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International Peace Conference Sought

PARIS (AP) — Secretary of State William P. Rogers called on an international conference on Vietnam today to set up simple machinery to make certain peace there does not fall into jeopardy. Canada expressed its displeasure at the present system and threatened to pull out of the peacekeeping commission in South Vietnam.

Rogers suggested to the opening session of the conference that it should establish a simple link with the peacekeepers in the field and that if six or more of the parties meeting here find that peace is in danger then the conference "had the right and responsibility to reconvene."

MAY QUIT

Canada officially informed the conference that it will quit the four-nation peace super-

visory commission in Vietnam by April 30 unless an international authority is established to deal with cease-fire violations.

This stand put forth by Foreign Secretary Mitchell Sharp was supported in principle at least by Rogers during the 2½-hour session.

U.S. officials said the method for setting up an authority to deal with peace violations is open to negotiation.

"However," Rogers said, "a simple mechanism for reconvening must exist."

It seems obvious, the secretary continued, that the parties have a responsibility in the event of violations which threaten the peace, independence or right of self-determination of the Vietnamese people.

This is both a joint and individual responsibility, he said, which means all participants should consult with each other on a regular basis concerning the agreement. Rogers said there should be some link be-

tween the conference members and the four parties manning the International Commission of Control and Supervision — Poland, Hungary, Indonesia and Canada.

Such a relationship would

permit the conference to keep track of important developments, Rogers added.

Sharp was submitting proposals for establishment of a political body qualified to receive reports on violations and take action on them.

DISENCHANTED

Unless such a body was set up, the Canadian told newsmen Sunday night, Canada would within a month resign from the four-nation International Commission of Control and Supervision set up by the cease-fire agreement to police the truce.

Sharp conceded, however, that some of the other conference participants were "less than enthusiastic" about creating a political authority to police the agreement.

The Viet Cong foreign minister, Mrs. Nguyen Thi Bing, apparently spoke for the Communist delegations Friday when she said the conference should merely take note of the agreement, pledge its participants to observe it and call on other countries to help keep the peace.

British officials said some such formula may be the best the conference can hope to achieve because the tasks assigned to it under Article 19 of the cease-fire agreement are practically impossible to fulfill.

Article 19 says the conference should "acknowledge the signed agreements; to guarantee the ending of the war, the maintenance of peace in Vietnam, the respect of the Vietnamese people's fundamental national rights and the South Vietnamese people's right to self-determination; and to contribute to and guarantee peace in Indochina."

'POETIC VIEW'
One high ranking British source said the conference would take a "poetic view" of these instructions and settle for a declaration of broad principle.

The American delegation and various others prepared drafts for such a declaration. There were intensive consultations over the weekend among the ministers seeking advance agreement on conference procedure and on the outline of a final declaration.

Cites Reasons In Council Bid

"I think I have a good chance or I would never have filed," Mrs. Floyd Mays said this morning after filing for the City Commission. The election is set for April 3.

Mrs. Mays filed Friday afternoon for one of the two commission places which will be up for election. She released a statement this morning concerning her reasons for running.

"I have been a resident of Big Spring for 25 years and have taken an active part in the development of our city. I believe good government begins at the local level, and I feel that I can add balance as well as a realistic approach to the problems that face our community," she said in the release.

"I also feel that I can be impartial in reaching decisions concerning these problems," she added.

"I'm not running to be the first in anything or to be the first woman commissioner. I don't expect any special privileges (in the race)," she added in an interview.

Mrs. Mays, wife of Floyd Mays, M.D. is past president of the West Texas Republican Women's Club, chairman of the Historical Survey Committee, and treasurer of Friends of the Library, and has a long record of civic activity.

She is a graduate of the University of Kansas with a bachelor of science degree. She and her husband have two children and belong to the First Presbyterian Church.

Also in the commission race are Eli Guinn, T. E. Wilcox and incumbent Jack Watkins.



WED IN BED — Diane Eustice, 17, and James R. Miller-Beals, 23, were married in a hospital in Fredericksburg, Va., Saturday by the Rev. M. Paul Curry. The bride was injured in an auto accident on her wedding day, but the ceremony was delayed less than six hours.

Pilot Of Airliner Said Unlicensed

CAUGHT IN MIDDLE

Dental Money Yanked By U.S.

HOUSTON (AP) — At least 250 elderly patients have been caught in the middle of a federal dental project that provided funds to start their dental work but then yanked back the money that would allow completion of their care.

"It's been a cliffhanger each month to see if we can get the money to finish what we started," said Dr. Dawn Sanders, head of the special program for the aged.

"We have 250 needy patients in varying stages of dental work with many problems left," she said. "They can't afford private dentists. They are completely cut off from help."

The project was set up last August by the Governor's Council on Aging and funded by Houston's Model Cities program with money coming from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development HUD.

Dr. Sanders said there were assurances funds would be available through May 1973.

"We took 450 patients in the pilot program, judging that we could finish helping them by May," she said.

HUD funds were frozen by the Nixon Administration in January in an attempt to trim \$5 million from a \$13.5 million annual budget.

"At the end of January, we had to close down for five days," Dr. Sanders said. "We were then given an additional \$8,500 by Model Cities for February. We still have 250 patients to go."

'We Want Revenge!' Beirut Mob Says

BEIRUT (AP) "Kadafi! Kadafi! We want revenge!" thousands cried in Banghaz's Salmaniya Square at the funeral of 47 Libyans killed in the airliner that Israeli fighters shot down last week.

Col. Muammar Kadafi did not attend the mass funeral at which the crowd screamed for vengeance and denounced the leaders of Egypt and other Arab nations as cowards.

Radio Tripoli broadcast the Moslem service. The broadcast said it was held in the open because Libya had no mosque big enough to accommodate so many coffins.

Black-veiled women kept up a high-pitched, frenzied wail while a radio commentator screamed above the din: "This was the ugliest crime in history. The nation will never forget its martyrs. Justice will be quickly done."

Dog Catcher Will Return To Campus

EUGENE, Ore. (AP) — The dog catcher is coming back to the University of Oregon campus after an absence of two years.

Gerald Bolen, vice president of student services, said dog control officers refused to work the campus area because of heavy student harassment.

The dogs did well with their only natural enemy gone, and now run unchecked in packs around the campus. Dozens of students were treated for dog bites in the past year.

But Bolen says the mood of the campus is changing, and the dog catcher will return to restore the balance of nature by rounding up the unleashed, unlicensed hounds.

State's Vagrancy Laws Are Negated

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court today upheld a three-judge district court ruling that declared most of Texas' vagrancy laws unconstitutional.

In doing so, it rejected the state's argument that the federal court had no authority to hear the case and to overturn the state laws.

Nixon To Keep Pay Standard

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Nixon administration decided today to retain its 5.5 per cent standard for pay increases, but agreed to use more flexible language by a panel of top business and labor leaders in specific cases.

The White House released a statement by the Labor-Management Advisory Committee urging cooperation with goals of the economic stabilization program this year so that the rate of inflation will decline 2.5 per cent or less by the end of the year.

Although this appeared to be more flexible than the 5.5 per

cent standard that prevailed for Phase II economic controls, Cost of Living Director John T. Dunlop told newsmen that the standard is no more flexible than it was in Phase 2.

He emphasized that even under mandatory price-wage controls, the 5.5 per cent standard was not always strictly adhered to.

Treasury Secretary George P. Shultz said the administration would use the numerical standard as well as the statement by the Labor-Management Advisory Committee for enforcing wage controls this year.

But administration officials were careful not to suggest that so much flexibility was being built into the standard as to allow large wage demands this year.

The key portion of the committee's statement said that responsible wage behavior this year requires that the average rate of wage increases should be "consistent with the goals set by the President of getting the rate of inflation down to 2.5 per cent or less by the end of the year."

POW Release Is Delayed

SAIGON (AP) — A North Vietnamese spokesman said today that no American prisoners of war will be released on Tuesday, but U.S. officials were hopeful of last-minute word from Hanoi announcing about 140 more POWs would be handed over.

"There will definitely not be any POW releases Tuesday," the chief North Vietnamese spokesman in Saigon, Bui Tin, told newsmen. He added that the list of the next prisoners to be turned over also would not be delivered today. He said word was expected soon from Hanoi, but he did not know when it would come.

Tin said the senior members of the Joint Military Commission would take up the POW issue at their next regular meeting Wednesday, indicating he expected no transfer of POWs before Thursday.



AT OPENING RITUAL — Standing side by side at the opening of the International Conference on Vietnam at the International Conference Center in Paris, (l.), China's foreign minister Chi Pen Fet and (r.) William Rogers U.S. secretary of State.

IF Gains Approval For State Loans

Howard County has been designated as one of 185 Texas rural counties in which non-profit industrial foundations may now acquire loans through the state to finance industrial projects.

The designation came as a result of a public hearing held in Big Spring in November by the Texas Industrial Commission.

Over 100 West Texas community leaders converged at the hearing here Nov. 14 to make cases for their areas. Winston Wrinkle, past president of the local Industrial Foundation, gave testimony for Howard County.

The hearing was held partially to determine the extent of interest in funding of the Texas Rural Development Act.

Also approved as eligible for the loans were Dawson, Martin, Borden and Mitchell Counties.

LOCAL PLEASED
Enough money to finance up to 90 per cent of the cost of an industrial development project may now be borrowed by the counties from the state since passage of Senate Bill 931. "I was pleased to see Howard County included on the list," said Tom Lock, current president of the Industrial Foundation. "In the short range, I'm not

sure what this will mean, but it will probably enable us to better compete with other areas of the state in attracting industry and it will give us just another means of bringing industry into our area," he said.

IN SEPTEMBER

Applications for loans must be made to the TIC, but the money must be appropriated by the legislature. E. H. Sheffield, senior industrial consultant for the TIC, said the legislature will probably make these funds available in September.

Contacted this morning, Sheffield, who attended the Big Spring public hearing, said the counties approved were fairly well scattered throughout the state.

He added that he was surprised that out of 65 counties in the state which did not even apply for the designation, about half were in the West Texas area.

THREE CRITERIA
Criteria for determining whether a county was eligible for the designation were average population growth rate, net out-migration from the county and manufacturing employment.

Sheffield said in order to be approved a county had to qualify under at least one of the three criteria. Population growth rate and manufacturing employment had to be under the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area limits in order for a county to qualify.

Howard County easily qualified under the manufacturing standard. To be eligible, a county could not have in excess of 15,000 people employed in manufacturing. Howard County has 1,700 employed in that field according to the Texas Employment Commission here.

BORDEN TRYING
Howard County also qualified under the criterion of population loss as the 1960 census showed 40,140 county residents and the 1970 tally showed 37,796 residents.

Borden County Judge Glenn Toombs is already taking advantage of his county's designation for eligibility. He is seeking to interest Borden County residents in forming an industrial foundation as only that type of organization may apply for the state loans.

"In the rural areas, we are going to be like the American Indian pretty soon — gone," remarked Judge Toombs. "We don't have any industry here except the oil industry, and that is all that keeps us alive."



SWISS MOVEMENT BEARS WATCHING — Employees in a manufacturing plant at Guemilgen, Switzerland, interrupt work during the day for a five-minute gymnastic exercise with music in order to be fit for their hard work. The factory's management started this new arrangement for their workers a few weeks ago in order to set a good example for other plants.

TEL AVIV (AP) — Premier Golda Meir said as she left for the United States today that she thought the downing of a Libyan airliner last week by Israeli fighters would have no effect on her talks with President Nixon.

The 75-year-old premier looked drawn and admitted to newsmen she was "very tired." But she dodged other questions, saying: "I will tell you everything when I get back."

Foreign Minister Abba Eban told newsmen that Mrs. Meir would give top priority in Washington to the possibility of "proximity" peace talks with the Arabs. Under this formula, the Israelis and Arabs would meet separately and alternately with a neutral negotiator who would act as a go-between. The procedure was tried by Gunnar Jarring, the U.N. mediator for the Middle East, but was not successful.

UNLISTED

On Sunday, the Israeli government reported that the French captain of the Libyan jetliner was not licensed to fly that type of plane. The government said it had found Capt. Jacques Bourges' flying permit and that it did not list the trijet Boeing 727, the plane downed last Wednesday on the Israeli side of the Suez Canal. Bourges was licensed only as a copilot for the French Caravelle jetliner and several propeller planes, the Israelis said.

Air France, the French government airline, disputed the Israeli statement. It said Bourges had completed the training course for 727 pilots on Nov. 6, 1971, and this had been entered on his license five days later.

The government also announced that it was ready to make payments to the families of the 106 persons killed in the crash including Bourges, and to the other seven aboard the plane, who were injured. But it refused to use the word "compensation" because that would imply guilt for the downing of the plane.

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Partly Cloudy

Partly cloudy through Tuesday. Cooler this afternoon and tonight, warmer Tuesday. Winds from the northeast 5-15 miles per hour. High today near 50, low tonight in mid-30s, high Tuesday near 70.

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Road Work Sidetracks Equipment Purchases

Excessive winter damage to county roads today sidetracked proposals to acquire new copying equipment for the county.

Pavement must be reconditioned or be lost, County Judge A. G. Mitchell told the court. Representatives of Xerox were invited to resubmit, during the 1974 budget hearings this summer, their proposals for replacement of the copying equipment.

According to Xerox, the estimated yearly lease and charges for two new machines will run \$7,322, compared to \$5,711 for present equipment.

Copying machines, maintenance and supplies cost the county clerk's office \$4,047 in 1972, according to a county report.

Howard County owns a large Haloid copier about the size of a tiny car. Also kept in the county clerk's basement is a Xerox machine being leased.

SUGGESTED PURCHASE
Commissioner Simon (Cy) Terrazas suggested purchasing the \$38,000 copying equipment might be less costly than leasing it.

County Judge A. G. Mitchell told Xerox representatives the faster working equipment could not be purchased now because of extensive costly road repairs. He mentioned that the copying equipment was not budgeted for 1973.

BIG DAMAGE
Mitchell said 65 per cent of over 200 miles in paved county roads must be seal-coated "or we're going to loose every bit of it."

One of the worst winters in years has caused this damage, Mitchell said.

In another road and bridge business, the court decided moving fences back will be cheaper than purchasing right of way given to the county earlier but not used for a county road as planned.

Hank McDaniel owns the adjoining land involved. Crocker explained that the right of way had been obtained before Crocker became a commissioner. One landowner had refused to donate the right of way as others had and the project was abandoned.

OTHER BUSINESS
Other business included: Postponing action on requests from the sheriff's office and county clerk's office. Mrs. Pauline Petty, county clerk.

United Way Holds Meeting Today

The annual meeting of trustees of the Howard County United Way, which raises funds for more than a dozen youth and humanitarian efforts, is set for 5:30 p.m. today at the Chamber of Commerce conference room.

After the reports, election of trustees, etc., there will be a meeting of the board and the election of officers. George Zachariah is due to be announced as the new executive secretary of the United Way, succeeding Alyce Butler, who is retiring.

MULTIPLE FINES IMPOSED AFTER HIGHSPEED CHASE

A high speed chase shortly before 11 p.m. Sunday ended at Grafa and Morrison when James McGrath was arrested and jailed on eight separate traffic citations.

Total fines were \$175 for running a red light and three stop signs, making two improper turns, and speeding, as well as violating a restriction on his driver's license. McGrath was transferred from city jail this morning to county jail. He was charged with fleeing a police officer. Judge Walter Grice set the bond at \$500, and McGrath was released this morning.



WEATHER FORECAST — Cold weather is forecast Monday for the northern Plains and most of the eastern half of the nation. Mild weather is expected for the Southwest. Rain is forecast from the Carolinas to southern New England and snow is forecast from the upper Great Lakes to the northern Plains. Showers are expected for the central Pacific Coast and northern Rockies.

Decision Due On Stopgap Financing

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate is facing a Wednesday deadline for extending stopgap funding for foreign aid and the departments of Labor and Health, Education and Welfare.

Spending authority expires at midnight Wednesday. A vote was scheduled today. The House has voted a continuing resolution to extend appropriations until June 30, the end of the current fiscal year.

The Senate Appropriations Committee approved the four-month extension for Labor-HEW, but only two months for foreign aid.

President Nixon vetoed the annual Labor-HEW appropriation bill twice last year, saying it was too big.

The foreign aid appropriation for the current fiscal year was abandoned in Congress last year because of a House-Senate deadlock on a new authorization for military aid programs.

The Senate Foreign Relations Committee scheduled a voting session today on a new military aid authorization.

Chairman J.W. Fulbright asked for only a one-month extension of foreign aid funding pending action on the new authorization bill.

In raising it two months, Chairman John L. McClellan, D-Ark., said the Appropriations Committee concluded that one month was not enough time to get both an authorization and an appropriation through both branches of Congress.

Foreign aid bills have been encumbered for years with end-of-war and other extraneous amendments and bogged down last year over an amendment to require that all executive agreements for U.S. military bases on foreign soil be submitted for Senate ratification as treaties.

The continuing resolution would extend appropriations for Labor-HEW at an annual rate of \$29.9 billion, \$1.8 billion more than Nixon's budget, and for foreign aid at a \$3.6-billion annual rate, \$1.5 billion less than budget requests.

Howard, Martin Get Locations

Howard and Martin Counties gained four locations, all in field areas, on Monday's oil report.

Howard County had one abandonment, Armer Oil No. 3 Love, previously announced as an unsuccessful attempt to extend the Vealmoor field.

LOCATIONS

MARTIN
Sorberly Trend 9,500 — John L. Cox of Midland No. 8-C Moore, 1,320 from the south and west lines section 4-38-10, GAMA-B-A, 11 miles northeast of Midland, three-fourths miles southwest of Sorberly Trend.

HOWARD
Armer Oil Co. No. 3 E. W. Love, 320 from northwest and southwest lines section 34-32-29, T&P, plugged and abandoned of 7,914.

Abandonments
Armer Oil Co. No. 3-G Glass shuttin for shuttling.

Armer Oil Co. No. 1-5e Ranch still pumping load.

Armer Oil Co. No. 3-C Glass pumping load.

Armer Oil Co. No. 1-5e Ranch still pumping load.

HOWARD
Continental No. 1 Moore drilling 8,431 lime and shale.

Three Rate First Division Pianists

Ten pianists from the Big Spring High School choir were the only local entries at solo and ensemble contest in Odessa Saturday.

Jack Bowers, director, said that the vocalists were all working on selections for the National Music Educators conference in Kansas City, Mo. next week, which will include a concert by the Big Spring Meistersingers.

The pianists included three who made first divisions, Annabeth Deats, Jay Huskey and Karen Coffee. Seven made second divisions, including Suzanne Craig, Kevin Penner, Kay Williams, Brenda Thomas, Debbie Baker and Lynette Coffee.

Woman Injured

A woman was rushed to a local hospital at 6:05 p.m. Saturday suffering from injuries. Her husband was alleged to have beaten her with a two-by-four and a broken bottle, but she refused to file a complaint, police said.

Fems' Rights Bill Needs Approval Of Ten States

WASHINGTON (AP) — With approval of 10 more states needed, President Nixon and the chairmen of the two major political parties have called for ratification of the equal rights amendment to elevate the status of women.

Nixon's appeal was made last week in an economic message to Congress. Democratic Chairman Robert Strauss and his Republican counterpart, George Bush, have been writing state legislators to urge approval.

Backers of the constitutional amendment had hoped it might win ratification before Aug. 26, the 50th anniversary of women's suffrage. But in the past month the amendment has run into opposition from some conservatives, and there are predictions it might take another year or more to push it through.

Twenty-eight of the necessary 38 states have ratified the amendment, which would bar the abridgement of civil rights on the basis of sex.

Opponents contend ratification of the amendment would play havoc with the nation's laws, destroy the family system and require that women register for the military draft.

Bush intervened unsuccessfully when the amendment was up for a vote in the North Dakota House of Representatives last Thursday. The House killed the proposal for the year. The GOP chairman also sent telegrams to Republican officials in Maine, whose legislature votes on the amendment Tuesday.

Anne Armstrong, former co-chairman of the Republican National Committee and now a counselor to Nixon, has written letters and occasionally spoken on behalf of the amendment since it cleared Congress nearly a year ago.

Strauss last week wrote Democratic governors and legislators in each of the 32 states that have not ratified the amendment, saying "it would be a dangerous move to step away from our commitment to the women of America at this point in our party's end our nation's history."



JOHN TAYLOR JR.

Youths Win State Award

Twenty-three YMCA members returned to Big Spring yesterday from Austin after participating in a four-day session of the statewide YMCA model legislature and Supreme Court.

John Taylor Jr., the local H-Y and Tri-H-Y for youth governor, received the fourth highest number of votes in the nine-man gubernatorial race.

He was then assigned to the model Senate where he was honored for "Outstanding Bill Presentation."

Of two pieces of legislation proposed by local Y members, the one sponsored by Paige Little passed. The bill called for establishment of a uniform rate of computation for auto insurance premiums.

The Texas state legislature adjourned while the approximately 1,000 members of the YMCA's model legislature were in session at the capitol.

Results Of Heart Drive Incomplete

Reports are not yet available on the success of yesterday's Heart Sunday drive in which volunteers made a house-to-house appeal for contributions to the National Heart Fund.

"We haven't gotten enough returns in yet," said drive chairman M. A. Snell. Goal for the county was \$5,000. A tabulation should be available toward the end of the week, he said.

DEATHS

Allie Adams
Services for Miss Allie Rae Adams were at 2 p.m. Monday at the Church of Christ in Coahoma.

Miss Adams died Saturday morning in Fort Worth. Officiating at the services was Ralph Beistle, minister. Burial was in the Coahoma Cemetery under the direction of River Welch Funeral Home.

Funeral services were held at 3:30 p.m. today at Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel for Mrs. Viola Pederson, 74, who died in a local hospital Thursday.

The Rev. Richard Milton, Westside Baptist Church, will officiate and burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park.

Born Oct. 11, 1898 in Iowa, she married Sheridan Pederson in Dalhart in 1918. She moved to Big Spring in 1923 and was a member of the John A. Kee Rebekah Lodge.

Survivors include two sons, Elmo and R. L. Pederson, Big Spring; two brothers, Ed Matthews, Dalhart, and George Matthews, Amett, Okla., one sister, Mrs. J. W. Freeman Arnett; and one granddaughter. Pallbearers include Elrah Phillips, Charles Leek, Garland Land, Horace Smith and Bill Loftis.

Fred Beckham
Funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. Wednesday at the First United Methodist Church

for Fred Beckham, 58, who died Sunday night in St. Paul's Hospital in Dallas.

Burial will be in the Masonic section of Mt. Olive Cemetery with Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home in charge.

Born May 21, 1914 in Weatherford, he married Emilee Ramsey Oct. 21, 1939 in Westbrook. He was foreman of the asphalt roofing and lube oil department for Cosden. Mr. Beckham also was a member of the Cosden 25 Year Club. He was also a member of First United Methodist Church and a duo member of the Staked Plains Masonic Lodge 598 and Big Spring Lodge 1340. For many years he was active in Boy Scout work and in Red Cross first aid.

Survivors include his wife, Emilee, one son, James Beckham, Ogden, Utah; his mother, Mrs. Ollie Attaway, Big Spring; one brother, Reyford Beckham, Garland; three sisters, Mrs. Elva Biffar and Mrs. Delmar Hartin, Big Spring, and Mrs. Rayford Martin, Jonesboro.

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American Airlines	18 1/2
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American Cyanamid	30 3/4
American Motors	7 1/4
American Petroleum	5 1/2
American Tel & Tel	59 1/2
Amoco	22 1/2
Apeco	6 1/2
Boeing	27 1/2
Boji	27 1/2
Boji	27 1/2
Bristol-Myers	12 1/2
Brunswick	29 1/2
Case	25 1/2
Celanese	25 1/2
Cerro Corp	25 1/2
Chrysler	34 1/2
Citicorp	40 1/2
Coca-Cola	40 1/2
Continental Oil	27 1/2
Continental Nat'l	27 1/2
Continental	27 1/2
Curtis Wright	39 1/2
Dr. Pepper	27 1/2
Fairmont Foods	11 1/2
First Nat'l	16 1/2
Foremost McKesson	17 1/2
Franklin Life	26 1/2
Frost	22 1/2
General Electric	45 1/2
General Motors	23 1/2
General Telephone	25 1/2
Graco, W. R.	25 1/2
Gulf	25 1/2
Gulf & Western	25 1/2
Hammond	14 1/2
Hart-Hanks	27 1/2
Healy	27 1/2
Jones-Laughlin	21 1/2
Kennecott	29 1/2
Marathon	24 1/2
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McCullough Oil Co.	17 1/2
Mobil Oil	42 1/2
Monroe	27 1/2
National Service	22 1/2
New Process	12 1/2
Norfolk & Western	27 1/2
Penn Central Railroad	29 1/2
Pepsi-Cola	25 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	43 1/2
Pioneer Natural Gas	15 1/2
Procter-Gamble	16 1/2
Rockwell	28 1/2
Republic Steel	27 1/2
Republic	27 1/2
Republic	27 1/2
Royal Dutch	41 1/2
Seale	14 1/2
Seale	14 1/2
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Shell	119 1/2
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Skelly Oil	46 1/2
Southwestern Life	26 1/2
Spartan	42 1/2
Standard Oil, Calif.	24 1/2
Standard Oil, Ind.	24 1/2
Exxon	28 1/2
Sun Oil	29 1/2
Synco	33 1/2
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Texas Eastern Gas Trans.	26 1/2
Texas Gas Trans.	26 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	26 1/2
Texas Instruments	12 1/2
Trinity	27 1/2
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Trinity	27 1/2
U.S. Steel	29 1/2
Western Union	20 1/2
Westinghouse	12 1/2
White Motor	12 1/2
Xerox	18 1/2
Zion	31 1/2

HEALTH

Reports are not yet available on the success of yesterday's Heart Sunday drive in which volunteers made a house-to-house appeal for contributions to the National Heart Fund.

STARTING WEDNESDAY RATED X

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Fans Didn't Like First Movie Kiss

Copy News Service
HOLLYWOOD — "When Robert Stack gave Deanna Durbin her first screen kiss," Tom Drake grinned, "it made him a star."
 "But when I gave Shirley Temple hers, I got threatening mail. All her fans — and they were legion — wrote to demand, 'How dare you lay hands on

that sweet, innocent child?" "I got terrible letters from people."
 "The picture was 'Mr. Belvedere Goes to College,' and I was told that I'd given Shirley her first screen kiss. I never tried to document the claim, but I suppose it was true."
 Drake, the screen's eternal boy-next-door in movies of the

'40s, is still in the entertainment business; though recently he's donned another hat.
 While he's still an actor, he's organized a production company and is reading scripts with the expectation of producing his first film soon.

MODEST FLAT
 His Hollywood apartment, opening onto a small garden court, is modest but comfortable and conveniently located.

Sitting on a sofa there, sipping coffee, Drake talked readily about his introduction to Hollywood in 1940 and the years since.

"I came out here in 1940," he said. "My first picture was 'The Mortal Storm' starring Jimmy Stewart, Margaret Sullivan and Robert Young, and, though I was under contract to the picture, I was more like an extra than anything else."

"It was about the Hitler regime and it had quite a few people playing young German Nazis in it. I was one of them. Bob Stack played one of the leads, and William T. Orr (now a producer) played the other lead so far as the juveniles were concerned."

"But the ones of us who had nothing to do except look like Nazis — it was quite a group, really — were Brad Dexter, Craig Stevens, myself and one or two others. However, we really had nothing to do."

"Then I made a test for 'The Howards of Virginia' with Cary Grant. It was fun doing that picture. I was put under personal contract to the director who was a two-time Academy Award winner, and I was quite up about it, you know, starting a picture career."

GOOD DIRECTOR
 "Martha was the girl in the film, but the director... You know, I can't remember his name right now. I'm getting old, I guess. But he was marvelous."

"Everybody wonders what your reaction is when you first see yourself on the screen."

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BRIDGE QUIZ ANSWERS

Q. 1 — East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠A2 ♥6 ♦8743 ♣AJ9752

The bidding has proceeded:

North East South

1 ♠ 2 ♣ ?

What do you bid?

A. — Pass. While it is tempting to double, such strategy is not recommended, for someone is sure to rescue. If West should now run to hearts and partner doubles that bid, you will not know what action to take.

Q. 2 — Both vulnerable. You have 30 part score and as South you hold:

♠A976543 ♥94 ♦AQ ♣76

The bidding has proceeded:

South West North East

1 ♠ Db. Rdbl. 2 ♣

2 ♣ Pass 3 ♣ Pass ?

What do you bid now?

A. — Despite possession of the seven card suit, our preference is for a pass. Partner's redouble does not necessarily show spade support. A three heart bid, however, must designate a very good suit. When you bid two spades, ignoring partner's redouble, which calls for your pass on the next round, partner should have gathered that you had a very big spade suit. Nevertheless, he chose to bid hearts, and that would be our choice for the final trump.

Q. 3 — Both vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠K53 ♥AJ6 ♦AK107 ♣Q83

The bidding has proceeded:

South West North East

1NT Pass Pass 2 ♣

Pass Pass 2 ♣ Pass ?

What do you bid now?

A. — Pass. When partner passed your one no trump bid, he made it clear that there was no hope to go places. He is now merely competing for a part score with some very weak hands containing perhaps five diamonds.

Q. 4 — North-South vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠AQJ ♥AK62 ♦1084 ♣J74

The bidding has proceeded:

North East South West

1 ♣ Db. Rdbl. Pass

Pass 2 ♣ ?

What do you bid now?

A. — While this hand contains the textbook requirements for a jump to three no trump, our own preference is for a one bid of two diamonds, which is forcing to game. This might more readily lead to a slam in the minor suit if partner's hand is slightly unbalanced, a slam which might not be available at no trump.

A. — There is no doubt that you are going to go to game, but there is no necessity for haste. A bid of two hearts will serve the purpose, for a new suit by responder is forcing for one round. On the next round you will support spades.

Q. 5 — Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠8 ♥J98643 ♦109742 ♣AQ

The bidding has proceeded:

North East South

1 ♠ Db. ?

What do you bid?

A. — Pass. It is poor tactics to anticipate that the double of the one spade will be left in, and a bid of two hearts is not recommended as offering safety. With hands of this kind, it is better to let nature take its course.

Q. 6 — North-South vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠K1073 ♥K84 ♦J108 ♣AJ8

The bidding has proceeded:

South West North East

Pass Pass 1 ♥ Pass ?

What do you bid now?

A. — You have 12 points and a balanced hand. After a previous pass, it is our practice to respond with two no trump, which is not forcing. The lack of a full diamond stopper should not be a serious objection with this type of holding.

Q. 7 — Both vulnerable, as dealer you hold:

♠A9532 ♥K76543 ♣A ♣6

What is your opening bid?

A. — One spade. On hands of this type, where considerable bidding may be expected from other players at the table, it is better policy to treat the heart suit as the it were the same length as the spades. In this way both suits may be shown in the most economical manner during the competition.

Q. 8 — North-South vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠K82 ♥AQ4 ♦A73 ♣K1064

The bidding has proceeded:

North East South

1 ♠ 1 ♣ ?

What do you bid?

A. — While this hand contains the textbook requirements for a jump to three no trump, our own preference is for a one bid of two diamonds, which is forcing to game. This might more readily lead to a slam in the minor suit if partner's hand is slightly unbalanced, a slam which might not be available at no trump.

Crash In Valley Swells Highway Death Toll

By The Associated Press

An auto-truck crash in the Lower Rio Grande Valley which claimed four lives helped to swell the violent death toll in Texas during the weekend.

The grim count rose to 14 fatalities between 6 p.m. Friday and midnight Sunday, including 10 killed in auto accidents.

Truck driver Tommie H. Scott, 63, of Refugio and three Iowa residents were killed Sunday as Scott's vehicle and a car collided 25 miles north of Edinburg on U.S. 281. Authorities identified the other victim as Mildred Joachim, 50, driver of the automobile; her husband, Orville, 54, of Waverly, Iowa, and his mother, Bertha Joa-

chim, 78, of Alto Vista, Iowa. These were among the other dead:

Mrs. Perrice F. Webster, 46, of Nash was found shot to death in her home when a Bowie County sheriff's deputy investigated after a call from her neighbors. A 52-year-old man was being questioned.

Daniel Salas, 26, of Laredo was fatally stabbed Saturday night. Two companions were jailed early Sunday in connection with the death.

Lala Hall, 46, of San Antonio died early Sunday of injuries suffered in a one-car accident. San Antonio police said Mrs. Hall's car went out of control

Three members of a Mesquite family—Deborah, 9, Diedra, 7, and Darron West, 5, were all killed in the crash of two pickup trucks on Interstate 20 near Waskom, Tex., Friday night. Their parents were injured critically.

A collision 12 miles west of Lufkin Friday night claimed the life of Gerald M. Loftin, 25, Friday night. The accident occurred on Texas 24.

An argument resulted in the death Saturday of Willie James Elliot, 45, in Mesquite. Police held a woman, 44.

Another argument ended in the fatal shooting Friday night of Alfred Ita, 53, in Houston. His wife Louise, 30, was charged with murder.

Nine-year-old Mark Wright was struck and killed by an automobile in Dallas as he ran an errand for his father Saturday afternoon. Police said he ran across the street to a store and on the return trip darted in front of a sedan driven by Lilly Mae Ranson, 22.

late Saturday and hit a utility pole.

Seniors Who Can't Read Are Receiving Diplomas

DALLAS (AP) — High school seniors who can't read are receiving diplomas, the Dallas Independent School District board was told while discussing its budget Thursday.

Patricia Strickland, a senior from nearly all-black Pinkston High School who is a member of the student advisory committee appointed by school Supt. Nolan Estes, told the board that about half the 250 Pinkston seniors graduating this year "won't know how to read a newspaper."

"There is no program to help these students," she said.

Board members and administrators are trying to figure out how to provide adequate instruction without boosting taxes. New programs costing a minimum of \$2 million would provide special instruction for pupils such as those at Pinkston who cannot fulfill reading expectations either at high school or elementary level.

Estes said, because of the pending Dallas school desegregation suit and the possibility of unconstitutional school tax

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Odessian Gets Engineer Nod

Members of the Permian Basin chapter of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers have named John A. Weir, Odessa, as "Engineer of the Year."

The recognition was revealed by Winston Barclay, Midland, last year's winner, at the annual banquet in Ranchland Country Club at Midland Friday evening.

Ralph W. Caton, Big Spring, presiding judge of the 118th Judicial District, highlighted the meeting with an address on his experiences in "parapsychology."

Weir completed his B.S. in mechanical engineering at the University of New Mexico in 1951 following earlier studies at New Mexico Tech and a year of duty with the Army. He served as an officer with the Air Force for three years before beginning his engineering career as a student engineer for El Paso Natural Gas Co.'s Southern Division.

He was transferred to El Paso's main office in 1956 before being transferred to the company's petrochemical complex at Odessa.

He served in many engineering positions and advanced to his present position as a manager, engineering specialists.

He is an active worker in technical and professional societies. He now is serving on T.S.P.E.'s Young Engineers Committee.

Weir is an explorer post representative of Boy Scouts of America, a member of Toastmasters International, has served as a fund raising worker for the Ector County United Fund, and was a building fund worker for the Odessa Family YMCA.

He is a member of Westminster Presbyterian Church, where he serves as a deacon, a church school teacher for fifth and sixth graders and as a youth group counselor.

New Road Opened In Chihuahua

PALOMAS, Mexico (AP) — New Mexico Gov. Bruce King joined Gov. Oscar Flores of Chihuahua State in Mexico Sunday at the dedication of a new highway.

The road runs south from Palomas, which is across the border from Columbus, New Mexico's only port of entry.

In brief speeches, Flores said expansion of the highway will help the economy of both states and increase friendship between the two countries, and King noted that the flow of cattle through the port of entry is expected to increase.

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In Private Life, Famous Circus Clown Shuns Mobs

SARASOTA, Fla. (AP) — Emmett Kelly, creator of "Weary Willie," the immortal sadsack clown who has delighted audiences from the halls of burlesque to the palaces of kings, shuns the spotlight in his private life with the simple explanation, "I hate crowds."

"I deplore them," says the veteran entertainer. With a shrug he adds, "I won't even go to Disney World."

In the seclusion of this Gulf Coast retirement community, Kelly, 74, lives a private family life, reading newspapers, watching TV, tending his orange trees and generally shunning visits by outsiders.

"As soon as that curtain comes down, I'm not Willie anymore," says Kelly. Not even with a face full of greasepaint.

But the minute he faces an audience, Willie comes to life again. The audience is his life-line, he says, and for that reason he won't retire the humble, dimpled misfit he molded 40 years ago.

Kelly has taken Weary Willie from pantomime through vaudeville, circuses, trade shows, movies, plays, ice shows, television, sports arenas to a plush gambling casino and even opera. He is presently preparing for a 10-week stint at Harrah's Club in Lake Tahoe, Nev.

Sad Willie skyrocketed to fame as Ringling Bros. most famous circus clown. For 14 years he headlined the "Big Show" in whistle stop towns and under the lights in New York's Madison Square Garden.

"If it hadn't been for the circus I wouldn't be where I am now," he admits. But he stops short of saying he misses it.

Sunday night, Ringling is honoring Kelly with a reception at its headquarters here, premiering an exhibit at the circus museum dedicated to "The World's Funniest Clown."

Doodling over a self-portrait while a striving cartoonist, Kelly created Willie nearly a half century ago.

Willie's tattered costume, weighted with worn, mismatched patches and bulky safety pins, hangs in a special closet in his office den in the quiet residential neighborhood where he lives with his young

wife, Evi, and their two daughters, Stasia, 17, and Monika, 15. It's Willie's only suit. And he's been wearing it for 40 years.

Kelly said the secret of his 40-year success was keeping Willie humble. "Never let success go to your head... if you do it'll pull the rug out from under you."

"I wanted to strike an opposite of the arm waving, obnoxious, rollicking clown," Kelly said. "I wanted a misfit, a lazy, downtrodden sad fella who said nothing."

"And when I get my audience to laugh — not just smile — and feel sorry for me, then I've done my job," he added.

Screening Costly To Air France

PARIS (AP) — Air France's entertainment director was fined \$180 and a teacher was awarded \$440 because the airline showed an adult movie on a transatlantic flight carrying the teacher's 11-year-old daughter.

Jean Valette filed the complaint after the movie "Benjamin" was shown on the plane. The comedy stars Catherine Deneuve and is set in the 18th century. The sex banter and some nudity in the film were considered objectionable.

The court said Air France knew of the film's "non-conformist aspects," and rejected the company's argument that no one could hear the sound track without paying a fee and that black eyebands were available at no cost.

Corruption Reports Are Ridiculed, In Tam Says

PHNOM PENH, Cambodia (AP) — Opposition leader In Tam reports that President Lon Nol laughed off American concern with corruption in the Cambodian army and abuse of aid funds, saying U.S. officials even encourage it.

The issue was raised in December by Information Minister Kheam Reth, who told a news conference the army had been paying senior officers as much as \$2 million a month for 100,000 soldiers who existed only on paper.

U.S. congressmen have been demanding an investigation. In Tam, 50, resigned Saturday as Lon Nol's special counselor for national reunification after 16 days on the job, saying he had not been given enough authority.

He said in an interview that he approached the president

Death End Result of Tormenting Rectal Itch Of Hemorrhoidal Tissues Promptly Relieved

HOUSTON (AP) — An argument ended in the fatal shooting of Alfred Ita, 53, at his home last night, police reported. They held a woman without immediate charge.

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Driver Named Wagon Boss

Skipper Driver of Big Spring has been named Wagon Boss in Howard County for the 1973 West Texas Boys Ranch Annual Roundup, according to Bill Shaw, 1973 Roundup chairman.

Driver will attend a Wagon Boss and Roundup Kickoff Meeting in San Angelo on March 10 to receive information and prospects for this year's Roundup effort. A Ranch Ball to benefit West Texas Boys Ranch and to honor both 1972 and 1973 Wagon Bosses will be held in March. "We need all the help we can get to make this year's Roundup a success for those 72 boys at West Texas Boys Ranch and are counting on the citizens of Howard County to help Skipper Driver in his efforts in behalf of those boys."

All contributions, whether in livestock or cash, are tax deductible. Livestockmen wishing to donate stock may contact Driver or the Ranch office, or just designate an animal for sale with the proceeds going to the Ranch at their favorite auction or commission house.

This is the 13th year of the Annual West Texas Boys Ranch Roundup in which cash and livestock donations are solicited to provide operating funds for the facility located 18 miles west of San Angelo. In the past 25 years West Texas Boys Ranch has provided a 24 hour a day home for over 800 dependent and neglected boys.

Agnew Says Press Stand Unchanged

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (AP) — Vice President Spiro T. Agnew says there is no policy within the Nixon administration to attempt to curtail freedom of the press.

In a speech Friday to the Minnesota Newspaper Association, Agnew also said clashes between the administration and the press are no different from such clashes in all past administrations.

He said the Nixon administration "is no more desirous of nor more capable of curtailing freedom of the press in America than its predecessors."

"That adversary relationship, as we know, is not only traditional but healthy," he said.

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Equality Of Effort

The State Board of Education by a vote of 15 to 4 has adopted a recommendation to the 63rd Legislature requiring a greater taxing effort by many local school districts.

The subject of school financing is — or should be — much on the minds of legislators this year. The concern springs from a ruling by lower courts, now being considered by the Supreme Court of the United States, that the present system of school financing is unconstitutional, since it depends on the wealth of individual districts, whereas it should reflect the wealth of the state as a whole.

The state board's recommendation would depend on legislative enactment of a system for estimating the market value of all taxable property in the state. If tax equalization methods are not enacted, the board agrees that all basic educational costs should be assumed by state tax resources.

A statewide property valuation survey would be a monumental undertaking. Yet it seems to be the only way to even out the mountains and valleys of local valuations and local school taxes.

The ultimate result is to a great degree a matter for conjecture. But there is good reason for supposing that the burdens of heavily-taxed poor school districts would be lightened substantially. A great deal of undeveloped property, which is now valued and taxed at nominal rates,

would be subject to increased valuations and taxes. It would remove the spectacle of land located in two school districts which is valued at \$200 an acre in one district and \$1,200 for the first acre and \$750 an acre for the remainder in an adjoining district.

What the courts seem bent on doing is to require the state to accept the responsibility for

providing an equal educational opportunity for all children within its jurisdiction, whether they are the children of the rich or the poor. It is difficult to find fault with this concept. Educational opportunity must not depend on the wealth or poverty of a school district. It should depend on the wealth of the state as a whole. And there should be an equality of effort in support.

Snelson On Right Track

Sen. W. E. (Pete) Snelson of Midland has offered to the Legislature a bill to bring Texas into compliance with federal safety regulations. Snelson's bill would prohibit children from standing in school bus aisles; Texas law now allows this practice.

Snelson told the Senate Education Committee the Texas law must be changed, or the state risks losing 10 per cent of its federal highway funds. Even if there was no fund-loss threat, the change should still be made. Bus standees are a safety hazard; continuing the Texas law allowing standees on school buses risks the lives of the state's children.

Snelson has asked that his bill not be made

effective immediately, because some school districts could not acquire buses to seat all students by next fall. He recommends making the new rule effective in May, 1974.

That's a sensible suggestion. And while they are at it, the legislators should consider the problem of just how safe are our school buses, whether the riders are seated or standing. Some studies have concluded that buses are safety risk in themselves; bolted seats can come loose in a collision, broken windows can cause injury, the absence of seat belts increases the likelihood of injury. While about the business of eliminating standees, safety standards of vehicles used to transport students might also be raised.

Early Training

Around The Rim

Barbara Lord

"This is my first time on an airplane," the young girl said as she sat down next to me on a TIA flight from Abilene to Dallas. And I thought to myself, "Why me again?"

I doubt that anyone enjoys flying as much as I do, even though a flight seldom goes by that I don't end up nursing a sick passenger or reassuring somebody who is "scared to death" of flying. I tried to keep a steady stream of conversation going from Abilene to Dallas to keep her mind off her fears. As the craft turned on its final approach over the runway, I heaved a silent sigh of relief. "Mission accomplished," I thought with satisfaction, and I was sure I had convinced her of the glories of flight.

I KNEW my self-satisfaction was in vain when, not more than 100 feet off the runway, she reached for the little bag, and again I thought, "Why me?" My remaining flights from Dallas to Atlanta and from Atlanta to Montgomery were uneventful.

Returning home, I sat in the plane at Atlanta for about 15 minutes before the engines started. On my left was a lady who had her nose in a mystery book, and on my right was a younger woman frantically waving and throwing kisses out the small side window. Attempts at conversation were fruitless, but at least they seemed relaxed.

My suspicions were aroused immediately when the engines made their first flutter. The lady with the book immediately closed it, took off her glasses and slumped over holding her forehead in her hand. I was sure she would talk herself into being sick before we landed in Dallas. As it turned out, she made it okay, but the quiet girl on my right reached

for the bag about halfway through the flight. After that, she was too embarrassed to talk, so I pulled out my book. It was a long trip to New Orleans, but I still consider flying the greatest of adventures.

I WASN'T more than five or six years old when I first began to enjoy flying. My first trips to the airport were with my dad and brother who would pacify me with a popsicle on the ground while they went flying for a couple of hours. Even in those days a popsicle didn't last that long, I soon wised up and began demanding equal flying time (my women's liberation inclinations were beginning to show early). I took several flights in the baggage compartment behind dad and my brother.

My dad, a barnstormer from way back, gave me my first scare on a flight when he was flying low over a corn field. Small items began hitting the windshield and he had my brother and me convinced that bolts were flying off the airplane, and it would fall apart if we didn't land in the field. As it turned out, he was kidding, but to this day I don't know what it was hitting the aircraft.

Dad scared a lot of people when he first took up flying, but perhaps the most spectacular scare was to two men whom he didn't even know. It all happened early one morning when dad flew under the river bridge in my small hometown in Pennsylvania. Two men, fishing under the bridge, jumped over the side of their boat, poles and all! And then there was the time he buzzed a chicken farm, and the chickens didn't lay eggs for six months afterwards.

Flying regulations have gotten more strict and more enforceable now, and I for one am glad.

My Answer

BILLY GRAHAM

We had an interdenominational communion service last Sunday, and one independent group wouldn't participate. They said they believed in "closed communion." What are these people going to do when they get to heaven, and find no denominational differences? Will they get off in a corner and have communion by themselves?

H.D. Let me give you a mini lesson in theology. In baptism, symbolically, we are merged in Christ; in Communion, Christ in us. In each of these ordinances, the subject should know the meaning of his act. Christ gave these (sometimes called sacraments) basically to the local church, not to associations or large interdenominational rallies.

Now, while the local minister, or layman administering the ordinances, has not been appointed a special policeman, yet there is some responsibility to see that the Lord's Supper has participants who are regenerated, or "twice-born" people. Democratically, and Biblically, most leave such examination up to the individual, announcing only the terms established by Christ and the apostles.

Probably, the exclusive group you mention, felt safer in sharing Communion only with those who officially had become part of the local assembly.

Of course, in the unity of heaven, those distinctions which serve our human frailties here will not be

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"DON'T TELL ME IT'S ANOTHER CEASE-FIRE..."

needed. I suggest that now, however, you respect those who practice "closed communion," and find your unity rather in the love for and service to Christ, as Ephesians 4 suggests. When that happens, differences are emboldened and consecrated.

'Just Watch George'

By Rowland Evans And Robert Novak

MIAMI BEACH — Despite AFL-CIO president George Meany's pious declarations of a new political neutrality heavily scented with Nixonism, his romance with Richard M. Nixon is strictly a marriage of convenience, not a flirtation of love.

"Just watch George," confided an intimate shortly after Mr. Nixon became the first President ever to grace a midwinter AFL-CIO Executive Council meeting here. "He'll milk this for everything he can get out of it."

WHILE MEANY was basking in the klieglights surrounding Mr. Nixon on Monday, his top political lieutenants were quietly putting finishing touches on their design to place eight representatives of organized labor among the 25 new members of the Democratic National Committee to be named shortly by party chairman Robert Strauss.

More important, while Meany was protesting his neutrality as between the Democratic and Republican parties, Strauss was captivated by hard-core Meanyites, led by labor's top political operative, Al Barkan. It was Barkan, aided by Meany himself, who played such a major role in getting Strauss elevated to Democratic chairman after the McGovern presidential debacle. Meany, for just one example, personally persuaded Bronx Democratic leader Pat Cunningham to back Strauss for party chairman.

THE DISTINCTION between Mr. Nixon's dramatic courtship of Meany and the AFL-CIO Executive Council on Monday and Strauss's own courtship one day later was vivid. Meany formally introduced Mr. Nixon to the

Council, listened silently while the President spoke, then escorted him back to his limousine.

But the meeting with Strauss was, in the words of a Meany lieutenant, "like a warm family gathering." — Publicly, Meany clings tenaciously to the line that he has no more connection with the Democratic party than with the Republican party. Privately, he feels the neutrality he imposed on the AFL-CIO after McGovern's nomination. "It proved," he said, "that no politicians have as sides genuinely believe that Meany's in their pocket."

SOME OF THE President's political neutrality last year, plus Mr. Nixon's endorsement by the huge Teamsters Union and by half a dozen lesser union presidents, marked a major turning point. Not soon if ever again, they have advised Mr. Nixon, will a Democratic presidential ticket have anything like monolithic backing of organized labor.

It was precisely to advance that hopeful Republican prospect that Mr. Nixon named Peter Brennan, an old-line New York labor leader, Secretary of Labor and gave him unusual authority at the Labor Department.

LIKEWISE, Mr. Nixon is massaging Meany's vanity in other spots. He sent his secretaries of both Treasury and State, George Shultz and William P. Rogers, to start bargaining with Meany on new trade legislation at a dinner here Feb. 3 which the labor leaders thought was supposed to be top-secret. When the White House announced it with great fanfare, its purpose quickly became clear: to tell the world how much Mr. Nixon really thinks of George Meany.

IN FACT, however, even though labor has moved to the right and genuinely respects Mr. Nixon's strong hand in Vietnam, its heart is solidly lodged with the new, non-McGovern Democrats.

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Surest Way To Get Blues

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — Jumping to conclusions:

A fat lady is less likely than a skinny lady to divorce her husband. It takes less energy for her to forgive a husband than to dress up and take him to court.

If you want to see how long your college education stuck with you, pick up a high school algebra book sometime and see how little of it you can now understand.

Guys who tread the Primrose Path never stop to admire the flowers.

Why is it February seems 27 days longer than it ought to be? In a popularity rating of the year's months, it would come limping in last on most people's lists. What month would be first? On mine—October.

Whatever happened to hat-

check girls? I haven't heard of one in years who became an overnight celebrity by eloping with a multimillionaire. Actually most hatched girls are more likely to marry a musician — and usually it's the one in the band who finds it hardest to hold his liquor.

The quickest way to make people stop envying you is to put on more weight. Most secretaries don't want to be married to their bosses — except on paydays.

Remember how long the school year seemed when you were a kid? Today it seems like your own kids are on vacation for one reason or another about 11 months out of the year. Teachers must be playing hooky from their schoolrooms more often than the kids.

One of the laws of economics seems to be this: When a fellow does finally get a merit raise in salary, the nation is hit by a big wave of inflation before he can get it to the bank.

The surest way to get the blues is to read an old love letter on a rainy day.

Lawyers are the most frustrating of professional people. They are never quite sure of what you ought to do, but they are the world's greatest authorities on what you should not do.

The population explosion would stop right now if everybody dropped dead that someone wants him to.

Overheard on the bus: "My rich old uncle was down bad with the flu last week, and just when I was hoping for the best, he took a sudden turn for the worse. He got well."



Dr. G. C. Thosteson

What Cataract Really Is

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I have read about a new kind of cataract operation, in which a needle in a machine liquefies the cataract and withdraws it.

Can you tell me, does the needle also withdraw the lens of the eye? — Mrs. O.

Dear Doctor: My mother is past 80 and has lost her sight from cataracts. Would the new process be better for her than the traditional method? — Mrs. R.L.

These are typical of many questions about this new method, which has been advanced as shortening the recovery time after the operation.

To answer the first question, a "cataract" isn't separate from the lens of the eye. It IS the clouding in the lens — but a lens that has become so cloudy as to impair or cut off vision. So any new method, just as the old method does, must remove the lens.

As to whether the new method is superior — that is the subject of considerable discussion among eye surgeons. Proponents call it a "breakthrough." Others want to wait and have certain questions answered first.

The new liquefaction, or "emulsification" method, requires a special machine costing \$40,000 or so. Eye specialists with whom I have discussed this raise such questions as whether the new method will in fact be any less expensive for the patient in terms of conventional methods which have been developed over the years.

In the past, sometimes the wall of the lens capsule was removed, sometimes not. When it was not, a second operation sometimes became necessary after a time. Thus a technical — but significant — question is whether the new method may also involve the need of a repeat operation.

Currently something more than 400,000 cataracts are being removed per year, with reliable success. Only a comparative handful have as yet been removed by the new method.

I do not consider myself qualified to say whether the new method is superior or inferior or the equal of the old method. The answers will come in due time; for the present, we know that the older method is reliable

and is readily available, so I see no urgent reason for trying to hunt up somebody using the new machine.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: This may sound ridiculous to you, as it did to me. But I was told that someone had acquired hemorrhoids from sitting in bucket seats in a car.—E.E.

Some folks may get a backache, or leg cramps, or such, from a car seat that doesn't happen to be just right for them, but hemorrhoids from bucket seats? No.

Note to J.H.: Yes, labyrinthitis can cause loss of balance and dizzy spells. It is infection of the inner ear which plays a most important part in our sense of balance.

What causes "balance" trouble? What can be done to correct or overcome it? Dr. Thosteson's booklet, "Dizzy Spells," discusses loss of balance, vertigo and nausea, Meniere's disease and labyrinthitis. For a copy write to him in care of the Big Spring Herald enclosing 25 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed (use zip code), stamped envelope.

Skip Oregon

Garth Jones

By ED GROSSWILER (Substituting for Garth Jones)

SALEM, Ore. (AP) — Gov. Tom McCall admits his efforts to halt immigration into Oregon have failed. That being so, the governor is now trying to make sure the inevitable population growth is controlled.

His weapons: laws dealing with land use, and appeals to would-be visitors to skip Oregon for other places.

"Growth is inevitable," McCall said. "we must make sure it is responsible growth."

OREGON NOW has 2.3 million people, a gain of 92,000 since the 1970 census. Almost two-thirds of the growth in this decade came in the form of immigration from other states.

"It's just a matter of time before we're swamped," the governor said, pointing to the rate of 125 new residents per day.

That doesn't match the 1,000 residents per day that went to California in the 1960s, but California's population is almost 10 times that of Oregon.

"Oregon's leadership in fighting pollution with the emphasis on livability has made the state an appealing place to settle," McCall said.

"THE BETTER job we do the more people want to come — that's the irony of it."

The governor says a comprehensive land-use planning bill is one of his top legislative priorities this year.

"We're trying to change the pattern of growth to ease the burden on the central coast, the Willamette Valley and the metropolitan Portland area," McCall said.

The proposed legislation has had

several public hearings and is meeting stiff resistance from persons opposed to state planning and zoning guidelines.

McCall has been the leading official spokesman in recent years for principles of the James G. Blaine Society, a largely mythical organization devoted to keeping Oregon for Oregonians.

THE GOVERNOR attracted national attention with his standard welcome for out-of-state visitors to Oregon:

"Please come and visit us in Oregon again and again, but for heaven's sake don't come to live here."

A Heritage Preserved

DANVERS, Mass. (AP) — GTE Sylvania Inc. has taken it upon itself to preserve one of the nation's little-known historical treasures with the fencing in of the Endicott Pear Tree at its Lighting Center here.

The 342-year-old tree is the last remaining fruit tree brought to the New World by John Endicott in 1630 and planted as a slip in the first tree nursery in America on his farm, Orchard Village, here. Endicott later became first governor of Massachusetts.

Sylvania protected the tree from vandals with a sturdy wire fence and in 1972, for the first time in many seasons, the tree responded to this care by producing edible fruit.

Valid Life-Time Contracts

"You get everything I own. In return, I get complete care for the rest of my life."

In effect, this was the agreement that an elderly widower made with a retirement home. And when he died a few years later, the management put in a claim for his remaining assets.

HOWEVER, the man's relatives went to court with an objection.

"This was gambling, pure and simple," they argued. "No one knew how many years he would live. No one knew how much property he would have when he died. And gambling contracts are illegal."

BUT THE court saw nothing illegal about the contract. Finding it no more of a gamble than an insurance policy, the court said the law had no objection so long as both parties understood what they were doing.

In most cases, contracts for life-time care have been upheld as lawful and reasonable. Courts say they serve a useful purpose for those who want the security of a safe haven in their declining years.

NOR DOES the contract become invalid just because it happens to work out better for one side than the other.

In one case, a retirement home got a financial windfall because a relatively young resident, after paying a large membership fee, died within a few months.

In another case, a retirement home tried to back out of its contract after paying hospital expenses for an ailing resident for more than four years.

BUT IN both cases, despite complaints, the courts ruled that a deal was a deal and had to be carried out.

Still, a contract might be invalidated by deception. One retirement home carefully avoided telling an incoming resident that he was signing over all of his property.

IN THIS case, after the man died, his property was held to belong to his children, not to the home. The court said it could not fairly enforce an agreement on which there was no "meeting of the minds."

(A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the Young Bar Association. Written by Will Bernard.)

A Devotion For Today

Whatever ye do in word or deed, do all the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him. (Colossians 3:17)

PRAYER: Dear Father, help us to care about others. Alert us to ways in which we can witness for Thee. Help us grow in Thy love through our thinking, speaking, and doing. Amen.

(From the 'Upper Room')

Singing 'Grams

On Feb. 10, 1933, the Postal Telegraph Co. introduced a new service, singing telegrams.

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Soaring Health Costs To Be Studied

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — One of the things the legislature might want to "reform" is the way Texans get sick twice—once when they go to the hospital and again when they get the bill.

The problem was apparent to the 1971 Legislature, so the state created an interim committee to study rising medical costs, costs which have rocketed the daily price of a hospital room from \$12 in 1940 to nearly \$100 today.

But although the two-year study bemoans the seemingly inexorable upward march in health care expenditures, it offers a few solutions or recommendations.

In fact, the only resolution it drafted calls for repeal of the state's anti-substitution bill. The repeal would allow pharmacists to substitute a generic brand name.

A consumer group, the Texas Public Interest Research Group, supports the repeal—but only if it is accompanied by a bill to force listing of competitive drug prices.

One of the most potentially important—and controversial—parts of the study calls for an examination of the Texas ban on health maintenance organizations (HMO's).

HMO's, outlawed in 22 states, are consumer cooperatives which provide health care to members. HMO's typically operate as either a grouping of physicians in a common facility serving patients or individually practicing physicians reimbursed by a central organization.

"The committee sees certain merit in the concept of the health maintenance organization," the study says, and offers cautious, Aam-conscious advice.

The committee recommends that the legislature continue to study the HMO concept and the related statutes as a means of improving the delivery of health care in the future.

Such a small, limited statement could lead to a pitched battle between doctors, lawmakers, and patients if the legislature decides to pursue the recommendation and remove the ban on HMO's.

So far no such legislation has been introduced.

The study also tried to pinpoint the causes of high medical costs and came up with three major reasons: "increased salaries, high capital expenditures, and the 'cost reimbursement' method of payment under Medicare and Medicaid."

Salary increases constitute two-thirds of the cost increase, the report said, but it wasn't complaining.

"This major factor in the rising cost of hospital care is one which no public or private body can justly touch," it said.

But many capital outlays for unnecessary equipment or

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EXPECTATION AND DOUBT — The vain emperor (Joe Kirkland) anticipates his marvelous new clothes as his empress (Linda Graves), doubts their existence in a production of "The Emperor's New Clothes" to be seen Saturday at municipal auditorium.

Children's Play Due Saturday

"The Emperor's New Clothes," a production by the Kaleidoscope Company of the Permian Playhouse of Odessa, will be presented at Big Spring Municipal Auditorium at 10:30 a.m. Saturday. The play is being sponsored by the American Association of University Women.

The play is a familiar story to most children, but the Kaleidoscope version adds a multitude of characters and various twists of plot. Two dashing rogues set the story rolling as they seek adventure and, finding none, set out to create their own.

Kaleidoscope company is a group of 25 children aged 13 through 18, who try to present the best in children's theatre to boys and girls their own ages or younger. All Kaleidoscope players attend classes for 1½ hours each week at the Permian Playhouse of Odessa. In addition, each member of the company works on every children's show in some capacity, whether it be running the lights or building the set. Kaleidoscope is in its third touring season.



RIVALRY FOR FAVOR — The general (David Mount) and Han, the minister of the Emperor's robes (Scott Graves), vie for the Emperor's favor in the Kaleidoscope Company production of "The Emperor's New Clothes."

Club Tours Museum In Martin County

Mrs. Collerson Mott, a descendant of early settlers at Stanton, conducted a tour of the Martin County Museum Thursday for members of the Lakeview Home Demonstration Club. The museum is housed in the old city jail building west of the courthouse. Mrs. Mott reviewed efforts to get the museum established, described some of its projects and showed articles of historical interest.

Afterward, the group held a business meeting in the Texas Electric Reddy Room.

Banquet At Westbrook For Youth

WESTBROOK (SC) — "The Isle of Golden Dreams" was the theme of the annual youth banquet held Saturday in the school cafeteria under the sponsorship of First Baptist Church.

The keynote speaker was the Rev. Caddo Matthews, pastor of Plainview Baptist Church, Colorado City, who is well-known to the youth of the community as a former teacher and coach at Colorado City. He is mission chairman of the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association and has promoted mission work in the El Paso area for several summers.

Honored guests were youth workers in the church and the pastors. General chairman was Mrs. D. G. Rollins, young people's training union leader, junior Sunday school teacher and Acteen director. The master of ceremonies was the pastor, the Rev. Roy Johnson.

Local Woman Inducted Into Honor Society

Ms. Troy Williams, the former Dolores Richardson, was inducted into Alpha Chi, national scholastic honor society, Sunday at West Texas State University, Canyon. A senior student, she is the daughter of Mrs. Beryl Richardson, 1216 Mobile, who attend the ceremony, as did Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Williams, 710 Nolan. The younger Williams is also a student at WTSU.

Mrs. Williams had a 2.5 average and was among 17 seniors inducted into the society. Previously, she attended Howard County Junior College under scholarships provided by the Business and Professional Women's Club, the Progressive Women's Forum and the Big Spring Management and Personnel Club.

Retired Teachers Urged To Volunteer Service

Miss Nancy Easley, coordinator for a volunteer service program involving retired persons, was guest speaker for the February meeting of Howard County Retired Teachers.

The group met for a luncheon in the Downtown Tea Room with hostesses being Mrs. Nadene Hodnett, Mrs. Mary Ruth Ingram

and Mrs. Arvis Peterson. Table decorations included a red, white and blue top hat and miniature American flags.

Mrs. Leola Hale introduced the speaker. Miss Easley described a variety of things which retired persons can do in the field of community service. Interested persons may call her at 267-2261.

Reports on NRTA insurance were given by Mrs. Roselda Dohoney, Mrs. Lela Porter and Mrs. Fay Newman. Mrs. Porter also displayed some creative handwork. Mrs. Ingram read a poem from the book, "For Whom the Bells Toll," and prayer was worded by Dan McRay. The next meeting will be March 20.

Jerry Sanders Announce Birth

S.Sgt. and Mrs. Jerry Sanders announce the birth of a son, Teryl Blane, born Feb. 20 in Anchorage, Alaska. The infant weighed 9 pounds, 2½ ounces. The maternal grandmother is Mrs. Tom Kirkpatrick, 2201 Carl St., and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harris of Hurst, formerly of Coahoma.

Gardeners Invited To Midland

MIDLAND — The Midland Rose Society is making preparations for a dinner honoring Dr. Eldon W. Lyle of Tyler, president of the American Rose Society, and E. V. Kimbrew, nurseryman from Wills Point, at 6:30 p.m. Friday in the Midland Woman's Club.

Reservations may be made by out-of-city residents by sending \$3.50 per person to Mrs. Jess Williamson, 2802 Lockheed Drive, Midland, 79701.

The dinner, during which the two honored guests will speak, is open to all interested gardeners. Dr. Lyle's subject will be "New Roses and New Methods of Growing Roses." "Experience with New Roses" will be Kimbrew's topic. Kimbrew, major rose producer in Texas, has visited in Midland on several occasions and has donated roses for beautification projects, including bushes to the Midland Woman's Club. The American Rose Society, which is the oldest and largest horticultural organization in the United States, was founded in 1899. The society now has almost 20,000 active members.

April Fool: It's A BSP Dance

Beta Omicron Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, will sponsor an "April Fool" dance to benefit the high school Meistersingers who are raising money for a trip to Europe.

Initial plans for the dance were made during a meeting in the home of Mrs. John Denton, 118-A Hunter, with Mrs. Eldon Marsh, president, Mrs. Bill McIntosh was named chairman for the dance.

Spring Hats Try For Comeback

To most designers, hats are in for spring. Whether they actually will be in with the customers depends on traffic to millinery departments. The hat business could stand a boom, say industry sources. Oddly the younger (under 30 crowd) is going for its floppy brimmed hats in a big way.

During March, which is rush month, prospective members will be invited to attend a model meeting March 23. It was announced that members donated cakes to the Veterans Administration Hospital last week.

Mrs. Denton presented the program, "Pictures," displaying an artist's conception of her grandfather, based on a description of his character. In the same vein, she concluded her talk with a patriotic, analytical view of the American people "as seen by Old Glory."

Miss Pam Holtorf will be hostess for the next meeting, April 8 at 7:30 p.m.

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Two events have been scheduled this week for members of Parents Without Partners and their guests.
The group will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Mae Mooring, Hillside Trailer Park, Space 4, for a calendar folding party.
Club members are invited to attend the wedding of two members, Mrs. Lillian Tuckness and Hugh Rhyne, at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in Berea Baptist Church. Afterward, they will reconvene at the Lamplighter Club in the Ramada Inn for dancing.

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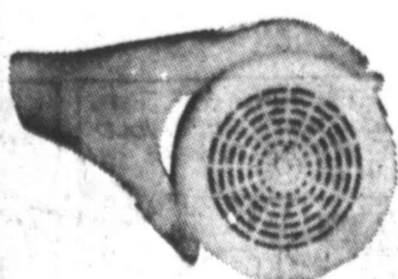
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Hawks Battle South Plains In WC Finale

LEVELLAND — The first and second place teams in the Western Conference, South Plains College and Howard County, square off here tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the league finale for both teams.

The Texans will be seeking a perfect 16-0 record in WC play against the Jayhawks of Coach Harold Wilder, 12-3 in the league and 25-11 on the year. Both teams are tuning up for the Region V NJCAA tournament in Brownwood beginning Wednesday, with South Plains the No. 1 seed and HCJC rated third.

Wilder's Hawks will also be trying to end a nine-game losing streak to the Texans and coach Buddy Travis, former HC mentor.

A pair of 6-7 sophomores, Thomas Bledsoe and Taylor Williams, head up the Hawk attack, along with Herbie Lee, Mike Randle and Leroy Lumzy.

Steers Prep For Opener

The Big Spring Steer baseball team, hampered since the beginning of workouts by bad weather, are headed for their first game of the season at Steer Park Thursday at 4 p.m. against Lubbock Coronado.

Coach Larry Horton's Steers tuned up for the opener with an intrasquad scrimmage Saturday, and hitting was the order of the day as 22 runs were scored in the nine inning affair.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

TAKE A GUESS — Forrest Fezler, who led the Inverrary golf pros for three days, looks as if the world has just crashed him — and his golf world had. He had just missed a birdie putt on the 18th hole Sunday, a putt that could have tied Lee Trevino. But the par Fezler got was enough to give Trevino the victory.

Trevino Under Pressure, Too

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla. (AP) — Lee Trevino had a word of warning for Forrest Fezler, the heart-broken young man whose collapse let Trevino take the title and the \$52,000 first prize in the Jackie Gleason Inverrary-National Airlines Golf Classic.

"He'll be nervous again," a sober and subdued Trevino said. "I know, I've been there a lot more times than he has."

"There was a tremendous amount of pressure on him," Trevino continued. "But there was a lot of pressure on me, too."

"You know, you go for a while and you don't win—you're supposed to be one of the best players out here and you haven't won for a while and everybody starts wondering 'what's wrong with him?' Well, that puts pressure on you, too."

Trevino, the current British Open champion but a non-winner since last September, benefitted from Fezler's shaky putting on the last two holes Sunday and won the tournament while in the clubhouse. "It's the first time I've ever won like that," Trevino said. "I've never before been in a position where a miss by someone else meant a win for me."

Baseball Season—It's On Again

By The Associated Press
Baseball's training camps prepared today to sweep out the off-season cobwebs and finally make way for the bats ... and balls and players and, believe it or not, spring training.

The go-ahead to open shut-down camps from Florida to Arizona to California was given in New York Sunday following a three-year agreement reached at another in a series of meetings between representatives of the Major League Baseball Players Association and club owners.

Among those teams which announced plans to begin workouts today were the Chicago Cubs, New York Yankees, Kansas City Royals and Philadelphia Phillies.

Miller, executive director of the Players Association, and John Gaherin, representing the 24 club owners, said they had "reached complete agreement for a three-year term subject to ratification by the clubs and players." However, ratification appeared to be a mere formality.

The settlement covers the so-called Basic Agreement, which governs active player-owner relations and the pension-benefit plan. It reportedly permits arbitration of salary disputes for players who have been in the major leagues for at least two consecutive seasons or a total of three years.

John Holland, vice president and general manager of the Cubs, termed the arbitration clause "a milestone in base-

ball." He called the accord "a very good settlement with give and take on both sides."

Holland said he didn't think the arbitration clause would lead to management problems. "Hockey has had arbitration for several years and it's worked very well for them," he said.

Chub Feeney, president of the National League, said players may "report to camp as soon as they can." He and his American League counterpart, Joe Cronin, then notified the 24 clubs that they could open their camps.

The owners had refused to open the training camps pending a settlement. They were fearful of a player strike similar to last year's two-week April walkout over the pension-benefit package which first de-

played and then shortened the 1972 season.

The reaction from management and players alike was one of relief that they finally could get down to the business at hand ... namely, preparing for the 1973 pennant races. Both sides realized that fans were getting tired of talk and ready for runs, hits and errors.

"The publicity surrounding it (the negotiations) turns fans off, and judging by phone calls and letters I received during the negotiation period that very definitely happened this year," said Frank Cashen, general manager of the Baltimore Orioles.

"I think all the ballplayers, including myself, are very happy they have reached the settlement," said Jim Palmer, a Baltimore pitcher.

Bearcats Eye Perfect Mark

By The Associated Press
The last games of the Lone Star Conference's 40th basketball race will be played tonight with little to prove.

Sam Houston's only immediate goals tonight against Southwest Texas (13-10) in San Marcos are to post its first perfect regular season and extend a winning streak to 31 games over two years.

The Bearcats (24-0), the No. 1 team in The Associated Press small college poll, coasted into their first outright LSC basketball championship Friday by defeating Texas A&I (13-13) 80-63. Coach Archie Porter takes Sam Houston into post season play Thursday in San Antonio against Big State Conference champ St. Mary's (23-5) in a best-of-three series for the NAIA Dist. 4 championship.

The second game will be played in Huntsville Saturday, and a third, if needed, also will be on the Sam Houston campus March 5.

Winner of the series advances to the NAIA tournament in Kansas City March 12-17.

Stephen F. Austin (24-3), the third-ranked team in the AP poll, will finish second in the LSC standings and be absent from post season play for the first time in four years.

The SFA Lumberjacks, who face Texas A&I in Kingsville tonight, had performances of 22 points by Pete Harris and 20 points by Robert Gords in defeating Southwest Texas 73-66 Saturday.

The LSC's third spot is still in doubt. Southwest Texas and Howard Payne (19-8) share the spot on 10-7 league records.

Hogs Can Jolt SWC Race With Win Over Texas Tech

By The Associated Press
High-scoring Arkansas, led by hotshot guard Martin Terry, has a chance to throw some excitement into the Southwest Conference basketball race Tuesday night.

The Razorbacks, with a four-game victory streak and an 8-4 SWC record, have the only hope in the league to catch first-place Texas Tech, which is 10-2 with two games left.

One of those two comes Tuesday night against Arkansas at Fayetteville, and if the Razorbacks can pull off a victory, look out!

Next Saturday, Arkansas would still have to beat Rice at Houston and Tech would have to fall at home to Baylor before the race would end in a tie, but stranger things have happened.

Last week, Tech looked like a shoo-in for the title, but last Saturday Texas A&M pulled a 76-75 upset over the Raiders in Lubbock, where over 9,000 fans were hoping they could pop their champagne bottles. The game was won on a goal-tending call in favor of the Aggies' Mario Brown with just seconds left in the game.

Aggie Coach Shelby Metcalf said afterwards he believes

Tech will still win it all, but was happy to put some excitement back into a hum-drum title chase.

"They (Tech) killed our season down at our place before. They'll win it—we only delayed it. But this probably will get them stirred up in Arkansas," Metcalf said.

Jeff Overhouse was the real hero for the Aggies, scoring 23 points and controlling the boards for 20 rebounds.

Terry, meanwhile, set an Arkansas scoring record with 47 points in a 103-96 victory over SMU, which as faltered from contending position to a 7-5 record and a third-place tie with A&M and Baylor.

The Mustangs' Sammy Hervey was matching Terry point-for-point in the second half before being ejected for a flagrant foul with 11 minutes to play and the score 75-73. Hervey, with 31 points, was gone and so were SMU's chances.

"When they lost Hervey, they lost a big part of their offensive punch," said Razorback Coach Lanny Van Eman. "That was probably the big turning point."

In other games Saturday, Baylor beat cellar-dwelling TCU 80-73 in overtime and Texas slashed Rice 75-65.

The Bears' Charlie Ahart led all scorers with 30 points, including six in overtime. Texas was led by 6-9 center B.G.

Connors Wins Indoor Tennis

SALISBURY, Md. (AP) — Jimmy Connors could be excused if he paraphrased an old New York Yankees' truism and said loud and clear: "It's great to be young and a tennis player."

Connors, hardly at the peak of his game at age 20, has added the National Indoor Open to his list of titles and run his guaranteed earnings for the year to almost \$40,000.

The title match with Karl Meiler of West Germany was a bit tougher than expected Sunday, but the confident left-hander settled down to record a 3-6, 7-6, 7-6, 6-3 victory.

"I've only been a pro for one year," Connors said, "and I couldn't think of a better time to be one. The prize money is getting bigger and bigger, and in a couple of years the winner of a tournament probably will get \$20,000 or \$25,000."

NCAA Cage War Begins This Week

Associated Press Writer
The countdown will begin this week to determine which four teams will meet each other in St. Louis.

On Thursday, the National Collegiate Athletic Association will issue bids for the nine at-large berths in the University Division tournament. Conference champions go to the tournament automatically. Two conferences, the Atlantic Coast and Southern, have post-season tournaments to decide their NCAA representative. The NCAA finals will be held in St. Louis this year.

The National Invitational Tournament will begin extending bids Thursday for its tournament to be held at Madison Square Garden in New York. The NIT usually invites the Conference runners-up and the at-large teams that the NCAA passes up.

Long Beach State, Memphis State, Miami of Ohio and Western State qualified for NCAA tournament over the weekend winning the Pacific Coast Athletic Conference, the Missouri Valley Conference and the Mid-American Conference, respectively. Weber State had won a berth earlier by taking the Big Sky Conference Crown. UCLA, the defending national champion and possessor of a 68 game winning streak, clinched at least a tie in the Pacific-8 and is expected to win the conference for the seventh straight year against California and Stanford this weekend. If the last six years are any indication, the Bruins will be in St. Louis on March 24.

The leading candidates for the nine at-large berths are Marquette (22-2), Providence (21-2), Syracuse (19-4), Houston (20-3), South Carolina (18-5), Jacksonville (16-4), Oklahoma City (18-5), Oral Roberts (20-5), Virginia Tech (16-5) and Southwestern Louisiana (22-2).

This is the situation at a glance in some of the still undecided conferences for NCAA berths:

Ivy League—Penn beat Yale 78-69, taking over sole possession of first place from Princeton, a 68-62 upset victim by NCAA tournament over the weekend winning the Pacific Coast Athletic Conference, the Missouri Valley Conference and the Mid-American Conference, respectively.

1973 Baseball Schedule
March 1 Lubbock Coronado Here 4:00
March 2 Lubbock High Here 4:00
March 3 Andrews (2) There 1:00
March 4 Pecos There 7:30
March 5 Lubbock Coronado There 4:00
March 6 Lubbock Monterey (2) There 4:00
March 13 Pecos Here 4:00
March 15-17 Hereford Tournament Hereford
March 26 Abilene Here 4:00
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March 31 Midland Lee Here 2:00
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FIRST (6 furl) — Joe Altotressure 7.80, 3.00, 2.80; Joe Noor 4.00, 2.40; Mirada 3.40, Time — 1:16 3/5.
SECOND (6 furl) — Solid Mix 10.00, 5.20, 4.00; Scuffling Man 4.00, 3.20; Handing Man 4.00, Time — 1:19 2/5.
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QUINELLA — pd. 20.80.
TRIP (6 furl) — Alrude Daughter 19.80, 4.20, 2.60; Amber Marie 3.20, 2.40; Noley Jo 2.40, Time — 1:19 3/5.
QUINELLA — pd. 17.00.
FOURTH (330 yds) — Oak One 6.60, 3.40, 2.80; Lark (moss) 3.40, 2.60; Five 4.00, Time — 1:13.
QUINELLA — pd. 9.20.
FIFTH (one mile) — Ruling Market 18.00, 4.20, 2.20; Gym Shoe 3.00, 3.00; American Time 3.40, Time — 1:09 3/5.
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QUINELLA — pd. 19.60.
EIGHTH (6 furl) — Blue Wessel 7.00, 4.00, 3.00; Post The Colors 8.60, 3.40; B's River 2.80, Time — 1:15 1/5.
QUINELLA — pd. 29.00.
NINTH (600 yds) — Mr. Top Tex 18.20, 6.00, 3.60; The Honker 3.60, 2.60; Jef O'Roses 2.40, Time — 20.60.
QUINELLA — pd. 19.60.
TENTH (1500 furl) — Mr. Pango 54.60, 13.80, 7.40; Jims Brownie 8.20, 6.60; Pom Poon 8.20, Time — 1:19 3/5.
ELEVENTH (6 furl) — Toddes 12.00, 5.60, 4.80; Poppo Gem 3.60, 3.20; Golden Roigh 3.20, Time — 1:18.
TWELFTH (one mile) — Cousin Clarence 18.80, 10.20, 5.60; Lycotte 12.00, 5.20; Who's Afraid 3.40, Time — 1:49 2/5.
QUINELLA — pd. 10.80.
BIG QUINELLA — 14.20.



(AP WIREPHOTOS)

Some Days It's Worse

Sometimes, things just don't go like they're supposed to. Minnesota goalie Cesare Manigo, Spencer Haywood of the Seattle SuperSonics and tennis pro Brian Gottfried were among those who had their "days" over the weekend. Manigo takes a spill while trying to stop a shot off the stick of

New York's Glen Sather, and though this attempt was ward-off, the Rangers won 6-5 in the Sunday night game. Haywood watches action from his ringside seat after failing in an attempt to block a shot put up by the Chicago Bulls Sunday. The Sonics lost, 88-85. Gottfried, resting during a match

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Total Automation Goal Of New Bank

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — A New Orleans bank with a goal of being totally automated already handles all teller-customer transactions at two of its branches by closed-circuit television.

Although other banks use television, mostly for operating drive-in windows, International City Bank says it is the first in the nation to have total-television installations and expects eventually to put all its tellers in front of cameras or replace them with automatic machines.

The tellerless machines — linked to the bank's computer — would enable a customer to handle the most common banking transactions without any contact with a human. The customer would insert his coded card into the machine, punch in four identification numbers and make his deposit, withdrawal or whatever.

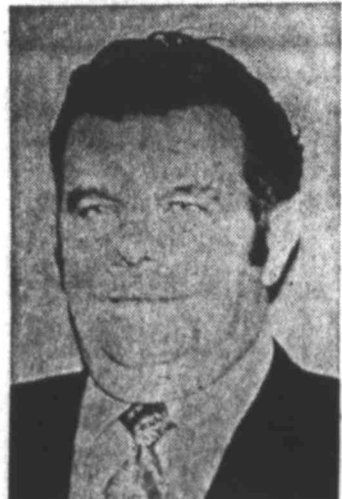
"These units can be placed in hotel lobbies, shopping centers and, to be absurd, even street corners," said bank president Eads Poltevent in a recent speech. "Anywhere there are people."

Ray Samuel said the commitment to machines is not gimmickry, but sound banking philosophy.

As in other banks, International City's two-way, closed-circuit television system is coupled with pneumatic tubes for moving money and documents between teller and customer. What sets the New Orleans bank apart is the use of the system to replace the traditional walk-up windows in its lobbies.

In a typical installation, a customer with routine business walks to a panel with a 12-inch television screen, a speaker, a button to summon the teller and a hatch to the pneumatic tube. A telephone is provided in case the customer wants a private conversation with the teller, who is in a sealed, vault-like room and may be handling two or three "windows."

Each total-television branch bank still has a manager, an assistant manager and one or two other persons in the lobby to help with new accounts or other transactions not normally handled by a teller.



Fate Of 1,300 To Be Checked

NEW YORK (AP) — Presidential adviser Henry A. Kissinger says North Vietnam has promised "a full investigation" into the fates of some 1,300 Americans who are still unaccounted for in Vietnam.

"Now, I must say that I can not really believe that I can't find out what happened to the North Vietnamese who held prisoners on us," Kissinger said in an interview broadcast Sunday night by the National Broadcasting Co.

Kissinger said that while he was in Hanoi, he presented a U.S. analysis of the missing in action, "particularly where we had some evidence that a flier had parachuted . . . or where we had collateral evidence that a person might have been taken prisoner."

Kissinger, President Nixon's chief adviser on national security, told NBC correspondent Barbara Walters, "North Vietnam will never relinquish its desire to take over South Vietnam." But that is not the issue, he added.

"The issue is will they want to unify Vietnam by force or are they willing to rely on an evolutionary process," Kissinger said. He said he thought the North Vietnamese were considering a "peaceful revolution . . . for the first time in their history and in their lives."

He said the United States was not opposed to unification through peaceful, political means. "If the performance on one part or the other is so clearly superior to that of the other that it tends to achieve moral superiority over the other, that is not an American concern," he said.

The wide ranging interview also touched on Kissinger's working relationship with the President. First, he said reports of a strain in their relationship during the last stages of the peace negotiations were unfounded. Then he provided a glimpse of how he and Nixon work together.

"The President, before I go out on a diplomatic mission, doesn't write down specific points that I am supposed to achieve. . . . What the President does is to write down for himself, on a yellow sheet, four or five or six major issues, and the pros and cons of each issue. . . . Then he will call me in, go over them and over them and if I have any ideas I will present them to him. But he talks much more in general terms of where we want to go, so that I clearly understand what he has in mind."

Ricked Cotton Grading Well

Cotton farmers in the Southern Rolling Plains area were able to harvest about 14,000 bales of cotton between the last rains. This brought the season total of bales classed at the U.S.D.A. Cotton Grading Office in Abilene to 408,000. B. B. Manly, who is in charge, estimates that 30 to 50,000 bales remain to be harvested.

Cotton graded during the week ending Feb. 23 was 19 percent white, 59 percent light spotted, and 22 percent spotted. Sixty-one per cent was reduced in grade because of bark. The two predominant grades were 42 and 52 at 30 and 24 per cent.

Several samples of ricked cotton were graded this past week. This cotton has been subjected to several weeks of adverse weather while stacked in fields. The samples were identified by having the word "ricked" stamped on the green cards. They graded as high or higher than other samples received at the same time from the same gin points. However, no comparisons were made between ricked and recently harvested cotton that was known to be from the same field.

Micronaire readings were 50 per cent low, 1 per cent high, and 49 per cent within the 3.5 to 4.9 micronaire range.

Staplelengths remained mostly 31-32's inch, with 53 per cent this length. Staple 32 comprised 29 per cent, and staple 30 was 14 per cent.

Cotton prices reported to the Agricultural Marketing Service were unchanged from last week. Grade 42, with premium mike and staple 31, ranged from 27.20 to 27.50 cents per pound.

Basin Drilling Holds Steady

Permian Basin drilling activity was virtually unchanged last week, and that status applied largely to this area, too.

The Basin total was 193 active rigs, only one less than the week before. Pecos county continued to hold the lead with 22, down four; followed by Eddy County, N.M. with 19, up one, and Lea County N.M., with 16, the same. Fourth place went to Ward County with 15, down one.

In this area Borden had two, the same, Dawson five, the same; Martin eight, down one; Midland three, down one; Reagan 6, up one; Scurry two, the same; Sterling one, the same.

Miller Exploration Co. of Midland staked No. 1 Thelma Cox as an 11,650-foot explorer six miles north of Lamesa. It is half a mile south of Pure No. 1 Cox, an unsuccessful test drilled in 1956 and 1/4ths of a mile northwest of a 11,476-foot failure. Location is 660 from the south and 467 from the east. Lines of section 32-35-60, Georgetown RR.

Negotiations Set To Be Resumed

NEW YORK (AP) — Contract negotiations between American Airlines and the Allied Pilots Association were expected to continue on the West Coast today after the pilots announced a 24-hour postponement of their strike deadline.

Negotiations were being held in San Diego, Calif.

The 3,318 pilots represented by the association have been working without contract since last August and were scheduled to strike at 12:01 a.m. EST today, at the end of a 30-day cooling-off period.

However, a company spokesman announced hours before the deadline that the pilots had agreed to the 24-hour delay.

Mexican Papers Denounce Israel

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Mexican newspapers joined Friday in condemning Israel for shooting down a Libyan airliner, killing 104 people.

"El Heraldo" said world sympathy has always been with Israel in its conflict with the Arab countries but "now the situation has changed radically."

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Card combination
5 Move stealthily
10 Hyperbolic
14 Dies; hymn
15 Dismal; Scotch
16 Olympian queen
17 Breaking ranks
19 Chinese city
20 Enter uninvited
21 Sumatran gibbon
23 Roman roads
25 More than
26 Shooting star
29 Used for ashes
33 Norwegian king
34 Come by rightfully
36 Proportion
37 Prairie State; abbr.
38 Notices given
40 Kind
41 Correct
43 Ancient Hebrew measure
44 Capri, for one
45 Human wreck
47 — nuts
49 Brad
50 Nickname for soap opera's Dallas
52 Need to start game of mib: 2 w.
55 Egg concoctions
59 Mince
60 Not performed

DOWN

1 South of France
2 Ireland
3 Final
4 Quiz after mission
5 Ruminated
6 More impolite
7 Combining form; mouth
8 Triumphs
9 Large armed force
10 Fabrication of mind
11 Dissenter from
12 Short for hoopskirt
13 Dangle
18 Car
22 Declares
24 Written texts
26 Organic unit
27 Brand of figs
28 Church meetinghouse
30 Move slowly
31 Moon valley
32 Coupled
35 With; French
38 Speak off the cuff: 2 w.
39 Right to use another's land
42 Closest
44 Bad fortune: 2 w.
46 Light up
48 Actor Guinness
51 Poisonous
52 First man
53 Distance measure
54 Organic compound
56 Needlecase
57 Kentucky's neighbor: abbr.
58 Its capital is Pierre: abbr.
61 Rather than

Puzzle of Saturday, Feb. 24, Solved

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Lynch's Election Opponent Also Sober, Mild-Mannered

DUBLIN (AP) — If Jack Lynch, a mild-mannered and retiring lawyer, loses Wednesday's general election, his job as prime minister of the Irish Republic will go to Liam Cosgrave, another mild-mannered and retiring lawyer.

Flamboyance counts for nothing in modern Irish politics. The Irish these days like to see themselves as sober, industrious and sensible people. And sobriety, industry and sensibility are the qualities they look for in their political leaders.

Lynch's bill to toughen the law against the IRA. Many of the 50 Laborites in the Dail charged that the bill gave too much power to the police and the government.

Cosgrave had been demanding action against the IRA and felt he could not oppose the legislation. In the end he held the party together and got it to abstain from the vote.

LEADS FINE GAEL

Cosgrave is 52 and the leader of Fine Gael, which literally means Tribe of Gaels and generally is translated as Irish Party. His party first took power after the partition of Ireland in 1922. But in the past 40 years it has held office for only six years, and then only at the head of coalition governments.

Cosgrave now is bidding for power again in coalition with Laborites led by Brendan Corish. Irish elections are hard to predict, but the professionals give the coalition a real chance of ousting Lynch's Fianna Fail, or Soldiers of Destiny.

Cosgrave, the son of a former prime minister, has all the right credentials for an Irish political leader.

His biggest personal interest, and that of his wife, is horses. They live at Naas in County Kildare, the heartland of the Irish bloodstock industry. They met on the rails at the races and are most often pictured at the hunt.

Cosgrave's big moment politically came in 1970 when he stood up in the Dail, Ireland's parliament, to accuse members of Lynch's cabinet of involvement in a gun-running plot. The guns were intended for Northern Ireland, where the outlawed Irish Republican Army is fighting to unite the province with the republic.

NOT RECOVERED

Lynch had to fire some of his most powerful aides, and his party still has not fully recovered from the dissension that resulted.

Twice last year, however, Cosgrave had his own party problems. A rebel faction looked likely to oppose Irish entry into the European Common Market, a cause which Cosgrave passionately supported. And he was close to splitting the party in December over



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Fems Skinny Dip In College Pool

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University police said that by the time they got to the scene, the women were out of the water and toweling themselves dry. The women were asked to leave and did.

Is It True?

Jean Adams' TEEN FORUM

STORIES: My mother used to trust me. Then everybody started telling her that I was smoking and drinking. Now it seems that everywhere I go she follows me.

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What can I do to be trusted? — Followed in Connecticut.

(A.) You tell me what you want where you are going and who is with you, but you do not tell me whether the stories people tell on you are true.

Your mother knows where you are, but if she doesn't know whether you are smoking or drinking when you are there, she is still worried.

If you did not and do not do these things, tell her so.

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Even if the stories are untrue, there has to be a reason for

telling them, so examine yourself.

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Last week she told me she loved him. I believe that deep down she still loves me. What do you think I should do? — Hurt in Texas.

(A.) I believe she is trying to let you down easily, and that the boy her age is now No. 1.

Accept this, quit chasing her, and look for another girl, preferably 18 or 19 years old.

(Jean Adams reads and considers every letter, but she regrets that she cannot answer each personally. Mail your questions and comments to Jean Adams, care of The Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 260, Houston, Tex. 77001.)

NO MATCH FOR WIDOW

TORONTO (AP) — The Ontario Criminal Injuries Compensation Board has given \$250 to a 74-year-old widow who fought off three young men trying to get her handbag.

The money compensated Annie Hornby for the gash over her right eye and broken glasses the trio gave her in December.

"When one of them tried to grab my bag, I gave him a good, strong kick right in the groin," the widow told the board.

One of the men beat Mrs. Hornby about the head with a pistol, but they finally fled without the bag.

The board complimented Mrs. Hornby.

"It was nothing," she replied. "They're just lucky I didn't have my shillelagh with me."

TENURE AWARD — A. E. Damborsky, truck driver, has been presented with a 25-year jeweled emblem by Mobil Oil Corp., represented by J. E. Thomas, foreman of the Chalk area. Damborsky, native of Fort Bend County, has worked on drilling rigs, in various positions before transferring to production in the Chalk area in 1960. He and his wife, Jessie, have two sons and a daughter, and reside in Colorado City, where they are active in the Oak Street Baptist Church.

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