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Governors told Reagan to stay tough on defense

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan, in a blunt session with the nation's governors, said today he planned to stand by his plan to boost defense spending despite pressure from the state executives to slash such increases.

"He came out swinging on the matter of his defense position," said Gov. Scott Matheson of Utah, a Democrat and chairman of the National Governors' Association.

"He took sharp issue with that part of our budget resolution which suggests a decrease in the growth rate of defense spending," said Gov. James Thompson of Illinois, a Republican who is cosponsoring an effort to put the governors on record as calling for slowing the Pentagon budget's growth and considering tax increases to lower federal budget deficits.

Matheson and Thompson talked to reporters after about 45 governors met with the president at the White House for one hour.

The budget resolution is the principal issue being debated at the annual mid-winter meeting of the governors.

Meanwhile, the chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, Sen. Bob Dole, threw his support to the governors in their drive to cut the deficit by containing the increases in defense spending.

"I agree with them on defense spending," the Kansas Republican said. "I think we can budget a little better with cuts in that area."

Dole spoke at a convention of the National Association of Counties, which is meeting in Washington at the same time the governors are holding their annual winter conference.

A resolution for the first time injecting governors into the debate over national budget decisions was approved by the executive committee Sunday with one dissenting vote, despite doubts expressed by all sides.

No aid expected for border towns

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration has no plans for providing special economic assistance to areas bordering on Mexico whose economies have been jolted by devaluations of the peso, Commerce Secretary Malcolm Baldrige said.

Baldrige told Texas Gov. Mark White Sunday that "I don't have any specific remedies for that one section" of the country, beyond the administration's overall economic recovery and jobs programs.

Baldrige acknowledged the economic problems of the border areas but said it would be difficult to solve them "without some kind of (economic) recovery" in Mexico.

His comments came at a committee session on agriculture and trade issues during the winter meeting of the National Governors' Association here.

Some Republicans were concerned that the resolution might be seen as an attack on the president. But Democrats said it should be tougher. And some governors said they had no business dictating to Washington on such things as defense spending.

White said that in the Rio Grande Valley along the Mexican border unemployment ranged from 20 percent to 50 percent and that businesses had suffered sales reductions of up to 80 percent.

He asked Baldrige what plans the administration had to help alleviate the suffering in the area.

Baldrige said the problem was the result of Mexico's failure to keep down inflation and interest rates, saying "things got out of control."

However, Baldrige said the United States has taken steps to try to help Mexico overcome its economic problems.

Baldrige and Agriculture Secretary John Block addressed a joint session of the NGA's Committee on Agriculture and Committee on International Trade and Foreign Relations.

In the end, seven members of the executive committee voted for it with only Gov. Joseph E. Brennan, a Maine Democrat, dissenting. And even Brennan said he saw some merit in its assault on federal deficits.

The resolution, a blueprint for a national budget and

national recovery, called for action to hold any deficit to 2 percent of the gross national product.

To achieve this, they would allow slight additional cuts in domestic programs cut over the past two years, and they would absorb one-fourth of the impact of inflation on their own federal grants.

But they would hold growth in defense spending to 4 to 6 percent over the next two years and 3 to 5 percent over the entire 1984-88 span. They also want some restraints on the so-called untouchable parts of the budget, including government-funded pension programs.

The package goes before the full conference in the closing general business session on Tuesday, where it will require the vote of two-thirds of the governors present to carry.

Gov. Scott Matheson, a Utah Democrat and chairman of the association, predicted it would be approved, but only after some changes.

"We've got to fiddle enough with it to get some Democratic votes," Matheson said. "But I think we have a good chance of resolving it with the Democratic governors."

If Matheson's Democrats can be held in line, the measure would be assured of passage, since Democratic governors outnumber Republicans by 34 to 16 following last fall's election sweep.

But some of the most formidable supporters of the measure are Republicans who support President Reagan and who share his fear of rising deficits.

Although the Congressional Budget Office forecasts the deficit will rise to \$267 billion by 1988, the White House wants it kept to \$116.7 billion.

The governors' target is a \$90 billion deficit by 1988.

Federal judge decides not to decide on Ozzy

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

The Ozzy Osbourne controversy has again become the dilemma of the Ector County Commissioners' Court.

Over the weekend, U.S. District Judge Lucius D. Bunton "held in abeyance" any federal court action on Ector County's request that the court advise the commissioners on their right to "terminate the (singer's) contract" on grounds that the British rock singer's March 8 stage performance in Odessa might be morally offensive or illegal.



Lucius Bunton

"The proper course of conduct would be to permit the show to go on and rely on law enforcement authorities to prosecute for anything illegal that occurred," the judge wrote in his order.

"It is well settled that federal courts may not issue advisory opinions," Bunton said, "and that an actual case or controversy must exist prior to a federal court entertaining jurisdiction in a cause."

The Ector County commissioners were to meet today, but, according to the office of County Judge Jan Fisher, the Osbourne issue is not on the agenda. Assistant County Attorney Susan Barron this morning said she didn't know how the commissioners will approach the county's contract with Osbourne.

On Feb. 7, the Commissioners' Court bowed to pressure by Odessans for Decency and other citizens groups which "demanded that the county put a halt to the proposed concert."

RATHER THAN vote on barring Osbourne from Odessa, the commissioners voted 5-0 to put the matter before Judge Bunton.

On Feb. 9, Ector County filed the lawsuit for declaratory judgment and cited as defendants Randy Shelton's Stardate, Osbourne's promoter; and Blizzard Productions, the rock singer's company.

In the suit's petition, Ector County said it anticipated Osbourne's performance would violate local ordinances and breach the contract, which prohibits any illegal, lewd or immoral stage behavior in Osbourne's Odessa concert.

"This court...has concluded that an actual, justiciable controversy does not exist," Bunton's order said. "The county has not attempted to terminate the lease or cancel the Osbourne concert."

However, were the commissioners to vote to terminate the contract, then "an affirmative vote by the Ector County commissioners...would raise an actual, justiciable controversy of Constitutional dimension," wrote Bunton, who noted that the commissioners are not under any mandate to vote on the issue.

"THE FACT THAT certain citizens' groups are opposed to the concert does not a controversy make," the judge wrote. "Such groups act only to voice their own concern, which is clearly their First Amendment right. At the present time, the lease to the (Ector County) Coliseum remains in full force and effect."

The judge did say that "it is questionable" that the commissioners could constitutionally terminate the Osbourne contract.

"While the alleged antics of Ozzie Osbourne, on stage and off, are not that of a model citizen, it is questionable whether the county could constitutionally terminate the lease for the reasons set forth in its Declaratory Judgment Complaint."

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Swing time

Billie Jo Sharp and 2-year-old Nick took advantage of San Angelo's warm Sunday weather to sharpen their swinging skills. Warm weather is expected in the Midland area through Tuesday. See story, Page 2A.

Improvement program making child care center possible

By ED TODD
Staff Writer



Debora Phillips

A child care center designed for the safety, health and education of infants, toddlers and school-age children will open April 4, said Debora Phillips, executive director of the new Taylor Park Child Care Center.

"It's an educational program from birth all the way up (through 10-year-old children)," Ms. Phillips said. "It's not just strictly babysitting."

The public center will be the third-largest child care center in Midland. Currently, the city's working parents — both single and married — take their children to 30-35 child care facilities, which range in capacity from 15 to 238 children.

"We will be really involved in the safety and health of the children, as well as their education," Ms. Phillips said.

The 12,000-square-foot center, in the southwest corner of Taylor Park at Goode Street and Griffin Avenue, is a project of Midland County's \$1.6 million federal rehabilitation program for an economically-depressed windowpane area on Midland's south side. That windowpane area is unincorporated but is bordered by the city limits and is without city services. Site of the center was leased to Midland County by the city of Midland for \$1 a year.

The center is being operated by the non-profit Midland County Child Care Corporation and is funded through private donations and children's fees and tuitions.

"IT'S FOR CHILDREN all over the community," said Ms. Phillips, and not just for children from low-income families.

At present, about 50 children, including some unborn, are enrolled.

"We have one set of twins enrolled, and they are not even born yet," Ms. Phillips said.

The center's "very highest" weekly tuition per child will be \$42, which is a "competitive fee," she noted. The lowest fee, to be offered on a scholarship basis, will be about \$20 and will be for children of low- and moderate-income parents. Parents who wish to enroll their children in the program may telephone Ms. Phillips at 687-2330. "We'll cater to anybody on a first-come, first-serve basis," she said.

Ultimately, the center is to employ about 30 staffers, including three department heads who will direct the nursing, pre-school and school-age departments.

THE CENTER'S programs and services will include:

—Breakfast, mid-morning snacks, lunch and afternoon snacks for the children. "We'll have really nutritious, family-styled meals."

—Eight classrooms. "We'll have 'caregivers' in each classroom, and we'll have teachers for each department."

—Educational, cultural and just-for-fun programs within and without the center. For example, the center's staff will be showing movies, conducting singing, teaching games, offering arts and crafts and imparting other educational activities and programs.

In addition, pre-school and school-age children may sign up for extra-curricular activities such as creative dramatics, dancing, gymnastics, music and swimming outside the center. "We'll do the running for them (parents)," she said of transporting the children to classes.

—Outdoor sports. The city's Taylor Park has baseball and softball diamonds and a soccer field.

IN THE EVENINGS, the child care center will be transformed into a community center for town-hall meetings, instruction on language skills, organizational meetings for groups such as the Boy and Girl Scouts, and for how-to sessions, including budgeting and "how to feed a family on X-dollars per week."

Idea for the day care center came out of 1981 neighborhood public meetings. These were conducted by Betty Sheeler, former coordinator of the county's \$1.6 million federal Community Development Block Grant program, and consultant Barbara Ellis of the engineering firm of Parkhill, Smith & Cooper.

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Permorama Edition

Additional copies of The Midland Reporter-Telegram's Permorama '83 edition, published Sunday, are now available.

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Three dead following shootout following Odessa card game

From Staff and Wire Reports

ODESSA — Police here are searching today for witnesses or clues to a bloody gunbattle at a high-stakes poker game that killed three people and wounded two others.

Odessa Police Detective Jerry Smith said the cardplayers began shooting at each other about 3 a.m. Sunday at the La Costa Apartments on the west side of Odessa.

As of early today, police listed five victims in the fracas. Three of them were dead as a result of the shootout

and the others were hospitalized in Odessa and Midland. Names of all the victims are not being released pending further investigation.

Police Lt. Rusty Baker said detectives are investigating a possibility that there may have been more men involved in the poker game and in the shooting.

"Right now it doesn't make much sense except that we've got three people dead over a poker game," Baker said. "It's all still very confusing. Some-

times it doesn't take much to cause a shooting."

Smith said police would be trying to piece together more details, including how many guns were involved, when the investigation continued today.

When police arrived at the apartment complex, they found one man — identified as Robert Notley lying outside on the ground. He was shot more than once, police said.

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INSIDE TODAY

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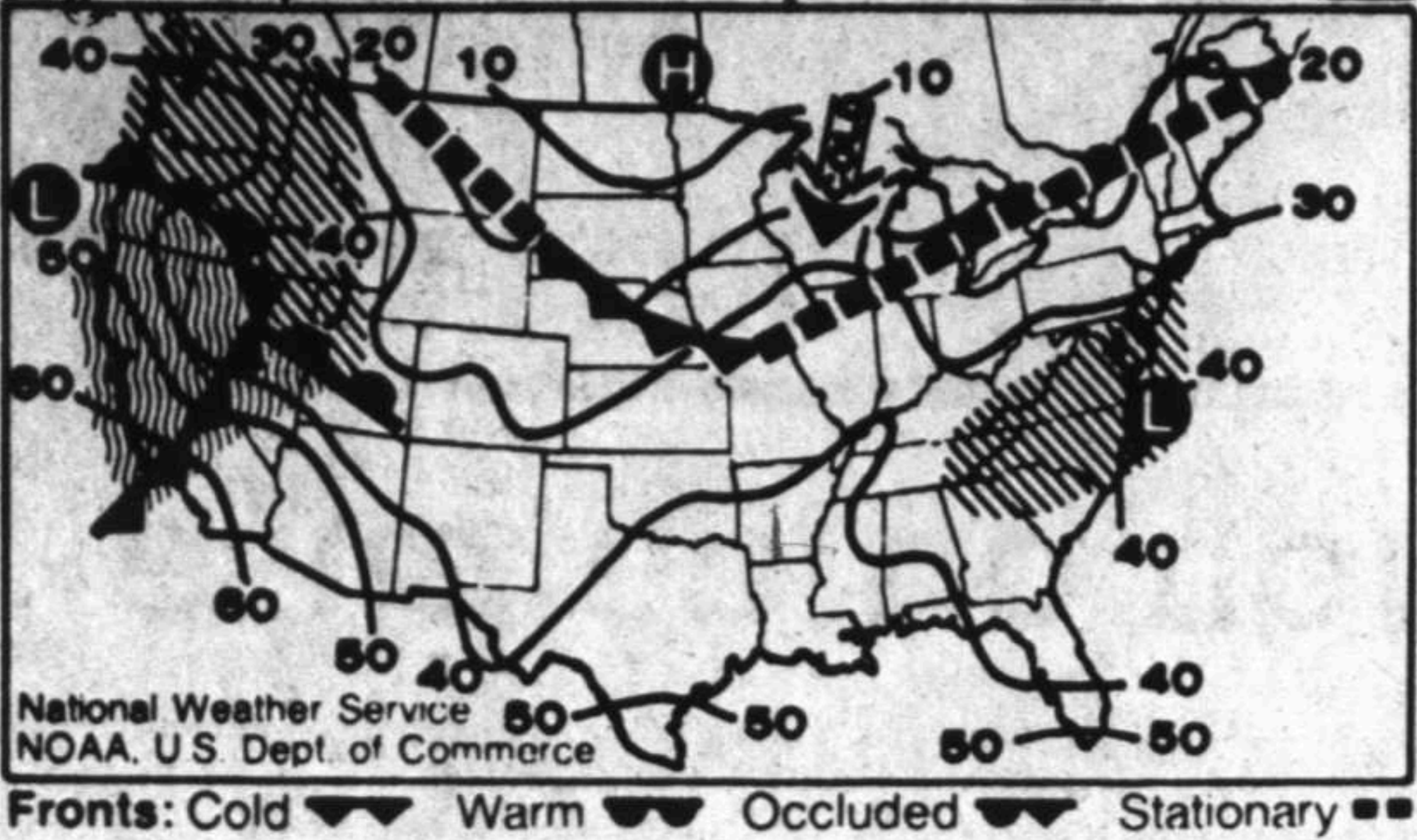
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WEATHER SUMMARY

The Forecast For 7 a.m. EST Tuesday, March 1
Low Temperatures



The National Weather Service forecasts rain for Tuesday for much of the West. Rain is also forecast for the middle Atlantic states. Cold weather is expected from the northern Plains to the Great Lakes.

Warm weather expected in area

Unseasonal springlike temperatures are expected to continue through Tuesday. But don't put away all those winter clothes yet.

Midland statistics

FORECAST: Fair and warm through Tuesday. Low tonight in the 40s. High Tuesday in the upper 70s. Southwesterly winds 5-15 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS: Yesterday's High 47 degrees, Low 34 degrees, Sun 5:45 a.m., Sunset 7:16 p.m., Precipitation none inches, This month to date 28 inches, 1983 to date 1.40 inches.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES: 8 a.m. 45, 9 a.m. 48, 10 a.m. 50, 11 a.m. 52, noon 55, 1 p.m. 58, 2 p.m. 60, 3 p.m. 62, 4 p.m. 64, 5 p.m. 67, 6 a.m. 67.

SOUTHWEST TEMPERATURES: Abilene 41, Amarillo 38, Austin 47, Brownsville 80, Dallas 66, El Paso 57, Fort Worth 57, Galveston 58, Houston 58, Longview 58, Lubbock 57, Marfa 56, Midland 57, Odessa 57, San Angelo 57, San Antonio 57, Sugarland 58, Texarkana 58, Victoria 57, Waco 58, Wichita Falls 58.

Texas temperatures

Abilene 41, Alice 40, Amarillo 38, Austin 47, Beaumont 58, Brownsville 80, Childress 63, College Station 57, Corpus Christi 57, Dalhart 66, Del Rio 58, El Paso 57, Fort Worth 57, Galveston 58, Houston 58, Longview 58, Lubbock 57, Lufkin 56, Marfa 56, McAllen 70, Midland 57, Palestine 58, San Angelo 57, San Antonio 57, Sugarland 58, Texarkana 58, Victoria 57, Waco 58, Wichita Falls 58.

Extended forecasts

West Texas: Scattered showers and a few thunderstorms late Thursday ending Friday otherwise partly cloudy and warm with above normal temperatures. High mid-60s; low mid-40s. Friday with mid-60s. High mid-60s; low mid-40s. Friday with mid-60s. High mid-60s; low mid-40s.

North Texas: Partly cloudy with temperatures above seasonal normals. A chance of thunderstorms Thursday night and Friday. Lowest daily temperatures will range from the middle 40s to lower 50s and highs from the middle 60s to lower 70s.

The weather elsewhere

Albany 40, Albuquerque 40, Anchorage 40, Asheville 40, Atlanta 40, Baltimore 40, Birmingham 40, Bismarck 40, Boise 40, Boston 40, Buffalo 40, Burlington 40, Casper 40, Charleston S.C. 40, Charlotte N.C. 40, Cheyenne 40, Cincinnati 40, Cleveland 40, Columbia S.C. 40, Dayton 40, Denver 40, Des Moines 40, Detroit 40, Duluth 40, Fairbanks 40, Fargo 40, Flagstaff 40, Great Falls 40, Hartford 40, Helena 40, Honolulu 40, Jackson Miss. 40, Jacksonville 40, Juneau 40, Kansas City 40, Las Vegas 40, Little Rock 40, Los Angeles 40, Louisville 40, Memphis 40, Miami 40, Milwaukee 40, Minneapolis 40, Mobile 40, Nashville 40, New Orleans 40, New York 40, Norfolk 40, North Platte 40, Oklahoma City 40, Omaha 40, Orlando 40, Philadelphia 40, Phoenix 40, Pittsburgh 40, Portland Me. 40, Portland Ore. 40, Providence 40, Raleigh 40, Rapid City 40, Reno 40, Richmond 40, St. Louis 40, St. Pete Tampa 40, Salt Lake 40, San Diego 40, San Francisco 40, St. Marys 40, Seattle 40, Shreveport 40, Sioux Falls 40, Spokane 40, Syracuse 40, Topeka 40, Tucson 40, Tulsa 40, Washington 40, Wichita 40.

Border states forecasts

Louisiana: Mostly fair through Tuesday. Highs 55 south-east to 60 north-west. Lows 42 to 45. Highs Tuesday around 70.

Arkansas: Fair through Tuesday. Highs 55 to 60. Lows 38 to 45. Highs Tuesday 62 to 65.

Alleged killings lead to scrutiny of Robert Mugabe

BULAWAYO, Zimbabwe (AP) — Prime Minister Robert Mugabe is under growing pressure to allow an independent investigation of claims that his troops have killed up to 3,000 civilians in the stronghold of opposition leader Joshua Nkomo.



Mugabe

Nkomo, who contends that the civilian death toll is mounting, says he has been placed under "virtual house arrest" at his bungalow in Matabeleland province.

Today, police agents arrived at the house to question relatives, friends and staff, Nkomo said. "I told them to get out and they left... They just keep harassing."

Villagers fleeing the province, home of Zimbabwe's minority Ndebele tribe, have told of massacre, rape, looting and torture by the troops — most of them members of the dominant Shona tribe.

The government says the claims are vastly exaggerated, but church leaders, relief agencies and human rights groups are calling for an independent investigation of the situation.

The refugees say the atrocities were committed by North Korean-trained soldiers of the 5,000-strong Fifth Brigade — a force formed by Mugabe to combat rebels and guard against invasion from white-ruled South Africa.

Foreign reporters have quoted sources ranging from relief workers to civil servants as estimating the death toll at up to 3,000. Other sources say the figure is about 1,200.

But Information Director Justin Nyoka, who escorted journalists on a tour of the western province last week, told The Associated Press on Sunday: "Everyone we spoke with said there was no conceivable way of arriving at even a figure of 100. These reports are based on the wildest of speculation and not an ounce of fact."

The government concedes some civilians have been slain in Matabeleland by crossfire during clashes between security forces and the "dissidents" they are hunting.

It says the dissidents are supporters of Nkomo, the president of the Zimbabwe African Peoples Union, and that they deserted from the army after Nkomo was fired from the coalition government a year ago for allegedly plotting against Mugabe.

Nine days ago, police barred Nkomo, 65, from leaving the Matabeleland capital of Bulawayo for a World Peace Council conference in Czechoslovakia.

They seized his passport and said he was under investigation for seditious and for trying to smuggle currency out of the country. Nkomo said today he has been ordered to notify police if he intends to leave his bungalow.

"This is an impossible order," said Nkomo in a telephone interview. "I have told my lawyers to say I'll comply for any trips out of Bulawayo, but not just to leave my house."

Police officers would not comment on Nkomo's statement.

Mugabe and Nkomo commanded separate guerrilla armies in the war that led white-ruled Rhodesia to independence as black-governed Zimbabwe in 1980.

They have headed toward a confrontation since the 58-year-old prime minister fired Nkomo from the coalition government.

Nkomo denied he was plotting a coup and was never detained by police until he tried to leave the country Feb. 19.

However, more than 400 Nkomo supporters have been detained on charges of subversion and sabotage. His two guerrilla commanders from the seven-year independence war are on trial for treason.

The government said police stopped Nkomo from leaving Zimbabwe because evidence at the treason trial linked him to a coup plot.



AP Laserphoto

At least three people died in this fire in Brockton, Mass., which fire officials have termed "suspicious."

Massachusetts fire 'suspicious'

BROCKTON, Mass. (AP) — At least three people died in a "suspicious" blaze that lit up the sky with flames belching from every window, fire officials say.

roaring inferno, the worst fire in this southeast Massachusetts city in the past 10 years.

"There were lots of people hanging out of the windows and yelling for help. The whole building was lit up — there were flames seen in every window," said Kenneth Gillpatrick, another deputy chief who said the blaze was of suspicious origin.

Only charred walls of the five-story brick building were left standing Sunday following what Deputy Fire Chief Kenneth F. Galligan described as a

Federal judge takes no action on Osbourne question

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In the complaint, Ector County only referred to Osbourne's "relevant alleged (past) conduct" and said that the rock star's prior stage actions have "resulted in violations of local ordinances and state law, including breach of contract." Despite that, the Ector County complaint did not cite any specific infringements. Accompanying the six-page complaint, filed Feb. 9 in federal court in Midland, was a copy of the two-page contract between Osbourne's promoter and the county.

be "illegal, indecent, obscene, or immoral." The contract noted that should the coliseum director — Bill Martin — deem any part of the performance "illegal or indecent, obscene, lewd, immoral or in any manner offensive to persons of ordinary sensibilities," then he may demand that those offensive acts be deleted from the show.

The judge wrote that the "proper course of conduct" would be to "permit the show to go on" and to rely on law enforcement officers to monitor the show and prosecute for any illegal act or acts that occurred in the performance.

"The dangers inherent to the public in arresting a performer during a concert are clearly apparent," Judge Bunton wrote, "and it is recommended that appropriate discretion be exercised by local officials if

the concert is permitted to proceed as scheduled."

The Osbourne show is set for 8 p.m. March 8 in the Ector County Coliseum.

The judge noted "there are no allegations of incitement to violence at any of Osbourne's prior concerts."

"Likewise, there are no factual allegations that any prior concerts involved obscene actions, as that term is constitutionally defined."

Furthermore, the judge said that "government officials may not deny use of a public forum in anticipation that the production would violate the law."

"However," he wrote, "freedom of speech and expression does not protect musical productions which are obscene, incite others to immediate violence, or violate constitutionally sound state laws or local ordinances."

Researcher says M*A*S*H success a wordy subject

CLEMSON, S.C. (AP) — "M*A*S*H," the long-running Korean War chronicle that airs its 251st and final episode tonight, had all the ingredients of a successful TV show: jokes, war, doctors, sex — and oh, yes, astetism.

An English professor at Clemson University says astetism, a classical literary term that means a deliberate or accidental misunderstanding of words, is what kept the 4077th Mobile Army Surgical Hospital rolling for 11 years.

"They frequently use straight puns, substituting one word for another. But 'M*A*S*H's' real trademark is a specialty called astetism," says Corinne Sawyer, who has been a "M*A*S*H" scholar for three years and a fan since the first show in 1972.

For example, Col. Flagg, a slightly cracked military intelligence officer, says "I'm off." Col. Sherman Potter, the 4077th's commanding officer, replies, "I couldn't have said it better myself."

Or Hawkeye Pierce, a surgeon, see-

ing a frightened young soldier crouched in a corner with a kitten, asks, "What's his name?" Father Mulcahy answers, "Fluffy."

Then there's the type of pun where the speaker establishes and then abruptly changes the meaning of the word halfway through a sentence. Writers of "M*A*S*H" have used hundreds, such as Hawkeye's musing, "I loved a girl from San Francisco once. No, twice."

"That's Shakespeare's kind of

humor," Ms. Sawyer says. "Being a poet, he loved to twist the meaning of words with layers of meaning. 'M*A*S*H' is one of the wittiest word-play vehicles of our time."

Ms. Sawyer has studied the show and keeps transcripts of each episode. Every joke is categorized and every character has a biography written on a three-by-five index card.

"M*A*S*H" is probably television's finest half-hour, a legitimate masterpiece, she says.

Police looking for witnesses, clues to Odessa gunbattle

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Another victim who had been shot was found in the apartment's kitchen area. He was transported to Medical Center Hospital and died during surgery at 6:48 a.m., Baker said.

The third man to die as a result of the incident had run to a nearby residence at 1304 N. Whitaker and was reportedly threatening a woman with a pistol when the woman's husband shot him. That man was taken to Medical Center Hospital where Peace Justice Jimmy Harris pronounced him dead at 3:25 a.m. Sunday.

Police said that man had kicked in the front door of the residence and

then was shot by the homeowner.

One victim found at the apartment was identified as Robert Noley of Odessa, said Lt. Rusty Baker. One victim has not yet been identified and the identity of the third is being withheld pending notification of next of kin, Baker said.

The fourth man, wounded during the gunbattle, managed to drive to Midland Memorial Hospital, about a 20-mile distance. The man, from Houston, was listed in serious condition, Smith said. Police have not been able to question the man, Baker said.

A fifth cardplayer, who was shot in the hand, was questioned by police but not arrested.

Americans courted suits more in 1981

WASHINGTON (AP) — A new study shows that more than 82 million cases — civil, criminal and traffic — were filed in state courts during 1981, a finding that appears to support the notion that Americans are increasingly turning to the courts.

The survey, conducted by the National Center for State Courts, compared the years 1977 and 1981 and found that most states had increases in criminal court cases, ranging from 6 percent in Nebraska and New Hampshire to 132 percent in Massachusetts.

The study said that criminal filings rose an average of 31 percent nationwide during the four years. States with above-average increases included South Carolina, 127 percent; Oregon, 78; Louisiana, 55; New Mexico, 47; New York, 41, and Illinois, 38.

In the same four-year period, criminal case filings dropped 27 percent in West Virginia, 14 percent in Iowa, 8 percent in Vermont and 1 percent in Maine.

The study showed a 22 percent rise in the filings of new civil cases in the 50 states and the District of Columbia.

Henry L. Barr, administrator of courts for Massachusetts, said the big jump reported in criminal complaints there — from 283,518 in 1977 to 657,551 in 1981 — "is probably a bookkeeping situation."

Barr's figures show a much lower increase — about 10 to 12 percent over a roughly comparable time period.

West Virginia's deputy attorney general, Frederick George, said he is pleased to see statistics that might indicate the crime rate is dropping.

City's new care center will open doors in April

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The federal rehabilitation program "simply was designed to make an impact in a small target area" by improving the housing, paving and guttering streets, installing water and sewer lines and building the child care center. The city contributed \$40,000 of its federal Community Development funds toward purchasing equipment and supplies for the center. The center's metal-brick-and-mortar building cost about \$275,000.

"I WAS DELIGHTED when it (the center) began to develop," said Ms. Sheeler, who credited Jan Reed, former president of the 15-member Child Care board, with organizing the center's structure. "She has really worked at it. She is knowledgeable and understands organization."

Cookie Wetendorf, who was involved in the center's initial stages, described

Ms. Reed as "absolute dynamite" as an organizer and doer. Succeeding Ms. Reed as board president is Manuel Carrasco.

Ms. Reed described Ms. Phillips as a "self-motivator" who has "good ideas." "I'm impressed with our director," Ms. Reed said. "She's a jewel."

Prior to taking the director position, Ms. Phillips owned and operated a child care center in Lubbock. She taught kindergarten in a private school and taught pre-school handicapped children in public school. Her students included children who suffered from emotional disturbances, language delay, learning disabilities and mental retardation.

Ms. Phillips holds a bachelor's degree in elementary education and home economics from Texas Tech University and has taken graduate courses in elementary education.

"I came from a family of teachers," the director said. "I grew up in education."

Congress will tackle Social Security, job aid

WASHINGTON (AP) — After a slow start, the 96th Congress is acting this week on two high-priority issues, battling out the Social Security system and enactment of an emergency recession-relief measure.

The House is scheduled to consider on Wednesday the \$4.6 billion recession bill, which includes provisions for jobs and humanitarian aid.

The House Ways and Means Committee is also due to meet Wednesday to put finishing touches on a \$165 billion Social Security rescue plan that includes the recommendations of the

National Commission on Social Security Reform.

The plan is aimed at keeping the government retirement system solvent through the rest of the decade. It includes provisions bringing federal employees under the system, slowing benefit increases and increasing Social Security payroll taxes.

The full House is expected to go to work on the package next week.

Meanwhile, President Reagan was sending Congress today a proposal to remove all controls from the natural gas market over the next three years

"to ensure abundant supplies...at reasonable prices."

The controversial plan would place a cap on consumer prices through Jan. 1, 1986, allowing increases based only on inflation, unless a government agency approves higher fees. On the first day of 1986, all price controls would be removed.

Reagan's decision on decontrol, announced Saturday, comes at a time when natural gas rates are rising an average 25 percent a year, despite record surpluses and declining prices for competing oil. Sen. Howard Metzen-

baum, D-Ohio, says he will lead a filibuster against the proposal.

The \$4.6 billion recession aid proposal is expected to be approved by the House without much fuss despite opposition from some liberals who say it is more of a political Band-Aid than any real effort to ease the nation's 10.2 percent unemployment.

An unusual alliance of House Democratic leaders, President Reagan and some conservative and moderate Republicans have agreed that some quick-fix answer to the recession should zip through both the House and

Senate quickly.

House Democrats, while revising an original White House proposal, have been careful to keep the package small enough to avert a presidential veto.

But in the Senate, a combination of liberal Democrats and 19 Republicans running for re-election in 1984 is expected to add to the \$4.6 billion total.

There is also an additional \$5 billion for loans to states that have been running out of money from which to pay unemployment benefits.

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DPS trooper killed when he was struck by auto

MCALLEN (AP) — A Texas Department of Public Safety trooper whose "career goal" was to "get the drunks off the road" was killed when he was hit by a car while attempting to question a suspected drunk driver.

Ernesto Alanis, 26, was pronounced dead on arrival at Edinburg Hospital, a spokesman said. The driver of the car, a 36-year-old Edinburg man, was being held in Hidalgo County jail in connection with the death, said DPS spokesman Larry Todd.

Alanis had been commended three times for outstanding DWI enforcement efforts in the lower Rio Grande Valley.

Alanis will be buried Tuesday afternoon in a service that will be attended by law enforcement officers from throughout the state. He is survived by his wife and two children.

Officers said Alanis was struck at about 1 a.m. after he had stopped a car heading north of Texas Highway 336 about three miles north of McAllen. The impact of the collision threw Alanis 100 feet.

Alanis had walked up to interview the driver of the car when a second car heading south on the wrong side of the road struck the first car and the trooper, officers said.

Condemned killer in serious condition

AMARILLO (AP) — A 25-year-old condemned killer wounded by a federal marshal after he brandished a handmade weapon during a court hearing remained in serious condition today at a local hospital.

The condition of Charles Rumbaugh was upgraded from critical Sunday. Doctors expect to move him out of an intensive care unit today.

Rumbaugh, who has been twice convicted and sentenced to die in the shooting of a jewelry store operator during a robbery, was shot once in the upper left chest late last week.

He earlier had wished to refuse medical treatment for the wound at Northwest Texas Hospital.

Doctors at the hospital have said that Rumbaugh, as a ward of the state, had no right to refuse treatment. He remains under 24-hour guard at the hospital.

Rumbaugh suffered no complications from the surgery Thursday that removed part of his lung, a hospital spokesman said.

The confrontation began when Rumbaugh stood up in a courtroom witness stand and yelled that he had chosen his "way to die." He then brandished a metal handle covered with cloth and shouted, "Shoot me!"

Deputy U.S. Marshal Olen R. McClendon shot Rumbaugh after the inmate swung his makeshift weapon at the officer.

Worker dies from explosion burns

GALVESTON (AP) — A maintenance worker who suffered burns over 65 percent of his body when a storage tank filled with liquid natural gas exploded died four days after being injured, a hospital spokesman said.

Norman Galle, 39, of Bay City was pronounced dead at 9:20 a.m. Sunday at John Sealy Hospital, where he was taken after the Wednesday blast at a Phillips Petroleum Co. terminal.

The explosion immediately killed Randy Allen Rondo, 29, of Freeport, officials said.

Galle suffered second- and third-degree burns over 65 percent of his body, officials said.

A third man, Kenny Welch, 26, of Clute remained in serious but stable condition Sunday night with injuries he suffered in the blast, the spokeswoman said. Welch had second-degree burns over 45 percent of his body.

Woman to battle PUC over big bill

PRITCHETT (AP) — A 29-year-old housewife knew she had been using a little more electricity than usual, but wasn't prepared for the utility bill that her five-year-old daughter brought in from the mailbox one day.

It was for \$1,081.20.

The big bill pitted Carla Shillings against the Public Utilities Commission. The battle begins Friday at a hearing to appeal the amount charged by the Upshur Rural Electric Cooperative Corp., which serves Mrs. Shillings' house.

"I thought they were wrong," she said. "I called them to come check the meter. They came and checked it and said everything was fine...pay the bill by the 15th."

The electric cooperative doesn't claim that Mrs. Shillings used \$1,081 worth of electricity in one month. It charges she has been misreading her meter — custom-

ers must read their own — since October 1981, and wants to charge her for 20,000 kilowatt hours of unreported usage on her December and January bills. The January bill was \$497.

The housewife disagrees with the claim that she misread her meter.

"I'm not saying I've read it right every time," she said. "I could have looked up there and seen the wrong number once, but not consistently. That's insulting."

She didn't pay the four-figure bill that she received Dec. 1. Instead, she called the Public Utilities Commission five days later and a representative told her that she could pay the average of her bills over the last year — \$116 — until the disputed higher amount is resolved.

Five other people served by the co-op who also had electric bills of up to \$900 in the last few months have also been told they were misreading their meters.



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Man jailed for hit-and-run death of 6-year-old boy

DALLAS (AP) — A 34-year-old man was arrested in connection with the hit-and-run death of a 6-year-old boy who has knocked by a car 75 feet from an ice cream truck where he had just bought a frozen treat.

Roy Lee Smith was being held in city jail today in lieu of \$10,000 bond in connection with the death of Craig Thomas, killed Saturday after he was hit by a speeding car near his southside home, police said.

Smith was arrested about an hour after the accident one block away, police said. He appeared before County Judge Tom Boardman on charges of investigation of involuntary manslaughter and failure to stop and render aid.

Smith was arrested after several neighborhood children told police they recognized the driver of the car.

The car that struck Thomas was traveling 50 mph in a 30-mph zone, said police traffic investigator J.D. Chappell. The impact knocked the child 75

feet across the street and into a neighbor's yard, he said.

Thomas was pronounced dead on arrival at Parkland Memorial Hospital.

"It's one thing to hit a child and stay to suffer the consequences," said Kathy Johnson, the boy's mother. "You can understand an accident. But hitting a child and running away — that's the lowest thing a man can do."

The child suffered numerous cuts, broken bones and internal injuries, Chappell said.

"The driver had to know he hit the child," he said. "He never should have been driving that fast. And everyone knows kids swarm around an ice cream truck."

Smith's car had a new headlight and had just been washed when he was arrested, police said.

The mother said she was home with Thomas and her 3-year-old son when the ice cream truck drove by. Mrs. Johnson gave Thomas a dollar and told him to buy treats for himself and his brother.

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1 Rearrange letters of the four scrambled words below to form four simple words.

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ENFIED

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS IN THESE SQUARES

3 UNSCRAMBLE ABOVE LETTERS TO GET ANSWER

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SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

Answer - River - Gray - Define - WAITER

Grandma always told me department: "When you eat out, always find a table near a waiter."

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Evening TV Schedule



Fond farewell

They're going home! B.J. (Mike Farrell, l. to r.), Hawkeye (Alan Alda) and Winchester (David Ogden Stiers) bid adieu in the final episode of "M*A*S*H," airing Monday, Feb. 28 on CBS.

7:30 p.m., channel 7

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8:00	ABC Movie: "American Gigolo"	"	The Bridge Fall Down"	Cristal Vanessa	Frontline	Pitt Vs. Providence	"	Ladies' Man"	Midnight Special	Sonshine Jack Van Impe
9:00	"	"	"	24 Horas	Great Performances	WinterWorld Horse Racing	Movie: "Postman"	News	News	Praise The Lord
10:00	News ABC News	News Trapper	News The Best	Movie: "Un Million"	"Wagner's Ring"	Sports-Center	Always Rings Twice"	All In Family Movie	Soap Charlie's	Praise The Lord
11:00	Entertainment CH2Z News	John, M.D. Columbo	Of Carson D. Letterman	A La Beaura"	Acts II And III"	Boxing Top Rank	Movie: "Making Lions"	"Without Re-Reserve"	Angels Movie	Praise The Lord
12:00	The Last Word	"	Overnight	Una Limosa Movie	Focus On Society	"	"Love"	"The Heiress"	"The Heiress"	Behind Scenes K. Hagen

GOREN BRIDGE

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ANSWERS TO BRIDGE QUIZ

Q.1—As South vulnerable, you hold:
♠AK873 ♥AJ96 ♦A8 ♣72
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1 ♦ Pass 2 ♦ Pass
2 ♥ Pass 4 ♥ Pass
?
What action do you take?
A.—You are in slam territory, but it won't help you to ask for aces. If partner has no ace, you can still be laydown for slam, but you don't know whether to bid it or not. The solution is to make a cue-bid of five diamonds. That will make it clear to partner that he needs first- or second-round control in clubs to move beyond five hearts.

Q.2—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠AKQ65 ♥AQ963 ♦5 ♣Q2
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1 ♦ Pass 2 ♦ Pass
2 ♥ Pass 3 ♦ Pass
?
What action do you take?
A.—You might rebid your hearts in the hope that partner has three-card support, but that is unlikely in the light of partner's bidding. He has shown a good, long club suit and a sub-minimum two-over-one response. Still, we feel your hand rates one

move toward game because of your queen of clubs, and the bid we like is four clubs.

Q.3—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠AQJ5 ♥K7 ♦AK106 ♣A98
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1 ♦ Pass 1 ♦ Pass
?
What do you bid now?
A.—It might seem that the value bid is a jump to four spades, but that does not take into account that aces and kings are undervalued in the point count and that you have a hand rich in controls. You should encourage partner to look for slam, and the way to do so is with a jump shift. We suggest three clubs. If given the opportunity, you should jump to four spades at your next turn to show your excellent trumps.

Q.4—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠KJ854 ♦K5 ♣AQ9652
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1 ♦ Pass 1 ♥ Pass
1 ♣ Pass 2 NT Pass
3 ♣ Pass 4 ♣ Pass
?
What action do you take?
A.—You have given partner a complete picture of your hand, and he has chosen to simply settle for game. Your void in partner's suit can hardly be called an asset, so there is no reason why you should bid on. Pass.

Q.5—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠K3 ♥AJ1065 ♦AQ1073 ♣4
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1 ♥ Pass 1 ♦ Pass
2 ♦ Pass 3 ♦ Pass
?
What action do you take?
A.—Partner has shown no great values with his one-over-one response and simple raise of your second suit. Nevertheless, the fact that he did take two bids means that he cannot be minimum for his first action—he would have passed two diamonds in that case. We think you are clearly worth another move, and four diamonds is the obvious choice.

Q.6—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠K52 ♥J72 ♦A10653 ♣92
The bidding has proceeded:
North East South West
Pass 1 NT Pass Pass
Dble Pass ?
What action do you take?
A.—For his balancing double in the face of East's no trump opener, partner must have very close to an opening bid. There is little to choose between the two sides in strength, but your side has the advantage of being able to strike the first blow, and you can start the attack by leading from a good five-card suit. Pass. No great harm will have been done should East make his contract.

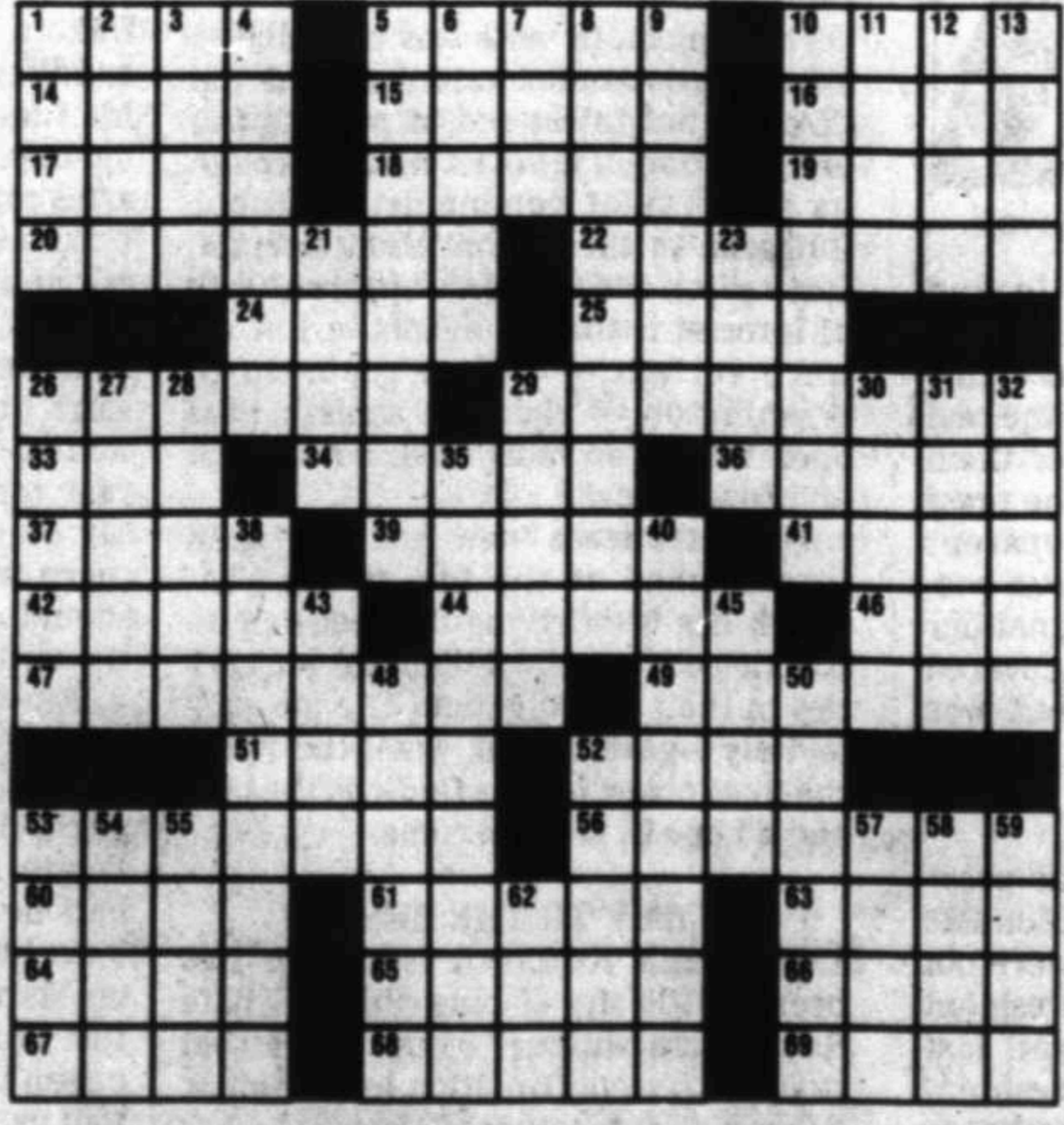
Your horoscope

Tuesday, March 1, 1983
YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY: Celebrities sharing your birthday include Harry Belafonte, Dinah Shore, NFL commissioner Pete Rozelle and astronaut Deke Slayton. Also born on this date: actors Robert Conrad, Cesare Danova and Ron Howard. Unconventional methods and relationships help you in career and business this year. You get the financing you need for a very important project. Family members draw closer together. You find the romantic partner you have been looking for.
ARIES (March 21-April 19): Someone makes an exception for you. Do not expect any further favors from this same individual. A partnership may not work out. You learn a valuable lesson from assessing its strengths and weaknesses.
TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You need to be more flexible. Romance will fizzle unless you pick up the pieces right away. A creative project holds special appeal. Find a way to be included.
GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Learning to use a computer could help you jump over others on the career ladder. Be ready to put in extra hours. An old wound heals when you shower love one with affection.
CANCER (June 21-July 22): You enjoy good luck in most areas now. Avoid an old flame if you want current partner to feel confident of your love. Socializing with prospective clients may put you at a disadvantage.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Mounting anxiety must be arrested or you risk losing an important appointment. Force yourself to be more patient. Mate will be supportive if you open up. Review investments.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Financial problems are easier to deal with this week. An unexpected check helps. Stop trying to please a demanding neighbor. Someone's sudden popularity alarms you. Play a waiting game.
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Show more initiative and daring. Others respond to your enthusiasm in a positive manner. A reassessment of your values, loyalties leads to rewarding new alliances. Romance looks grand! Be attentive to mate.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Important relationships fare best in the morning. Keep in touch with family members. They may have important news to share. The ability to speak a foreign language helps your career.
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Certain inside information enables you to make an important business move. Financial talks will prove highly profitable. Being in the right place at the right time brings rich rewards. Romance is favored.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Important developments are brewing on the home front. Postpone travel. Influential person gives you a hearing if you request financial backing. Say "yes" to invitations. You could meet someone quite fascinating.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Another's blunder works in your favor. New career doors open. You are the top choice of an influential person! Dress your best. Someone with conservative taste has an eye on you.
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Be honest with a new partner or client—even if you must admit a mistake. A social event boosts your income and prestige. Romance develops almost too fast. Slow down!

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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Register to swim at Y

The Alamo YMCA, 901 N. Midland Drive, is taking registration for March swim and gym classes. Pre-school gymnastics, designed for the 3 1/2 to 5 year olds, will be from 9:45 to 10:15 a.m. and 1:45 to 2:15 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, while progressive gymnastics, 6 years and up, will be from 4 to 4:45 p.m. and 4:45 to 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Parents and tots swim, designed for the 3-month-old to 3-year-old, will be from 6 to 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Progressive swim classes for children 6 years old and up include polliwog (beginners), 3:45 to 4:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays; minnow, fish, flying fish and shark (advanced beginner through advanced swimmer), 4:45 to 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Ladies swim class will be from 10 to 11 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, while adult co-ed swim classes will be from 7:15 to 8:15 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Lap and open swim will be from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, 12:30 to 5:15 p.m. Saturday, 6 to 8:45 p.m. Monday and Wednesday and 6 to 8 p.m. Friday. Private swim lessons will be scheduled upon request. The outdoor whirlpool will be open during lap and open swim times. The Alamo Y swimming pool is available for rental for private parties and adult and child parties are welcome. Certified lifeguards are on duty at all times. Safety skills are taught at all levels of swimming. A YMCA membership is not required to participate in any of the programs. For more information call 694-2528.

'Escape' with Y program

A co-ed YMCA Great Escape fitness camp is scheduled for a three-day session March 18 through 20. The camp, located at Prude Ranch in the Fort Davis Mountains, offers a health and fitness center with whirlpools, weight room, exercise room, lounge with television, indoor heated pool, tennis court, horseback riding and a dining service. Fitness classes and programs will be offered all three days at moderate and advanced levels. Fees are \$150 per person and \$275 for two with a special discount for the first 20 participants to register. A women-only session is scheduled for March 27 through 31. This session will offer fitness evaluations, beauty consultants and massages. Participants will have the choice of a maintenance meal plan or 1,000-calorie reduction plan. For more information call 682-2551.

Senior swim class at Y

The Alamo YMCA, 901 N. Midland Drive, will offer an aquatics program for persons 55 years and older. The class, beginning at 10 a.m. Friday, will include mild water exercises and relaxation. Medically recommended water movements will be in an indoor, shallow, heated pool under supervision by a qualified instructor who is certified in lifesaving and cardiopulmonary resuscitation. No previous swimming experience is necessary and instruction will be provided for participants who would like to learn to swim. The class includes a special senior citizen rate and MidTran is available to senior citizens with MidTran identification. YMCA membership is not required. For more information call the Y at 694-2528.

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An albatross tax

When the Supreme Court considers whether the United States government can continue to collect billions of dollars in revenue under the Windfall Profits Tax, it would be nice to see wisdom prevail. Don't hold your breath, Midland oilmen.

That would be unwise because a couple of factors make it unlikely the High Court will rule favorably for the oil companies in a suit testing constitutionality of the tax. A Wyoming judge ruled earlier this year the tax is unconstitutional because it exempts new oil produced above the Arctic Circle.

While that judge's ruling appears wise, other factors to consider include these:

The government has collected about \$26 billion since the tax was levied in 1980. In each of the next five years, the tax is expected to yield another \$40 billion, making the total revenue collection in the neighborhood of \$226 billion. Returning that revenue to the oil industry would be a costly process.

Growing deficit estimates for the government would surge even higher if the federal government were to lose the Windfall Profits Tax revenue. That would lead to a worsening of the nation's economic problem.

President Reagan, who in the

past said he will work to repeal the Windfall Profits Tax, has had a beneficial impact on the growth of the federal government since taking office in 1981. He has not reduced the size of the federal government; he's merely slowed the government's growth, which is a break with recent history.

The president's goal of reducing government growth and abolishing the tax are contradictory, though. On the one hand he wants to get the oil industry out from under the burdensome and counterproductive windfalls tax. On the other, he obviously is aware of the fact the government and the economy need the \$226 billion the tax will generate.

All too real is the danger if the tax is not ruled unconstitutional now it will become a "permanent" levy and will continue to fuel growth of the government, if not under Reagan then under his successor. What that translates into is continual hamstringing of domestic oil production efforts. When the current oil glut disappears, as it surely will, how will oil independents and companies finance exploration and production endeavors?

The wisdom is that the Windfall Profits Tax is an albatross around the necks of oil companies and the nation. Will the Supreme Court recognize that fact?

Pacifism revisited

The emotional strength of the pacifist movement among young Americans and Englishmen before World War II is hard for contemporary young people to credit.

World War I was the first war in which it became apparent that the killing power and destructiveness of modern weapons had made total war between industrialized nations a no-win proposition.

College students in England and the United States reacted with passion, rejecting all militarism and espousing pacifism.

They learned better in the "Winds of War."

On Feb. 9, at Oxford University in England, a debating society debated once again the question, "That this House will in no circumstances fight for its King (Queen) and country," which had been debated in the same hall exactly 50 years before. In 1933, the motion carried, 275 to 153.

This time one of the speakers who had supported the motion before World War II returned to oppose it. It failed, 416 to 187.

Another View:

Carving away at EPA

If President Reagan has his way, the Environmental Protection Agency will soon be unable to do its job. At a time when the EPA's responsibilities are growing, the president wants to savage its budget.

In 1981, the EPA's 11,400 employees spent \$1.35 billion to protect the environment — checking air and water quality, assessing the acid rain threat, studying the toxicity of new chemicals, running cleanup programs. Inflation and new pollution laws continue to stretch the agency's resources. But the Reagan administration, which in two years has slashed the EPA's staff to 9,000 and cut its budget to \$1.04 billion, wants to cut again. In fiscal year 1984, the administration proposes that the EPA employ only 7,900 workers and spend only \$948 million.

The new budget would crimp enforcement of the Clean Air Act and the Clean Water Act. It would further curtail EPA research. And it would drastically reduce funds needed by the states: Grants to control water pollution would be cut more than half; grants to control air pollution would drop by almost a fifth. Waste grants would be cut, too, hampering embryonic state cleanup programs that depend heavily on federal help. In practice, the cut would mean more than a 10 percent reduction in most state environmental control budgets.

EPA administrator Anne McGill Burford (who was Anne Gorsuch before her recent marriage) defends these proposals. She insists the agency can be more efficient, doing more with less. But the record shows that it isn't true: Even now, 90 percent of EPA regulatory actions are behind schedule. Two-thirds of all industrial water pollution sources are operating un-

expired permits. In fiscal year 1982, the agency completed drafts of about half the new air pollution regulations scheduled for release. According to the Natural Resources Defense Council, the EPA completed only one of the 318 safety reviews of new chemicals it promised Congress it would complete, and only one of 125 promised reviews of chemical manufacturers. But these failures pale in comparison to the EPA's enforcement record: Environmental inspections, administrative actions and referrals of cases for prosecution have dropped nearly 50 percent since Mr. Reagan took office.

The EPA has not done better with less. Some critics suspect the new budget and staff cuts are one more effort to keep the agency from doing its work. It can't carry its increasing load with a third less money than it had three years ago. But opinion polls show that Americans want more, not less, environmental protection. If Congress is listening to the people, it will reject the administration's proposal.

— The Minneapolis Star and Tribune

TODAY IN HISTORY

Five years ago: President Carter asked Congress for a 24 percent increase in federal funds for education.

One year ago: A series of four explosions ripped through New York's Wall Street area, shattering windows and damaging facades of buildings housing several major financial institutions.

Today's birthdays: Nobel Prize-winning chemist Linus Pauling is 82. Former Treasury Secretary John Connally is 66.

Thought for today: "A cheerful friend is like a sunny day spreading brightness all around." — Sir John Lubbock, English astronomer (1803-1865).



WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

Several USIA grants questionable

WASHINGTON — The U.S. Information Agency is supposed to promote American foreign-policy interests by providing factual material on the United States to the nations of the world. The idea is that straight news about America will be more than enough to counter the lies and propaganda disseminated by the Kremlin.

But under the Reagan administration, USIA has fought propaganda with propaganda, doling out bundles of money to conservative organizations with the right ideological tilt.



Jack Anderson

Nowhere is this trend more evident than in USIA's private-sector program, headed by Robert Reilly. Congress set up the program to provide "seed money" to private groups for educational exchange projects, and stipulated that it be strictly nonpartisan.

But some of Reilly's grants of the taxpayers' money have a rather partisan odor to them.

Take the \$428,000 USIA gave to something called the Claremont Institute in Claremont, Calif.

Reilly is an alumnus of Claremont College, located in the same city. So is Peter Schramm, who now runs the Claremont Institute. In fact, the two

men knew each other in college.

USIA officials assured my associate Lucette Lagnado that "the Claremont Institute is not the same as Claremont College." Aside from the location, they said, "Claremont Institute has nothing to do with Claremont College."

A Philadelphia lawyer might be able to show that this is technically correct. But to the layman-taxpayer, it would be a pretty blurry distinction.

Schramm, the institute's director, teaches at the college. Other Claremont College professors are involved with the institute. And some of the money given to Claremont Institute by USIA has wound up with Claremont College. For example, the institute rented some of the college's classrooms for a seminar funded by USIA.

The agency's private-sector program also gave a grant of about \$200,000 to Ernest Lefever's Ethics and Public Policy Center. Lefever was President Reagan's initial choice to head the State Department's human-rights bureau. But after intense scrutiny by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, both Republicans and Democrats joined in refusing to confirm Lefever.

What is USIA giving Lefever's institute \$200,000 for? To discredit the peace movement.

In his application for a USIA hand-out, Lefever writes at length about the "alarming trend of the peace movement," and charges that it has "the direct and indirect backing of Soviet-sponsored groups." Few would argue that the Kremlin is supporting the international peace movement; the

only controversy is whether this in itself discredits the peace movement.

Lefever's proposal is to hold seminars for European church leaders who are, in his words, "in the forefront of the anti-nuclear movement." The idea is to persuade them that U.S. arms policy will deter aggression.

One congressional source said, in effect, lotsa luck. "The Europeans aren't stupid," the source said. "They aren't going to buy a Soviet-style, one-sided propaganda effort." An official at the Ethics and Public Policy Center stressed that the "best minds" representing all viewpoints on the disarmament issue would participate in the seminars.

Internal USIA documents indicate that Lefever isn't planning to run his seminar on the cheap. In addition to paying a large part of his own salary, the USIA grant would provide \$1,000 and \$1,500 fees for seminar speakers. Lefever explained that "top talent cannot be enlisted at bargain-basement prices."

Another questionable USIA grant was approved for the Center for Education and Research to expose "future leaders" of Guatemala to the marvels of the capitalist system. The original grant application budgeted \$1,000 a day for faculty pay, plus \$3,000 for a dinner.

Following protests by an outraged USIA official, the Guatemalans' seminar was cut back to \$600 a day for faculty — and no \$3,000 dinner.

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INSIDE REPORT:

Leak of Libyan plot angered Reagan

WASHINGTON — The leak by unknown administration officials of Libyan strongman Muammar Khadafi's plot against neighboring Sudan risked the life of American agents in the Middle East who had tipped off the CIA, infuriating President Reagan in the process.

With the president himself in command, top national security advisers agreed that the dispatch of U.S. AWACS radar planes to Egypt to monitor the dangerous situation could not be honestly explained without endangering the U.S. agents. That is why, during his Feb. 16 press conference, Reagan himself seemed completely in the dark and passed off the shift of the AWACS as "not an unusual happening."



Rowland Evans



Robert Novak

When the real story was leaked (probably by Pentagon officials), the president's first worry was that Khadafi would retaliate by finding the real or pseudo U.S. agents and order them killed. Reagan also knew that the press would ridicule him for the apparent ignorance he displayed at his press conference. As matters turned out, neither real nor pseudo agents were uncovered by Khadafi, and the president was indeed ridiculed.

FRITZ AND TEDDY

Relations between Democratic presidential front-runner Walter F. Mondale and Sen. Edward M. Kennedy were not helped when the former vice president declared on the campaign trail last week that he had opposed President Jimmy Carter's Soviet grain embargo — precisely the position Mondale had

excoriated Kennedy for taking in 1980.

On his second day as an officially-announced candidate, Mondale told a news conference in St. Paul, Minn., that he had opposed the embargo in internal discussions of the Carter administration and supported it as a good soldier only after it became official policy. "I vigorously opposed it," he said. "I thought it was a mistake."

When he heard of this back in Washington, Kennedy's aides could scarcely believe it. In the rough Iowa campaigning early in 1980, Mondale came close to questioning Kennedy's patriotism for failure to support the grain embargo and other anti-Afghanistan measures. The resulting scars never quite healed over the past three years, and Mondale's new comments were not therapeutic.

THE POPE PLOT

A top-secret State Department message sent to the Italian government tries to make amends for seeming past U.S. skepticism by professing what one official termed "great interest by the Reagan administration" in the continuing probe of possible Soviet complicity in the attempted assassination of Pope John Paul II.

The diplomatic note was intended to dispel well-founded criticism that the CIA was not interested in pushing the investigation of a Soviet hand, through its subservient communist neighbor Bulgaria, in the assassination attempt. One reason for the CIA's apparent lack of interest is that its agents in Europe were certain — and so reported to Washington — that the assassin was operating as an individual, not as part of a conspiracy.

That erroneous view has now been transformed at the top of the CIA, which has been giving discreet help to Italian police and intelligence authorities in their investigation. The message to Italy's government was a between-the-lines cheer for the findings thus far and a hope of more to come.

RUMMY TO THE RESCUE

Although Kenneth Adelman has been a little shy of blue-ribbon Senate Republican support in his embattled struggle for confirmation as President Reagan's arms control director, he has been given all-out backing by a formi-

dable Republican outside the government: ex-defense secretary Don Rumsfeld, now chief executive of G.D. Searle.

Rumsfeld has been manning the long-distance telephone from his corporate headquarters in Skokie, Ill., to senators, urging them to vote for Adelman, his onetime subordinate at the Pentagon. But that has excited speculation in the Senate Republican cloakroom that the unseen hand behind Adelman's surprise nomination to head the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency (ACDA) might have belonged to "Rummy," an unsurpassed backroom operator in the Ford administration.

The fact that Adelman's nomination was announced without the usual Senate clearance, suggesting to suspicious senators the existence of a secret patron, discouraged fervent support for his nomination from the Republican side of the aisle. Secretary of State George Shultz has not helped matters by confiding to senators that Adelman was news to him as well.

PRESSLER'S 'BIRTHDAY' PARTY

The maverick reputation of Republican senator Larry Pressler of South Dakota has been embellished by his handling of the alleged link between his fund-raising "birthday" party and his opposition to Kenneth Adelman as arms control director.

We were unable to reach Pressler to ask him about reports from Senate colleagues that his opposition to Adelman stemmed partly from President Reagan's hesitation at accepting an invitation to his party. When we published that report, Pressler telephoned us to say he had invited Reagan to nothing, there was no such party and that we should check Senate Majority Leader Howard Baker for verification.

But when we checked Baker's office, we were told Baker had accepted an invitation to Pressler's fund-raising party in Sioux Falls, S.D., May 20. White House aides reported Reagan had been invited to the same affair. Pressler's 41st birthday actually falls on March 29, but the political celebration comes later. "It's sort of like the queen's birthday," a Senate Republican told us.

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CHARLEY REESE

Negotiation playing into Soviet hands

Some Americans in and out of government appear to be mounting a campaign to persuade the United States to force the government of El Salvador to "negotiate" with the communist guerrillas.

Many of these people deliberately blur over a distinction between two different kinds of talking. You should understand their game play before you decide El Salvador's government is unreasonable.



Charley Reese

The government of El Salvador has said before and says today it will be glad to engage the guerrillas in a dialogue — if they will lay down their guns, form a political party, and compete in a fair election under international supervision.

That's not what the guerrillas want. When they demand negotiations, they have something else in mind.

And what they have in mind is for the government of El Salvador to hand over to them positions in the government without bothering to ask the people, via an election, if they want these turkeys in their government. In short, their desire to talk is nothing more than plain blackmail: give us a position of power and we will stop shooting.

This is an old and familiar tactic of communists and it is always a sure sign they are losing the military battle and they wouldn't stand a chance in a free election. They were invited to participate in the last election which observers from outside El Salvador termed remarkably fair. Not only did the guerrillas decline, they tried to block the election by threatening to murder people if they voted. To their credit, the people of El Salvador turned out in droves.

Unfortunately, the U.S. State Department sometimes assists the communists in their game of blackmail. Decades ago, the U.S. pressured the Nationalist Chinese to accept the communists into a coalition government. When the nationalists persisted in refusing, the U.S. withdrew its support. Then Secretary of State George C. Marshall bragged that he disarmed the nationalists "with the stroke of a pen." A communist victory soon followed.

So far, the Reagan administration is acting honorably and resisting the calls for a "negotiated settlement" in El Salvador. The past two years, however, have taught us that what the president says is his policy today may change tomorrow.

It would be an absolute disgrace for any American to argue that someone who rejects the political process should be allowed to shoot his way to power. You couldn't find a plainer example of a betrayal of the principles on which this nation was founded.

Some of the cowards in Congress who are arguing for us to force El Salvador to compromise with the guerrillas really would like to see us out of El Salvador completely but they don't have the nerve to say so. They prefer to lay a bum rap on the government and people of El Salvador.

These characters will have plenty of opportunity to exhibit their cowardice because the war between communists and non-communists is being fought not only in El Salvador, but in Nicaragua, Honduras and Guatemala.

The real characters will have plenty of opportunity to exhibit their cowardice because the war between communists and non-communists is being fought not only in El Salvador, but in Nicaragua, Honduras and Guatemala.

The real choice for us Americans is this: Do we want to see Central America become a Soviet satellite. If so, then all we have to do is nothing. If not, then we must prepare for a fight and be prepared to spend money and probably at some point lives. We must be prepared also to accept the reality that we cannot count on always having angels as allies and that no matter how good our allies are, the Soviet Union's fifth column in America will work actively to discredit them.

Some days I think we should have two flags — Old Glory for the majority of Americans and a new one consisting of a white field with a large yellow stripe for those citizens who do not have the stomach to face the challenges of the 1980s.

Our greatest weakness is not in arms, nuclear or conventional, but in the lack of courage so many of our leaders regularly display. Sooner or later we must decide if we wish to surrender to the Soviet Union or if we wish to remain a free and independent people. If the choice is freedom, then we will have to resist the Soviets on all fronts.

Central America is a good test. We have already permitted the Soviets to establish a military base in Cuba. If we permit them to expand that military base to include Central America, I would say that is a sure sign that the game is over and the Soviets are the winner.

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Southeast, West hit by storms

Soggy L.A. weather greets queen



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Stranded motorists are pulled to safety from the flooded Long Beach Freeway near Redondo Beach, Calif., Sunday. Storms in the Los Angeles area caused flooding Sunday.

By The Associated Press

Subtropical storms spawned in the Gulf of Mexico blew through the Southeast, disabling an oil rig and killing a pilot in Florida, while rain and high winds slammed into California, causing mudslides and a soggy reception for Queen Elizabeth II.

Sunday's violent weather-maker along the Gulf Coast came off a lingering jetstream system that has sent storms pulsing into the southern states for the past week, said Nolan Duke of the National Weather Service at Kansas City.

"We've had a jet stream pattern from the southern tip of Texas to the southern tip of Florida," Duke said today. "This sets up a pattern of Gulf Coast storms. The energy is there."

In California, Duke said, a Pacific cold front created storms that buffeted the West Coast through the weekend, cutting electrical power in the Los Angeles area and sending two Bay Area homes sliding on their foundations late Sunday.

The pilot of a twin-engine cargo plane died when his craft crashed near Brooksville, Fla., 35 miles northeast of Tampa, authorities said.

"Weather conditions made it necessary (for him) to operate on instruments" as opposed to visual sightings Sunday, said Ira Furman of the National Transportation Safety Board in Washington.

In the wind-whipped Gulf of Mexico, workers aboard a floating oil rig that foundered in high seas managed to stabilize it late Sunday, but the craft was left partially submerged.

The rig, about two-thirds the size of a football field, was being towed by four tugboats about 80 miles off the coast of Galveston, Texas, when it began taking on water in one of its pontoon compartments.

A crew of six men stayed aboard to try to steady the vessel, a Coast Guard spokesman said, but was evacuated when the platform lost its derrick and began slowly to sink.

"It looks like they had topped the sinking or flooding in the one compartment," said Coast Guard Petty Officer Michael Marks. "They could not raise it back up so they lowered the rest of the rig to level it out."

Heavy seas and gale-force winds of 50 to 60 knots nearly sank a tugboat about 130 miles off the Louisiana coast today when the boat began taking on water, but the seven-man crew later located the leak and stabilized the boat.

The storm, which dumped 2.6 inches of rain in Miami in a 12-hour period Sunday, forced postponement of the \$225,000 Budweiser Grand Prix auto race, the final round of the \$300,000 Doral-Eastern Open golf tournament, the finals of the Gold Coast cup tennis match in Delray Beach, Fla., and other sporting events.

Tow trucks were busy rescuing stalled and abandoned cars along U.S. Highway 1 in Fort Lauderdale, police said, and stretches of Interstate 95 were reported under water in North Dade County.

In Hayward, Calif., two houses slid on their foundations in the rain-drenched San Francisco Bay Area. The houses were evacuated, and officials reported no injuries.



AP Laserphoto

Ernest Johnson became the first black elected to the commission council of Plaquemines Parish Saturday. The council had been the realm of

the Perez family until Johnson and Germaine Curley, the council's first woman, gained seats on the Louisiana governing body.

First woman, black part of Louisiana parish council

POINTE A LA HACHE, La. (AP) — The first black man and the first woman have been elected to the commission council of Plaquemines Parish in a historic vote that ended a half-century of government by the segregationist Perez family.

Ernest Johnson, the black councilman, offered his sample ballots as souvenirs at his victory party after Saturday's runoff.

"It's a piece of history," he said, noting it was the first council election in 16 years.

Germaine Curley, the first woman elected to the parish commission council, wept as she thanked supporters.

"You are so beautiful to me," she told her backers. "An hour ago we knelt in prayer at home. I said I had an overwhelming three months, an overwhelming week, and, I don't need to say, an overwhelming day today. God bless you all."

Johnson, 46, and Mrs. Curley, 47, were elected on a wave of bi-racial support in the marshy, oil-rich parish ruled for more than 50 years by the dynasty founded by segregationist Leander H. Perez Sr.

"I've been having butterflies all day — yeah, all day," said Johnson, who was one of two blacks who successfully challenged the constitutionality of the old nine-member, at-large makeup of the council.

Complete but unofficial vote totals gave Johnson 561 votes to 521 for parish employee Neal Patton Jr.

Mrs. Curley defeated former parish assessor Brian Bubrig 903 to 540.

About 77 percent of the parish's voters turned out at the polls, matching the record set during last month's primary.

The district voting system ordered by U.S. District Judge Frederick Heebe stipulated nine districts, two of which were won without opposition by incumbents Luke Petrovich and council president Michael Kirby.

Petrovich and Kirby were leaders in the effort to wrest control of the board away from former president Chalm Perez, who inherited his father's dominance in 1967, the last year a council election was held.

The family machine ran unopposed until Heebe blocked the at-large elections in 1977, saying the system discriminated against blacks.

A series of appeals by Perez and other council members delayed the new elections until a primary last month. Perez refused to run in the district elections.

Johnson and Mrs. Curley defeated candidates endorsed by a coalition of several parish officials, including incumbents Petrovich and Kirby.

In another controversial district race, incumbent Albert Beshel trounced Perez-backed challenger Ralph Ferranto 1,066 to 578.

Superfund becoming super trouble

WASHINGTON (AP) — Jimmy Carter saw the "superfund" — \$1.6 billion earmarked to clean up the deadly residues of America's chemical revolution — as one of his biggest environmental achievements.

For Ronald Reagan, the superfund is a super headache — complete with a contempt of Congress citation, tales of paper shredders and allegations of political corruption.

And those controversies of the last two months come on top of criticism that the administration has missed every deadline for getting the superfund program underway, has been stingy in handing out money for cleanups and timid about forcing responsible chemical companies to pay.

"From the day this administration walked in, they have done everything they can to frustrate the intent of Congress in passing the law," says Lester Brown, a House staff expert on hazardous waste.

Critics say only five sites out of 420 on a national priority list have been totally cleaned up, and only \$104 million of \$525 million collected in the fund had been spent through the end of last year.

EPA officials say it is not surprising that only five sites have been totally cleaned up. Big dumps will take four years or longer to finish, officials say.

But one White House source, who spoke on

"The law simply said establish a national priority list of at least 400 sites. It does not mandate that they be cleaned up."

the condition he not be identified, admitted that the overall EPA controversy has "spotlighted the need to look at the way the superfund operated."

Such a turn of events was not on the horizon when Congress, responding to the Love Canal disaster in New York, passed the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act in December 1980.

The law authorized taxes to be levied on the oil and chemical industry for five years and put into a fund dubbed the "superfund." The money collected would be spent to clean up hundreds of inactive chemical dumps that dot the countryside.

Carter hailed the law as a "landmark in its scope and in its impact on preserving the environmental quality of our country."

With the 1980 election, the Reagan administration took charge of the superfund. Despite proclamations that superfund was its No. 1 environmental priority, the adminis-

tration has come under fire for not pressing guilty companies harder to pay for cleanups.

The problem is that the fund's \$1.6 billion is expected to pay for cleaning up only 170 sites. To cover the other sites on the list of 420, Congress expected to recover costs from the companies responsible.

"The law simply said establish a national priority list of at least 400 sites. It does not mandate that they be cleaned up," said William Hedeman, director of the EPA superfund office. "A lot of them are going to present problems that are so costly to correct, that the fund will not be able to deal with them."

The administration has stressed voluntary settlements with companies, rather than lawsuits. Critics call those "sweetheart deals" and point out that the administration has yet to sue a single company for the maximum damages.

Superfund director Hedeman said in an interview the agency is now preparing cases that will seek triple damages against companies.

He said a greater problem facing the superfund program is the failure of state legislatures to come up with the necessary matching money.

Shuttle delay gives workers holiday

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — NASA technicians got an unexpected day off so they would be "fresh and alert" when they start removing a defective engine from the delay-plagued space shuttle Challenger, a space agency spokesman says.

NASA officials gave technicians Sunday off, pushing back the removal of a second defective engine from the spacecraft.

"They (technicians) have been working very hard for quite awhile in finding the engine problem and to ensure that they're fresh and alert we thought they should have some rest," said Hugh Harris, a Kennedy Space Center spokesman.

"We should have it off and in the Vehicle Assembly Building sometime after noon (today)," Harris said.

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CHICAGO (AP) — The seizure of \$24 million worth of opium near O'Hare International Airport could mean that a heroin processing plant is operating in the Chicago area, authorities said.

Opium usually is processed into heroin before the heroin is smuggled into the United States. The fact that it wasn't in this case suggests the processing may be under way here, says U.S. Attorney Dan K. Webb.



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Polish farmers try to revive rural branch of Solidarity

KRAKOW, Poland (AP) — With help from the Roman Catholic church, a group of disgruntled Polish farmers is trying secretly to revive the rural branch of the outlawed Solidarity labor union.

"Although Solidarity has been disbanded, it still thrives in the countryside as an idea," said one of 80 farmers who met in a secluded religious cloister near Krakow last week.

The three-day seminar, which ended Friday, focused on the farmers' economic problems and the future of their outlawed union. The farmers allowed an Associated Press reporter to attend the opening session on condition that neither the participants nor the exact location be identified.

"We are not going to attack Moscow with our scythes," said one of the priests on hand, expressing the commonly held view that martial law was declared with Kremlin approval. "But we are going to restore our human dignity. That is why we are holding this seminar."

independent union that challenged the Communist government in 1980 and 1981, claimed more than 1 million members before it was disbanded under the martial law declaration of December 1981. It later was outlawed by a ban on regional or nationwide unions.

The seminar, the second of its kind held within the shelter of the church, reflected a mood of discontent in the countryside.

"We have heard many opinions here, not all of which belong in a church," said a priest as he tried to calm participants during one stormy exchange.

Several farmers spoke with hostility about Communist authority, but most focused on how to help themselves economically rather than rely on the government.

"The government is trying to destroy the private farmer," said one man from central Poland.

One of the major complaints was the refusal of the centralized state distribution system to sell farmers needed supplies unless they sell the government their quota of produce.



Women and children, survivors of the Feb. 19 carnage in the state of Assam in India, are being given milk at a refugee camp at Alipurduar railway station where more than 10,000 refugees have taken shelter.

New Assam minister says he'll seek aid for victims

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — The newly sworn-in chief minister of Assam says he will seek relief for victims of election-related violence that has claimed at least 1,300 lives and left 100,000 homeless.

Hiteswar Saikal, a member of Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's Congress Party, took the oath of office as chief minister Sunday along with a 12-member Cabinet, ending nearly a year of federal rule in the northeastern state.

Mrs. Gandhi, meanwhile, announced a package of concessions to India's militant Sikhs, who have kept northern Punjab state in turmoil for months. She did not grant several of their major demands.

Saikal, 44, told reporters in Gauhati, Assam's main city, that he would try to end the bloodshed that began Feb. 2 as militant Hindus tried to block the elections ordered by Mrs. Gandhi.

In the three-stage election, the Congress Party took 90 seats in the 126-seat state assembly. Violence prevented vot-

ing in 18 districts, and election officials said those seats would remain vacant "indefinitely." The major opposition parties boycotted the election.

A student-led movement of Hindu Assamese, opposed to the hundreds of thousands of Moslem immigrants from Bangladesh, tried to block the voting as part of its effort to get the settlers expelled.

In New Delhi, Mrs. Gandhi told a crowd at a Sikh temple that Sikhs may now carry their traditional daggers on Indian Airlines domestic flights, and All India-Radio will broadcast Sikh prayers. Daggers have been banned on domestic flights since one was used in the hijacking of a jetliner in 1981.

Also, meat, wine and cigarette shops will be removed from around the Golden Temple, holiest of Sikh shrines, and a lesser temple in Amritsar, 250 miles northwest of here, she said. Orthodox Sikhs abstain from meat, alcohol and smoking.

Egypt: Libya has pulled back

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — The government said today that Libya has withdrawn the troops it massed along the borders with Egypt and Sudan, defusing a crisis which triggered U.S. military deployment to deter a possible Libyan attack.

Mohammed Rashwan, minister of state for parliamentary affairs, reported the Libyan pullback following a meeting of the political bureau of the ruling National Democratic Party chaired by President Hosni Mubarak.

Norwegian questions Reagan's sincerity

OSLO, Norway (AP) — Norway's leading opposition politician is embroiled in debate with the American Embassy over her remarks questioning President Reagan's sincerity in negotiating arms reductions with the Soviet Union.

In an unusual move, the embassy staff here went to the Norwegian press to rebut comments it felt cast doubts on Reagan's integrity and compared him unfavorably with his predecessor, Jimmy Carter.

Former Prime Minister Gro Harlem Brundtland, leader of Norway's largest political party, Labor, prompted the American response. She told a district party congress that Reagan, unlike Carter, had failed to convince Norwegians of his commitment to the negotiations.

Carter "promised and assured our government — across the table and looking each other squarely in the eye — what was (his) intention: to achieve results through negotiations ...," she said.

"We don't want deployment. We pursued the line that there should be no deployment of American missiles but sufficient reduction from the East to make a balance."

about Reagan's intentions, she said. Apparently on orders from Ambassador Mark Evans Austad, the U.S. Embassy countered with a stinging news release, condemning the "attack on the personal integrity of the president."

Prime Minister Kaare Willoch, who heads the Conservative government, called Mrs. Brundtland's remarks an "unfounded downgrading of the willingness of the American government to negotiate." He later was quoted as saying his chief political rival was "contributing to Soviet propaganda."

Mrs. Brundtland said her remarks were legitimate comment on U.S. policy.

"It had nothing to do with criticizing the integrity of the president," she told an interviewer in her office in the

Storting, Norway's Parliament. Mrs. Brundtland's position represents a turnabout for her party, similar to that of the Social Democrats in Denmark.

Like Norway's Labor, Denmark's Social Democrats were in power when the North Atlantic Treaty Organization decided in 1979 to deploy 572 new missiles in Europe this year unless negotiations brought progress toward reducing the number of intermediate-range missiles the Soviets have aimed at Western Europe.

The Social Democrats changed their position last year, however, and Denmark's non-socialist minority government went along with a maneuver that freed future payments for the NATO deployment.

"We don't want deployment," said

Mrs. Brundtland, daughter of a former Norwegian defense minister. "We pursued the line that there should be no deployment of American missiles but sufficient reduction from the East to make a balance."

Mrs. Brundtland, who became prime minister two weeks after Reagan took office on Jan. 20, 1981, said the Norwegian Labor Party felt far apart from the U.S. president on most issues.

The party leadership nevertheless decided to let him implement his policies before taking a public stand against him, she said. After Labor was voted out of office in October 1981, she said, its leaders decided the time had come.

Asked if she would have made the same decision had Labor stayed in power, Mrs. Brundtland said: "I think so, but it would have happened in a different way" because she would have been able to convey her government's position officially.

Regarding the arms issues, she said Reagan's stance is "that America should be the stronger (country)."

Israelis use tear gas to break up crowds

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — Israeli security forces used tear gas to break up crowds of Palestinian youths who threw rocks at Israeli vehicles in the occupied West Bank today, Israel Radio said.

It said the windshield of a bus was smashed, but there were no casualties in the incident in the West Bank city of Nablus.

A military spokesman said a curfew was imposed in the Nablus marketplace and that vandals damaged three electricity poles near Hebron following the injury of a 4-year-old Arab girl by a ricocheting bullet.

It said police assigned a team of investigators to probe the shooting, which occurred Saturday. Hebron's acting mayor, Mustafa Natshé, blamed it on Jewish settlers from the nearby town of Kiryat Arba.

The daily Haaretz quoted military authorities as saying the gunmen apparently were drunken settlers celebrating the Jewish Purim holiday.

It quoted witnesses as saying the shooting spree continued for several hours, with Israeli forces chasing in vain after the gunmen.

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West Virginia hands No. 1 UNLV second loss of week

By KEN RAPPOPORT
AP Sports Writer

Before taking his Nevada-Las Vegas basketball team to Morgantown to play West Virginia, Jerry Tarkanian expressed serious concern about the Mountaineers' tough court. His fears proved valid, but it wasn't only West Virginia's home-court advantage that was the undoing of the nation's top-ranked team Sunday — rather a sharpshooting guard named Greg Jones.

College Basketball

for the Runnin' Rebels, who were 24-0 before losing at Fullerton State last Thursday night. Part of their problem has been a rash of sickness that has hit Danny Tarkanian with bronchitis and John Copeland with the flu. On Sunday, the Rebels got another blow when Jeff Collins hit his head on the floor during the game and was believed to have suffered a concussion. Nevada-Las Vegas' recent losses notwithstanding, West Virginia players still showed great respect for Tarkanian's team.

could have sent the game into overtime on the last-second inbounds pass from guard Bob Hansen to Greg Stokes. "Stokes was wide open," Olson said. "If the pass is on the money, it's a slam." Rick Carlisle scored 23 points and four other players hit double figures as Virginia whipped North Carolina State. "He hadn't been shooting the ball well," Virginia Coach Terry Holland said of Carlisle, a transfer from Maine who sat out last season. "It was only a matter of time before it started going in for him again. He's such a hard worker." Kenny Walker scored 19 points as Kentucky beat Tennessee. With the victory, the Wildcats clinched at least a tie for their 34th Southeastern Conference championship.

Coghlan runs fastest mile

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — After he crossed the finish line, Ireland's Eamonn Coghlan focused his eyes on the unofficial scoreboard clock high above his head. It told him what he already knew — that he had become the first runner to break the 3-minute, 50-second barrier in the indoor mile.



Eamonn Coghlan

"When I looked up and saw 3:49 I knew I was going very, very, very fast," Coghlan said after he broke the world record Sunday with a 3:49.78 clocking in the U.S. Olympic Invitational track meet at the Brendan Byrne Arena. Coghlan threw his arms in the air after erasing the world indoor best of 3:50.6 he had run at San Diego in 1981. Then, taking a victory lap on the track he helped design, he blew a kiss to the cheering crowd and jumped in the air, a leap for joy. "What I accomplished today can't be taken away. I was the first to go below 3:50," he said. "It compares to Roger Bannister breaking the four-minute barrier (outdoors in 1954) and (John) Walker breaking 3:50 (also outdoors in 1975)." England's Sebastian Coe now holds the outdoor record of 3:47.33. "I'm psyched," said the 30-year-old Coghlan, a former star at Villanova University. "I wanted to break the record and become the first to go under 3:50." Coghlan said he began mapping his plan to break the record in his hotel room Sunday morning, writing down split times for each quarter mile. "They were exactly the same as I wrote down," said Coghlan. Coghlan needed someone to set a quick pace for his splits to be exact. That's where Ross Donoghue came in. Donoghue, a one-time standout at St. John's University and Villanova, led the field through a fast-paced quarter-mile in the unofficial time of 56.6 seconds. Coghlan and American record holder Steve Smith were close behind. It was the same order at the half-mile mark of the 10-laps-to-the-mile track, with the unofficial time of 1:55.7.

McTeer won the dash after two apparent false starts by Lewis, who protested to the referee after his second early start. Lewis' appeal was upheld on the grounds that the sounds from a camera caused his false start. Diane Dixon, an 18-year-old Ohio State University freshman, broke the American record in the women's 400 meters with a 53.17 clocking. She had set the world indoor mark of 53.52 in the 440-yard race on Friday night. Patty Plummer, a sophomore at Stanford University, broke the collegiate record in the women's 3,000 meters with a 8:53.54 finish. Lewis, second to McTeer in 6.09, won the long jump at 27 feet, 8 1/2 inches. "The track was the fastest I've ever run on," said Flynn, who still holds the Irish national record of 3:49.77, set outdoors. "The bends are beautiful on that track." Coghlan's ideas were used in designing the track. Sunday morning, while checking it, he noticed some boards were loose. They were tightened before the meet began. "I have a little pride about that track," he said. Coghlan's world mark overshadowed several outstanding performances, including Houston McTeer's upset victory over Carl Lewis in the men's 55-meter dash, a meet-record 6.07 seconds. Lewis had been trying to capture his second sprint-long jump double in three days. Doug Padilla, unbeaten in eight races over a mile this year and the American indoor record holder at 5,000 meters, pulled an upset when he beat Alberto Salazar with a 13:26.65 clocking in the 5,000-meter run. Indoor record holder Billy Olson captured the pole vault with a winning height of 18-6 1/2 and Greg Foster, the world's top-ranked high hurdler, remained undefeated this season, taking the 55-meter hurdles in a hand-timed 6.9 seconds.



UNLV guard Danny Tarkanian (14), surrounded by West Virginia's Tony Washam (11) and Renardo Brown (30), struggles to find an opening in the Mountaineers' defense.

Koch leads rain-delayed Doral Open

By BOB GREEN
AP Golf Writer
MIAMI (AP) — Gary Koch, the tournament leader by four shots, saw no implications in a one-day delay in the finish of the \$300,000 Doral-Eastern Open. "I feel like I'm playing well enough to win the golf tournament," he said after Sunday's play had been washed out and the tournament schedule set back a full day to today. "It's just a matter of coming out tomorrow and doing my job," Koch said. "Sure, I was looking forward to playing Sunday. I'm playing so well, and with a four-shot lead, I wanted to go out and win the golf tournament. "Now it's a matter of finding a way

to waste some time, then get mentally ready to go out again. "I'm playing well now. I think I'll still be playing well tomorrow." Koch and his closest pursuers, Ed Flori and George Burns, still were awaiting their starting times when heavy rains flooded several greens on the Blue Monster course at the Doral Country Club and forced a suspension of play. The rains continued and the day's play was canceled at 1:30 p.m., EST. Most of the field had teed off, but none had completed nine holes. All play was washed out. All players were scheduled for 18 holes today, beginning at 8:51 a.m., EST. Koch, Burns and Flori, in the final group, were scheduled off the first tee at 10:30 a.m.

CBS planned to tape final round action for a delayed telecast 4:45 p.m., EST. Koch, attempting to break a five-year winless string, took command of the tournament with a 65, including a hole-in-one, in Saturday's third round. He takes a 201 total, 15 strokes under par, into the final round. Flori was second at 205, with Burns at 206 and Lanny Wadkins and Tom Purtzer tied at 207. The group at 208, 8-under-par but seven back of Koch, included PGA champion Ray Floyd, Cal Peete, Tom Weiskopf, Tom Kite, Clarence Rose and Allen Miller. Jack Nicklaus was eight strokes back of the leader at 207.

Dickerson lives up to Greek ideal, his muscles have muscles

By WILL GRIMSLEY
AP Special Correspondent
If Chris Dickerson had lived in Ancient Greece, Virgil and Homer would be writing sonnets about him and a statue of him would be sitting on a hill in front of the Parthenon. Dickerson is not a famous athlete, as such. He never ran the marathon or threw the discus. He never pinned a wrestler to the mat or swam the river. He merely measures up to the Greeks' loftiest ideal — he is the "Body Beautiful." Chris Dickerson is the reigning "Mr. Olympia," possessing what is recognized as the finest male physique in the world. Before that, he was "Mr. USA" and "Mr. Universe."

Even his muscles have muscles. As "Mr. Olympia," Dickerson is not called upon to do heroic sports deeds, such as hitting 61 home runs a year, running for 280 yards with a football tucked under his arm or knocking a ring opponent on his ear. All he has to do is stand still on a stage, flex his muscles and watch them ripple while the ladies in the audience say, "Ahhhhh." His profession is body-building, and don't tell him that's not sport if you don't want an 18-inch bicep wrapped around your neck. "Body builders," insists Dickerson, "are the ultimate in sports. We don't try to outlift anyone. We don't psyche ourselves up, squat, grunt and groan

under 1,000-pound barbells. With controlled weight-lifting, we try to develop the perfectly symmetrically proportioned body." Dickerson was in New York over the weekend for an appearance before the Police Athletic League, one of his numerous charities. Beyond this, he makes about \$500,000 a year with endorsements, personal appearances and coaching at Gold's Gym in Los Angeles, his present home. Contrary to legend, Dickerson didn't come by his magnificent physique the way it's portrayed in those kids' pulp magazines. He wasn't, he insists, a skinny guy walking along the beach with his girl friend when a big bully comes up,

throws sand in his face and walks off with his girl. He didn't, he says positively, immediately write a letter to Charles Atlas, order a set of dumbbells, then return a few months later — a muscled Adonis — to beat up the villain and retrieve the lady. "I got started because I wanted to be an opera singer," he said. Born of well-to-do parents in Montgomery, Ala., one of identical triplets, he traveled to New York in the late 1950s to enroll in the Academy of Dramatic Arts and Paul Mann's Actors Workshop. His aim, in order of priority, become an opera singer, an actor or ballet dancer. He was a natural tenor but his teacher suggested that he might

improve his range if he built up his chest. He was 23 at the time. He immediately enrolled in a gym and took up weight-lifting. Today, his operatic and acting skills on a back burner, he is 43, built like a cross between a fighter and a halfback and earning a nice livelihood showing everybody — as he puts it "what God hath wrought." "I would like for people to feel that if man is made in the image of God, then the human body is a thing of power and beauty." After a three-year break in the mid-1970s, he returned to body building and proceeded to replace Arnold Schwarzenegger and Lou Ferrigno ("The Incredible Hulk") as the world's most

acclaimed models of muscular masculinity. A man of small stature — 5 feet, 6 inches and 183 pounds — he managed to develop and distribute his muscles well enough to earn the "Mr. USA" title in 1968 and "Mr. America" in 1970 (the first black ever so honored), capping his awards with the \$25,000 "Mr. Olympia" crown in London in 1981. "Body building is based on 'The Seven Labors of Hercules' and Hercules remains the symbol of our sport," Dickerson said. "We are offended when people say this is just a male offshoot of the 'Miss America' and 'Miss World' type of competition. We're athletes and they're a talent pageant."

Walker fulfills his needs, N.J. Generals' desires

DUBLIN, Ga. (AP) — The owner of the New Jersey Generals says Heisman Trophy winner Herschel Walker had some misgivings but was "no babe in the woods" when he approached the United States Football League about a professional football contract. J. Walter Duncan Jr., who flew to Dublin in his jet Saturday morning to pick up Walker and take him to the Generals' training camp in Orlando, Fla., said his signing of the former University of Georgia All-America running back fulfilled "our needs and his desires." "He knew what he was doing," Duncan said of Walker, who skipped his final year of college to turn pro. "He had some misgivings and that's why I told him he could get out of the contract." But Duncan said both he and Walker knew that by signing the contract, even if he later backed out, Walker was forfeiting his eligibility to play football at Georgia during his senior year. "It's been described as nefarious, but it wasn't like that at all," Duncan said of the negotiations. "I didn't twist his arm. He knew what he was doing."

Walker was accompanied to the airport in Dublin by his parents and his fiancée, Cindy DeAngelis, who boarded the plane with Walker and Duncan for the flight to Orlando. Asked at the airport if he had any regrets about his decision, the 20-year-old Wrightsville native said, "No, no regrets. I'm just going to do my best and maybe that will make everything all right." Duncan has refused to disclose the exact value of Walker's three-year contract, which has been reported at between \$5 million and \$8 million. Duncan, who has never seen Walker play football, said the signing will be "a boost to our team and we hope a boost to our league." Duncan said Walker's departure leaves a gap in the University of Georgia football program. "But Herschel has given a lot to the university and to the whole state of Georgia," he said. "I hope they would appreciate what Herschel has done for Georgia and not look on him harshly because he's chosen a different career."

SportScan
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Roberto Clemente won the National League batting title four times while playing for the Pittsburgh Pirates. His championship years were 1961, 1964, 1965 and 1967.
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In 1922, Ralph Samuelson of Minnesota theorized that skis could support a person in the water pulled by a speeding boat. The skis he made were two pine boards eight feet long by nine inches wide. He curved the tips by steaming them in boiling water. Shortly after, Samuelson became the first water skier on record.

Stephenson wins Tucson Open

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — While most of the other women golfers were fast asleep, Jan Stephenson says she was busy practicing her putting on her hotel room carpet. And it paid off Sunday when Stephenson carded birdies on five of the last six holes to win the 54-hole, \$150,000 Tucson Conquistadores LPGA Open by five strokes. "The putter won it for me," she said. "I worked on my putting in my hotel room last night and this morning... It's typical. If you have patience and confidence, things will work out." The 31-year-old Stephenson, who entered the final round tied for the lead with Patty Sheehan, fired a 5-under-par 67 to finish with a 207 total en route to her 10th career victory on the Ladies Professional Golfers Association tour. Amy Alcott finished second at 212 after a round of 69. Sheehan was third at 213 after ballooning to a 73 on the par-72, 6,248-yard Randolph North Golf Course. Sheehan, who was tied with Stephenson at 140 after firing a 69 Saturday, suffered bogeys on the second, fifth and ninth holes and quickly dropped out of contention.



Jan Stephenson

Pat Meyers and LPGA Hall of Famer Sandra Haynie finished in a tie at 214. The victory, worth \$22,500, boosted Stephenson's earnings this season to \$28,050. The Australian native now living in Ft. Worth, Texas birdied the third and fifth holes to take a four-stroke lead over Sheehan, Haynie and Anne-Marie Palli. But bogeys on the ninth and 10th holes sliced her lead to one stroke over Haynie. "My caddy said after No. 10 that the bogey was probably good for me because it would make me work harder," Stephenson said. "It did. It made me knuckle down." She came back with birdies on Nos. 13 and 14, the latter on a 25-foot putt, to move three strokes ahead. "I needed that birdie. I needed that little edge," Stephenson said. "Before that, I didn't think I had enough of a lead to be too comfortable. At that time, I was thinking negative thoughts. Once I got that birdie on 14, I knew I had the tournament made then." Stephenson said the victory was her earliest ever in an LPGA season, "but I worked hard this winter and to see my work pay off will help me to keep working."

Allison beats Earnhardt, captures Richmond 400

RICHMOND, Va. — Bobby Allison took the lead for good with 71 laps to go and held off a late charge by Dale Earnhardt to win the Richmond 400 Grand National stock car race.

TRACK

NEW YORK — Pole vaulter Billy Olson won the men's overall title for the second consecutive year with a total of 135 points and high hurdler Stephanie Hightower, 95 points, captured the women's crown in the \$150,000 USA-Mobil Indoor Track and Field Grand Prix.

TENNIS

OAKLAND, Calif. — Bettina Bunge defeated Sylva Hanika 6-3, 6-3 to win the \$150,000 Virginia Slims tennis tournament of California.

KUWAIT — Top-seeded Vitas Gerulaitis defeated No. 2 seed Heinz Gunthardt of Switzerland 7-6, 4-6, 6-3 to win the men's singles final of the \$75,000 Kuwait Marriott international tennis championship.

LA QUINTA, Calif. — Third-seeded Jose Higueras of Spain, breezed to a 6-4, 6-2 victory over fourth-seeded Eliot Teltscher to win the singles championship of the \$250,000 Congoleum Classic tennis tournament.

DELRAY BEACH, Fla. — Heavy rains and blustery winds swamped the final round of the \$300,000 Gold Coast Cup tennis tournament, pushing the match between Guillermo Vilas of Argentina, and Pavel Slozil of Czechoslovakia, back until today.

BOWLING

PEORIA, Ill. — Earl Anthony survived a late rush by Mal Acosta to capture his 40th career title with a 224-220 victory in the \$150,000 True Value Open.

BOBSLEDDING

LAKE PLACID, N.Y. — Ekkehard Fasser, won the 1983 World Four-

Man Bobsled Championship with a record four-heat time of 3 minutes, 57.24 seconds. In second-place was West German Klaus Kopp followed by East Germans Detlef Richter and Wolfgang Hoppe.

SPEED SKATING

HELSINKI, Finland — Japan's Akira Kuroiwa won the men's world sprint title, while East Germany's Karin Enke edged defending champion Natalia Petrusheva of the Soviet Union to take the women's title in the two-day World Sprint Speed Skating Championships.

HORSE RACING

NEW YORK — Rock Lives, \$24.40, posted a three length victory over Common Sense to win the \$54,550 Lucky Draw Stakes at Aqueduct.

ARCADIA, Calif. — Marimbula, \$26, closed with a rush to win the \$250,000 Santa Margarita Invitational by a neck over Avigation at Santa Anita.

BASKETBALL

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. — Ted Kitchel, Indiana University's high scoring forward, will not play again this season and probably will undergo back surgery to repair a ruptured disc in his lower back, says Hoosier Coach Bob Knight.

FOOTBALL

ORLANDO, Fla. — Less than a week after he signed a contract with the New Jersey Generals of the United States Football League, former New York Giants linebacker Dan Lloyd has announced his retirement.

Lloyd, who has not played football since he won a two-year bout with cancer, said Sunday that he has chosen to retire rather than agree to a trade that would send him from New Jersey to the Birmingham Stallions.

Maurice puts smile on coaches cheeks

By WILLIAM R. BARNARD
AP Sports Writer

Scoring 32 points was an experience for Maurice Cheeks that Billy Cunningham would just as soon forget.

"I don't think he will be a top scorer every night," Cunningham said Sunday after the 76ers won their ninth straight game, a 115-104 decision over Golden State. "If he tried to do it, he would lose effectiveness if he went out with that kind of attitude."

Cheeks, Philadelphia's all-star playmaker, hit 14 of 18 field goal attempts for his career high of 32 points. The victory gave the 76ers a 49-7 mark, tying a record set by Los Angeles in 1971-72 for the fastest season start by a National Basketball Association team.

Cheeks, who had not scored more than 24 points in a game this season, also led the team with nine assists.

"He is like an orchestra leader to us, and he plays instinctively and aggressively and is a very smart basketball player. He takes direction well and does everything we want him to do," Cunningham said.

Cheeks said he didn't realize how many points he had scored until after the game.

"I was just in the flow of the game and didn't get caught up in the reactions of the crowd," Cheeks said. "I would have preferred getting the ball to someone else."

Moses Malone had 28 points and 19 rebounds and

NBA roundup

Julius Erving, who had a streak of 321 consecutive double-figure games broken Friday night when he suffered a scratched right cornea, added 18 for the 76ers.

Sonics 101, Jazz 96

Seattle beat Utah for the 12th time in a row as Gus Williams led a balanced scoring attack with 18 points.

Lonnie Shelton added 15 points, Jack Sikma 14 and Danny Vranes 13 for the Sonics, while Sikma added 19 rebounds.

Nuggets 135, Lakers 120

Forwards Kiki Vandeweghe and Alex English scored 35 and 33 points, respectively, as Denver handed defending champion Los Angeles its third straight loss and fifth in seven games since the all-star break.

The Nuggets outscored the Lakers 18-4 in the first five minutes of the second half to turn a 71-68 halftime lead into an 89-72 margin. Los Angeles, which got 28 points from Ervin "Magic" Johnson, never got closer than 11 points thereafter.

Cavaliers 96, Blazers 92

World Free scored 30 points and Cliff Robinson added 18 points and a career-high 23 rebounds as

Cleveland beat Portland for its sixth victory in its last nine games after a 9-30 start.

The Cavaliers never trailed en route to avenging a 50-point loss in Portland Nov. 21. Calvin Natt and Jim Paxson led the Trail Blazers with 24 points apiece.

Hawks 125, Pacers 107

Dan Roundfield scored 29 points and Johnny Davis added 29 points and 17 assists to lead Atlanta over Indiana.

The Hawks never trailed after taking a 50-49 lead in the first half, building their margin to a many as 19 in the fourth quarter.

Vintage Littler wins

INDIAN WELLS, Calif. (AP) — Gene Littler fired a 6-under-par 66 Sunday to score a come-from-behind victory in the \$300,000 Vintage Invitational golf tournament for seniors.

Littler, 52, finished the 72-hole tournament with a score of 280 to capture the top prize of \$35,000 by three shots over Paul Harney, who finished with a 71 to give him a 283 total.

Harney, 53, collected \$25,000.

Gay Brewer, who had a two-stroke lead entering the final round of the event for former golfing greats 50 years of age and older, soared to a 75 Sun-

day, putting him alone in third place at 284. He earned \$20,000.

Littler, who won the inaugural Vintage event two years ago, had six birdies and no bogeys over the 6,903-yard, par 36-36-72 Vintage club course.

Littler birdied the second, fifth, ninth, 14th, 15th and 17th holes in recording the best 18-hole score of the tournament, which began last Thursday.

Miller Barber, the defending champion, finished in fourth place at 285 after a 74 in the final round. He collected \$15,000.

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Oil price drop may have diplomatic outcome

By the Los Angeles Times-Washington Post News Service

WASHINGTON — Falling oil prices and declining OPEC influence are likely to have diplomatic as well as economic consequences.

Since the 1973 Arab-Israeli war and the Arab oil embargo that followed, the specter of the oil weapon has been a major factor in American Mideast policy, according to present and past foreign policy officials.

"The oil weapon has always been there since 1973, has always been behind that feeling of urgency about the Mideast," said Zbigniew Brzezinski,

the national security adviser during the Carter administration. "If that pressure is removed it certainly could make a difference in how policy is formulated."

Brzezinski and others warn, however, that a feeling of complacency about oil supplies could be a disastrous mistake for the United States. The supply of oil is still volatile. Another crisis in the Persian Gulf region could reverse the downward spiral of prices.

More importantly, foreign policy experts say that the other factors that have shaped American policy in the Mideast are still present. These factors include the continuing Arab-Israeli hostility, the need for the United States to maintain strong ties with the moderate Arab states, and the continuing U.S.-Soviet competition for influence in the region. The point is that the Mideast was a potential crisis area, and one

where superpower interests clash, well before oil was used as a diplomatic weapon.

Also, the need to protect the oil resources in the Persian Gulf, which has been a major defense priority for the United States, will not change with a weakening of OPEC. John Collins, a defense specialist with the Library of Congress, said that the need to build up defenses in the Persian Gulf area has not been based on the high price of oil, but trying to ensure its availability.

But even if there is not a fundamental change in U.S. Mideast policy, just the fact that there is less urgency to pursue a policy could make a difference. For instance, the president and members of Congress, feeling less pressure to meet Arab demands because of an oil glut, may not be willing to go through with arms sales to moderate Arab nations. The sales of F-

15 advanced fighter planes to Saudi Arabia in 1978 and AWACs early warning and radar planes in 1981 were based at least in part on the Saudis' key role in oil production and their newfound financial leverage. Both Presidents Carter and Reagan expended great political capital to push those programs through the Congress, and many congressmen voted for approval only after a bitter lobbying battle. For some the final reason was the oil weapon.

Without the weapon would either the president or the Congress take the same action? Many familiar with the workings of Congress say that in the current atmosphere such an arms sale would not be approved.

Another possible result of a weakened OPEC is that the Arabs will have to reassess their position and be more accommodating of U.S. views. In fact,

one lobbyist for Saudi Arabia says it will make the Saudis more dependent on the United States. He says he is writing a memo to his clients recommending that they become more politically active in the Mideast and more supportive of the Reagan peace initiative. If not, warns the lobbyist, the Saudis risk becoming "irrelevant" to the Mideast power equation.

At the same time, the oil glut has only increased the belief on the part of the Israeli government that the administration's Mideast policies are ill-conceived and should be thwarted. Some analysts believe the Israelis discounted the oil weapon as a major form of pressure more than 18 months ago when the glut first began but before prices started to fall so dramatically.

But most analysts say it is a mistake to ignore the other factors now at work in the Mideast. In some ways there is

actually more pressure on the president to pursue his Mideast plan.

One reason is that failure would mean a considerable loss of U.S. prestige and influence in the Mideast. Since the 1973 war and the aggressive involvement there (starting with Her Kissinger's shuttle diplomacy), the Soviet Union has been eliminated as a major factor in the region. That has been based at least to a significant degree on a perception that it is of the United States that can deliver Israel for a peace agreement. Failure would prove that wrong.

"The Mideast peace process is now stalemated and it is going to take President Reagan's involvement to have a chance of success," said Brzezinski. "And if there is no success there is possibility for a dramatic reversal of U.S. interests in the Arab world."

Kuwaiti says OPEC's price 'mistaken'

KUWAIT (AP) — OPEC's official \$34-a-barrel price for oil is "mistaken" and could drop to as low as \$20 a barrel unless the cartel collectively adopts a more moderate cut, a Kuwaiti political leader is quoted as saying.

"The belief that the present benchmark can be defended is mistaken and unsound," Jassem al-Khorafi, head of Parliament's Economic and Financial Affairs Committee, said Sunday, according to the newspaper Al-Watan.

"If we are now hesitating to slash our prices by \$3 to \$4 a barrel, I am afraid a day which is not too far will come when we will be obliged to cut prices to as low as \$20 per barrel."

Al-Khorafi said current prices are unrealistic because of a sharp drop in demand for oil by industrialized countries and the success of consumer

nations in promoting energy conservation, the newspaper reported.

He criticized the Arab nations on the Persian Gulf for "leniency toward OPEC outlaws who have been trying to further the interests of their countries through violation of OPEC's prices and production quotas."

Al-Khorafi said the gulf states, expected to meet soon in Geneva or Vienna with other members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries, "will make their own moves and would not be defeated in a price war that is imposed on us."

The oil minister of the United Arab Emirates, Mana Saad Oteiba, has warned that an all-out price war could begin "within a week" unless OPEC cuts its benchmark price to at least \$30

to compete with Nigeria and North Sea producers who slashed their prices in the past two weeks ago.

Al-Khorafi said the Persian Gulf countries can survive a decline in prices "because we possess the world's largest oil reserves, our oils are the cheapest to produce, and increases in production cost us almost nothing."

The Arab states on the gulf produce a little more than 7 million barrels of oil daily, about half of OPEC's production ceiling, and about one-fifth of global output. At their peak, the gulf states produced almost 19 million barrels a day.

The shrinking oil market has forced the gulf states into their first belt-tightening measures in a decade and may require them to dip into their huge

reserves to shore up their economies and avert unrest among religious minorities.

Western diplomats say Saudi Arabia is delaying payments to its many contractors and cutting other costs in hopes of avoiding a shortfall in its \$91.8 billion budget.

Kuwait has an estimated \$75 billion in reserves, and Abu Dhabi has about \$10 billion, but for any gulf nation to dip into these coffers would be unprecedented and politically unpopular.

Western analysts say that unlike Nigeria and some other oil-producing nations, most gulf Arab oil states have no debts to Western banks. But cuts and reassessments of development plans and foreign aid to the Third World are seen as likely given the oil situation.

Regan talks about energy tax reassessment

By the Los Angeles Times-Washington Post News Service

WASHINGTON — President Reagan's chief economic adviser said Sunday that a sustained decline in oil prices, while beneficial to the national economy, would require a top-to-bottom reassessment of the administration's energy tax policies.

Martin Feldstein, chairman of the president's Council of Economic Advisers, said on "Face the Nation" (CBS) that a decline in the price of crude oil to less than \$25 per barrel "will have a very substantial effect on the entire taxation of energy in this country."

Every dollar-a-barrel drop in oil prices "raises the (federal) deficit about \$1 billion," Feldstein said and, if the decreases continue, "we will have to go back and re-examine what we want to do about the windfall profits tax, about gasoline taxes, about taxation in general in this energy area."

"I wouldn't rule out any kind of change at this point." But Treasury Secretary Donald T. Regan said he would oppose any attempt to levy new taxes on oil, either to increase federal revenues or discipline consumers and protect gains made in energy conservation when prices were shooting upward.

The federal gasoline tax is scheduled to rise 5 cents a gallon April 1, and the Reagan administration has proposed a "standby" tax of \$5 a barrel on imported and domestic crude oil if needed to reduce budget deficits beginning in fiscal 1986.

"I don't think you would want to increase taxes any more than we are," Regan said on "This Week With David Brinkley" (ABC). "Reason: we are just coming out of a recession. The more you take out of the economy, the less consumers will have for other things. If you increase the price of energy, the less business will be able to spend."

With oil-producing nations dropping their prices and the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries scrambling in disarray, Regan, Feldstein and Federal Reserve Board Chairman Paul A. Volcker agreed that the U.S. economy will benefit from reduced oil prices, despite revenue losses to federal and state governments.

They also said financial institutions are equipped to survive any strains on the banking system caused by revenue shortfalls in such nations as Mexico and Nigeria.

"We will have some problems, obviously, in the financial area," Regan said, but on balance the result will be "a much better economy." For every 10 percent the price of oil drops from its former benchmark price of \$34 per barrel, he said, "there's about a \$10 billion savings that Americans will not be spending on energy."

He also said each drop of 10 percent would produce a growth of one-fourth to one-half percent in the nation's gross national product, not an insignificant amount in a year when the CEA's overall projection for GNP growth is 3 percent. Feldstein said Sunday that he expects a "higher rate of real growth" than 3 percent but declined to give a figure.

Feldstein said there is "no question" that oil-exporting nations carrying large debt — he named Mexico, Venezuela, Nigeria and Indonesia — must "adjust their loan-repayment schedules."

Gas decontrol battle finally underway; Metzenbaum vows to filibuster bill

By the Los Angeles Times-Washington Post News Service

WASHINGTON — A bruising battle began shaping up in Congress Saturday as President Reagan formally proposed legislation to free natural gas production of all federal controls over the next three years while at the same time protecting consumers from any sudden price boost until 1986.

Denouncing Reagan's proposal as inflationary and "unbelievably harsh," Sen. Howard M. Metzenbaum, D-Ohio, promptly announced that he will organize a Senate filibuster and predicted the decontrol move will be defeated.

"There are 10 to 20 senators who are prepared to join me in a filibuster," Metzenbaum said. Metzenbaum, who led an unsuccessful three-week filibuster against another energy decontrol bill in 1977, said that his new filibuster would make the previous one "look like a Sunday School picnic."

Reagan, who announced his deregulation plan in his regular weekly radio broadcast, said that his proposal would cause natural gas prices to drop "at least 10 to 30 cents per thousand cubic feet in the first year."

But Rep. Bill Hefner, D-N.C., in a Democratic response to Reagan, said that Reagan's plan would bring a "67 percent price increase over the next four years."

Hefner also said that the plan "will only fuel the fires of inflation and is not the correct action to get the economy going again."

In his radio talk, Reagan said that his proposal was designed "to ensure abundant supplies ... at reasonable prices."

"The key to cheaper, more abundant energy for all Americans is a policy that combines consumer protection incentives to produce and efficient economic use of our resources," Reagan said. "That's what our program will do."

Under the Reagan plan, a cap would be placed on consumer natural gas prices that would permit increases only for inflation unless the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission approved higher fees. On the first day of 1986, all price controls would be removed.

Larry Speakes, deputy White House press secretary, said that Reagan would send his decontrol plan to Congress on Monday. He added that Energy Secretary

Donald Hodel had reported that preliminary consultations indicated that congressional reaction to the plan "has been far better than expected."

"There seems to be a consensus that something has to be done," Speakes said in reference to widespread complaints over natural gas price increases that have ranged as high as 40 percent in some areas this winter.

But Metzenbaum said that the Reagan plan would raise costs to homeowners and further increase unemployment by raising costs for small business.

"The gas industry itself has estimated that decontrol will cost \$60 billion a year," he said.

Under Reagan's plan, gas companies and their suppliers could renegotiate their contracts. Beginning Jan. 1, 1985, any party to a contract could break it at will to seek a better price arrangement elsewhere.

But to protect consumers from prices regulated only, in effect, by marketplace competition, Reagan would order a cap on price increases charged to consumers. The companies could no longer pass along to consumers higher prices charged by producers

as they are now allowed to do.

The gas companies would be allowed to raise prices to keep up with inflation, but all other increases would need FERC approval until Jan. 1, 1986.

Under a 1978 law, controls are being removed in stages from gas discovered after April of 1977. But the "older gas," roughly half the nation's supply, was supposed to be kept under price ceilings.

"As the situation stands now," Regan said, "the American consumer is being hurt by government regulations that actually contribute to higher gas bills It's clear that consumers are being poorly and unfairly served by the existing regulatory system."

"That system prevents natural gas producers and their customers from entering into contracts that respond to market forces, including pressure for lower prices that are now possible due to plentiful gas supplies and declining oil prices"

But Hefner said that the president's plan is "a measure which only purports to help the consumer by decontrolling the price of old gas It is good for the producers but not so good for those of us who pay the bills."

Braniff officials find themselves in familiar position

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Braniff International officials find themselves today in the now-familiar position of pleading in court for permission to sign a deal that would put about half of its fleet of Boeing 727 aircraft and about 2,000 former employees back to work.

The 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals here scheduled hearings this afternoon on the deal with Pacific Southwest Airlines that would help ground Braniff repay at least part of its \$1 billion debt.

PSA officials have said that if the deal can't be signed by Tuesday, the plan is dead.

A Fort Worth federal bankruptcy judge who has approved the deal said that if Braniff is allowed to lease 30 of its 61 Boeing 727s and other equipment

to PSA, the failed carrier will be able to pay 12 cents on the dollar when liquidated instead of the 9 cents that could be paid without any additional revenue.

If approved by the 5th Circuit, PSA officials say they would have a new, low-fare Texas division of the San Diego-based airline in the air by May 1.

But the deal has drawn stiff opposition from federal agencies and competing airlines, who appealed the case to the 5th Circuit on a claim that PSA does not have a right to acquire Braniff's old landing slots.

Before Braniff collapsed May 12 and sought protection from creditors in Fort Worth federal bankruptcy court, it had 411 "slots" — permission from

the Federal Aviation Administration to land at certain airports at certain times.

Those landing slots, rationed during the air traffic controller's strike, proved to be perhaps one of Braniff's most crucial assets. Federal Bankruptcy Judge John Flowers of Fort Worth ordered the FAA to return the slots to PSA because without them, Braniff's fleet would be virtually worthless.

The FAA temporarily allocated 350 of the slots to competitors when Braniff shut down, and promised to return them to Braniff, or its successor, within 24 hours. Several airlines and the FAA filed appeals in court claiming that PSA was not a successor airline.

U.S. District Judge Eldon Mahon of Fort Worth upheld Flowers' ruling, and then refused to stay his own order. But last Tuesday the 5th Circuit issued a stay, blocking the deal until it could hear arguments on the merits of the plan.

PSA already has begun interviews of former Braniff employees to man its planned Texas division.

The Internal Revenue Service and the FAA joined at least six airlines — American, Delta, Muse, Continental, Southwest, and Northwest — in filing objections to the plan. Committees representing secured and unsecured creditors and the Dallas-Fort Worth Regional Airport have approved of the deal.

PSA and Braniff originally planned a joint venture that could have eventually led to a takeover of Braniff. But that deal fell through when several unions refused to agree to contract concessions PSA required.

Flowers dissolved the union contracts, freeing PSA to employ former Braniff workers on its own terms.

Under the terms of the current plan, Braniff will supply up to \$20 million in cash or cash equivalents such as fuel to PSA to cover the new division's start-up costs. PSA will lease planes and equipment, and in return Braniff will receive a share of the proceeds without assuming any responsibility for debt.

Failed bank takeover

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Five banks agreed Sunday to assume \$294 million in deposits held by American City Bank, which was declared insolvent in California's second-largest bank failure, a state banking official said.

Central Bank of Oakland agreed to act as agent for four other banks in the takeover pending court approval, said Alida Buchanan, an attorney for the state bank board.

The other banks were American-Asian Bank of San Francisco, Bank of Los Angeles, Bank of San Pedro and Valley State Bank.

A court still must approve the arrangement.

Without a takeover, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation would have to begin paying off American City Bank's deposit holders by late this week.

The announcement followed a week-end of concentrated efforts by state banking officials to find an institution to assume American City's deposits.

California authorities declared the bank insolvent and took control of the institution at the close of business Friday.

COMPLETIONS

ANDREWS COUNTY
Block A-34 (San Andres)
W & W Oil Co. No. 1 Crews Mast "C": 487 ft. 800 ft. of lease sec 6, blk A-34, P.S.L. 12 n Andrews, TD 4,790. Elev. 3,210.9. Completed 2-19-83.
Casing: 5 1/2 inch at 4,100. Perforations: 3,424-4,326. Acid: 200 gallons.
Potentialized 2-22-83. Pumping 27 barrels oil, 32 Mcf gas, 63 barrels water daily. Gravity 31. Gas/oil ratio 426.

CRANE COUNTY
Southland Royalty Co. No. 7-37 Edwards Field Grayburg Unit: 1,850 ft. of lease, sec 33, blk 44, T-9-S, T&P, 9 n Pennwell, TD 3,760, PB 3,701, Elev. 2,900. Completed 1-8-83.
Casing: 5 1/2 inch at 3,760. Perforations: 3,178-3,578. Acid: 4,000 gallons.
Potentialized 2-15-83. Pumping 20 barrels oil, 13 Mcf gas, 12 barrels water daily. Gravity 34.7. Gas/oil ratio 650.1.
Formation tops: Grayburg 3,268.

STERLING COUNTY
Conger (Penn)
3,300 ft. 660 ft. sec 31, blk 22, H&TC, 15 w Sterling City, TD 8,260, PB 8,217, Elev. 2,515. Completed 2-8-83.
Casing: 5 1/2 inch at 8,217. Perforations: 7,934-8,134. Acid: 2,000 gallons.
Potentialized 2-23-83. Pumping 34 barrels oil, 216 Mcf gas daily. Gravity 43.7. Gas/oil ratio 2,580.1.
Formation tops: Glorieta 2,570, Cisco sand 7.6 Canyon sand 7,898.

WINKLER COUNTY
Ward Estes, North
Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1,229 O'Brien, G. W. et al.: 1,140 330 ft. of lease, sec 7, blk F, GAMMBA, 8 n Wick, TD 3,642, PB 3,522, Elev. 2,675. Completed 2-8-83.
Casing: 5 1/2 inch at 3,542. Perforations: 3,152-3,252. Acid: 1,000 gallons.
Potentialized 2-15-83. Pumping 43 barrels oil, 30 Mcf gas, 38 barrels water daily. Gravity 38. Gas/oil ratio 699.1.
Same: Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1,235 O'Brien, G. W. et al.: 990 ft. 330 ft. of lease, sec 8, blk F, GAMMBA, 8 n Wick, TD 3,350, PB 3,331, Elev. 2,681. Completed 2-4-83. Casing: 5 1/2 inch at 3,349. Perforations: 3,132-3,208. Acid: 1,000 gallons.
Potentialized 2-15-83. Pumping 11 barrels oil, 9 Mcf gas, 209 barrels water. Gr. 38. Gas/oil ratio 838.

ECTOR COUNTY
Cowan, M. (Strawn)
Paloma Exploration Co. No. 2 Frank Cowan: 680 ft. 1,780 ft. of lease, sec 12, blk 44, T-1-N, 5 n Goldsmith, TD 3,350, PB 3,250, Elev. 3,108. Completed 2-9-83.
Casing: 5 1/2 inch at 3,350. Perforations: 11,843-11,782. Acid: 6,000 gallons.
Potentialized 2-21-83. Pumping 35 barrels oil, 175 Mcf gas, 20 barrels water daily. Gravity 43.1. Gas/oil ratio 1,031.1.
Formation tops: San Andres 4,200, Strawn 4,106.

LOVING COUNTY
Red Bluff (Wolf Camp)
H. L. Brown, Jr. No. 1 Red Bluff 13: 1,320 ft. 1,320 ft. of lease, sec 13, blk 67, T-1, T&P, 13 n Orla, TD 12,110, PB 11,788, Elev. 2,067. Completed 2-9-83.
Casing: 5 inch at 10,969-12,108. Perforations: 11,843-11,782. Acid: 11,789-11,994. 11,401-11,523. Acid 12,250 gallons.
Potentialized 2-29-83. 2,210 Mcf gas daily. Gravity .65. Gas/oil ratio
Formation tops: Brushy Canyon 5,230, Bone Spring 6,990.

MIDLAND COUNTY
H-Lessons (Wolf Camp)
Texasco, Inc. No. 8-C Scharbauer "D": sec 11, blk 40, T&P, 4 w Midland, TD 11,360, PB 11,175, Elev. 2,860. Completed 2-4-83.
Casing: 5 inch at 9,870-11,360. Perforations: 9,726-9,916. Acid: 4,000 gallons.
Potentialized 2-14-83. Pumping 72 barrels oil, 80 Mcf gas, 20 barrels water daily. Gravity 41.2. Gas/oil ratio 833.
Formation tops: L. Spraberry 8,823, L. Strawn 10,507, Bend 10,815.

MITCHELL COUNTY
Jensen M. (Strawn)
Sun Exploration & Production Co. No. 42 V. T. McCabe: 1,872.3 ft. 3,291.1 ft. of lease, sec 225, blk 1-A, H&TC, 4 n Silver, TD 7,250, PB 6,810, Elev. 2,136.1. Completed 2-18-83.
Casing: 5 1/2 inch at 7,250. Perforations: 6,718-6,724. Acid: 6,700 gallons.
Potentialized 2-18-83. Pumping 30 barrels oil, 37 Mcf gas, 9 barrels water. Gravity 47.7. Gas/oil ratio 1,233.1.

EXPLORATORY

BDY COUNTY
Exxon Oil Corp. No. 1 White Estate "42": 700 ft. 900 ft. of lease sec 11, T-24-S, R-29-E, 8 n Malaga, 11,500.

LOVING COUNTY
MEG Petroleum Corp. No. 2 San Angelo Bank: 3,000 ft. 900 ft. sec 96, blk 33, H&TC, 7.5 n Meant 9,000.
MEG Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Adams: 3,300 ft. 1,000 ft. sec 97, blk 33, H&TC, 7.5 n Meant, 9,000.
MEG Petroleum Corp. No. 1 San Angelo Bank: 2,000 ft. 680 ft. sec 96, blk 33, H&TC, 7.5 n Meant 9,000.

PECOS COUNTY
Getty Oil Co. No. 1 White Estate "42": 700 ft. 900 ft. of lease sec 11, T-24-S, R-29-E, 8 n Malaga, 11,500.

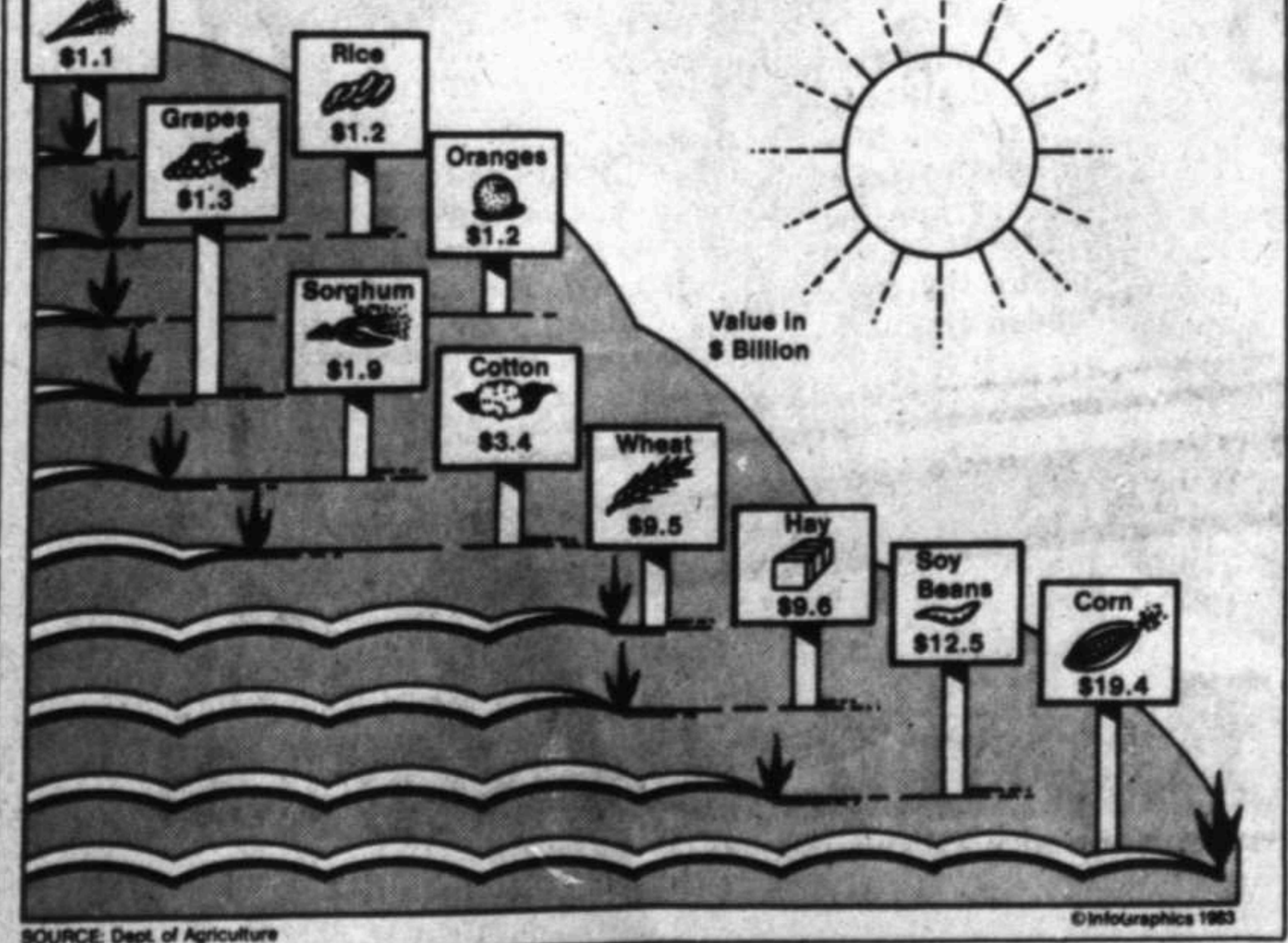
BEVIES COUNTY
W. C. & Tunstall: Marrio No. 1 Tunstall: 1,980 1,980 ft. sec 10, blk 56, T-2, T&P, 4 n Orla, 5,000.

STERLING COUNTY
Caraway Operating No. 1 Davis: 1,500 ft. 1,000 ft. sec 2, blk T, T&P Survey, 2 w Sterling City, 2,000.

YOAKUM COUNTY
Petro-Lewis Corp. No. 1 Choate: 1,980 ft. 680 ft. sec 64, blk D, J. H. Gibson, 13 n Denver City, 8,800.

Ten most valuable U.S. crops

The United States is the leading agricultural nation of the world. Here are the top ten U.S. crops in 1982 and their values:



SOURCE: Dept. of Agriculture

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Noon market report

New York Exchange

NEW YORK (AP)—Midday national prices for New York Stock Exchange issues

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Stock market mixed

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market was mixed today, pausing after last week's upsurge to record highs.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials, up 28.12 last week, rose 1.64 to 1,122.58 by noon.

Gainers and losers ran about even on the New York Stock Exchange, where the composite index fell 25 to 86.10.

The American Stock Exchange index was down 2.31 at 375.72. Big Board volume was 38.06 million shares at noon.

Over the same period, the average rate for conventional mortgages fell 1.3 percent to 13.75 percent, a monthly saving to buyers of \$58, based on a decline to \$867 from \$925 in the monthly note to the lender.

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BUSINESS MIRROR

People can consider purchase of car, home

By JOHN CUNIFF

NEW YORK (AP)—By far the biggest "tax cut" of all has been the decline in the inflation and interest rates that make it possible once again for ordinary Americans to consider the purchase of a new house or a car.

Unlike the impact of the legislated tax cut, which somehow, somewhere seemed to get lost between the signing of the bill and the receipt of the pay check, the inflation cut is impressive, immediate and understandable.

In about a year's time housing price-increases were stopped dead in some areas, allowing incomes to close some of the affordability gap. And interest rates dropped so sharply that millions of families could consider buying.

In the final quarter of last year, for example, the FHA-VA home mortgage rate dropped to 12.42 percent after averaging 15.37 percent for the first nine months of the year. Three small percentage points but a world of difference.

Because of that decline, the average monthly FHA mortgage payment dropped \$117 to \$625 from \$742 — including taxes and insurance — and enabled 8.25 million more households to qualify for the average FHA mortgage.

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INVESTOR'S GUIDE Indemnity bonds can be bought to cover lost interest coupon, bond

By BILL DOYLE

Q. I cut the interest coupon from a "bearer" bond I own, with the intention of cashing the coupon when the interest payment came due. Then, I lost the coupon. I telephoned the bank that is paying agent for the bond interest and was told the coupon has not been cashed. The bank advised me to get an "indemnity bond."

When I telephoned my insurance agency, I was told I can get an indemnity bond for a lost bond certificate but not for a lost interest coupon. What can I do?

A. You got some bad information from your insurance agency, which evidently is not familiar with the specialized indemnity bond business. You can get an indemnity bond to cover a lost interest coupon, as you can for a lost bond or stock certificate.

The cost of such an indemnity bond usually is 3 percent of the value of the lost coupon or lost certificate, with a minimum charge of \$30. You also have to sign a local security affidavit.

Write to the interest paying agent, by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Give the bond's name and certificate number and the interest coupon's payment date. Request that payment on the lost coupon be "stopped." Ask for information about obtaining an indemnity bond.

If you don't hear from the interest paying agent, go back to your insurance agency and tell the people there to get an indemnity bond for you, through a member of the Surety Association of America.

Q. Every time I turn over to my bank a bond interest coupon or a matured bond, I don't receive the money until about three weeks after the due date. I have tried to facilitate early collection by handing the coupon or bond to my bank two weeks before the due date. Same result.

Shouldn't the money be available to me on the due date?

A different picture emerged, however, when Harris asked survey participants to rate 11 agencies or individuals involved in consumer protection. Only three groups got a positive rating, with respondents saying they did an excellent or good job; they were Consumers Union, the Better Business Bureau and the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

Public skepticism also was evident when Harris asked five ques-

tioners about consumer leaders, with each question including one statement intended as praise and one as criticism.

"None of the five statements intended as praise receives higher agreement today than it did in 1976," the Harris report says. "Two of the statements clearly elicit less praise today."

The survey respondents were asked, for example, whether they thought consumer leaders genuinely want to help consumers or are only concerned about helping themselves.

In 1976, 72 percent of those questioned said consumer leaders genuinely want to help consumers, 11 percent said they were concerned with themselves and 16 percent said they weren't sure.

In 1982, only 62 percent said the leaders genuinely want to help, 30 percent said they care only about themselves and 8 percent were unsure.

In surveys of this size, polling experts generally agree there is a potential error margin of about three percent.

Harris researchers said that if the criticism stems from the fact that consumer leaders today are perceived to be part of the establishment, they "can perhaps take some satisfaction from it; but it suggests that they may have to learn to live with and deal with rising criticism and cynicism."

Esther Peterson, presidential adviser on consumer affairs in the Johnson and Carter administrations, said there is "a new breed" of consumer leader today, a leader who is active at the grass-roots level, a leader who emphasizes action in the states and in the communities.

"People know they can't look to Washington," said Mrs. Peterson, who provides regular consumer commentaries for Westinghouse Broadcasting and Cable Inc.'s "Newsfeed."

Other words, I'm not looking for anyone to hold my hand. What do you think of taking aspirin for osteoarthritis? — Wally, Philadelphia

Dear Wally: Aspirin is a drug and I would certainly not prescribe any drug for a patient I have never seen, whose medical history I do not know, and whose diagnosis I am getting second-hand. When I prescribe a drug for a patient of mine, my recommendation is based on specific and detailed knowledge of that person and his or her condition. Therefore, if you are to take aspirin regularly for a chronic condition, your own physician is the person who will have to make the decision as to the dosage and frequency with which it is taken.

Having said that, I would simply add that some researchers are suggesting that aspirin may not only alleviate pain from osteoarthritis, but may also help reverse some of the damage that has been done. I suggest you sit down with your physician and discuss the use of aspirin as it applies to you.

Dear Mrs. L.: According to Dr. Hossam E. Fadel of the Medical College of Georgia in Augusta, sickle cell anemia can be detected during pregnancy with 100 percent accuracy and with little risk to the fetus. However, the test is available at only a few centers.

Should you become pregnant, your obstetrician should be able to tell you about the advisability of the procedure and could arrange for a referral.

Dear Dr. Solomon: My husband and I have wanted to have children because I'm worried about sickle cell anemia. But I've been reading about all the new tests they now have for pregnant women, and I'm beginning to think that maybe I don't have to wait any longer. Is there a test to tell if a baby has sickle cell anemia before it is born? I want very much to have a healthy baby. — Mrs. A.L., Moline, Ill.

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Dear Dr. Solomon: I am 64 years old and have some aches and pains. My doctor tells me it's osteoarthritis and that it is very common in people my age. He says I could take aspirin if I want, but I don't like to take anything unless it's going to do me some good. In

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ANSWER TO TODAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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'Oklahoma's Yodeling Cowboy' back in the singing saddle again

NORTH PLATTE, Neb. (AP) — One of America's best known "singing cowboys," Gene Autry, will be back in the saddle again. Autry, a veteran of 93 films and now a businessman whose holdings include the California Angels baseball team, will serve as parade grand marshal during North Platte's Nebraskaland Days in June.



Gene Autry

Autry wrote Nebraskaland Days planners that he "was flattered to be asked," says Lee Wilke, executive director of the three-day celebration.

Autry, 75, began singing on an Oklahoma radio station in 1928 as "Oklahoma's Yodeling Cowboy." He sold more than 40 million records and was awarded his first of eight gold records for "Silver Haired Daddy of Mine."

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Norman Cousins, former editor of Saturday Review magazine and author of "Anatomy of an Illness," which dealt with his recovery from cancer, says he learned many things about himself while fighting the disease.

"The tragedy of life is not death, but what dies inside us while we live," Cousins said Saturday while receiving a "Doctor of Human Service" degree from the University Without Walls, a seven-year-old alternative college in Santa Monica.

Cousins, 67, told the commencement audience we should "never underestimate our problems, never underestimate our capability for meeting those problems."

Cousins, now an adjunct professor at UCLA Medical School and an author and lecturer on world federalism and the dangers of nuclear conflict, also said, "Our generation has the privilege for the first time of making peace on earth."

RENO, Nev. (AP) — Civil rights leader Julian Bond says "the last time business provided 100 percent employment for blacks was over 100 years ago. It was called slavery."

The Georgia senator made the comment to 300 people gathered Sunday at the University of Nevada-Reno in an observance of Black History Month.

Bond, 43, urged black voters to make their voices heard. He said U.S. Rep. Harold Washington's victory in Chicago's Democratic mayoral primary last week should serve as an example of black voters' power.

"I did not think that black people could get loose of the kind of plantation politics they've been under for so many years," Bond said. "I say 'congratulations.' I didn't think they could do it. It shows what you can do."

JULIAN BOND PALO ALTO, Calif. (AP) — Former prisoner of war James Stockdale has a new mission — telling others how he survived 2,714 days in captivity during the Vietnam War.

Ten years after he and 115 other American POWs walked out of a Hanoi prison, the Navy's most decorated Vietnam veteran conducts a seminar twice weekly at Stanford University called "Combating Coercion and Manipulation."

It deals with "the power of the human spirit and the human mind under deprived and hazardous conditions," Stockdale, 59, says in this week's issue of People magazine.

Captured after his plane was shot down over North Vietnam, Stockdale tells students how he and other prisoners dealt with their captors. "You had to be able to say, 'No,'" he says. "You did not have to be nasty, but aloof and enigmatic."

He also told how they tapped out messages to one another — that they would tap out a signal meaning "I love you" when one of their number was being led away to be tortured.

Director, stage actor pay last respects to Williams

NEW YORK (AP) — Director Sidney Lumet and stage actor Tony Lo Bianco were among those gathered at a Manhattan funeral home to pay their last respects to playwright Tennessee Williams.

Williams was found dead Friday in his East Side hotel room.

Lumet, who directed Williams play, "The Fugitive Kind," with Marlon Brando, said he "felt faint" when he learned of Williams' death.

Charles Bowden, who produced Williams' last commercial hit on Broadway, the 1961 "The Night of the Iguana," broke into tears beside the casket Sunday.

Edmund Perret, assistant director of the American Psychiatric Association and a close friend, said at the funeral home that he talked to Williams last Tuesday and the playwright told him, "I think I might be cashing in."

But Perret added that Williams "said that all the time."

LoBianco visited the funeral home Sunday before his matinee in Arthur Miller's "A View From the Bridge," and said of Williams: "He's our hero."

The 71-year-old Williams, author of "A Streetcar Named Desire," "The Glass Menagerie" and many other hit plays and the winner of two Pulitzer Prizes, apparently died late Thursday in his suite at the Hotel Elysee. He was found Friday morning by his secretary, John Uecker, who was in another room of the suite.

The city's chief medical examiner, Dr. Elliot Gross, said Saturday an autopsy revealed that Williams choked to death on a bottlecap such as is used on nasal sprays or eyedrops, and that death appeared to be accidental.

Williams' body was on view at the Frank E. Campbell Funeral Home all day Sunday, and viewing was to continue today and Tuesday.

Barney Clark weak, but continues to improve

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Artificial heart recipient Barney Clark is weak but continues to make progress, one of his physicians says.

The 62-year-old retired dentist remained in fair condition today in his private room at the University of Utah Medical Center. It was his 89th day on the permanent plastic heart.

Spokeswoman Pam Fogle said Dr. Lyle Joyce "told me he (Clark) is still weak, but he is making modest progress every day."

Joyce and Dr. William DeVries, the surgeon who implanted the mechanical heart in the landmark operation Dec. 2, helped Clark walk a short distance to a reclining chair Sunday, Ms. Fogle said.

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Reagan flies to California to see queen

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan flies to California today to rub elbows with royalty during a weeklong reunion with Queen Elizabeth II. They will begin with a horseback ride at Reagan's ranch and end with a small, candlelit anniversary dinner aboard Her Majesty's royal yacht.



AP Laserphoto

Mrs. Reagan preceded the president and was hostess to the queen at a glittery Hollywood banquet for 500 on Sunday night. The star-studded party, sponsored by 20th Century-Fox, was held on the sound stage recently vacated by the cast of M*A*S*H, the long-running television series that ends tonight.

On Tuesday morning, the Reagans will greet the queen and her husband, Prince Phillip, after the royal yacht Britannia sails into Santa Barbara harbor.

While the Reagans helicopter to their mountaintop home, the queen will do some morning sightseeing, visiting the historic Santa Barbara courthouse, which dates to Spanish Colonial times.

Because the queen dislikes helicopters, the royal entourage will motor up the winding, sometimes flooded roads to Reagan's Rancho del Cielo at the crest of the Santa Ynez mountains for a lunchtime barbecue of ribs, followed by a horseback ride.

Reagan arrives in Santa Barbara aboard Air Force One this afternoon.

For Reagan, the trip will be a journey away from Washington and the public attention on the turmoil at the Environmental Protection Agency where Reagan recently fired three top officials.

Reagan is also scheduled to make two speeches and a trip at the end of the week to a sawmill in Klamath Falls, Ore., where he will meet with industry representatives. He is expected to focus

Queen Elizabeth II, with Prince Phillip standing in the background, shakes hands with Los Angeles Mayor Tom Bradley after she arrived at Long Beach, Calif., Sunday afternoon.

on signs of recovery in the lumber business, which has been hard hit by the recession.

Tuesday's informal afternoon on the mountaintop is the first in a series of gestures the president is making to reciprocate for the queen's hospitality when he was a guest of the royal family at Windsor Castle midway through his exhausting European trip last June.

There he rode one of the queen's favorite horses. Here, she is expected to ride Gwallanko, an Arabian mount. Reagan will be on El-Alamain, a white

Arabian gelding given to him by former Mexican president Jose Lopez Portillo.

Throughout the rest of the week, the president and the queen will have separate schedules by day. The president is scheduled to spend Wednesday relaxing at his ranch while Mrs. Reagan joins the queen's party for a daylong sail to San Francisco.

On Thursday, the president plans a visit to Los Angeles to attend a fundraising lunch for U.S. Olympic Committee.

On Thursday night, Reagan will rejoin his wife and Queen Elizabeth II for an elegant state dinner for 257 people, about double the size of a normal state dinner.

The five-course extravaganza at the de Young Museum has been weeks in preparation under direction of the young, executive chef of the St. Francis Hotel.

On Friday, the president is scheduled to address the Commonwealth Club of San Francisco about trade and international economic policy.

That night he and Mrs. Reagan have been invited to be the queen's guests aboard the Britannia for a small party for 57 in honor of the Reagans' 31st wedding anniversary.

The queen and Prince Phillip are on a month-long journey that has taken them to Jamaica and Grand Cayman Island in the Caribbean and on to Mexico.

The royal party made its first stop in the United States on Saturday, when the Britannia sailed through an armada of pleasure boats into San Diego Bay.

The royal itinerary calls for 10 days of sightseeing in California, including a tour next weekend of the glacial landscape of Yosemite National Park.

After a stop in Seattle, the royal party sails to Vancouver, British Columbia. It is the queen's fifth trip to the United States and her first to the West Coast. She last visited America during the 1976 Bicentennial.

Alda doesn't think Hawkeye symbolic

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Hawkeye Pierce, the soulful surgeon on "M*A*S*H," was a symbol of the insanity of war, according to the show's producer and many of its fans. But Alan Alda, who played the character for 11 years, disagrees.

"Hawkeye spoke for the insanity of war, the horrible contradiction of patching up young men in order to let them go out and kill again and possibly be wounded or die on the second trip to the hospital," said Burt Metcalfe, the executive producer of "M*A*S*H," which airs its last episode tonight after 251 episodes.

But Alda, who played Hawkeye from beginning to end, says he never intended for the character to be an anti-war symbol.

"I don't think he symbolized anything," Alda said. "I might seem disingenuous saying this, but I do believe it. Basically, we wanted to humanize the experience (of war). I think that had an effect on the audience."

Will he miss Hawkeye? "I don't think so," he said at first, then reconsidered after thinking about the combat boots

Surgeon from real M*A*S*H says 'hanky-panky' missing

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Being a surgeon during the Korean War was just as grim as portrayed by actors on television's long-running "M*A*S*H" series, but it had little of the "hanky-panky" that lightened the episodes, says one doctor who served in the conflict.

"During all of the time I was in Korea, I never had one drink," said Robert Koefoot, a Grand Island physician who was one of eight surgeons in the 8078th Mobile Army Surgical Hospital unit. "I did not see one bottle of beer. There was no drinking, there was no hanky-panky. There was nothing but work."

Hawkeye wore. "I took the boots home with me and I look at them and I get touched. There's something that I'll

miss about that character. "When I finished shooting, I really was very churned up," he said. "That's

partly why it's been hard for me to find time to talk about it, because I really don't want to talk about it."

Alda said he won't get involved in another series, except perhaps as a creative consultant. In the works, for instance, is a series based on "The Four Seasons," the 1961 movie Alda wrote, starred in and directed.

Alda said he'll supervise the series about mid-life crises in the lives of four couples. He has more films to make, too. But for the time being, he said he feels completely fulfilled.

"I'm a very lucky man. I've got everything I want, everything I possibly could want. Now that I don't have to shoot 12 hours a day, I have time to really balance my life, to do the regular, mundane things people do," Alda said. "I love it. I'm very happy."

Taking things easy, however, has never come naturally to the self-examining Alda. In May of 1961, in the midst of a publicity blitz for the commercially successful "Four Seasons," he told an interviewer, "I guess I am still basically driven. I mean, two weeks ago I asked myself, 'Is this all there is to life...happiness?'"

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Eating it raw

The room is dark; reflections from neon lights gleam off the shiny surfaces of wooden tables. Underneath fishing nets draping the walls, the lunch crowds stream in off Midland's busy downtown streets, pull up stools and ask for several Longnecks to wash down their noon-time thirsts.

When the meal arrives, the ritual begins.

Surrounded by the steady sounds of conversation, streams of lemon juice are sprayed over the trays with a sweeping motion. The forks dig, some pause to dip into the red sauce, and then head for the mouth.

Whether for status or satisfaction, people continue to covet those slimy shellfish.

Oysters fried have a totally different stigma than the deliciously raw half-shells carefully arranged on an ice-filled tray.

In West Texas, where everything from calf fries, steak and chicken to packaged frozen shrimp from the supermarket is fried, the person who swallows the uncooked flesh of the mollusk and maintains a satisfied smile is one who commands respect.

It's not easy for some. Decisions must be made with a casual appearance: to lavishly dunk or sparingly sprinkle the red sauce; to stick with a spray of lemon juice; to eat it raw and bare.

Society, forgive the unknowing and unsophisticated soul who mistakenly sandwiches the slime between two saltines.

Once the pre-eating procedure is finished, another dilemma must be faced.

To chew or to slide. "I only chew 'em if they're real big," Ray Barela explained. The former New Mexican who grew up on a farm and on a diet of steak, potatoes and Mexican food, is one of the regulars at Leo's Oyster Bar on Wall Avenue.

Most of the people in Leo's are.

Scrawled on a chalkboard above the busy counter are names of Midlanders who wolfed down record amounts of crawfish, oysters and beer. In one sitting, for example, five hungry regulars wolfed down 16 pounds of crawfish, seven dozen oysters, 20 beers and one

bowl of gumbo.

Another person alone popped eight dozen on the half shell during one meal.

Toby Palitti, manager and brother of owner Leo, holds the record for shellfish slides. He consumed a dozen — in 15 seconds.

"It's a good business to get into," the younger of the two brothers from Fort Worth said. In between the cracking of shells, barking of orders and pushing of trays across the bar, Palitti explained why his brother opened a haven for oyster adores.

"Midland didn't have an oyster bar," he said simply. "Besides, I like 'em myself. I just wolf 'em down."

Owner Palitti explained one of his favorite hangouts in Cow Town was an oyster bar. Midland needed one, he thought, therefore some 30 sacks, with about 145 oysters in them, are flown in from Biloxi, Miss., each week.

While his brother has been eating oysters "a long time, since college," the younger Palitti admitted he has only been eating them for a year.

"I thought they were gross," he said with a grin.

The first raw oyster is difficult to get down, or so say some who once shuddered at the sight but now crave the little creatures.

Barela, who was introduced to raw oysters while visiting a college roommate's family, said he only tried them "because it was either that or nothing. That's all they were serving."

"I didn't like the first one," he said. "But then I ate a second one and ended up eating about a dozen."

His luncheon companion, Alex Fernandez, grew up eating oysters in Cuba. "There is nothing to compare it to," he said between forks. "They're wonderful, wonderful."

The more adamant admirers praise the high protein and low calorie content. Of course, they also praise a more traditional trait of the oyster.

"I had heard about their mystical powers," the younger Palitti said, remembering his first oyster. "I had to check it out."

"Let's just say it increases your testosterone level," Barela said, adding, "or so the myth goes."



In preparing to eat oysters on the half-shell, above, some people require a generous sprinkling of lemon juice and red sauce for dunking. Ray Barela, left, slides one in at Leo's Oyster Bar on Wall Street. David C. Watkins III, left, and manager Toby Palitti crack shells and prepare trays, right photo, for Leo's Oyster Bar's large lunch crowds.



Text by Hallye Jordan

Photos by Paul Gilbert

Moslems coming to Texas bring religion with them

RICHARDSON (AP) — In Texas, where the West begins, hundreds of new residents are turning their eyes east — toward Mecca.

The Moslems, drawn to Texas by oil business, real estate investment and educational opportunity, have brought their Islamic religion with them.

The number of Moslems in the Lone Star State has swelled so rapidly that leaders have begun building an \$800,000 mosque with a 60-foot minaret here to accommodate worshippers.

"Since the oil business is related with Texas and the Middle East, people from Muslim countries come here more than anywhere else," said Mohammed Suleman, vice chairman of the Islamic Association of North Texas.

During noontime traffic, more than two dozen Moslems met in an open field and knelt in prayer on colorful prayer rugs. They bowed their heads, chanted prayers in Arabic and observed the Friday sabbath by facing east toward Mecca, the Saudi Arabian city to which Moslems make pilgrimages.

The Moslems will pray at the field until their mosque is completed next fall. Most of the 180 members of the Richardson group are newcomers to Texas.

"I moved to Dallas one year ago because I had an opportunity with TI (Texas Instruments Inc.) to work for them," said Ghassam Farra, who came to the United States from Syria to study computer science in Los Angeles.

"You have more opportunities," said Suleman, an electrical engineer.

Suleman, like Farra, came here to attend school and then decided to

bring his family from Pakistan. "But it is definitely a factor that people like to stay here because of the freedom of expression as compared to our native lands," Suleman said.

No accurate count of how many Moslems live in the area is available. The National Council of Churches, which monitors church membership, does not survey the Islamic faith.

About 30 Moslem immigrants in Dallas and Fort Worth organized for religious activities nine years ago, Suleman said. Now, 1,500 to 2,000 people attend feasts held twice a year by Moslems from three meeting houses in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

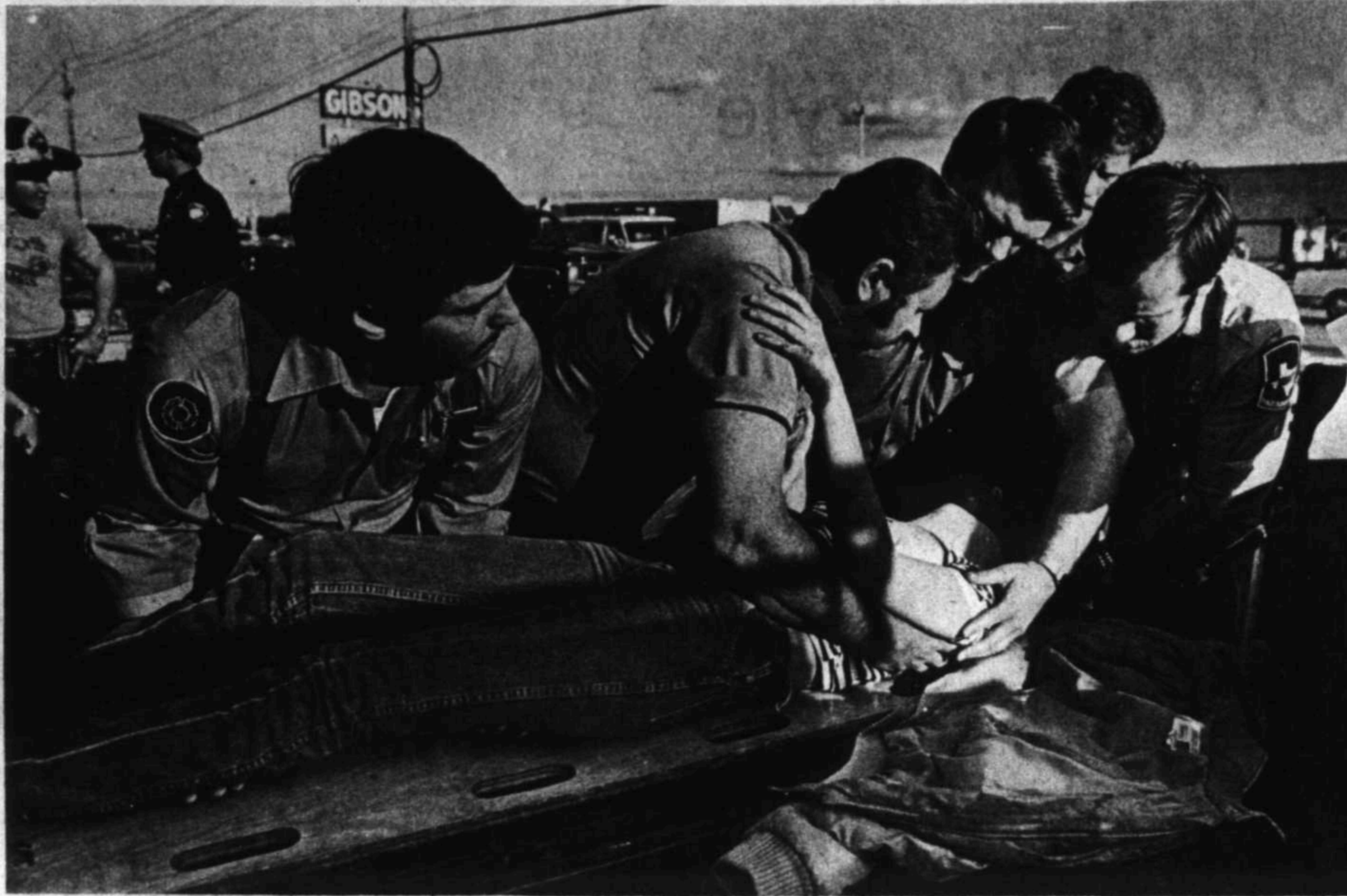
Between 5,000 and 6,000 Moslems now live in the area, said Y.A. Hamdeh, the religious leader, or imam, of the Islamic Association of North Texas.

Hamdeh said that includes 500 members of the Black Muslims, which has merged with the larger group.

Moslems worship God, or Allah, and believe the 7th Century prophet Mohammed was God's messenger. The followers of the religion of Islam believe that Jesus was one of several prophets and that the Holy Koran, revealed to Mohammed, is the last revealed word of God.

Some followers of Islam do not accept or pay interest on loans, and follow strict dietary rules that prohibit the eating of pork and require them to eat "zabia" food, similar to kosher dishes.

And many Moslem women traditionally have covered their heads and worn loose clothing.



Staff Photo by Paul Gilbert

Emergency medical technicians attend to 14-year-old Marlene Brewster late Sunday afternoon on the Furr's Cafeteria parking lot at the intersection of Cuthbert Avenue and Midkiff Road. Miss Brewster was injured in an automobile accident on the private parking lot. Details of the accident were not available at press time. Miss Brewster was listed in satisfactory condition at Midland Memorial Hospital this morning.

Police investigate burglaries of car, storage unit

A number of thefts and burglaries were being investigated early today by Midland police.

Lee Williams of 2302 W. Dengar reported the burglary of his automobile. The burglary occurred Sunday, he said, and items taken included a 12-inch black and white television set, adding machine and an AM/FM radio. Additionally, a vent glass on Williams' vehicle was broken. Total value of the items was \$870.

Jeff Minnick of 4405 N. Garfield reported the burglary of a storage unit located at 1010 N. Holiday Hill Road. The burglary occurred between Feb. 19 and Sunday, he said. Items taken included a bow and hunting arrows, a black powder pistol, a radio-controlled car and radio-control device and a duffel bag containing clothes.

Police Round-up

Minnick said total value of the items was \$670.

Robert Apple of rural Midland reported the burglary of a storage unit located at FM 868 and Midland Drive. The burglary occurred Saturday, he said. Taken were an aquarium, two spearguns, two camp lanterns and an aluminum cot. Total value of the items was \$550.

C.C. Wilson of 1704 N. Dallas reported the theft of a lawn mower and a grass trimmer. The items were valued at a total of \$431.90.

Eva Magallanes of 1301 S. Jefferson reported the theft of a .380-caliber pistol Saturday. She said the pistol was worth \$280.

Thomas Earl Walker of 913 Waverly

reported the theft of a set of china and a number of copper pots. The items, valued at a total of \$300, were taken from 3107 W. Industrial, he said.

In other police news, a 38-year-old Midland man remains in critical condition in Midland Memorial Hospital's critical care unit after he suffered injuries in a car-train accident early Saturday morning.

Police said William Leroy Long of Midland was southbound on Midkiff Road about 1:57 a.m. Saturday and tried to beat a Missouri Pacific train across the tracks.

The train, driven by Simon Ferrel Terrazas of Big Spring, was eastbound at the time and struck Long's vehicle.

Long is being treated for head injuries and a fractured forearm. Five of six Midland teen-agers

injured late Sunday afternoon when the vehicle in which they were riding overturned three times were treated and released from Midland Memorial Hospital emergency room.

Jesse Pool Webb Jr., 16, the vehicle's driver, and Pat Sanchez, 16, of 206 E. Shandon, Kelly Enmon, 16, of 1906 Western, Maria Brigham, 15, of 2100 Wadley, Apt. 13, and Jennifer Atlee, 15, of 2902 Anderson Way were treated for minor injuries. A sixth teen, Shari Sakin, 16, of No. 8 Stutz Court, was not treated, according to Midland Memorial Hospital officials.

Police reports indicated the vehicle was northbound on Holiday Hill Road about 4:35 p.m. Sunday when it struck a dirt mound, left the roadway and overturned three times. Three of the passengers were ejected, the report indicated.

DEATHS

Marvin Blackwell

ANDREWS — Graveside services for Marvin "Dawson" Blackwell, 83, of Andrews were to be at 2 p.m. today in Andrews Cemetery with the Rev. Ted Short, pastor of McKinney Acres Baptist Church, officiating. Services are under the direction of Singleton Funeral Home in Andrews.

Blackwell died Friday in an Andrews hospital.

He was born Aug. 12, 1899, in Henderson County. He was a resident of Andrews for 12 years. He also lived in Abilene for several years. He was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion.

Survivors include a daughter, Margaret Rural of Andrews, four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Amelia J. Wheeler

Amelia Jane Wheeler, 66, of Odessa died Friday in a Midland hospital.

Services were to be at 11 a.m. today in Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Rex Ponder of Ranchland Heights Baptist Church officiating. Burial was to be in Fairview Cemetery.

Pallbearers were to be Tim Carlson, Brandy Carlson, Kelly Carlson, John Carlini, Robert Wheeler, F.C. Wheeler and Kenneth Wheeler.

Dortha Webb

Services for Dortha Webb, 74, of 1110 Austin, will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Calvary Assembly of God Church with Pastor Gayle Reeves officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Webb died Saturday evening in a Midland hospital.

She was born Nov. 30, 1908, in Eros, Ark., where she grew up. She married Loyd Melton Webb Aug. 11, 1928, in Eros. They moved to Fort Smith, Ark., in 1940, and to Roswell, N.M., in 1958. They moved to Andrews in 1971 and to Midland in 1980. She was a member of the Calvary Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include her husband of Midland; a son, Ralph Webb of Mid-

land; a sister, Alma Shipman of Arkoma, Okla.; and four grandchildren.

Louie H. Thomas

Memorial services for Louie H. Thomas, 92, of 2800 W. Illinois Ave., were to be at 5 p.m. today in the First Presbyterian Church chapel with Dr. F. Ray Riddle Jr. officiating. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Saturday in a Midland retirement home.

Thomas was born Feb. 4, 1891, in Hamilton, Ill. He moved to Midland in 1976. He was a former employee of the Dairy Products Inc. in Kingsville.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. John D. (Marion) Stone of Midland and Mrs. H.O. (Madge) Francis of Asheville, N.C.; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Frances Newsom

Frances Newsom, 58, of 2007 N. C St., died early Saturday in a Midland hospital following a brief illness.

Services were to be at 1:30 p.m. today in the First Christian Church with the Rev. Steve Edwards officiating. Burial was to be in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were to be Frank Houghton, Scotty Alcorn, Joe Cleary, Bob Lampkin, Archie Holland and Frank Rasure.

Mary T. Wilson

Services for Mary T. Wilson, 84, of 502 S. Dallas St., were to be at 3:30 p.m. today in Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Bob Porterfield of West Kentucky Baptist Church and J.E. Barrington of Primitive Baptist Church officiating. Burial was to be in Resthaven Memorial Park.

She died Friday in a Midland nursing home.

Pallbearers were to be Elton Holloway, Edward Wilson, Randy Henson, Robert Barton, Troy Lesley and Alan Lesley.

Pecos Chamber plans annual banquet

PECOS — Pecos Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual banquet at 7:30 p.m. March 15 in Austin Elementary Cafeteria at 1501 Veteran Blvd. Guest speaker will be Ray Stone, host of the syndicated network radio program "Cowboys Football Report."

Awards will be presented to the outstanding citizen and director, while recipients of the award of merit and award of service also will be recognized.

Tickets will be \$10 per person.

Accords followed

President Reagan stated on Jan. 22, 1981, that the United States would fully carry out the terms of the hostage accords.

Dr. Lynn Allen Campbell, a former Midlander and a 1948 graduate of Carver High School, has been appointed director of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration's San Juan (Puerto Rico) District, which takes in the Caribbean Islands. He succeeds Mary K. Ellis, who was named director of FDA's Chicago District.

Dr. Campbell is son of the Rev. I.C. Campbell, former pastor of Mount Rose Baptist Church, and the late Bertha Mae Campbell. He has two brothers in Midland — Roosevelt Campbell, an insurance executive, and the Rev. John F. Campbell, pastor of New Jerusalem Baptist Church in Midland.

Campbell, 53, was the 1947 University Interscholastic League debate cham-

ption and lettered in the Midland Carver Hornets' football, track, baseball and basketball athletic programs.

Campbell joined the FDA in 1980 in St. Louis, Mo., and served in Chicago and New York before he was assigned to San Juan. His experience in the Caribbean date to 1972, when he came to Puerto Rico as FDA's laboratory director. From 1975 to 1977, he was analytical director of FDA's Winchester Engineering and Analytical Center and regular commuted to San Juan. He returned to the Caribbean in 1977 as a supervisory investigator and became director of the FDA's science branch in 1981.

Campbell was born in Terrell, was in Midland's Carver High School four-member Class of '47, graduated with honors from Dillard University, where he received the bachelor's degree in chemistry, earned three master's degrees: one in chemistry from St. Louis University, another in business administration from Inter-American University in San Juan, and still another in administration and management from Bridgeport University in Connecticut. He received a doctorate (Ed.D.) from the University of Sarasota, Fla.

Campbell's wife, Dr. Joan Reed Campbell, is an elementary school teacher.

Caesar A. Roy, director of FDA's Region II, described Campbell as a man of "boundless dedication."

"Knowing Lynn Campbell's experience in solving public-health problems, his intimate knowledge of the needs of the Puerto Rican and Virgin Island communities and boundless dedication, I am sure that his tenure as district director will be most productive."

Another FDA administrator, Kenneth A. Silver, described Campbell as a "dynamic" person who has "some very impressive credentials."

Downtown Lion's Club Pancake Jamboree to be held March 12

Billed as the year's largest community get-together, the Downtown Lions Club's 27th annual Pancake Jamboree is scheduled March 12 in Dellwood Mall.

George Loudamy, general chairman, predicts the 1983 event will break all previous attendance records. Advance sale of tickets already has exceeded the \$15,000 mark. About 8,500 persons were served last year.

Keith Somerville, ticket sale chairman, said tickets are being sold in advance by more than 300 Lions members.

The jamboree is an all-day event. The first pancakes will come off the griddle at 7 a.m., with the flip 'em, flop 'em and serve 'em continuing until 8 p.m.

Special entertainment will be presented throughout the day, starting at 8 a.m., under the direction of Duke Jimerson and William Sherman. Some of the community's most popular entertainers will be performing for the added enjoyment of the thousands of men, women and children who will be feasting on pancakes and all the trimmings

morning, afternoon and evening.

Chairmen of the other Jamboree committees include Lloyd Jobe and Morris Hulsej, acquisition; Roy Darden, cooking; Kenzel May, equipment; Floyd Heard, service; Frank Marlow, Tom Sawyer and Bill Colyns, publicity; and Ed Brannon and Jim Cabe, afterglow (clean-up).

All chores in connection with the arranging, staging and follow-up will be done by club members, according to Bill Malone, the jamboree's co-chairman.

Jack Darden, president of the Downtown Lions Club, which is the largest in Texas, explained that all proceeds from the annual festival are used in funding the club's many and varied activities, ranging from sight conservation to youth welfare to helping handicapped children, the elderly, the hearing impaired and other projects. The club's activities budget this year totals \$25,000.

Supplies for the community-wide event are on order and arrangements almost complete for the county fair-type celebration to which the public is invited.

Midland Archeological Society to meet

The Midland Archeological Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Planetarium located in Haley Park.

The program will be "The 'No-Collection' Archaeological Survey — Purposes and Procedures" presented by Dr. Michael B. Collins, acting director

of the Museum of the Southwest. The

Society is planning a 370-acre survey in Howard County for the Parks and Wildlife Department and the program is part of the preparation for participation in the survey.

The meeting is open to the public.

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Helpful books available for do-it-yourselfers

By ANITA HISLEY
Hearst Feature Service

I approach the simplest home repairs with trepidation. I'm part of the cup generation of women, educated in the early days of women's liberation, when the explosion of options we faced included such momentous issues as whether to get married or become a brain surgeon.

We didn't realize that both brain surgeons and homemakers face broken electrical outlets, frayed plugs, leaking faucets and walls plastered during the American revolution and covered with layers of antique wallpaper.

Or, maybe, the notion was that we would be able to afford to hire an journeyman electrician or plumber to perform these tasks for us. At an average of \$35, it seems less likely.

Think how much money I could save if I could make simple repairs myself! On the other hand, I'm really not prepared for a repeat performance of the six-hour lecture on the internal combustion engine my husband required before he'd led me behind the wheel for my first driving lesson. (I later went to a driving school.) I just wanted a book that would tell me what I need to know to fix the ancient apparatus I rely on for toast each morning.

EVIDENTLY, I'M NOT alone: books there are — in abundance. Go into any chain bookstore and you're faced with at least a shelf of books — each boasting it's the "bible" of home repair. And like the bible, some versions are easier to read and understand than others.

The most comprehensible guide I found is the "Reader's Digest Complete Do-It-Yourself Manual" (\$19.95). It should appeal to those who just want to putter around making weekend repairs, as well as the more experienced renovator.

If your knowledge gaps are more specific, or if you have a particular project to tackle, one of five other books might serve your needs:

- The newly published "Handbook of Do-It-Yourself Materials" by Max Alth (Crown Publishers, \$18.95);
- "Plumbing," Time-Life Home Repair and Improvement Series (\$10.95);
- "The Plumber's Bible" by Scott Wilson, Home Owner's Bible Series, Doubleday & Co., Inc. (\$4.95); and
- "The Electrician's Bible" by Peter Jones, also in Doubleday's Home Owner's Bible Series (\$4.95).

THE READER'S DIGEST volume is broken down into 17 sections, including three introductory chapters on how to choose and use hand and power tools and another on fasteners, hardware and adhesives. (A handy chart tells you what tools are necessary for various jobs, so you'll know what you need to borrow from your neighbors.)

Terms are clearly explained for neophytes: "Flathead screws are used in applications where the head must be flush with the surface or slightly below it. Both slotted and cross-slot types are available," and lot an entire page of illustrations and definitions for 13 types of screws and still another page illustrating various screw sizes. Ditto for nuts and bolts and fasteners.

Once you're oriented, the following sections give you step-by-step instructions on:

- Making interior repairs to walls, ceilings, baseboards, moldings, stairs, floors, windows, blinds and locks;
 - Exterior repairs and maintenance for roofs, gutters and downspouts, chimneys, siding, caulking, waterproofing basement walls, fences, garage doors and driveways;
 - How to repair and restore furniture, including upholstering and caning;
 - Plumbing repairs for emergencies, water supply and disposal, clogged drains, frozen or burst pipes, sewage disposal and how to repair or replace fixtures and appliances.
- Other sections cover: electrical problems and repairs — from fuses to planning new circuits and installing ceiling fixtures and door chimes and buzzers; heating and air conditioning systems; painting and decorating walls, ceilings and floors; and working with wood, metals, glass, ceramics, plastics, brick, concrete and stone.

FOR MANY REPAIRS, a combination of text, photographs and well-labeled drawings illustrate the step-by-step directions. Where photographs aren't included, the drawings are clear and uncluttered.

A final section, "Fifty projects you can build," provides detailed instructions, plans and parts lists for home improvement and decorator ideas, including — for the adventurous: Kitchen cabinets and furniture, shelving and stereo centers, closets, toys and brick barbecues.

Max Alth has written 24 books, including five others for homeowners bent on handling their own repairs and renovations. His latest volume, "The Handbook of Do-It-Yourself Materials," available in March, is designed to familiarize readers with the various types of building materials available: "a course in the materials of modern construction" for the skilled professional "or a rank beginner contemplating the building of your first birdhouse." Just knowing what materials are available can save time, money and labor, writes Alth.

THIS IS A COMPREHENSIVE reference work, which covers every conceivable building material — from adhesives to wood, from cement to siding, from locks to windows — some 47 sections which describe the properties of each material, the various types available and for what type of repairs they are best suited.

Step-by-step instructions and more than 400 clear illustrations cue the reader on how to work with each material. The book also is chock-full of charts which compare composition, price, strength, quality and tables which help compute the amount of material required for a particular project.

The author includes an appendix, organized by type of material, of manufacturers, manufacturing associations and distributors who can provide additional information.

Time-Life's books, "Plumbing and Kitchens and Bathrooms," also are well-illustrated with labeled schematics of various systems and step-by-step instructions. But, unlike the Reader's Digest book, these volumes waste space with illustrations of a workman just standing at a countertop, kneeling while hammering a nail into a board or drilling a hole in a ceiling — oversized illustrations which convey little information.

ALTHOUGH THE BOOKS do not begin with detailed chapters to orient the

reader, at the beginning of each section on a particular task they offer advice on what tools and materials are necessary.

I found the glossary, which is combined with the index, rather awkward, because you must wade through many entries of indexed references before hitting an entry which is defined.

"Plumbing" includes chapters on:

- water heater maintenance, emergency pipe repairs and unclogging drains;
- faucet, spout, drain and toilet repairs;
- working with copper, plastic, steel, brass, cast-iron piping and extending pipes for new fixtures.

Finally, it has a section on indoor and outdoor improvements to plumbing systems, including installing new faucets, new toilets, washers and waste disposals, extending water supply lines for built-in sprinkler systems and outdoor showers.

"Kitchens and Bathrooms" offers advice on putting in new walls and floors, custom-made counters and cabinets and constructing your own sauna. If you're planning a major kitchen or bathroom renovation, this book offers sample layouts and plumbing patterns for various room sizes and designs, as well as advice on ways to make a dangerous room safer.

As you might suspect, this book presupposes a more advanced level of knowledge for the more extensive renovations (building a sauna) than for the more simple jobs (connecting a dishwasher.)

AFTER STUDYING the two other plumbing books, I found "The Plumber's Bible" disappointing. The line drawings are not labeled. Thus, unless you already know the names of the various parts that fit together in a compression faucet or a ground-joint fitting used with a ball cock valve, you're in trouble.

Although the book also has many black and white photographs of procedures, it lacks the step-by-step illustrations of the Reader's Digest volume and seems more apt for the verbally inclined. Still, at \$4.95, it's a bargain for those who bring a little foreknowledge to it.

"Plumbing" includes an introduction to plumbing and plumbing system components and the tools necessary for repairs. Other chapters cover working with various piping materials and instructions on how to repair toilets, leaking faucets, valves, pipes, joints drains, and how to install appliances.

In "The Electrician's Bible" — also in the Home Owner's Bible series — the author thought to label the line drawings, and, although they are still inferior to the Reader's Digest illustrations and not as well-integrated into the instructions, they are comprehensible to the novice.

Author offers tips for passing college-entrance examinations

By JAY BEAUSEIGNEUR
Hearst Feature Service

NEW YORK — The Scholastic Aptitude Test and other mind-warping examinations have been terrifying college-bound students for decades, but Joan Davenport Carris, the author of the new Peterson's "SAT Success" — a guide for improving scholastic aptitude test scores — has some solid suggestions for SAT test-takers to help improve their scores, even without previous preparation.

Carris' suggestions: Never pounce on an answer quickly. Always eliminate the other answer choices carefully.

Check each question to see that its answer is being recorded in the correct place on the answer sheet.

Keep track of your time. Learn exactly how long each separate section takes you to complete.

After some PSAT/SAT practice, you will learn which kinds of questions you answer best. Do these first, then turn to the next-best kind of question for you.

If you are a poor guesser, don't keep

you guessing. On PSAT/SAT tests, a wrong answer is subtracted from the right answer total. No answer at all is a safer, smarter choice if you tend to guess badly.

Save the tough questions for last. A blank counts less than an error.

Change answers only if you have time left.

If you eliminate all answers but one, pick the "mystery" answer.

Avoid answers that read, "The answer cannot be determined."

If four or five answer choices are relatively simple, avoid choosing the one complex, wordy answer.

Carris' text, written with 18-year-old math whiz Michael Crystal, is a programmed self-help guide to SAT or ACT test-taking, and includes nine-week and 18-week study plans and a "panic plan" for procrastinators and late-starters.

"The SAT tests are still a most important criteria in determining college admissions," Carris notes. "Like the proverbial rock, they're out there, and must be taken by most college-bound high school seniors."

Midland Woman's Club to host Beckham art showing

The paintings and drawings of Travis Beckham will be featured at the Midland Woman's Club during March. The show will offer a 15-year overview of the artist's work.

Beckham grew up in Midland, and the area is the source for most of his paintings. His instructors in the Midland-Odessa area included Brad Bodkin, Inez Parker, James Sessler and Eugenia Wilson. He graduated from the University of Houston in 1968, the year he had a show at UH and also represented the University at the Museum of Fine Art and at a show of student painters at the Louisiana Gallery.

Beckham returned to Midland in the early 1970s. His paintings and drawings are regularly seen in Midland Art Association and Museum of the Southwest shows, as well as other shows

around the area. His primary media are oil, acrylic and pencil.

Although many of the pieces in the show will be on loan from Midlanders and others, many will be available for purchase.

A reception honoring Beckham will be held March 13 from 2 p.m. — 4 p.m. The public is invited.



Los Angeles Times Photo by Jayne Kamin

These pastel sundresses have billowing skirts that end at mid-calf, patch pockets in front and geometric cutouts in back. They are by

designer Willi Smith, who wants to "dress thousands of people and do it better."

DEAR ABBY

Wife's surgery severs her husband's love

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: Why don't gynecologists warn their patients that after they've had a hysterectomy they are no longer sexually desirable?

At age 47, I had a total hysterectomy. I had tumors and was told I should have my uterus removed. But had I known then what I know now, I would have put it off as long as possible, or even taken my chances and not had the operation at all!

After my surgery my husband told me that our lovemaking wasn't the same — that I had lost my appeal for him. Then he found someone else.

The same thing happened to a friend of mine. After her hysterectomy, her husband said she didn't "feel" the same, then he took up with a young woman in his office.

Would I be wise to forget about men? I take Premarin and I haven't lost my sex drive. I'm attractive, neat and clean, and people tell me I look about 40. I need a truthful answer, Abby. Would a man ever be sexually satisfied with me now? — REJECTED

DEAR REJECTED: Yes! In a total hysterectomy, the uterus is removed, which in no way diminishes the sexual satisfaction of lovemaking. A man cannot tell whether his partner has a uterus or not. If he claims he can "feel" the difference, he's either looking for an excuse to look elsewhere, or the problem is not in HER body, but in HIS head!

DEAR ABBY: How do I tell a good friend I do not want to lend her my clothes? She is leaving for a trip and has hinted that she would like to borrow two new dresses she saw in my closet. I bought them on sale last fall and they still have the tags on them!

What kind of excuse can I give her without losing her friendship? I've never borrowed anyone's clothes in my life, and I don't want to lend mine. Hurry, please. I know she'll be asking me soon. — STUCK

DEAR STUCK: Don't look for an "excuse," tell her the reason: "Sorry, I don't lend my clothes to anyone." If you lose her friendship, what have you lost? A friend with whom you can't be honest.

DEAR ABBY: We're expecting our first child, and we are thrilled. My husband is a health nut. He jogs, watches his diet, takes vitamins and gave up smoking.

When "Bob" learned that I was with child, he insisted that I quit smoking. I promised I would and said I had, but I've been sneaking cigarettes whenever possible.

Bob caught me and gave me a long lecture. I told him he wasn't my father, then I asked, "What are you going to do the next time you catch me? Give me a spanking?" He said, "That's a good idea."

I thought he was kidding, but last night he caught me smoking again, so he put me across his lap and spanked me with my hairbrush. I cried.

Is smoking really harmful to the unborn child? And is spanking grounds for divorce in New Jersey? — SPANKED IN NEW JERSEY

DEAR SPANKED: Yes, doctors have agreed that a mother's smoking is indeed harmful to the unborn child. And a New Jersey lawyer can tell you whether spanking is grounds for divorce.

(Every teen-ager should know the truth about drugs, sex and how to be happy. For Abby's booklet, send \$2 and a long, stamped (37 cents), self-addressed envelope to: Abby, Teen Booklet, P.O. Box 38923, Hollywood, Calif. 90038.)

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The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 1:35 p.m., Tuesday, March 15, 1983, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on a request for a Special Temporary Permit for a mobile home on Lot 3, Block 29, West End Addition, City of Midland, Midland County, Texas. (Located at 1103 W. Missouri)

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 1:40 p.m., Tuesday, March 15, 1983, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on a request for a Specific Use Permit for the sale of alcoholic beverages in a restaurant on Lots 14, 15, 16 and 17, Block 11A, Fairway Park Addition, Section 3, City of Midland, Midland County, Texas.

LEGAL NOTICE Sealed Bid or Bids will be received 3:00 P.M., March 8, 1983 to be opened at 3:00 P.M., March 8, 1983, in the office of the City Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Midland, Texas, for the following Bid or Bids: Bid No. 280-83 to purchase 3,300 lbs. Macadam (only) Perennial Ryegrass overseed mix. Information for bidders, proposal forms and specifications, may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Midland, Texas.

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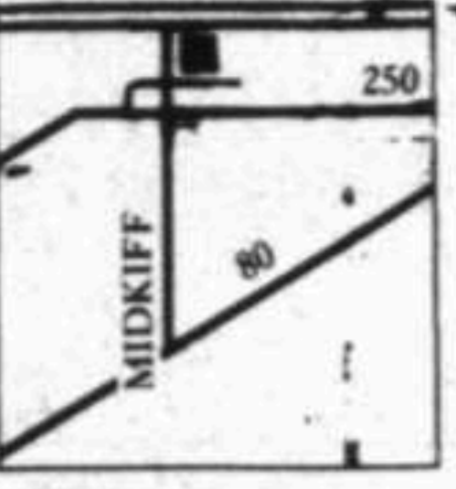
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HEMLOCK: Young 3 BR, 1 Ba, fenced... \$39,500
TENNESSEE: 3 BR, 1 Ba. plus rental, yard sprinklers, owner financed... \$39,500
MOBILE HOME: 14x50, 2 1/2 car in Ranchero Park... \$35,000
RANKIN HWY: 4 lots, 200 ft frontage, LR2... \$135,000
GREENBRIER: Lot on Hockberry St... \$55,000
MARSHALL & WASHINGTON: 2 lots, corner... \$14,500
RANCH ESTATES: Double corner lot, utilities... \$6,500
COLORADO ST: 2 lots, MH. Utilities available... \$6,000
BELMONT ST: 6 lots, MH. utilities available... \$6,000
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320 ACRES... Per acre \$300
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Gift 3-2-2, great Country kitchen, exc. location... \$105,800
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2 and 3 bedrooms, 1 and 2 car garages, 2 full baths, all brick, refrigerated air, built-in stove, microwave, dishwasher, carpet, fence, disposal.
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Sparkling 3 BR, 2 BA, must see. Built around a lush atrium. Newly painted and carpeted throughout. Storm window. Authentic Mexican tile in kitchen and hall area. NW Midland, near schools and one minute from Mall. Priced in low \$100,000 range.
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4604 Green Tree Blvd Beautiful Colonial w/4 bdrms, 4 1/2 ba, 2 living areas, parquet floors, 2 fireplaces & beautifully decorated. Only \$68,000 down plus closing and 12% interest. \$290,000

6403 Sequoia Stately Two Story w/curved stairway, formal dining, 4 bdrms, 2 1/2 ba, 2 fireplaces, parquet floors & beautiful. Only \$64,000 down plus closing and 12% interest. \$270,000

5200 Teakwood Trace Best Location in Green Tree. overlooks lake! Large home w/4 bdrms, 3 ba, gameroom, 3 fireplaces & wet bar. Only \$64,000 down plus closing w/12% interest. \$280,900

6206 Sequoia Comfortable Family Home w/4 bdrms, 3 ba, 3 car garage, 2 patios. Excellent for entertaining. Lovely view of the greens. \$228,000

3802 Wedgewood Trinity Estates: Large 4 bdrms, home w/3ba, formal dining, 2 living areas, whirlpool, skylights & lot large enough for pool, over 3,800 sq. ft. \$225,000

6208 Sequoia Must See Inside to Appreciate! Large free flow floor plan w/4 bdrms, 3ba, 2 living areas, formal dining. Only \$48,000 down plus closing. \$218,000

3800 St Andrews Cul-de-sac Location w/3,250 sq. ft. 4 bdrms, 3ba, 2 living areas, formal dining & whirlpool. Only \$41,500 down plus closing. \$207,000

4211 Greenbriar Priced at \$62,800 below appraised! Custom built w/3 bdrms, 4 ba, formal dining, 2 living areas, 16x33 heated pool & lovely. \$190,000

3015 Northfield Excellent for entertaining, large atrium wet bar, master w/sitting area, round breakfast room, 4 bdrms, 3 ba, & 2 living areas. \$180,900

4506 Valley Custom built by Whittle. Large 3yr. old home w/2 living areas, 4 bdrms, 2 1/2 ba, formal dining & room for pool. \$170,900

3808 Crestline In Crestgate Addition! Only \$88,000 down plus closing will move you into this 3,000 sq. ft. home w/4 bdrms, 3 ba, 2 living areas & formal dining. \$175,000

2808 Andover Walk to Emerson & Goddard and on a cul-de-sac! Large 4 bdrms, 3 ba, formal dining & gameroom. \$159,900

2628 Emerson Enviously Different! Close to schools & shopping, lovely home w/4 bdrms, 2 ba, 2 living areas & large pool. Only \$28,000 down plus closing. \$140,000

4300 Crestwood Large home w/3 bdrms, 2 ba, wet bar, plant room, formal dining, ceiling fans & rear entry garage. Only \$26,000 down plus closing. \$130,000

2602 & 2604 Purple Sage In Vista West: Large 4 bdrms. home w/3ba, marble tub, ceiling fans, island kitchen w/Jenn-Air, His & Her master. Only \$12,000 down plus closing. Starting At... \$121,000

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Kim Young-Coordinator

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RESIDENTIAL

Classie-4r, 2 1/2 ba, liv. area, gameroom, pool, more... 389,000
Bryce-3r, 2 1/2 ba, liv. area, whirlpool, more... 300,000
Garfield-4 plus 1/2 ba, 2 1/2 liv. area, frpl, 2 rentals... 300,000

RESIDENTIAL

Boyd-3r, 1 1/2 ba, 2 1/2 liv. area, utility rm, dining... 79,900
Andrews Hwy-4r, 1 1/2 ba, 2 1/2 liv. area, frpl, break area... 79,900
Ohio-3r, 1 1/2 ba, 2 1/2 liv. area, frpl, commercial potential... 79,900

TOWNHOMES

Lidden No. 87-2r, 1 1/2 ba, liv. area, frpl, pantry... 50,500
Wadley No. 48-1r, 1 1/2 ba, liv. area, utility room... 49,900
Builder-Sunrise Western

NEW CONSTRUCTION

Builder-Jim Ward Homes Inc.
Sundance Pk-3r, 1 1/2 ba, liv. area, frpl, utility room... 80,000
Builder-Henry & Love

SUBURBAN PROPERTIES

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Wal-Mart commercial office building, 18,800 sq ft... 1,400,000

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PRICED TO SELL \$99,500. 9 1/2% assumable and non qualifying loan. Beautiful Hyde Park St. home in nice neighborhood near Trinity Schools.

Exclusive Green Tree Country Club On The Green. 2 master Bedroom suites plus quest bedroom 3 baths \$15,000 TOTAL move in

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WILL TRADE. 2 bedroom, 1 bath, \$29,000 house in Amarillo for rental property of comparable value or equity in Midland.

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NEW LISTING. Near Rusk Elementary, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath living dining room, carpet, Mid 70's.

OWNER FINANCE-VA ASSUMPTION-Owner will finance entire \$14,000 equity and take up \$858 monthly payment, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, ref, air, central heat, 1 car garage. Less than 2 years old.

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