in 1912. Pemex now pays a 12 per cent income tax, which accounts for 12 per cent of the national government's income.

The 1917 Constitution declared petroleum the patrimony of the nation. But it was only after a decade of growing labor strife in the oil fields that Cardenas, an army general, in a surprise radio announcement on March 18, 1938, ordered the holdings of the oil companies expropriated and the industry nationalized.

Pemex was born by government decree a few days later. Cardenas offered the company \$615.4 million in compensation for their holdings, to be paid over 30 years. The companies, led by Standard Oil and Royal Dutch Shell, rejected it. They were convinced that Pemex, lacking technical skills and experience, would soon collapse.

The companies boycotted Mexico, refusing to sell it petroleum products or cooperate in any way. But Pemex did not go under. After the beginning of World War II, an agreement was reached, and the companies accepted the compensation.

Pemex's bonanza came in the mid-1970's when, with a new generation of Mexican geologists and engineers trained in modern techniques, the company found huge new fields in the southern part of the gulf.

In order to keep down inflation caused by the huge inflow of petrodollars, President Lopez Portillo has set a production ceiling of 2.5 million barrels of crude oil a day until the end of 1982. Approximately half the production is for export, with most of that going to the United States.

Exxon concerned about diversion of crude oil

HOUSTON (AP) — Exxon Co. USA says it will have normal gasoline inventories for higher spring and summer demand but that it is concerned about recent federal orders to supply oil to other refineries.

"The assignments are unfair to Exxon customers," the company said in a prepared statement. "Exxon is pursuing administrative and judicial means to stop such government ordered diversions of Exxon's crude oil supplies."

Exxon placed its inventory at 61 million barrels of crude oil at the end of February, compared with 60 million for January and 54 million a year earlier when the Iranian situation and major equipment breakdowns disrupted supplies.

Gasoline stocks totaled 20.9 million barrels compared with 20.3 million a year ago.

In its monthly inventory report, the company again urged customers to conserve the use of all petroleum products.

Public Notices

ELECTION ORDER AND NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF GRAY
On this 4th day of March, 1980, the Board of Trustees of Grandview-Hopkins Independent School District convened in Regular session, open to the public, with the following members present, to-wit:

George B. Collingsworth, President, Paul Eakin, G.M. Walls, Jr., Wayland Acker, Jim C. Hopkins and the following absent: Bobby B. Rabcock and Fred S. Vandenberg, Jr., constituting a quorum and among other proceedings had by said Board of Trustees was the following, to-wit:

WHEREAS, the term of office of TWO MEMBERS, PAUL EAKIN and FRED S. VANDENBURG, JR. members of the Board of Trustees of this School District will expire on the first Saturday in April, 1980, said first Saturday being April 5, 1980, and on said date a trustee election will be held in said School District.

WHEREAS, it is necessary for this Board to pass an order establishing the procedure for filing for and conducting said trustee election.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF GRANDVIEW-HOPKINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

1. That an election be held in said School District on April 5, 1980, for the purpose of electing to the Board of Trustees of said School District TWO MEMBERS.

2. That all requests by candidates to have their names placed upon the ballot for the above mentioned election shall be in writing and signed by the candidate and filed with the secretary of the Board of Trustees at the superintendent's office not later than 30 days prior to the date of said election.

All candidates shall file with said application the loyalty affidavit required by Art. 6.02 of the Election Code.

The Secretary of this Board of Trustees shall post on the bulletin board in the building where the Board of Trustees meets the names of all candidates that have filed their applications in accordance with the terms and provisions of this Order, and said Secretary shall otherwise comply with the terms and provisions of Art. 13.32 of the Election Code.

3. That said election shall be held at the following places, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election:

(a) In election precincts numbered at GRANDVIEW-HOPKINS SCHOOL Building, in GRAY CO. Texas, in said School District, with JOLYNN JONES DAVIS as Presiding Judge and JUDY A. DAVIS as Clerk.

(b) In election precincts numbered 3 and 13 at GRANDVIEW-HOPKINS SCHOOL Building, in GRAY CO. Texas, in said School District, with JOLYNN JONES DAVIS as Presiding Judge and JUDY A. DAVIS, Clerk.

NOTE: If additional polling places are necessary, follow the above form for each additional polling place and insert here.

The polls at the above designated polling places shall on election day be open from 7:00 o'clock a.m. to 7:00 o'clock p.m.

4. Jolynn Jones Davis is hereby appointed Clerk for absentee voting, and Judy A. Davis is hereby appointed Deputy Clerk for absentee voting. The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at GRANDVIEW-HOPKINS SCHOOL BUILDING, Room 1, Groom, TX 79039, FM2893 within the boundaries of the above named School District and said place of absentee voting shall be open on each day for at least eight hours on each day for absentee voting which is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between hours of 7:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. on each day for said absentee voting. The above described place for absentee voting is also the absentee Clerk's mailing address to which ballot applications and ballots voted by mail shall be sent.

Absentee voting, both by personal appearance and by mail, shall be by paper ballots and shall be canvassed by a special canvassing board, and Jolynn Jones Davis, as Presiding Judge, Judy A. Davis as Clerk, are hereby appointed to the Special Canvassing Board for said election.

5. The manner of holding said election shall be governed, as nearly as may be, by the Election Code of this state, and this Board of Trustees will furnish all necessary ballots and other election supplies requisite to said election.

6. The Board of Trustees shall give notice of said election, and of the combined Election Order and Notice shall serve as Notice for said election. The President of the Board of Trustees is hereby authorized and instructed to post or cause to have posted said combined Election Order and Notice at three public places where notices are customarily posted in this school district, and said posting shall be made at least 20 days before the date of said election.

7. Immediately after the votes have been counted, the officers holding said election shall make and deliver the returns of said election and perform all other duties as provided by the Election Code.

8. The Board of Trustees shall give notice of said election, and of the combined Election Order and Notice shall serve as Notice for said election. The President of the Board of Trustees is hereby authorized and instructed to post or cause to have posted said combined Election Order and Notice at three public places where notices are customarily posted in this school district, and said posting shall be made at least 20 days before the date of said election.

9. It is further found and determined that in accordance with an order of the Board of Trustees, the Secretary posted written notice of the date, place and subject of this meeting on the bulletin board located in the central administrative office of this school district, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public, and said notice, having been so posted, remained posted for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting.

It is further found and determined that in accordance with an order of the Board of Trustees, the Secretary furnished a notice of the date, place and subject of this meeting to the county clerk of GRAY County, Texas, the county in which most, if not all, of this school district's pupils reside.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that the same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Board voted AYE: GEORGE B. COLLINGSWORTH, G.M. WALLS, JR., WAYLAND ACKER, JIM C. HOPKINS, PAUL EAKIN; and the following voted NO: 0.

George B. Collingsworth, President, Board of Trustees
G.M. Walls, Jr., Secretary, Board of Trustees
A-62 March 18, 1980

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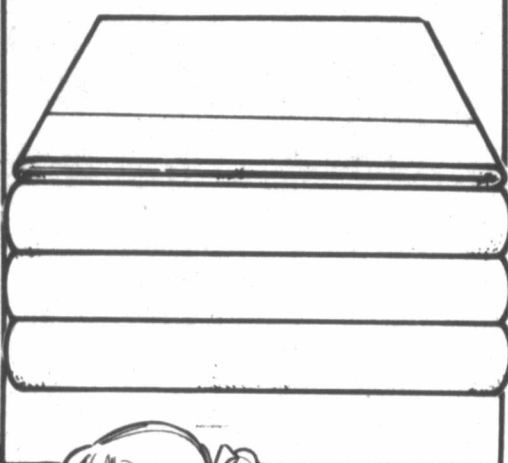
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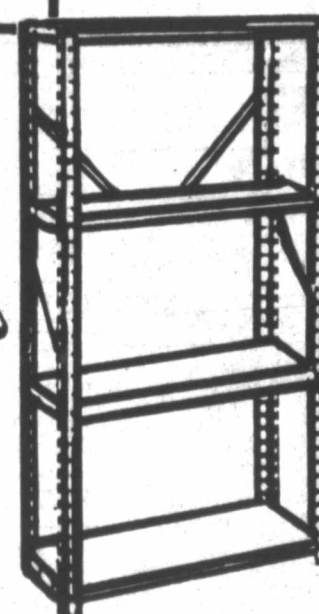
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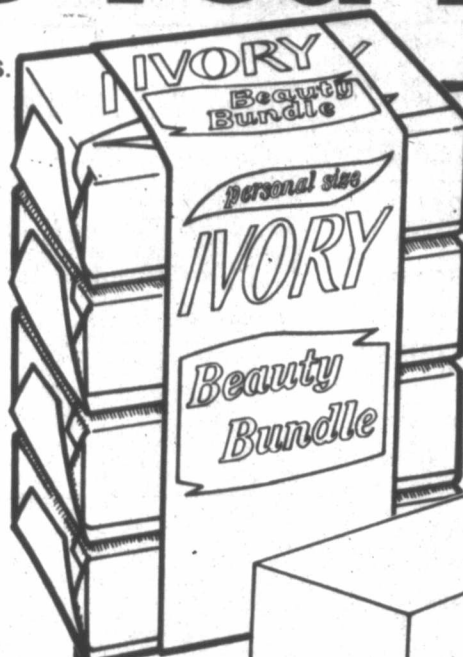
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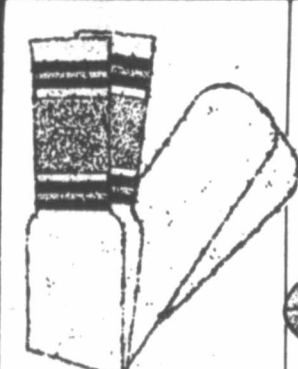
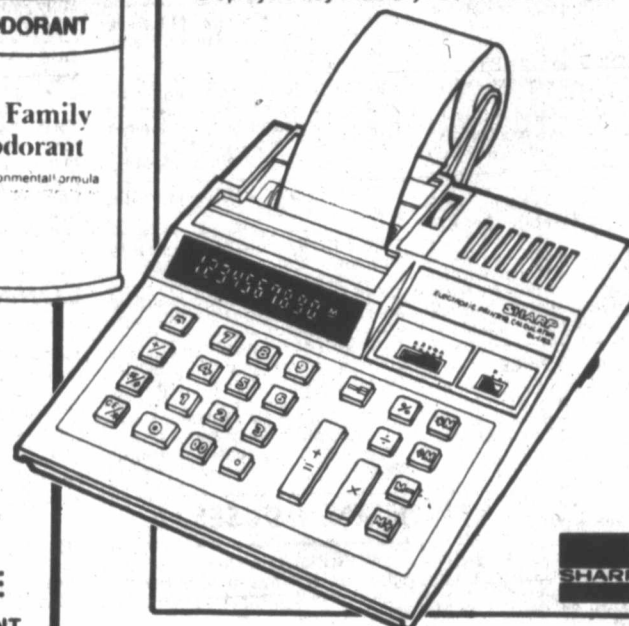
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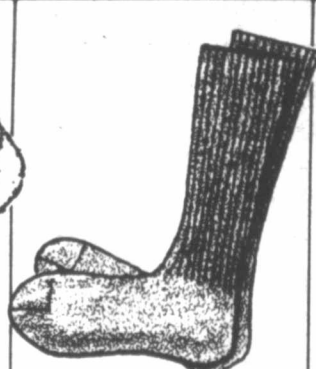


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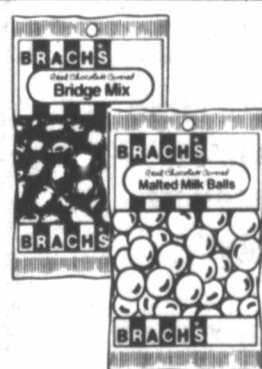
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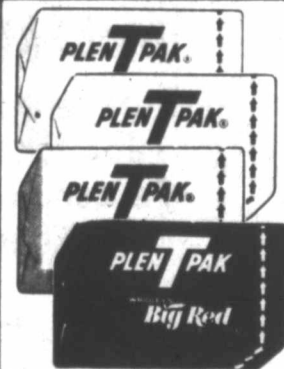
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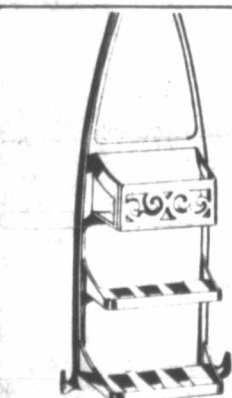
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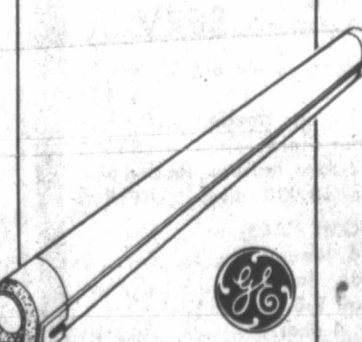
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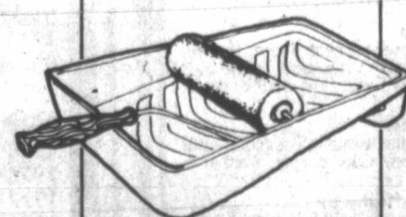
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