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**Wednesday update**

## FOR ADMISSION TO UNITED NATIONS

# US Opens Door To Vietnam

PARIS (AP)–The United States has agreed to drop its opposition to Vietnam's admission to the United Nations, a joint communique issued by the United Sates and Vietnam said today.

The comminique was read to newsmen by Vietnam's Deputy Foreign Minister Phan Hien at the efid of two days of talks with the U.S. delegation led by Asst. Secretary of State Richard Holbrooke. The announcement came after four hours of talks on the second day of the conference expected to led to establishment of diplomatic relations between the two governments.

The United States had previously vetoed Vietnam's application to the United Nations on three occasions. The last veto was in November 1976.

Hien said the two delegations would resume their talks in Paris within two weeks "to seek a rapid normalization of relations" betwen the two countries.

The communique said Hien and Holbrooke conferred for a total of seven hours Tuesday and Wednesday in the Vietnamese embassy in Paris to discuss "matters left behind by the war," and a normalization of relations.

The United States delegation "expressed its appreciation" of Vietnamese efforts to find the bodies of Americans missing in action in the Vietnam war, the communique ready by Hien said.

It added that the Vietnamese government would intensify its efforts to resolve the MIA problem and would provide additional information to the United States on missing American servicemen.


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## Filibuster Record Set

AUSTIN (AP)–Sen. Bill Meier set a world filibuster record of 43 hours today in a futile effort to block Senate passage of a bill closing state records on injured workers' claims to commercial use.

The bill was sent to the House on a 23-7 vote after Meier sat down to a standing ovation from his colleagues and several hundred spectators.

"Bravo" shouted spectators in the balcony.

Further debate was cut-off on a 17-12 vote.

"I appreciate the hand I got, but I sure would appreciate some votes," said Meier, after giving his two-day delaying fight at 10:20 a.m.

Senators filed by when the record was announced by Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and also after he rested to shake Mier's hand.

Meier passed the record of 42 hours, 33 minutes at 9:54 a.m.

By that time, he was swaying on his feet. He made his third and final trip to the restroom at 9:13 a.m.

## Tornado Swats School

By The Associated Press

One tornado slammed into a rural school and at least three more twisters menaced other areas in West Texas before the latest siege of nasty weather abated today.

Fierce thunderstorms and threats of funnel clouds kept residents over a broad area in that part of the state uneasy through the night. Brief torrential rains filled the streets at Wellington in the Panhandle, and sheriff's deputies reported hail up to the size of baseballs battered open country a little north of there.

The worst tornado swatted the Three Way School near the Maple community in Bailey County but surprisingly caused no injuries. A school bus driver, L.D. Sanderson, told of seeing the school's fieldhouse wrecked and heavy damage to a vocational agriculture building and a small apartment building. A Mobile home was upset. About 200 pupils attend the school from homes around Maple and Muleshoe.

## Tax Break Indicated

WASHINGTON (AP)-A $30 million tax break for independent oil men for the 1977 tax year is almost certain to become law since Sens. Lloyd Bentsen and Russell Long have overcome opposition from House members and the White House.

## The SDN Column

That Florida economist who says that it now costs parents $64,000 to "raise" a child and put it through college should be telling it to the Internal Revenue Service. At the present exemption rate of $750, the IRS allows a total of $16,500 for the 22 years that it normally requires to get a youngster from the cradle through college.

A few years ago, of course, the exemption was only $600.

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Somebody said that Golden Richards was referring to Clint Longley, the rattlesnake hunter and long bomb passer, and not Clint Murchison, the Dallas Cowboys owner, when he mentioned those speeding tickets during his speech to the Jaycees. Anyway he attributed it to Clint and it made an interesting segment in his address.

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Speaking of professional football, the first game of the season is going to be later than usual this year, since we understand the Coaches All-America game has been suspended. That means that the professionals will get in the first licks sometime in July and we won't have our season opener in June this time.

And hats off to the Dallas Cowboys organization for another proper move. They refused to get snowed under by men's lib, which means that their "non-cheerleaders" who parade up and down the sidelines in Texas Stadium will all be girls.

Perhaps we are old-fashioned, but we have always felt that the boys ought to be on the playing field and the girls on the sidelines at football games.

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The cactus patch philospher says that the tight skirts of prejudice shorten the steps of progress. —WACIL McNair.

## House Coalition Plans 2% Cut

AUSTIN (AP)–A liberal conservative House coalition today planned a two per cent cut in general revenue spending–except salaries–contained in the $15.7 billion general appropriation bill.

"I think they have the votes," said Rep. Bill Presnal, D-Bryan, chairman of the House Appropriations committee.

Rep. Tom Uher, D-Bay City, one of the sponsors of the proposed "meat ax amendment," said it would cut the budget bill by $118 million over the next two years.

"It's arbitrary as hell, but it something the agencies can live with," Uher said.

# Building In City Makes New Surge

Snyder building figures surged past the million dollar mark during the month of April, pushing the total for the city's current fiscal year above $5 million.

This virtually assured a new record for the fiscal year which still has five months to go.

A $750,000 permit for the Snyder Oaks Nursing Home was easily the biggest project for the month. However, residential permits accounted for approximately a quarter of a million dollars in permits during the past month.

The April total of $1,105,246 increased the total for this fiscal year to $5,416,189. The total for the entire fiscal year to $3,529,570. The total for the entire calendar year of 1976 was $5,483,417, which set an all-time record.

In all, there were 20 permits during April this year. Six were for new single-family residences, three were for mobile homes, three were for commercial buildings, six were for accessory buildings and two were for alterations to dwellings.

So far this fiscal year, permits have been issued for 33 new single-family dwellings and for 36 mobile homes.

SENIOR CITIZEN OF THE YEAR—Elmer Taylor, right, received the Senior Citizen of the Year Award yesterday at the annual RSVP awards luncheon. Making the presentation is Bill Forbes, president of the Sunrisers Kiwanis Club, which sponsors the award. (SDN Staff Photo).

# Claim Against Lo-Vaca Voided

AUSTIN (AP)–The Texas Supreme Court ruled today that Lo-Vaca Gathering Co. and Costal States Gas Producing Co. do not owe the Lower Colorado River Authority any money because of soaring rate increases since 1973.

The high court agreed with the Eastland Court of Civil Appeals ruling that threw out $25.2 million in damages awarded the LCRA by a trial court in Bryan.

It also said the Texas Railroad Commission now has "the duty" to isue a final order in the Lo-Vaca rate case and reserved the right to review the who question of Lo-Vaca's rates afresh.

Since September 1973, a "temporary" order of the commission has allowed Lo-Vaca to pay whatever price it must to obtain gas, then pass-through to customers that entire amount plus five cents per 1,000 cubic feet to cover its pipeline expenses.

The order's rationale was that it was in the public interest to allow the pass-through because Lo-Vaca was unable to make a profit by obtaining gas at prevailing field prices and sell it at the much lower price specified in its various supply contracts.

A temporary order cannot be appealed to the courts but a final order can. The high court's statement appeared to show it is eager to take on the Lo-Vaca gas rate issue.

The LCRA tried in its suit to hold Lo-Vaca and its corporate parent, Coastal States, to the price of less than 25 cents per 1,000 cubic feet specified in Coastal's 1962 contract with LCRA.

LCRA used the gas to fire the boilers with wich it generates electricity for its customers.

Gas prices began spiraling in 1973 and are now around $2 per 1,000 cubic feet.

The Bryan court found in July 1975 that Coastal and Lo-Vaca had breached their contract and owed LCRA the difference between the contract price and what the river authority had paid under protest.

LAWRENCE DEAVERS

## L. Deavers Wins Contest

Lawrence Deavers, 1201 20th Place, is the winner of last week's Snyder Merchants' Sizzler Contest.

He has been awarded $50 in "merchant money."

Anyone 18 years old or older may enter the sizzler contest each week. A contest ends at closing time of participating merchants on Saturday. A drawing is held on Monday to determine the previous week's winner, and the winner is announced in the Wednesday issue of The Snyder Daily News.

## Panel Asked To Share Disapproval

WASHINGTON (AP) – President Carter asked a special House energy committee today to share some of the disapproval he said would inevitably fall on the supporters ot his energy proposals.

"I'm willing to take on my shoulders as much of the blame as you wish," he told members of the special ad hoc energy committee at a White House meeting.

The meeting was set up after the President turned down the committee's request to be the first administration witness to tesify on the program.

"I would guess the energy legislation proposal is the most important domestic matter the Congress will address in many years," the President said.

RSVP HONORED—The Retired Senior Volunteer Program members and work stations were honored Tuesday at a fourth annual recognition and awards ceremony. Receiving a punch bowl, given by the First United Methodist Church, in behalf of the RSVP were, from left, Betsy Duncan, Marilyn Foster, and Kay Albin. (SDN STAFF PHOTO)

# Awards Made At RSVP Ceremony

Members of the Retired Senior Volunteer Program as well as organizations and agencies providing voluntary work stations for RSVP members were honored Tuesday at a fourth annual recognition and awards ceremony.

Declaring "gray is beautiful," Rev. David Robertson, pastor of the First United Methodist Church led the assembly in the invocation. Approximately 170 persons attended the ceremonies held at the Scurry County Coliseum.

In the course of the program, it was announced that the RSVP members had contributed approximately 60,000 hours of volunteer work since July, 1976. The RSVP organization is composed of approximately 329 members.

Senior Citizen of the Year award went to Elmer Taylor, a veteran of World War I. Making the presentation was Bill Forbes, president of the Sunrisers Kiwanis Club. Taylor is County Veterans Service Officer and active in the RSVP.

Two rounds of awards went to Marilyn Foster, RSVP secretary; Betsy Duncan, RSVP director; and to Kay Albin, senior center director. It was announced the three women will soon be leaving their positions with the local RSVP chapter.

Marilyn Foster and her husband, Ken, will be going to Quito, Ecuador, where Ken plans to teach. Wesley and Betsy Duncan will be moving to Cameron to operate a motel. Les and Kay Albin will be moving to Denton where he plans to do graduate college work.

The three women received a punch bowl set given by the First United Methodist Church in behalf of the RSVP and volunteer stations. Later, the three women were each given a silver tray by the

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## STORMY WEATHER

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Tuesday, 83 degrees; low, 63 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 67 degrees; precipitation, none; total precipitation for 1977 today, 6.79.

West Texas: Chance of thunderstorms most sections tonight. Partly cloudy Thursday. A little cooler north portion tonight and Thursday. Low tonight 50s north and upper 40s mountains to mid 60s southeast. High Thursday near 80 north to mid 90s Big Bend.

# s d n opinion page

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## why not freedom?

If President Carter and his top level advisers could bring themselves to suspend efforts to manage the lives of 215 million Americans for three or four days they might get an educational experience of great value.

Little has been done toward implementing the changes promised during last year's Presidential campaign. In spite of the fact, however, and notwithstanding damage to the economy from last winter's extreme cold, gross national product is up as compared with the same period a year earlier, employment continues to climb and unemployment is below expectations. The picture improved sufficiently to convince the President his $50 per person handout, erroneously labeled a tax rebate, wasn't needed.

The country is not out of the woods, economically speaking, by any means. Unemployment is unacceptably high. We are spending too much and selling too little abroad. The Federal budget is operating more deeply in the red than it was in the worst years of the so-called Republican depression.

But signs of economic strength have managed to show through without help from either Congress or the Administration. This is an indication that if given the opportunity the American people can and will eventually work themselves out of difficulties brought on by too much government.

It would be unrealistic to assume the idea of a managed economy can be junked all of a sudden or that the Federal budget can be balanced in one single operation. That is one of the unpleasant aspects of economic reality. The country is in much the same position as that of an alcoholic with 40 years of indulgence behind him. A confirmed alky can't all of a sudden become a teetotaler.

Withdrawal pains are not imaginary in either situation. They are real as rain. The welfare state, which this nation has become, can't be changed overnight. But the process could begin and this is what we were led to expect as as result of a change in the Presidency.

The disappointing fact of the present situation is that there is no sign a beginning is contemplated. Instead of fewer bureaucrats more are to be employed. Instead of getting Washington off the backs of the American people movement is in the opposite direction. More of the same seems to be the rule.

Maybe if national policymakers would knock off from trying to save the country and take a look at the whole picture they might decide to give the basic idea on which the nation was founded another chance to prove itself.

## experience ignored

One factor conspicuously missing from comments on possible steps which might alleviate our energy shortage is strict compliance with the 55 miles per hour speed limit.

Notice that we said "compliance" rather than "enforcement." It is impossible to enforce such a regulation to the letter, but it is possible to gain widespread compliance as the drivers of this nation proved when they became genuinely alarmed during the 1973 crisis.

When the drivers were in widespread compliance, there was an immediate, significant decline in the consumption of gasoline. Moreover, there was a reduction in highway traffic deaths that was nothing short of fantastic. These benefits are no longer matters of speculation, of guess work. They have been demonstrated by actual performance.

When you consider the fact that an automobile trip from Snyder to Dallas requires only around 45 minutes more time at 55 miles per hour than at 70 miles per hour you wonder why we are in such a hurry if you take into account the energy savings, plus the fact that we reduce our chances of being killed in a traffic mishap by nearly 50 per cent.

We do not always heed the lessons of experience.

"I don't know . . . what are we afraid of?"

## Quote/Unquote

### What people are saying . . .

Bob Newhart

"It's hard being friends with Don Rickles, but somebody has to do it."
—Actor-comedian Bob Newhart, in a recent interview.

"Outsiders would be shocked at the arrogance of supervisors. They have contempt for their own people who don't have the breaks and the education."
—Joseph Walker, a striking mail clerk at the NAACP.

"I guess I don't understand reporters; they're always asking me for self-analysis. I've been too darn busy being governor to worry about what's gone wrong."
—Washington Gov. Dixy Lee Ray.

"The religious nuts muddy the waters for everyone. People are looking for pseudoscientific explanations for God. There is a great urge to believe that U.F.O's are proof of extraterrestial intelligence."
—Dr. J. Allen Hynek, professor of astronomy at Northwestern University, speaking at the First International Congress on the U.F.O. Phenomenon.

"I shudder that people will say that we are Nazis who want to beat up kids."
—Peter Laarman, a spokesman for the American Federation of Teachers hailing the Supreme Court ruling that a school paddling incident in Miami, Fla., did not violate the Constitution's ban on "cruel and unusual punishments."

"Laos will need substantial foreign support for many years, in the medical field as in every other, before its people can be assured of a reasonable standard of health care. For the moment, they simply have to suffer, and sometimes die."
—A western official in Laos discussing the country's raging malaria outbreak.

"I feel we've really done this show, and not to the point of obnoxiousness, ad nauseum. Part of the painting is to know when to take your brush away and say it's finished."
—Louise Lasser, announcing her decision to leave Mary Hartman, Mary Hartman after this season.

"Those who lead Arab opinion to believe that peace can be restored in 1977 are playing with fire."
—Jordan's King Hussein, in a veiled reference to Egyptian President Anwar Sadat.

King Hussein

## Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

How to keep a stiff upper lip: Starch your mustache.

Not everyone who argues before the bar has a law degree.

An optimist is anyone over 13 who thinks it's possible to skateboard safely.

People who boast of playing a musical instrument by ear quite often would benefit from practicing some finger exercises.

Don't glow if someone says you're "priceless." They could be inferring you're not worth anything.

A colleague grumps that the boss is using the mails to defraud by mailing him his check.

Most plumbing trouble occurs when you try to fix it yourself.

An optimist is a fellow who thinks it's possible to thin old rubber cement.

## thoughts

For God did not give us a spirit of timidity but a spirit of power and love and self-control. — II Timothy 1:7.

"It is only through labor and painful effort, by grim energy and resolute courage that we move on to better things." — Theodore Roosevelt, 26th U.S. President.

## my turn...

jo ann nunley

April showers bring May flowers. It is definitely noticeable that this community is reaping beauty from the early showers of April. An effort by citizens who have the beauty of the land at heart is more than slightly responsible.

The Texas bluebonnets are in full bloom and spread over patches of yards in the city as well as rural homes and roads. Mrs. Ben Weathers, who has a home in the Lake Thomas area, related that wildflowers are in beautiful bloom. Mrs. Weathers, like others interested in the appearance of our country, scattered bluebonnet seeds last fall.

According to Texas Parks and Wildlife, the best known of the Texas bluebonnets is the Lupinus Texensis and grows well in Texas soil. It is planted by State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, garden clubs and wildflower enthusiasts.

Spring and summer are too late for planting bluebonnets. They suggest planting no later than the middle of November for flowering the following spring. Whatever effort is put into trying to raise bluebonnets or other flowers will be repaid many times over when greeted the following spring by the array of colors of the beautiful flowers, either in the well groomed yards, vacant lots, or along the roads and highways.

As a young girl in elementary school, I recall a celebration held the first day of May called May Day. It was a festive time when songs were sung as we danced around a Maypole holding the ends of ribbons that streamed from its top. We would weave back and forth until the Maypole was covered with bright colors. A king and queen were chosen to highlight the occasion.

We have gotten away from celebrating May Day but most everyone enjoys flowers decorating the homes, churches and places of work. Even those of us who can't claim to have a "green Thumb" should be able to plant seeds and grow the hardy Texas Bluebonnet.

## in washington

martha angle and robert walters

WASHINGTON — (NEA) — After the long struggle to get to Washington with their man as president, members of Jimmy Carter's staff finally made it last autumn — only to become seemingly more fascinated by the charms of Annapolis, Md., 35 miles to the east.

Between mid-November and late December of last year, no fewer than 73 Carter aides submitted to federal officials written travel authorization requests for trips to Maryland's state capital.

Collectively, the Carter staff proposed to spend an astounding total of 627 days in Annapolis while working on the presidential transition between election day and the inauguration.

The travel forms were filled out for the purpose of securing cash advances. The Carter aides received a total of more than $17,500 in such payments from the General Services Administration (GSA), the federal agency in charge of disbursing money from the $2 million government fund earmarked to finance the Carter transition.

But not one member of the Carter staff ever really intended to visit Annapolis and, in fact, none did. Instead, they used the "travel advances" to pay personal bills until they were able to begin collecting their first government paychecks.

In short, those Carter aides engaged in a deceptive financial maneuver in one of their earliest transactions in government — hardly an auspicious beginning for an administration whose candidate campaigned on a promise of "I will never lie to you" and who repeatedly emphasized his commitment to honesty and integrity in government.

The money now has been fully repaid. But the GSA officials responsible for reclaiming it say it took weeks and, in some cases, months to collect the funds, even after the Carter staff was drawing regular salary checks.

Among the recipients of the cash advances, most of which ranged in size from $200 to $300, were:

—Timothy E. Kraft, the President's appointments secretary.

—Barry L. Jagoda, Carter's principal television advisor.

—Mary Finch Hoyt, press secretary to the President's wife, Rosalynn.

—S. David Freeman, deputy to James Schlesinger, Carter's personal advisor on energy matters.

The explanations of those who received the money after signing the phony travel authorizations are virtually identical. Most of them spent a year or more working for low wages in the Carter campaign, and many were forced to go into debt or accumulate unpaid bills.

Those chosen to accompany the president-elect to Washington after the election looked forward to a healthy, regular paycheck — only to discover that they could get no money for a month or more because of the routine but aggravating bureaucratic delays while the payroll was being established.

In desperation, they say, they turned to the scheme of collecting advances for phantom trips. "I have no problem whatsoever with getting a salary advance through a travel authorization," said Jagoda, who collected more money than any other individual.

While all his colleagues confined themselves to one travel advance, Jagoda filed for two. He claimed that he planned to spend 25 days in Annapolis at an estimated minimum cost of $770.60. The maximum sought by an other aide was $310.50 for 15 days.

Use of the phony travel documents was coordinated by two young men on the Carter transition staff: Walter Kallaur, who was in charge of finances and who filed for a fictitious advance himself, and Jonathan Stein, Kallaur's deputy who signed and certified all the requests for money.

Kallaur and Stein claim that GSA officials, who actually paid out the funds, not only approved of the plan but initially suggested it.

"They're damned liars," said G.C. Gardner, the GSA official in charge of funding the Carter transition. "They falsified travel advances without our knowledge." Tomorrow we'll disclose what happened to Gardner after Carter moved into the White House.

(NEXT: Irreconcilable differences.)

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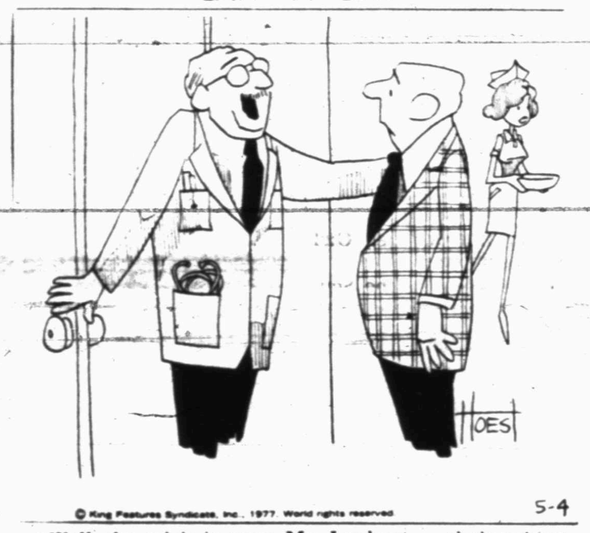


"Well, the crisis is over, Mr. Lenhart . . . she's asking for the store ads."

## john cunniff

capital shortage possible

By STEPHEN FOX
AP Business Writer

Menlo Park, Calif. (AP)- American industry could face a serious capital shortage in the next 10 years unless government spending is cut or business profitability improves, a senior economist at Stanford Research Institute says.

"There's good potential for a serious problem" Don Baron said in an interview. "We don't see the big problem as being on the demand side - it's on the savings side."

Baron, 34, bases his views on a study of anticipated demand for capital investment "by all sectors of the economy in order to achieve a satisfatory or desirable level of economic growth," compared with "the likely volume of saving that will be available for capital expenditures."

American businessmen may want to spend $50 billion more for capital goods in 1980 than they will be able to raise, Baron says. Capital expenditures are business outlays for new plants and equipment and also include housing construction. A shortage of capital investment funds could mean that industry will fall behind in modernizing its facilities and will not be able to expand production as rapidly as it would like.

Capital investment funds come from personal and government savings and from earnings retained by corporations. Baron says that while personal savings have been quite high in recent years, the gain has been more than offset by deficit budgets on the part of government and relatively low profits for corporations.

"The major recent trends are a very substantial increase in the level of personal savings and a large decline in the level of government savings," he said. "In the business sector, there's been an equally substantial decline in retained earnings."

Baron says personal savings increased in the 1970s because of "greater uncertainty not only on inflation but also on unemployment which has caused people to sock away more money than they would normally."

Personal savings during the 1960s were equal to about 4.5 per cent of the Gross National Product, the total value of all goods and services produced by the American economy, Baron says, and grew to about 6 per cent in 1975. However, the economist thinks the rate is beginning to go back down.

"There's very little reason on a historical basis to believe that people will continue to save at the current high levels," he said. "The 6 per cent is really much higher than normal, so we can't expect that level to maintain itself."

At the same time, says Baron, earnings retained by corporations have been declining for the past decade.

"Companies are not retaining more because basic profitability has been much less," he said. "Their gross profits have been good over the last four to five years, but when adjusted for inflation, they've been going down."

Net corporate profits after inflation were about 4 per cent of the Gross National product in 1965, Baron said, dropping to 2 per cent by 1970 and now running about 1.5 per cent.

The decrease in net profits present business with a two-sided problem, Baron believes.

"For the business sector, the decline implies that in order to meet its capital needs, business has to turn increasingly to external financing," he said.

"The need to seek external funds means internal profitability is not all it should be and that makes companies less worthy in the eyes of potential lenders."

Like the public, the federal government can either be a net saver, which means having a surplus budge, or a "dissaver," meaning having deficit budgets in which the goverment spends more than it collects in taxes. When this occurs, the federal government is forced to borrow the difference in the public debt markets by issuing government securities for which it is paid in cash.

Since the federal government commonly utilizes deficit budgets and personal savings are expected to decline, Baron sees trouble ahead for business.

"In a situation where the over-all pool of savings is likely to be insufficient and the government is a major borrower because of large deficits, business in effect becomes a second-class borrower and will have considerable difficulty in obtaining all the funds it needs at acceptable terms," he said.

Baron believes two things are necessary if a capital shortage is to be avoided in the next decade.

"There has to be more prudent economic behavior on the part of government- a genuine attempt to reduce budget deficits and thereby allow business greater access to the pool of funds," he said.

Also needed, in Baron's view, is a dramatic improvement in corporate profits so that business can finance expansion internally instead of paying excessive interest rates to borrow for capital investment.

(Editor's Note: John Cunniff is on vacation.

Sitting uses eight per cent less energy than standing.

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FIRST LADY OF THE YEAR—Mrs. Bobbie Joe Donelson was honored as First Lady of the Year by Lambda Kappa Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi. Standing with Mrs. Donelson are Mrs. Carolyn Fortune (right), past president of the sorority, and Mrs. Susan Chesser, president of the chapter.

## SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

**THURSDAY**

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: It isn't the mountain ahead that wears you out, it's the grain of sand in your shoe.

Beef Enchiladas w-Zesty Chili Sauce
El Rancho Beans
Chilled Garden Salad w-Dressing
Chocolate Cake w-White Icing
Hot Rolls & Butter
Milk

**SECONDARY SCHOOL**

**THURSDAY**

Steak Fingers w-Gravy
French Fries
Tossed Garden Salad w-Celery Seed Dressing
Applesauce
Cowboy Cookie
Milk

**FRIDAY**

Manager's Choice

VFW AUXILIARY INSTALLS OFFICERS—Earline Brooks installs the newly elected VFW Auxiliary officers for the coming year seated left to right are Shirley Minyard, president; Fay Doty, senior vice-president; Jeanne Buchanan, junior vice-president; Bonnie Timora, secretary; Willie Willingham, treasurer, (standing) Nell Fowler, chaplin; Floy Mathews, conductress; Dessie Dupuy, guard; Earline Brooks, one year trustee; Jean McCormack, two year trustee; and Juanita Land, three year trustee.

# Mrs. Mal Donelson Woman Of Year

Mrs. Bobbie Jo Donelson was honored as Woman of the Year by Lambda Kappa Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi at their annual Founders Day banquet Saturday night. Mrs. Donelson was honored for her outstanding contributions to community life in Snyder. Mrs. Donelson, wife of Mal Donelson is the mother of two children, Devin, 14 and Lawrie, 10, and has lived in Snyder for 10 years.

A member of the First Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Donelson has taught Sunday School for 20 years and is presently president of the United Presbyterian Woman Association. Mrs Donelson is active in Girl Scouting in Snyder, having served as program consultant on the Girl Scout Service Team. She is a Junior Girl Scout Leader having earned a 10 year pin in 1976 for her Girl Scout service.

As a docent for the Scurry County Museum, Mrs. Donelson is responsible for all Scurry County school children tours of the museum.

Mrs. Donelson is a member of the Stanfield P.T.A. and has held various offices. Also, Mrs. Donelson is a member of the recital committee of Western Texas Theatric Arts Centre, associate member of the Athenum Study Club, a den mother for the Boy Scouts and involved with the heart-fund, cancer, and United Way fund raising drives in Snyder.

In honoring Mrs. Bobbie Jo Donelson, Lambda Kappa joins other chapters around the world in honoring outstanding women who are making important contributions in community life, business, government, social welfare, research and education.

## BRIDGE

Oswald and Jim Jacoby

### Lead prepares lone rout

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Opening lead — 3 ♣

By Oswald & James Jacoby

At every table in the 1976 Olympiad the North-South pair got to three notrump and every declarer but one came home with nine or 10 tricks. The one who went down was more unlucky than unskillful.

Tim Seres of Australia opened the three of clubs. We aren't going to discuss the merit or lack of merit of this choice, but it sure worked.

East's jack lost to South's ace. South led a heart to dummy's jack and elected to lead a spade to try a jack finesse. A diamond lead would have been better, but poor South was really punished.

Seres took his queen of spades and proceeded to lead the 10 of clubs. South let this hold and when Seres continued with the eight spot South decided that Seres had started with queen-10-8-3 and finessed dummy's nine.

East's queen of clubs became the third defensive trick and they still had their two aces to complete the rout.

### Ask the Jacobys

Continuing on revokes our reader wanted to know the penalty for a second revoke.

It is the same as for the first revoke if made in a new suit. It is one trick if made in the same suit.

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# Miss Channing Helps Convict Two Men

BALTIMORE (AP)- Testimony by actress Carol Channing has led to the conviction of two men accused of stealing her $30,000 eggshell colored mink coat from a hotel suite last December.

The actress was the only witness in the non-jury trial of Dwight Dean, 20, and J.B. Elliett, 42, both of Baltimore.

Criminal Court Judge James A. Perrett declared both men guilty, but he delayed until June 2 deciding whether they were guilty of grand larceny or receiving stolen goods.

Miss Channing said she and her husband, Charles Lowe, were sleeping in an upstairs room of the suite when the coat was stolen. It was later recovered when two men tried to sell it on a street corner, police said.

AUXILIARY PRESENTS AWARDS—Mrs. Dessie Dupuy presented special awards recently at their post home to Jim Saunders, Juvenile Officer for the Snyder Police Dept. (left) and Elmer Taylor, VA Representative for Scurry County for their outstanding services.

# Dollhouses Growing Hobby

LONGVIEW, Wash. (AP)- For $5,000 Jerry LaBaron will sell you an all-electric dollhouse. For another $2,500 he'll sell you the furniture to go with it.

Don't scoff. The dollhouse business is booming and LaBaron's says its the third fastest growing hobby in the world, trailing only stamp and coin collecting.

LaBaron, owner of a Portland, Ore., shop which specializes in dollhouses and miniature furnishings said at a recent workshop that his dollhouse range in price from $19.95 to $5,000.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**WEDNESDAY**

Sparkle City Squares will meet for lessons at National Guard Armory at 8:30 p.m.

**THURSDAY**

Twilight Garden Club will meet for covered dish dinner at Mrs. Sterling Parker's, 2701 34th St.; 7 p.m.

The Snyder Newcomers Club will meet for the monthly salad luncheon at the home of Janet Moseley, 4501 Garwood at 11 a.m. If you are not contacted and wish to make reservations for the nursery call 573-0098.

Hermleigh Lions Club will meet at Hermleigh Community Center, 7 p.m.

Snyder Writers' Guild will meet at the West Texas State Bank Community Room at 7:30 p.m.

Snyder Garden Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Connell for a luncheon and installation of officers.

**FRIDAY**

Covered dish luncheon, Senior Citizens Center at WTC. Table games begin at 9:30 a.m.

BAKE SALE PREPARATIONS—Mrs. Pat Snider, left, president of Scurry Charter Chapter, ABWA and Mrs. Anita Brown, ways and means chairman are preparing for a bake sale to be held Saturday May 7, at Furr's starting at 9 a.m.

# Sixth Grade Choirs To Present Musical

The sixth grade choirs from all elementaries are to present a musical in costumes Thursday, May 5, at 7:30 p.m. at the high school auditorium.

This program is planned in conjunction with National Music Week and there is no admission charge. The public is invited to come and hear the musical entitled "Its Music."


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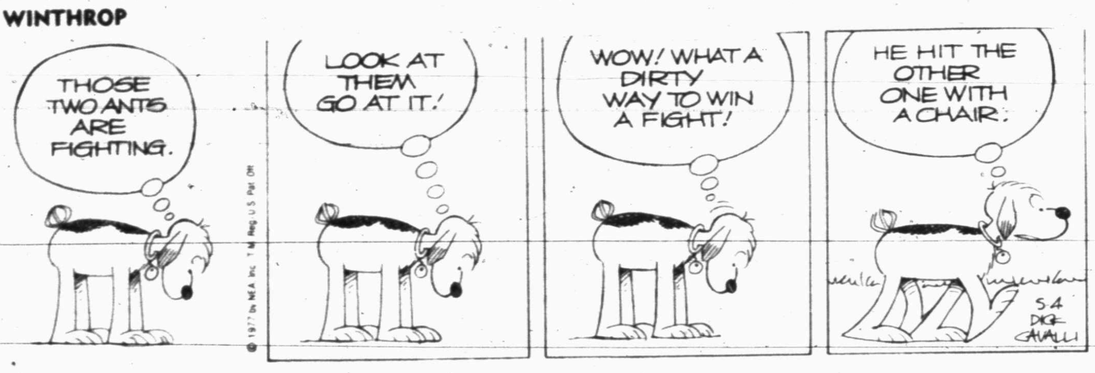


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1 Bull contents
4 Winnow
8 Uses chair
12 Type of jacket
13 Folk knowledge
14 Eye infection
15 Zest
16 Makes perfect score
17 Erin
18 Colorado park
20 And so on (2 wds., Lat. abbr.)
22 Comedian Sparks
23 Haggard novel
25 Position
27 Rube
31 Plays in ocean
34 Asia Minor mountain
35 Thick slice
37 Festive
38 Poet Pound
40 Kind of cloth
42 Modern
43 Kind of automobile
45 Shows respect
47 Sensible
49 Interdiction
50 Place
52 Compass point
54 Element
58 Indian
60 Hawaiian food staple
62 I possess (contr.)
63 Religious denomination
64 Brilliance
65 Convene
66 Catch
67 Cincinnati ball club (abbr.)
68 Mental component (pl.)

**DOWN**

1 Smoker's item
2 Instruments of Hawaii
3 Irish clan
4 Cuts
5 Olympic board (abbr.)
6 Release from restraint
7 Studies
8 Compass point
9 Errant
10 City of Phoenicia
11 Plant beginning
19 Curvy letter
21 On same side
24 Electric fish
26 Yank
27 Comes
28 Ax
29 Ruler
30 Raised platform
32 Lam
33 Cuts
36 Blurt out
39 Auto club
41 Horns
44 Compass point
46 French article
48 Stage direction
50 Destructive insect
51 Animal waste chemical
53 Wool
55 Conditionally
56 Latin poet
57 Fishing aids
59 Summer (Fr.)
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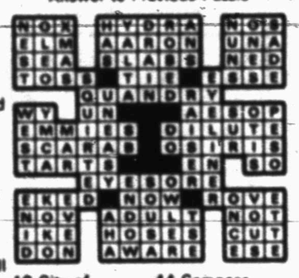
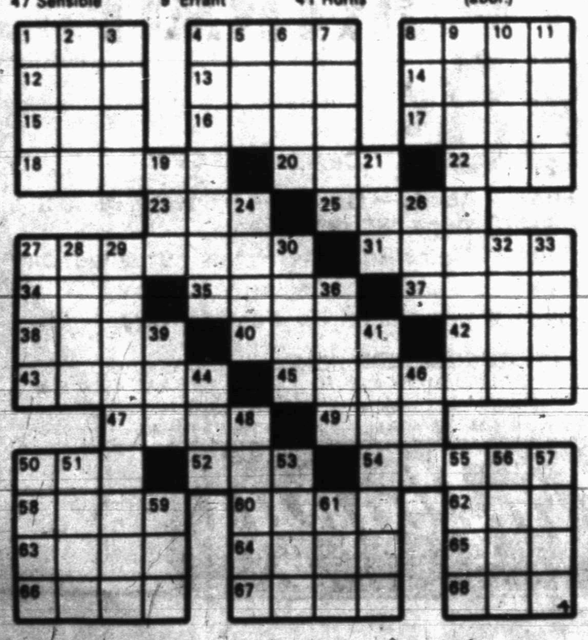
Answer to Previous Puzzle





# Tigers Twist Tornadoes For 3-3A Championship

BY BILL McCLELLAN

Under threatening skies yesterday, the Tigers put together their own kind of whirlwind to spin the Tornadoes, 12-5. And what should emerge from whirling winds the Snyderites fabricated? A district championship, for sure.

It didn't look that way in the beginning. Snyder's forces took while in the building. And for the first several innings there was no wind at all, as Bobby Doe, receiver of the Robert Hobbs award at Monday's all-sports banquet, kept pitching...and Lamesa kept hitting.

The Tornadoes scored first as S. Whitiker pointed from third on a sacrifice from J. Robinson. To even the score, Tracy Witherspoon crossed home plate on an Anthony Lewis double.

Lamesa picked up their third hit off Doe and two more runs in the bottom of the second frame. K. Lybrand and M. Hughes scored. Hughes made his first run from third when a pitch got by catcher Witherspoon, rolled up the wire mesh which protects the spectators, and took it's time coming back down. The Tigers were unprepared for the occurrance, which allowed an alert Hughes to score.

It wasn't until the third inning that the Tigers began their roar. It was more of a growl, really, from deep down. And it rose until it was well out into the open.

Coach Albert Lewis pulled a frustrated Bobby Doe from the mound and sat him in this native ground of short stop. It's his home, his territory. It--his attitude, his hard work and dedication--are what won him the Hobbs award. Bobby's been a good pitcher for the Tigers, but he's been terrific at short stop.

Move number two...Lewis replaced Doe on the mound with Ricky Beard, named outstanding player and Tiger athlete of the year at the Monday banquet. The growl began to rise, the wind started to spin. The Tigers came alive.

Doe, who went on to have perhaps his best afternoon of the season, tripled to set the Tigers in motion. Witherspoon walked and Scott Crenweige singled to bring in Doe. Time was called for another pitching change--from the Lamesa bench this time--and starter Martinez was replaced with Keith Lee.

Lee walked Anthony Lewis which filled the diamond, then walked Mitch Mackey which forced in Witherspoon for the tying point. Next-up Sid Everton singled to bring home Crenwelge for the go-ahead run, and Ollison walked, forcing in Billy Stephens, running for Lewis.

Doe, who was batting in the clean-up position at the game's outset, did exactly that. As the order rounded to Doe again, the senior slot man tripled once more bringing in Mackey, Everton and Ollison...and finally himself when Lamesa third baseman C. Batchelor errored in an effort to make the play. Doe's efforts brought in four runners, tons of praise from teammates, and the ninth Snyder point.

In the sixth inning, Snyder wound up again. Dray Sikes singled and Doe singled for his third hit of the day. A double steal moved the runners to second and third with Beard in the batter's box. The senior hurler, who collected his 10th win this season singled to load the bases. Witherspoon, also having a top-flight day, doubled. All in all, the Tigers added three more runs, as Sikes, Doe and Beard scored.

Lamesa threatened again in the sixth and seven periods, but two runs from Amaro and Gasaras totaled five for the Tornadoes--well afar from Snyder's dozen.

Which would Bobby Doe have preferred, going the distance on the mound for a win, or slapping the fourth inning triple which served as a shot of adrenalin to the Tigers?

"I like it just the way it was," he beamed, admist receiving congratulations for his day's efforts. "I'm glad Beard got the win. I like it just like it was." No one doubts it.

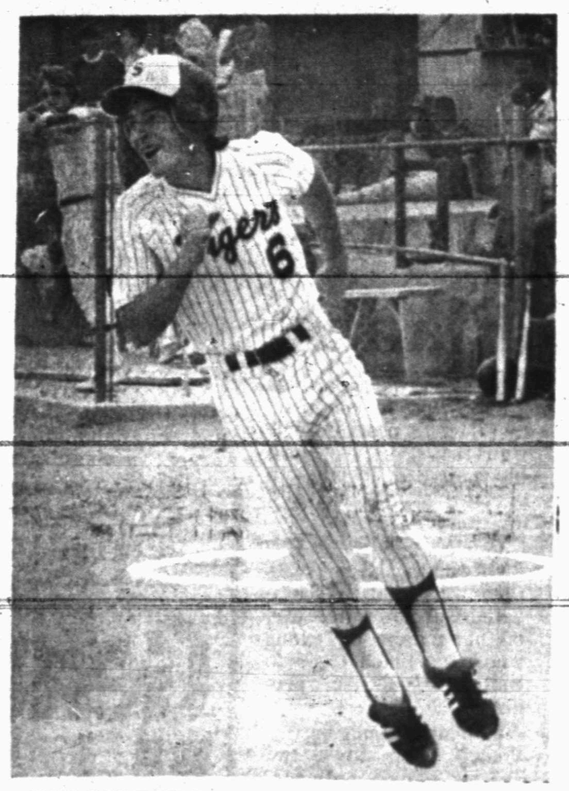
Beard allowed three hits, three runs, no walks and struck out one.

Albert Martinez, charged with the loss, allowed four hits, five runs, two walks and fanned two. Keith Lee allowed seven hits, seven runs, two walks and struck out one. Jones, who replaced Lee in the sixth inning, allowed three hits, no runs, walked none and struck out nine.

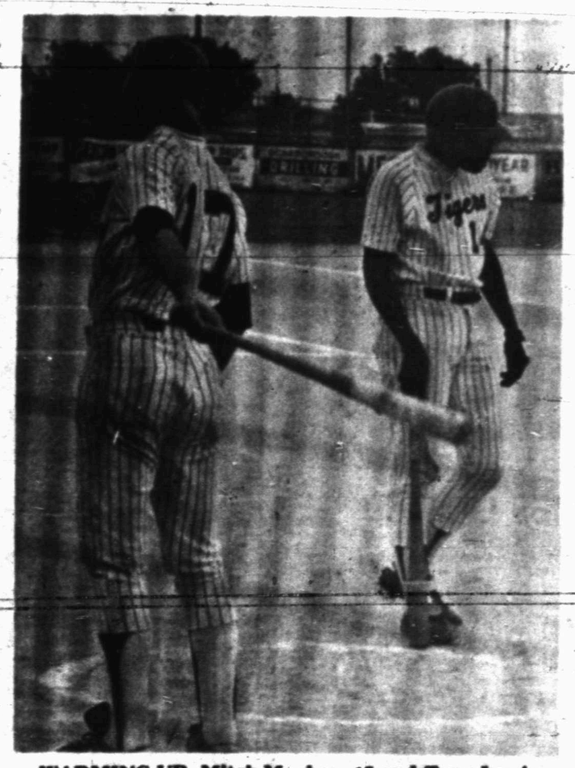
The district champs, at 16-9 for the season and 8-1 in district play, will host Brownfield at 1 p.m. Saturday.

| SNYDER | AB | R | H |
|---|---|---|---|
| D. Sikes, 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| A. Ollison, cf | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| B. Doe, p,ss | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| R. Beard, lf-p | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| T. Witherspoon, c | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Degrate, pr | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| S. Crenwelge, rf | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Stephens, pr | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| A. Lewis, 1b | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| M. Mackey, dh | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| S. Everton, 3b | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| D. Zajieck, pr | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| R. Tate, sub | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| D. Lee, ss | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 26 | 12 | 13 |

| LAMESA | AB | R | H |
|---|---|---|---|
| A. Matinez, p | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Lee, Sub | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jones, sub | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| S. Whitiker, c | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| A. Moralei, ss | 4 | 0 | 2 |
| J. Robinson, cf | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| B. Amaro, 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| J. Goolsby, 2b | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Gasaras, ph | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| K. Lybroand, rf | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| M. Hughes, lf | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 24 | 5 | 5 |



DOE DELIVERS--Snyder needed runs and Bobby Doe, short stop, delivered four of them in the fourth inning. The senior player accounted for 4 RBI's, three scores and three hits--two of them triples--for an afternoon's work. (SDN Staff Photo)



WARMING UP--Mitch Mackey, 17 and Tony Lewis stand near the warm up box during yesterday's Snyder-Lamesa game. Both players walked, and were knocked in on Bobby Doe's four-run triple minutes later. The Tigers won the game, 12-5, and earned the district 3-AAA championship.

## League Standings

By The Associated Press

American League

EAST

| | W. | L. | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Milwkee | 14 | 7 | .667 | — |
| N York | 13 | 9 | .591 | 1½ |
| Balt | 10 | 9 | .526 | 3 |
| Boston | 10 | 10 | .500 | 3½ |
| Toronto | 10 | 14 | .417 | 5½ |
| Detroit | 8 | 14 | .364 | 6½ |
| Cleve | 7 | 13 | .350 | 6½ |

WEST

| | W. | L. | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Minn | 15 | 9 | .625 | — |
| K C | 13 | 9 | .591 | 1 |
| Chicago | 12 | 9 | .571 | 1 |
| Chicago | 12 | 9 | .571 | 1½ |
| Oakland | 11 | 10 | .500 | 2½ |
| Texas | 11 | 9 | .550 | 2 |
| Calif | 9 | 15 | .375 | 6 |
| Seattle | 9 | 17 | .346 | 7 |

Tuesday's Results

Minnesota 5, Cleveland 4, 10 innings
Milwaukee 6, Toronto 2
Seattle 10, Boston 8
Texas 13, Detroit 0
New York 8, California 1
Chicago 8, Kansas City 4
Only games scheduled

Wednesday's Games

Minnesota Redfern 1-3 at Cleveland Dobson 0-3
Milwaukee Travers 3-2 at Toronto Singer 0-4, n
2 at Boston Cleveland 1-2, n
Texas Alexander 3-1 at Detroit Bare 0-2, n
California Tanana 4-0 at New York Hunter 1-0,n
Chicago Knapp 3-1 at Kansas City Colborn 4-1, n

Thursday's Games

Milwaukee at Toronto, n
Seattle at Boston, n
Oakland at New York, n

National league

EAST

| | W. | L. | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pitts | 13 | 7 | .650 | — |
| S Louis | 13 | 8 | .619 | ½ |
| Montreal | 10 | 8 | .556 | 2 |
| Chicago | 9 | 9 | .500 | 3 |
| Phila | 9 | 10 | .474 | 3½ |
| N York | 9 | 11 | .450 | 4 |

WEST

| | W. | L. | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Los Ang | 19 | 4 | .826 | — |
| Cinci | 10 | 11 | .476 | 8 |
| Houston | 9 | 13 | .409 | 9½ |
| S Fran | 8 | 13 | .381 | 10 |
| Atlanta | 8 | 15 | .348 | 11 |
| S Diego | 9 | 17 | .346 | 11½ |

Tuesday's Results

Chicago 9, Houston 0
Pittsburgh 8, Atlanta 7, 11 innings
Philadelphia 8, San Diego 7, 10 innings
Los Angeles 4, New York 1
Montreal 3, San Francisco 2
Only games scheduled

Wednesday's games

Houston Andujar 2-1 at Chicago Bonham 2-2
Montreal Hannahs 1-2 at San Francisco Barr 3-2
Pittsburgh Demery 0-1 at Atlanta Messersmith 2-1, n
St. Louis Forsch 4-1 at Cincinnati Zachry 2-3, n
Philadelphia Lerch 3-1 at San Diego Jones 1-4, n
New York Matlack 1-3 at Los Angeles John 1-1, n

Thursday's Games

Houston at Chicago
Montreal at San Francisco

# Dorsett Won't Come So Cheap

DALLAS (AP)--All Tony Dorestt wants is what Ricky Bell got. And Tony knows because both All-Americans have the same agent.

Bell, the Southern California speedster who sent to Tampa Bay Tuesday as National Football League No. 1 draft choice, received a five-year contract raning from $1.24 million to $1.5 million.

Dorsett, the Heisman Trophy winner from Pittsburgh, was snared by the powerful Dallas Cowboys after an exchange of draft choices with the expansion Seattle Seahawks.

Wearing what appeared to be a green and blue jogging suit, Dorsett made a quick flying trip to Dallas and said he would play for the Cowboys if offered a contract similar to Bell's.

"I'd love to play for $1.5 million," said Dorsett. "But that between my agent Mike Troup and the Cowboys."

Dorsett added "I hope we can get an agreement soon so I can concentrate on getting ready for football season. I do feel I'm worth as much as anybody in professional football. I must be worth something for the Cowboys to sacrifice four draft choices."

Cowboy Gen. Mgr. Tex Schramm said the contract negotiations with Dorsett would be "agonizing."

"We will try to sign Tony at a figure commensurate with a player of his ability," said Schramm.

Dorsett produced an outpouring of media seldom rivaled by a sports figure in Dallas. Three television stations televised live his press conference at Dallas-Fort Worth airport.

He was on two talk shows besides giving one-on-one interviews with writers and other radio newsmen.

Dorsett held up a blue and white jersey with a No. 33 on it and said "I know who played in this jersey down here (Duane Thomas. Duane was Duane and had his own style. "I'm a drastic difference from Thomas myself."

The outgoing Dorsett said "I'd like to get things settled so I can take some handoffs from Roger the Dodger Cowboy quarterback Roger Staubach."

Dorsett said he has always been impressed afar by the Dallas organization and said of Coach Tom Landry: "His actions speak louder than his words. The Cowboys know what they are doing and it all starts with the coach."

Dorsett said he would go to Canada if Dallas doesn't meet his demands but added "I like being affiliated with class. I prefer the NFL because you can get lost in the shuffle in Canada."

'BOUT READY--The "Busters," coached by Darrell Lester and Ramsey Teccero, put together final battle preparations for the powder puff football game at Snyder Stadium at 7 p.m. Thursday. Tickets will be available at the gate for $1.50 for adults and $1 for students. (SDN Staff Photo)

# Ira Duo Wins Jr Tennis Meet

Ira placed two winners during the 11-B district junior high tennis finals held here yesterday. Julie Kellner, a sixth grader, won girl's singles with a 6-4, 6-3 final showing aganist Roby's Mary Clayton.

In boy's singles, Robert Mitchell swept Loraine's David McAdams 6-2, 6-3 to win for the Bulldogs.

Also placing for Ira were the doubles team of Sandy House and Kelly Bryant. Sandy and Kelly took third place in girl's doubles with a 6-0, 6-0 win over Lori Fuqua and Melinda Roemisch of Hermeleigh.

Roby's Jill Wright and Tammy Stephens defeated schoolmates Darlene Herron and Leslie Carey, 6-2, 6-4 to win the girl's doubles event.

Winning in boy's doubles were Joe Don Guelker and Scott Thompson of Roby, who defeated James Street and John Morganson (Roby) 6-2, 7-6.

Tracy Warren of Hermleigh took fourth place in girl's singles, and Todd Ethridge of Hobbs took fourth in boy's singles.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GOING TO AUSTIN—These Ira High School students will compete in the state UIL meet this weekend at Austin. From left are Maria Burrow, Fred Kesner and Kathy Huddleston.

# 3 Ira Students In State Meet

Ira–Ira High School has three students qualified to compete in four events at the state University Interscholastic League literary Meet this weekend at Austin.

They are Maria Burrow, Fred Kesner and Kathy Huddleston.

Miss Burrow, a junior, won first place in typing and second place in the regional meet at Levelland, which means that she is qualified to compete in both of these events at Austin. This will be her second journey to Austin in two years. She represented Ira in spelling last year at the state meet.

Kesner, also a junior, is representing Ira for the second year at the state meet in persuasive speaking. He placed second in the regional meet this year and was third in the state meet last year.

Miss Huddleston, a senior, will be competing at the state meet for the first time after winning second place at the regional meet in newswriting.

Mrs. O.B. Trulock, business teacher at Ira High School, and Mrs. Marshall Parham, English teacher, are instructors and sponsors of the students going to Austin.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Vera McSpadden, 2012 Towle Park Rd.; Kenneth Wilson, Rt. 1, Box 155; Daniel Calaway, 2311 42nd; Patsy May, Box 73, Hermleigh; Kay Ashworth, 2409 30th; Easter Smith, 501 35th; Ira Lee Norred, 111 Lubbock Hwy.; Lee Garza, Rt. 2, Box 31; Maria Weeks, Box 73, Hermleigh; Rona Dell Potter, Box 808; Christopher Woodard, Rt. 3, Box 224; Barbara Wilkinson, Rt. 3, Box 182.

DISMISSALS: Linda Eaton, Emily Taylor, Louis Sprague, Mrs. Earl Abell and baby girl, Jane Thomas, Gregoria Dominguez, Vera McSpadden, Wright Huddleston, Annie Rhodes, Mae Brush, Benito Rodriguez, Gertrue Green, Mary Franks.

# MARKETS

## Midday Stocks

By The Associated Press

| | |
|---|---|
| Alcoa | 57¼ up ¼ |
| AT&T | 63⅝ |
| Armco | 28⅛ dn ⅛ |
| Atl Rich | 58⅝ dn ¼ |
| Beth Stl | 34⅝ |
| Borden | 34⅝ up ⅛ |
| Brit. Pet. | 15⅛ up ⅛ |
| Cat Trac | 55⅝ |
| Celanese | 53 up ¼ |
| Chrysler | 18⅛ dn ¼ |
| Cities Svc | 40⅛ dn ⅛ |
| Coca Cola | 75⅞ up ½ |
| Cont Oil | 36⅛ up ¼ |
| Dr. Pepper | 11⅝ |
| Dow Chem | 37⅛ |
| du Pont | 127 |
| DXL | 12⅝ up ⅛ |
| Eastman | 62⅛ dn ¼ |
| El Paso NG | 17⅛ |
| Exxon | 52⅛ dn ¼ |
| Fairchild Cam | 29⅞ up ⅛ |
| Ford | 56⅝ |
| Gen Elec | 54⅛ up ⅛ |
| Gen Foods | 37 dn ⅛ |
| Gen Mtrs | 69⅝ up ⅛ |
| Gen Tel | 30⅛ |
| Gen Tire | 28 up ⅛ |
| Goodrich | 29⅞ up ¼ |
| Great A&P | 11 dn ⅛ |
| Gulf Oil | 28⅛ dn ⅛ |
| Gif St Ut | 13⅛ dn ⅛ |
| IBM | 269⅞ dn ¼ |
| Int Paper | 57¼ dn ⅛ |
| Jim-Man | 35 dn ⅛ |
| John Joh | 64⅛ |
| Litton | 14 dn ¼ |
| Marat Oil | 51⅞ up ⅛ |
| Mobil Oil | 66⅝ |
| Monsanto | 78⅛ |
| Penney | 38 up ¼ |
| Phill Pet | 54⅝ dn ¼ |
| RCA | 30⅛ up ¼ |
| Safeway | 47⅛ up ⅛ |
| Sears | 58⅛ up ¼ |
| Sony | 9⅛ dn ⅛ |
| Sou Pac | 35⅝ dn ⅛ |
| Stand Oil Cal | 42 |
| Stand Oil Ind | 53⅝ dn ⅛ |
| Sun Co | 43 |
| Texaco | 26⅝ |
| Texas Inst | 81⅛ dn ¼ |
| Un Carbide | 54 up ⅛ |
| Uniroyal | 9⅝ up ⅛ |
| USSteel | 45⅝ up ⅛ |
| Woolworth | 24⅛ up ¼ |
| Xerox Cp | 44⅝ up ⅝ |

## Grain

CHICAGO (AP)—Wheat No 2 hard red winter 2.40⅝n Wednesday; No 2 soft red 2.40⅝n. Corn No2 yellow 2.47⅝n hopper 2.42n box. Oats No 2 heavy 1.80. Soybeans No 1 yellow 10.07⅝n.

No 2 yellow corn Tuesday was quoted at 2.49n hopper 2.45½n box.

## Livestock

FORT WORTH (AP)—Cattle and calves 300.

Limited sales all livestock steady, but poorly tested.

Slaughter cows cutter an utility 1-3 22.00-27.00. Feeder steers, good and choice 450-600 lbs 36.00-38.75. Good 300-450 lbs 36.00-40.50. Feeder heifers good and low choice 300-600 lbs 31.00-34.50.


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# RSVP

(Continued from page 1)

RSVP.

Receiving awards for publicity were the Snyder Daily News, KSNY Radio, and Aline Parks, publicity chairman for Western Texas College. Also honored during the ceremonies were the Sunrisers Kiwanis Club, the City of Snyder and the Scurry County Commissioners Court.

Receiving recognition were members of the RSVP Advisory Council. The RSVP Advisory Council is composed of Ruby Anderson, Evelyn Boone, H.F. Clark, Fred Davis, Herman Doak, Mayor John Fagin, Dr. Gil Fleer, Rev. Thomas Jordan, Mildred Lewis, M.W. Pilcher, Lida Rhoades, Rosa Walker and County Judge Preston Wilson.

Agencies and organizations providing volunteer work stations for RSVP members were also honored during the awards ceremonies. They include the Scurry County Library, the local multiple sclerosis chapter, Trinity United Methodist Church, Snyder Chamber of Commerce, the March of Dimes, Senior Citizens' Center, United Way, Northeast Elementary, Central Elementary, Snyder Child Day Care Center, Western Texas College (EMT Dept.) and the Snyder Girl Scouts.

Other volunteer stations honored were the Scurry County Museum, Goodfellows, First United Methodist Church, First Baptist Church, Scurry County Association of Retarded Citizens, Cogdell Memorial Hospital, Scurry County Heart Fund, Scurry County Retired Teachers Association, Leisure Lodge, Inc., Garage Sale for Retarded Citizens, Sunrisers Kiwanis Club, the Snyder Kiwanis Clubs, Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, American Cancer Society, and the American Association of Retired Persons.

Volunteers enrolled in the RSVP during 1976-77 were also given special recognition. They are Geraldine Armstrong, Vera Baize, Cora Baker, Lester Baker, Susie Black, Lelia Burrow, Mrs. Bennie Caldwell, Everett Clarkson, Cuca Contreras, Ethel Dunn, Winnie Dever, Agnes Dolge, Paulyne Eaker, Vallie Eoff, Polly Gideon, Toy Gideon, Edith Hamman, Ethel Hanson, and Lovilla Holladay.

Other new volunteers enrolled include Annie Holt, Mrs. Zoe Horton, Mrs. Leslie Hudman, Mrs. O.B. Jackson, Verda Johnson, Connie Kelley, Mattie Kimbrough, Ida Mae King, Lida Lane, Emmett Lee, Pauline Lee, Doris Lock, Edna McConnell, Lula McDowell, Felicia Morgan, Ruth Pickett, Mrs. Clovis Robinson, Andy Roe, Ruth Roe, C.J. Smith, Iva Thompson, Arven Townsend, Ernest Townsend, Millie Tutor, Sybil Wiley, and Opal Woodard.

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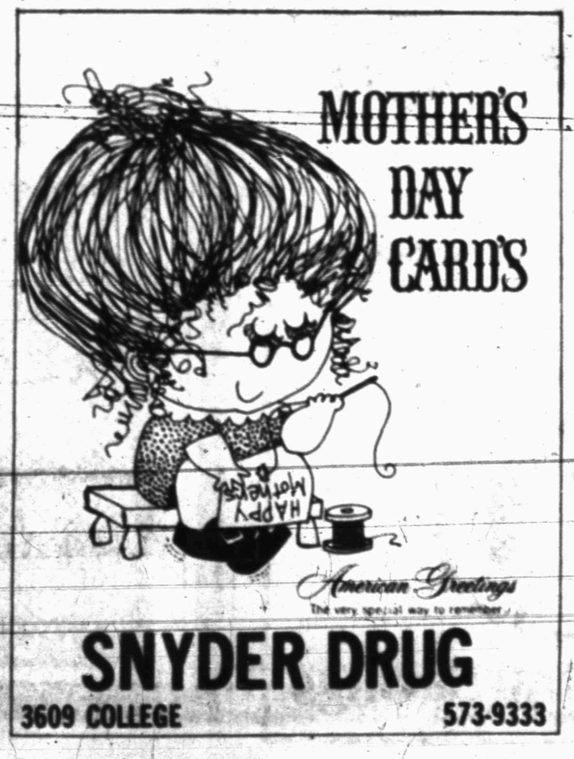


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# Antics Mask Surplus Misery

AUSTIN (AP)-Horseplay comes naturally to Texas legislators, so cow-calls and a mechanical monkey clanging away on a representatives chair were not surprising.

What might surprise their brother legislators in other states is the misery that the clowning masks in a lawmaking body that enjoys a $1 billion treasury surplus.

Taxes based on soaring oil and gas prices and Sunbelt economic growth built the surplus. It also enabled Comptroller Bob Bullock to predict that 1978-79 revenue will exceed current spending by $2 billion.

The surplus, plus the $2 billion projected tax growth, led to the oft-repeated but false notion that Texas has a $3 billion surplus.

Revenue growth has freed Texans from the bite of new taxes since 1971, and Gov. Dolph Briscoe smilingly told them the tax freeze will continue through 1981 if he is reelected next year.

Legislators aren't smiling though, as the May 30 deadline for adjournment draws near.

The House has spent six days trying to cut the $15.7 billion two-year state budget bill so enough money will be left for other things.

At Briscoe's insistance, the legislature spent $528 million of the new money on highway construction. Farmers and ranchers want school tax relief, at state expense. Teachers, a powerful lobby that can't be ignored, want a pay raise and more generous retirement benefits.

## Inter-Faith Services Are Slated Here

Plans for holding special inter-faith services here Thursday and Friday have been announced by Gerald Davis, pastor of Redeemer Temple Christian Outreach in Odessa.

The services are set for 7:30 p.m. Thursday and for 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Friday in the Fine Arts Building at Western Texas College.

Rev. Davis and his son, Jerry, will be here for all three special services.

Rev. Davis, here as a guest of several area share groups, said he had observed "the breaking down of denominational walls and a sweeping spirit of love among people from all the different church backgrounds."

Special music and new "scripture choruses" will be highlights of the services.

# Panel Approves 12 A7E Planes

WASHINGTON (AP)-The Senate Armed Services Committee has approved a military procurement bill that authorizes construction of 12 new A7E fighter planes, twice the number authorized by the House in the fiscal 1978 Pentagon procurement bill.

The Carter administration had asked that the A7E program be ended.

The next step toward the A7E's survival would be approval by the full Senate of the procurement authorized by the committee. Then, both the House and Senate would have to appropriate the money for the planes.

Sen. John Tower, R-Tex., said after the approval Tuesday he is confident that the A7E program will continue: "The alternative is to pull old planes out of the Navy inventory."

Tower, a member of the Armed Services Committee and its Tactical Air subcommittee, was one of a number of Texans who have taken steps to continue the A7E program.

The plane is built by the Vought Corp. in Grand Prairie, Tex., between Dallas and Fort Worth. The corporation's aircraft construction employment has been declined steadily since the height of the Vietnam War.


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## OBITUARIES

### Mrs. Davis

Mrs. Natha Davis, 65, who lived at 2101 43rd Street, died at 3:35 p.m. Tuesday at her home.

Funeral service has been set for 4 p.m. today at the Bell-Seale Funeral Home Chapel. Sam Kitching, minister of East Side Church of Christ, will officiate. Following the service here, the body will be taken to Whitney for graveside rites and burial in the Whitney Cemetery, with Bell-Seale Funeral Home in charge.

A native of Scurry County, Mrs. Davis had returned here 14 months ago after living in Whitney for a number of years. She was married on July 8, 1934, at Barstow to Tex E. Davis. He preceded her in death in 1973.

Surviving are four sisters, Mrs. Ava LoPour and Mrs. May Huddle, both of Snyder, Mrs. Exa Grant and Mrs. Rosa Hodnett, both of Ira; and two brother, Jim Sorrells of Ira and Ernest Sorrells of Dunn.

### Mahannah

Word has been received here of the death of Frank Mahannah, 42, of Clayton, N.M. Mr. Mahannah died at 3:30 a.m. Tuesday.

Services are set at 2 p.m. Thursday in Clayton, N.M.

Surviving are his wife, two children, his parents, a brother, Fred Mahannah, all former residents of Snyder; two sisters, including Mrs. Mark Lyons of Snyder and two grandchildren.

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The Hawaiian Islands were made known to the Western world by British explorer Captain James Cook, who named then the Sandwich Islands after the Earl of Sandwich.

# Theft Cases At College Reported

Approximately $600 in valuables have reportedly been stolen from the dormitory rooms of three Western Texas College students.

According to reports filed by investigating city police officers, a $300 watch, a $50 ring, and a $20 bracelet were reportedly taken from the dorm room of Donnie Loerwald.

Joe Thomas Taylor Jr. reported the theft of a ring valued at $150. Chris Brown told officers that a calculator valued at $80 had been taken from his room.

The items were taken from rooms in one wing of the WTC Dorm and are believed to have occurred sometime between April 14 and May 3. The incidents were reported to police officers Tuesday afternoon.

In other activity, a Snyder woman was listed in good condition late Wednesday morning at Cogdell Memorial Hospital after having been involved in a major traffic accident shortly after noon Tuesday.

A 1971 AMC driven by Kay Ashworth was in collision with a 1972 Ford driven by William Charles Hayman yesterday at the intersection of 37th St. and College Ave.

Ms. Ashworth was taken to Cogdell by ambulance following the 12:13 p.m. mishap.

Heavy damages were reported to each vehicle and wreckers were summoned to remove the cars.

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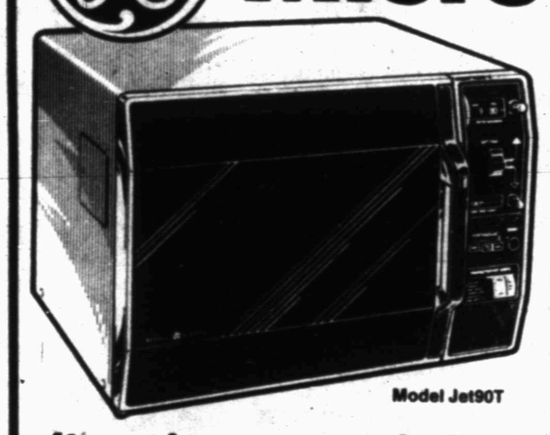

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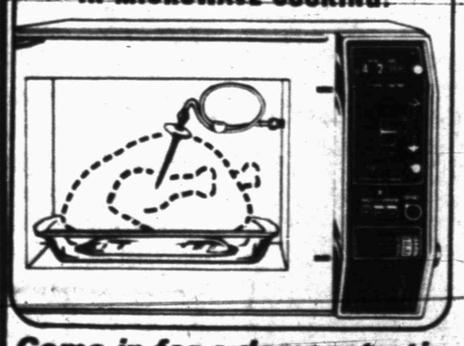

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# Museum Appreciation Month Underway Here

May is Museum Appreciation Month in Scurry County, and the Museum Association is conducting its membership and fund drive as part of the observance.

"We invite all those interested in local history and the preservation of our heritage to become members of the Association, Ernest Sears, president, said.

"The Association is the citizen support group for the museum, and the membership dues go to meet some very necessary costs of operating the museum.

"For instance, each time a temporary exhibit is set up there are miscellaneous costs for background materials and supplies ranging from posterboard to nails and paint which must be purchased. Even though we pay no rental for the special exhibits, we must usually pay shipping charges. The Indian basketry exhibit loaned by Exxon last year is an example of this. That exhibit is valued at thousands of dollars and is truly an unusual display. Exxon asks only that institutions which want to display it handle arrangements for its shipping and cooperate in getting it promptly to its next station, and we were fortunate to be able to show it here.

"Everybody who runs a home or business knows that there are always small expenses that add up to a sizeable amount over a year, and this is the situation that the museum faces.

"Members of the Association have the satisfaction of helping support and improve the museum, and also receive some tangible benefits such as a discount on items purchased in the gift shop.

"Membership in the Association is open the year around," Sears concluded, "but we would especially invite new members to join during Museum Month. Members of RSVP, who help the museum in many ways, are accepting memberships and donations in both banks downtown on Friday. Checks may be mailed to the museum, or left at the information desk when you are visiting the museum."

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**OIL CONTESTANT—— Susie McKinney, shown above, a student at Rotan High School, will be participating in the state University Interscholastic League competition at Austin in numbers sense. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murl McKinney of Rotan. Another Rotan High School student, Lisa Hale, will be competing in poetry reading and the drama production "The Wizard of Oz" produced by Rotan High School.**

# More Single People Set Up Own Households

By ANN BLACKMAN
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP)— Twice as many unmarried couples are living together now as there were seven years ago in what is a trend among young people who are looking for some housekeeping experience before marriage, the government says.

The Census Bureau reported Tuesday that there were 1.3 million persons sharing 660,000 two-person households with an unrelated adult of the opposite sex.

The report, a population profile of the United States as of 1976, says almost three-quarters of the men and almost half of the women in these homes were under age 45.

"The trend is for more and more young people to set up their own households usually alone but sometimes with roommates," said Authur Norton, a population expert who wrote the report. "But they're not necessarily shacking up."

North explained that for years it was common for young people to get married right after leaving their parents' home or after finishing their education.

"But the new phase is for young people to leave the home and gain experience in the various aspects of living before entering their own family situation," he said.

He added that the unmarried couples living together make up less than 1 per cent of the 73 million households.

One shouldn't draw inferences from the fact that more and more young people are living together, Norton said. "A lot may be cohabiting, but some may be together for strictly economic reasons. We don't ask anything about the personal nature of the relationship."

The report also says America's population has hit 216 million, but is growing at a slightly slower rate than a year ago.

The profile shows the population grew by 1.6 million, or seven-tenths of 1 per cent, from January 1976 to January 1977.

The population increased by eight-tenths of 1 per cent in 1975. Part of that increase was listed as a result of the immigration of 130,000 Vietnamese refugees.

Also, the total fertility rate the average number of children a woman bears dropped slightly from 1.80 in 1975 to 1.76 in 1976.

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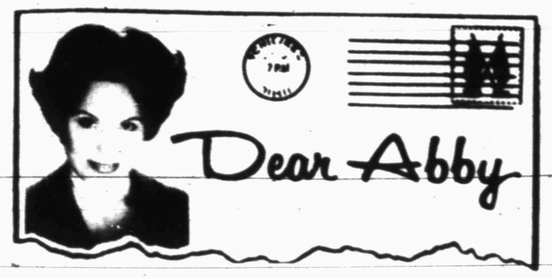


## Would-Be Bride Has Kissing Dis-ease

By Abigail Van Buren
1977 by The Chicago Tribune-N.Y. News Synd. Inc.

DEAR ABBY: Izzy and I have been living together as man and wife for eight years. We really love each other, and I want to marry him, but here is the problem.

I have this crazy hangup I can't seem to get over. I CAN'T bring myself to kiss a man on the mouth! No one would believe that two people could have such a great relationship without ever having kissed.

I am 43 and have never been married, and Izzy is 50 and has been divorced for 10 years.

My astrologist says our signs show us to be compatible in every way—and we certainly are. My chiropractor, who also knows Izzy, says he's never seen a couple better suited for each other.

I went to a psychiatrist a few times, and he says this obsession I have about kissing a man on the mouth stems back to when I was a little girl and my father, who was a heavy cigar-smoker, always kissed me on the mouth, which made me so sick I sometimes threw up.

The only thing Izzy and I ever argue about is marriage. I told him I'd be satisfied with a wedding ring from the dime store, but he says, "No kisses—no mazeltov."

What is your advice?

BELLA IN BROOKLYN

**DEAR BELLA: Some men might be willing to tolerate a kissless marriage, but apparently Issy isn't one of them, so you have two options: Get into therapy and stay with it long enough to overcome your hangup, or continue as you are and pray that Izzy never needs mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.**

DEAR ABBY: I had to laugh when I read the letter from HAD ENOUGH, the 16-year-old girl whose mother insisted she have a second nose job because the first one was lopsided.

That letter brought memories of the "nose job" my mother gave me when I was 13.

One evening I was washing the dishes and my mother was drying. I was giving Mom a lot of guff, whining and complaining. Let's face it, I was mouthing off.

My mom had never hit me anywhere but on my backside with her hand, and then only when I deserved it, but I guess I pushed her too far that night.

Finally she said, "Will you please shut up?" Always having to have the last word, I said "YOU shut up!"

Well, she was holding a big stainless steel frying pan in her hand at the time. She grabbed me by the back of the hair and made like my head and the pan were a pair of cymbals. Clang! Honey, you think YOUR nose is lopsided?

Having my nose broken, and the good cry and long talk we had afterward did wonders for my attitude.

My nose is still lopsided, and maybe one day I'll get a professional nose job, but the older I get, the less important what's on the outside seems to me. It's what's INSIDE that counts.

Thanks, Mom.

GWEN

**DEAR GWEN: You've really got it together, Honey. However, I'm opposed to violence of any kind.**

**CONFIDENTIAL TO "NOT WITHOUT SIN": Who is? Just train you child to follow the way you know you should have gone yourself. Providence will do the rest.**

**Everyone has a problem. What's yours? For a personal reply, write to ABBY: Box No. 69700, L.A., Calif. 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope please.**

The female population of the United States, according to the 1970 official census, was 104,299,734, or 51 per cent of the total population.

## Reagan To Watch Interviews

STANFORD, Calif. (AP) - Ronald Reagan says he plans to be "glued to the TV" tonight when former President Richard Nixon appears for the first of four televised interviews with talk show host David Frost.

The ex-California governor, who addressed about 350 people Tuesday at a meeting sponsored by the Hoover Institution at Stanford University, said Nixon "was certainly guilty of political impropriety. Criminal liability, I don't know. I don't think we've heard a balanced report on Watergate."

Reagan, who ran an unsuccessful campaign to replace former President Ford as the Republican candidate for President in the last election, took a swipe at the man who unseated Ford - Jimmy Carter.

"I am very critical of Carter for a certain amount of hypocrisy" in his human rights policy, Reagan said.

"We all believe in human rights-," he said, "but how do we justify not buying chrome from Rhodesia while resuming relations with Cuba and Vietnam?"

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**EAST**—Small 3 bdrm. Large Lot, Nice Garden, $14,000.
**COMMERCIAL** 215' by 215', 3 bdrm., Large Shop building, also nice apt. that is rented.
**NEW LISTING** 4 bdrms, 3 baths, Brick, den, fireplace, Large lot, city utilities, also water well.
**WEST**—Small 2 bdrm, panelled & Carpeted, only $12,700.
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# Business Education Discussed

The importance of business education for the present and future was stressed by Dr. Roland Johnson when he spoke to area high school business teachers at Western Texas College recently.

Office Occupations faculty members at WTC hosted the meeting and arranged for Dr. Johnson's visit. He is chairman of the Business Education Department at West Texas State University in Canyon.

Dr. Johnson pointed out the demand for skilled office workers has always exceeded the supply, and that projections for 1985 show an even greater demand for office workers. He challenged the instructors to see that business education keeps pace with the changing needs of the business world, and to emphasize the importance of the free enterprise system which enables employers and employees to work together.

Following Dr. Johnson's speech, a discussion session was held to discuss the common problems and interests of business educators in both secondary and post-secondary fields.

Teachers attending the meeting were Dorothy Ballenger from Highland High School; Dora Mitchell from Hamlin High School; Larry DeBusk and Hontas Hines from Colorado City High School; Margaret Trulock from Ira High School; Patsy Williams, Mary Killam and Billie Hartsfield from Snyder High School, and Bill Halbert, Charlene Light, Paul Cormier and Carol Martin from WTC.

# Arledge Named To ABC Sports Post

NEW YORK (AP)- Roone Arledge, who as head of ABC sports since 1968 was responsible for the network's popular Monday night football and coverage of the Olympics, has been named president of ABC News and Sports.

2. BEDROOM house for sale, 125 Milburn, equity and take up note. Call 806-637-7439 Brownfield.

# HEALTH
Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

## Penicillin and milk

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I am allergic to penicillin. While I know this is a common allergy I have been informed that all milk products should be eliminated from the diet in cases of this sort because they give rise to penicillin molds in the body. Can you comment on this?

DEAR READER — You have been misinformed. If you were drinking milk from an animal that was taking penicillin there might be some in the milk but otherwise there is no danger of this at all. Milk allergies are not related to penicillin allergies. If that is all that is bothering you, enjoy your milk.

Perhaps your misinformer is confused about lactose intolerance. Millions of people cannot tolerate lactose, but that is not an allergy. A few people have a true allergy to milk, usually infants, who may outgrow the problem as their digestive system matures and prevents absorption of incompletely digested milk protein.

To give you more information about milk and the lactose problem I am sending you The Health Letter number 7-2, Milk products: Good and Bad. Others who want this information can send 50 cents for it. Address your letter to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

DEAR DR. LAMB — My son is 35 years old and he has been losing weight. He was 180 pounds and he lost weight so fast that within a year he is down to 119 pounds.

He has an enlargement around his neck, below the Adam's apple that shows at the side of the neck and a big lump in front that had little bumps on it, but they seem to have disappeared. The big lump is still there and goes up and down when he swallows.

The doctor said it may be goiter and may not be goiter. He doesn't give him any medication and he said it may go away by itself. I asked if I should give him iodine tablets but he said no. I'm quite worried about him. Could you please explain this to me?

DEAR READER — Your story suggests that your son has an overactive thyroid gland. Severe weight loss is a symptom and a complete competent examination is always indicated if the cause is not known and understood.

A person with an overactive thyroid can eat an enormous amount of food and still lose weight. The thyroid is commonly enlarged when it is overactive — but not all enlarged thyroids are overactive — and the gland is located as you describe it. Also it moves up and down as you swallow so the chances are that your son does have an enlarged thyroid gland.

If the doctor does not know what your son has I would suggest that you request a consultation with a specialist in internal medicine. The function of the thyroid gland can be easily tested. Perhaps your son's doctor has done this but if not, a specialist could have tests done to evaluate the thyroid gland. The amount of thyroid hormone that is being produced can be measured. Certainly it is important in view of the history to decide what the mass in the neck is — even if it is not thyroid.

An overactive thyroid also causes a fast heart rate, a sense of increased body heat and increased nervous lability. It should be treated. Medicines control some cases and in other instances surgical removal of an enlarged overactive gland is the proper choice.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

For Thursday, May 5, 1977

# ASTRO-GRAPH
Bernice Bede Osol

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Someone privy to inside information helpful to work or career may share it with you today. Protect your source.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** There's more impact in diplomacy and tact today than in aggressiveness. Keep this in mind and fortune will smile on you.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** If you have the urge to serve your fellow man today, by all means do it. You get much greater satisfaction by working for nobler ends.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** For best results today, present your ideas with a flair. Be colorful without being flamboyant.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Follow your hunches in money matters today. You have a sixth sense that can serve you well, if negotiating or bargaining.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Stay in the mental realm wherever possible today. Projects permitting you to use your imagination could be very rewarding.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Sometimes we have to prime the pump to produce a flow. Seed money may be required from you today to stimulate business.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** Proper associations are important today. If you're doing something where your ideals are in harmony, your self-interests will be advanced.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** For best results, don't broadcast your ideas and aims today. Be humble about what you seek, and quick to share credit.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Someone separated from you by distance may be on your mind today. Though they are not close, your telephone is. Use it.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Your probability for realizing important goals looks very good today, but you must keep your target clearly in focus.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Spend as much time as possible with a person with whom you have a one-to-one relationship. Bonds can be greatly strengthened today.

(Are you a Taurus? Bernice Osol has written a special Astro-Graph Letter for you. For your copy send 50 cents and a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to ask for Taurus Volume 7.)

# Your Birthday

May 5, 1977

Through rather peculiar circumstances, interesting things may happen careerwise this year. Something could occur to give you an inside track toward advancement.

In Greek mythology, Rhadamanthus was a son of Zeus who after his death was made a judge in the lower world as a reward for his justice on earth.

PRIZE WINNER—Mrs. Dorothy Ratliff won the prize of a processed hog in a fund-raising event conducted by the Snyder High School Future Farmers of America on behalf of the March of Dimes. She is shown with Laura Hill, left, and Jerrel Pylant of the FFA. (SDN Staff Photo)

# Adair Has Seen Worse Blowouts

HOUSTON (AP)- Red Adair said the blowout on the offshore drilling rig in the North Sea "wasn't any big deal and nobody could blame a drilling mistake for the thing."

Adair, whose given name is Paul, "a name nobody uses for him anymore, said Tuesday there had been a lot "worse blowouts. I came in over the area in a helicopter and I didn't see any giant oil slick. I saw some oil on the water, but nothing to get terrified about."

Adair, who admits to being somewhere on the other side of 60 years of age, has been fighting oil fires and blowouts since 1939.

Since all the publicity over the North Sea blowout on a Phillips Petroleum Co. rig, Adair has been the center of attention. He admits he finds this as uncomfortable as the snappy brown suit and matching shirt and tie he wore for a Tuesday news conference at the Offshore Technology Conference in Houston.

Once he had answered all the questions about the work he and his men had performed in the North Sea, Adair retreated to a camper near the exhibit hall, slipped off his tie, unbuttoned his shirt and kicked off his shoes.

"Damn, my neck is raw from that tie," he said.

He took a sip of scotch and water and said criticism of the Phillips Co. for not having proper safety equipment available on and near the rig was unfounded.

"Listen, they evacuated 100 or so men in the dark of the night after the blowout and there wasn't even one mashed finger. I'd call that pretty good," he said.

Adair, short and stocky at 5-foot-6-inches and some 170 pounds, was stopped often as he twisted his way through the thousands of persons viewing the conference exhibits.

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# Nixon Ending Silence On Watergate Tonight

By MIKE SHANAHAN
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - With Watergate controversy back in the news, former President Richard M. Nixon is ending his silence on the scandal that drove him in disgrace from the nation's highest office 33 months ago.

Nixon's first post-resignation interview will be broadcast over 155 television and 730 radio stations tonight at 7:30 EDT in most areas.

The 64-year-old Nixon, who resigned exactly 1,000 days ago, reportedly is receiving a minimum of $600,000 and a share of the show's profits, giving him more than $1 million for answering the questions posed by British interviewer David Frost.

If the anxious producers of tonight's 90-minute interview are to be believed, the broadcast still holds some Watergate surprises despite advance disclosures.

Nixon was asked about White House tape transcripts that he did not expect to be questioned about, the producers say.

"In the early part of the program, Nixon's Watergate defense was shattered and the interesting part follows from there," James Reston Jr. said Tuesday.

Reston, who researched the initial Watergate program for Frost, said despite publication of some details, substantial portions "have not been revealed."

In the buildup to the Watergate interview, both Time and Newsweek ran cover stories that included a few details of the interview and previously undisclosed White House tapes.

The New York Times and Washington Post also ran stories Sunday on new White House transcripts, whose disclosure was prompted, if not orchestrated, by the television production.

The Post story said Nixon was aware of hush money paid in the Watergate cover-up.

The story has opened a dispute similar to those when Nixon was in office and the Post repeatedly reported fresh disclosures about the scandal widening around Nixon and his aides.

"I feel as if I've been there before," said one Post editor Tuesday when told that Nixon's lawyers were accusing the newspaper of refusing to publish a retraction of an in-accurate story.

Nixon's lawyers maintain the transcript containing the hush money references was an early, erroneous version later corrected to eliminate any reference to a payoff of Watergate burglars, thus removing the implication that Nixon lied in later public statements.

Persons connected with the broadcast admit that the late publicity blitz apparently has helped sell advertising for the shows.

Five minutes of national advertising time worth $625,000 has been sold for tonight's broadcast.

Tonight's interview will focus completely on the Watergate scandals.

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## George Kirby Is Released On Bail

LAS VEGAS, (AP)- Comedian-impersonater George Kirby has been released on bail from the Clark County Jail after arraignment on drug charges.

Kirby, 52, was one of nine persons arrested last Friday during a series of drug raids on area residences.

Kirby, who is charged with attempting to sell about a pound of heroin to an under-cover federal agent, did not enter a plea during Monday's arraignment before U.S. Magistrate Joseph Ward.

Ward set bond at $10,000, and scheduled a preliminary hearing.


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Company directors, agents and their wives attended the three-day event.

The Watlingtons were crowned at the annual awards banquet. Watlington was top producer with his company and he received several honors and awards during the activities of the convention.

Watlington is a Life and Qualifying Member of the Million Dollar Round Table, an international organization of life underwriters whose membership includes only about three percent of all life underwriters. He has been a member of this organization for seven years.

He also is a recipient of the National Quality Award, the National Sales Achievement Award, is president of the Big Spring Association of Life Underwriters, secretary-treasurer of the Texas Leaders Round Table organization, a member of his company's Millionaire Club, and has been on its App-A-Week Club for eight consecutive years.

Watlington is active in civic and local affairs and is a deacon at the 37th Street Church of Christ. The Watlingtons have two children, David, a student at Texas Tech University, and Lori, a student in Snyder High School.


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